



New Year Greetings

We Wish You All A Happy and Prosperous New Year
And take this opportunity to thank the public generally for the splendid patronage extended to us during the year that is just passed.

The tremendous volume of business done by us is most gratifying and is an assurance in itself that the public find our values attractive and our prices right. But great as it has been we are determined to do better in 1920. To accomplish this we realize that our ambition can only be attained by continually striving to give you the best merchandise at the lowest possible prices.

We call your attention to the splendid money-saving opportunities below, mostly repeats of last week's sale, to give our customers who could not be here on account of the storm, the same privilege as their more fortunate neighbors.

Don't let snow, storm, rain or anything else keep you away this week, for we have many added attractions, mostly oddments, which we do not advertise because of small quantities.

Dainty and Fashionable Wear for the Housemaid

MAIDS' COLLARS—Plain and embroidered, in different styles; all sizes from 12½ up to 14½. Reg. 20c. and 25c. values. **12c.** Friday and Saturday.

HOUSEMAIDS' CAPS—Muslins and Lawns in the most used styles. These are excellent value and should interest every shrewd woman who would like to have their maids look neat and trim New Year's Day. Reg. 35c. each. **30c.** Friday and Saturday.

MAIDS' APRONS—Made from stout White Cotton that will launder beautifully and wear well. They are trimmed with rows of hemstitching; with and without bib. Reg. \$1.20 each. **\$1.05** Friday and Saturday.

ROSAILED SKIRT SUPPORTS—In white or Black with heavily nickel-plated metal parts. They hold the skirt and waist securely together without pinning. Saves time and temper. Reg. 12c. each. **6c.** Friday and Saturday.

STATIONERY

STEPHENS' BLUE BLACK INK—Writes a clear blue color and changes to an intensely black. It is smooth and pleasant to write with. Reg. 20c. jar. **16c.** Friday and Saturday.

RULED CASH BOOKS—With grey canvas covers. Would be suitable as well for listing stock. Reg. 90c. each. **75c.** Friday and Saturday.

BLACK COVER MEMO BOOKS—Good quality; ruled; 48 pages. Reg. 5c. each. **7c.** Friday and Saturday.

MEMORY NOTE PADS—Small size, ruled faint; soft cover. Special for Friday and Saturday, 2 for **5c.**

BRASS EDGED RULERS—Of close grain boxwood; 12 in. long. Reg. 13c. each. **12c.** Friday and Saturday.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

BUREAU CLOTHS—In a very fine quality with self color embroidery and hemstitched edge. Reg. \$1.25 each. **\$1.05** Friday & Sat'y.

WASHSTAND CLOTHS TO MATCH—Reg. 80c. 95c. each. **Friday & Saturday 80c.**

PLAIN BOLSTER CASES—With invisible buttons; good and durable. Reg. \$1.10 each. **95c.** Friday and Saturday.

LINEN DAMASK TABLE COVERS—A very popular size, 2 x 2 yards; good quality and rich, new patterns. Reg. \$6.00 each. **\$5.50** Friday and Saturday.

NIGHTDRESS BAGS—Sprig and Shamrock effects worked in white cotton; hemstitched edge. Reg. \$1.20 each. **\$1.05** Friday & Sat'y.

CUP TOWELING—Twill finish Toweling, 16 inches wide; suitable for roller or hand towels. Reg. 24c. yard. **Friday & Saturday 22c.**

CONGOLEUM MATS—Block, Tile and Floral patterns; medium size. Reg. 20c. each. **17c.** Friday and Saturday.

CONGOLEUM AND FELTEX FLOOR COVERING—Block, Tile and Floral effects; 2 yards wide. Regular \$1.90 and \$2.00 yard. **Friday \$1.80** and Saturday.

DOWDY COMFORTERS—Covered with floral and fancy cotton and satin, with panels in silk or satin. Regular \$14.00 each. **Friday \$12.70** and Saturday.

REMNANTS OF FLOOR CANVAS, FELTEX AND CONGOLEUM—All specially reduced in price to clear.

CROCKERY and GLASSWARE

VASES—Fancy Bluebird, Forget-me-not and Holland designs. Regular 45c. each. **40c.** Saturday.

PAINTED VASES—Assorted colors and designs; 6 inches high. Reg. 15c. each. **15c.** Saturday.

FANCY STONE CHINA VASES—Assorted patterns and colors. Reg. 45c. each. **40c.** Saturday.

CUPS, SAUCERS AND PLATES—Odd patterns, 3 pieces for **76c.**

GLASS WATER JUGS—Plain and fancy; 1 quart size. Regular 45c. each. **40c.** Saturday.

BUTTER DISHES—Small size; tinted. Reg. 22c. each. **Friday and Saturday 20c.**

CUPS AND SAUCERS—Japanese designs; globe shape. Special, 3 Cups and Saucers **\$1.43** for **\$1.95** Regular \$2.10 set. **Friday and Saturday \$1.95**

Extra Specials from the Showroom

MEN'S CREPE DE CHENE BLOUSES—Champagne and Black, beautifully made and trimmed; also striped silk in a choice assortment of color combinations. Regular \$7.80 each. **Friday and Saturday \$7.00**

PEPE DE CHENE BLOUSES—Peach, Pink and White, worked with Black and self color silk; low neck, full bust styles that are sure to meet with general approval. Reg. \$9.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$8.10**

MIDDLE COATS—We have a few silk Middle Coats which we want to clear before stock taking, the low prices will give them a speedy exit. Reg. \$14.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$6.75**

LORED SATEN UNDERSKIRTS—With self-adjusting, elastic waist and deep, pleated flounce. Colors: Royal, Grey, Rose and Navy. Reg. \$2.75 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.40**

K. SKIRTS—Plain corded or with self color satin stripes. Wide belt with large buttons; buckle trimmed. fancy pocket; silk fringed trimmings. A skirt that any up-to-date woman would be glad to wear. Colors: Sage, Fawn and Sky. Reg. \$12.75 each. **Friday and Saturday \$11.25**

MEN'S HELLO DRESSING JACKETS—A splendid quality, thick warm eiderdown that could not be bought to-day to sell at fully fifty per cent. more than the price quoted here. Special to clear. **\$3.10** Each.

LDREN'S BEAVER OR KHAKI PLUSH COATS—For children of two three and four years; belted waist, new style, wide collar and turned up cuff. A splendid value. Reg. \$11.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$9.50**

LDREN'S FLANNELLETTESLEEPERS—A soft, pure quality in light and medium shade stripes. Sizes to fit from 2 to 10 years. **\$1.80** Friday and Saturday.

LDREN'S UNDERPANTS—Good quality winter garments; unequalled value. Special for Friday and Saturday the pair **25c.**

LDREN'S UNDERVESTS—Made from stout union material. Sizes up to 2½ years. Regular 45c. pair. **Friday and Saturday 40c.**

MEN'S CLOTH SPATS—Twelve inches high; assorted colors and sizes. Regular \$2.25 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$2.00**

MEN'S BLUE SERGE DRESSES—A dressy style trimmed with braid in beautiful scroll patterns. The waist is girdled with black merve silk, tastefully shirred; square neck. Reg. \$34.00 each. **\$31.50** Friday and Saturday.

Sealette, Astrachan and Bearskin

BLACK SEALLETTE—The favored material for warm and durable winter coats for women and misses. This is an extra special quality with thick, deep pile and rich silky finish; 48 inches wide. Reg. \$17.00 yard. **Friday and Saturday \$15.50**

WHITE BEARSKIN—A new arrival with long lasting fur; heavy quality; 48 in. wide. Reg. \$11.00 yard. **Friday and Saturday \$9.75**



KHAKI WOOL MUFFLERS—Tubular make in soft Khaki Wool, with long knotted fringe. Reg. \$2.30 each. **Friday & Saturday \$2.10**

MEN'S KID GLOVES—Dozens of pairs, left over from our Xmas Sale; some are slightly imperfect; others soiled, but there are plenty to enable you to get a few pairs in perfect condition. Reg. \$2.40 pair. **Friday and Sat'y. \$1.95**

Reg. \$4.00 pair. **Friday and Sat'y. \$2.90**

CASED PIPES—Genuine French Briar with silver ferrule, black hard rubber mouth piece; straight and bent stems. Reg. \$ 2.75 each. **Friday and Sat'y. \$2.45**

Reg. \$3.00 each. **Friday and Sat'y. \$2.50**

REAL AMBER STEM PIPES—With silver ferrules and genuine French Briar bowls of an extra quality. Reg. \$7.00 each. **\$6.20** Friday and Saturday.

ITALIAN BRIAR PIPES—Straight, hard rubber \$3.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.50**

MEN'S VELOUR HATS—Genuine Velour in Green, Brown or Black. A Hat that any man would appreciate for the New Year. Reg. \$8.90 each. **Friday and Saturday \$8.90**

NAVY VELOUR HATS—In the same quality. Regular \$12.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$10.50**

MEN'S FELT HATS—In Browns, Greys and Navy, edged with silk ribbon and banded with silk-edged corded ribbon; sweatproof inside band. Reg. \$4.50 ea. **Friday & Sat'y \$3.85**

MEN'S SOFT COTTON DRESS SHIRTS—Striped, mercerized front; very dressy looking for your New Year's calls; starched band, soft cuffs. Reg. \$2.75 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.40**

MEN'S PIN STRIPE COTTON SHIRTS—Various color stripes on white grounds. Extra good quality, made by the makers of the popular Arrow Brand collar. Reg. \$3.25 ea. **\$3.00** Friday and Saturday.

MEN'S STIFF CUFF SHIRTS—Coat style in desirable stripes on white ground. All sizes. Reg. \$2.25 each. **Friday and Sat'y. \$2.05**

MEN'S WIDE END TIES—In scores of pretty color combinations and plain shades. Dozens of new patterns from our reserve stock. Reg. 80c. each. **Friday and Sat'y. 73c.**

Reg. \$1.65 each. **Friday and Sat'y. \$1.55**

CHILDREN'S WHITE, GREY, BROWN and BLACK JERSEY LEGGINGS—Most comfortable garments for children wearing size 2 up to size 10 boots. They protect the stockings and keep the feet and legs comfortable and warm. Reg. \$1.10 pair. **Friday and Saturday 95c.**

L. O. A. Parade.

A joint parade of Royal Oak and Learning Lodges was held yesterday morning to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, where an eloquent and inspiring sermon was delivered by the Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A. During the service a duet was beautifully rendered by Mrs. G. Dickie and Miss Margaret Mitchell. Owing to the adversity of the weather the usual parade through the city had to be cancelled. The society parading directly from the hall to the church and return. At the conclusion of the service a vote of thanks was passed by the officers of the Order to Rev. Dickie, the choir, and the church officials. On the return to the hall a deputation of the officers of the Grand Lodge and the Masters of the Primary Lodges was formed; and proceeded to the Government House where it was received by His Excellency the Governor, Lady Harris and Miss Harris. In a few well chosen words the Prov. Grand Master, W. H. Cave introduced the members and conveyed to his Excellency and family an expression of loyalty of the members of the Loyal Orange Association to His Majesty the King and the Royal Family through his accredited representative in this Dominion. His Excellency in his reply announced his intention of conveying the expression of loyalty to His Majesty the King and members of the Royal Family, and commended the putation for braving the elements to pay him and his family a visit on a day such as this. On return to the hall a vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. A. W. Harvey, who had kindly provided as in former years the pair of horses in the procession. The proceedings closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Wesley Class Reunion.

Last night the members of the Victory Class of Wesley Methodist Church, held their annual re-union, in the main school-room of the church. Including the guests, nearly two hundred people attended, and partook of a beautiful repast provided by the Ladies Aid Society. An excellent programme was gone through, the following contributing items:—Misses Soper and Pike, and Messrs. Colton, Butler and S. J. Tucker. The M. G. Band was also present and rendered some excellent selections. Addresses were delivered by Revs. Dr. Fenwick, E. W. Forbes, and W. B. Bagden, and Mr. R. A. Tompkins, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Mr. J. C. Pudester was chairman.

During the evening the class made a presentation to their leader, Mr. Mark Pike, in recognition of his faithful service. Mr. A. W. Martin who made the presentation, eulogized the work of Mr. Pike. The recipient was taken by surprise, but was equal to the occasion and made a very neat reply. The affair closed at 11 o'clock with singing of the National anthem.

Masked Ball.

About 80 couples were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Barr at a masked ball held in the C.C.C. Hall on Wednesday night. The ball-room was decorated with evergreens, and illuminated with myriads of coloured lights, presented a very pleasing scene. The dancers representing the nobility the military, the navy, the arts, the graces, etc., made a sight worth witnessing, as they glided over the polished floor to the music of the C.C.C. Orchestra. Dancing concluded at 1.30 on New Year's morning, all present voting the affair one of the most enjoyable of the old year.

Oil Carrying Tug Destroyed.

The gasoline-engined oil-carrying barge of the Imperial Oil Co., which is used for carrying oil across the harbor, was destroyed yesterday forenoon when she caught fire and had to be towed outside the Narrows. Taking fire in the engine-room, where sparks from the carburetor ignited woodwork, the boat burned rapidly, and as some 20 casks of kerosene oil were aboard it was decided to get the tug away from the wharf and outside the heads. The tug John Green was called and towed the boat outside, where the tow line was cut and the burning lighter allowed to go adrift. As she passed through the Narrows some of the casks of kerosene oil exploded, sending flames 100 feet into the air. Eventually the oil carrier sank in deep water.

Christmas Cheer.

Lieut.-Col. Adby acknowledges with thanks receipt of the following contributions towards the Christmas Appeal for the Poor: \$50.00—Reld Nfld. Co. \$5.00 each—A. Stewart, Esq., W. W. Halfyard, Esq., J. W. Withers, Esq. \$2.50—Rev. Gordon Dickie. \$2.00 each—Mark Chaplin, Esq., W. A. Ellis, Esq., Kalleem Noah, Esq., H. W. LeMessurier, Esq. \$1.00—A Friend.

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