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To Start The Spring Season Today!

With stocks completely new, as if we were just starting in business, we start today the new spring shoe season.

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WHO WANTS TO DO THE RESCUE ACT?

The Story of the Diamond

Chapter 1.

Its Name.

The word "diamond" is derived from the Greek "adamas" meaning "invincible."

It is well-named "invincible" since it is the hardest, the most unconquerable substance known in nature; it is also the most imperishable for "moth and rust" will not corrupt it although thieves may break through and steal it. Added to this is the fact that it is most mysterious in its origin as we will find later on.

The first mention we have of the "diamond" as a gem is by Manilius in A.D. 16, whilst Pliny in A.D. 100 refers to it as "the most valuable of gems known only to kings."

Write for our Year Book—It illustrates our Diamond Rings.

Diamond Merchants

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RECENT WEDDINGS

Boyle-MacDonald.
An interesting event took place at 79 St. Patrick street last evening when John Wilfred Boyle, of Elmsdale (P. E. I.), was united in marriage with Miss Marion Isabelle MacDonald, of Braton (P. E. I.), by the Rev. J. A. MacKeigan. The bride was attended by Miss Minnie Kinred and the groom was supported by Harry Wood, a returned soldier. Mr. and Mrs. Boyle will reside in Elmsdale and the best wishes of many friends for their future happiness are extended to them.

Gray-Tarry.
At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. A. MacKeigan yesterday morning one of the passengers of the steamer Metagama, Miss Marjorie Tarry, of Broadview, England, was united in marriage with Stanley Clark Gray, of Regina (Sask.), and the newly married pair left on the evening train for their future home in Regina. En route they will visit the groom's parents in Alexandria (Ont.).

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(Hullfax Chronicle.)
Through the present turmoil the consciousness is slowly emerging that the most fatal question of this fearful hour concerns the sufficiency of Christianity. Is Christianity capable of leading humanity through so great a wilderness into order and fullness of life? There are those who answer the question with an unhesitating negative. They have labelled the Christian records and the Christian hopes "idle tales and baseless dreams," and consigned them to the limbo of the outworn. Of their number some profess to regard Christianity as an incubus on civilization, and others press a specific alternative of one kind or another with all the zeal of fervid propagandists. In this company, too, are restless spirits glorying in confusion, while still others pace the sands hoping that something of value may be cast up by the wild waves of disorder.

However, such an attitude may shock a complacent multitude that regards itself Christian, it has the merit of being immeasurably more intelligible than that which with piousunction professes its confidence in Christianity—and does no more.

For the unvarnished truth is that Christianity is either the greatest, cruellest hoax ever perpetrated on helpless beings, or it is incomparably the most benign reality that has come within the reach of mankind. Christianity is either a jack-o-lantern luring to vain and dangerous quests, or it is the noblest inspiration, and away hence the most valuable asset of which the human race has come into possession during the ages of its history.

There is an overwhelming consensus of opinion in the truth and efficacy of Christianity; but that body of opinion is comparatively ineffective because it is

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A busy day and on your feet most of the time—a long tiresome trip or a hike in the country—new shoes to break in—all these mean tired feet. Soothe and rest them by applying a few drops of Absorbine, Jr. Or, if you are very tired and your feet burn, ache or swell, soak them in a solution of Absorbine, Jr., and water. Relief will be prompt and lasting. You will like the "feel" of this clean, fragrant and soothing liniment. It penetrates quickly, leaves no greasy residue, and is intensely refreshing. Only a few drops needed to do the work as Absorbine, Jr., is highly concentrated. You will find dozens of uses for Absorbine, Jr., as a dependable first-aid remedy and regular toilet adjunct; to reduce inflammatory conditions—sprains, wrenches, painful, swollen veins. To allay pain anywhere. To spray the throat if sore or infected. To heal cuts, bruises, lacerations and sores. Absorbine, Jr., \$1.25 a bottle at druggists or postpaid. Liberal trial bottle mailed for 10c. in stamps.
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Spring Fashions Are Exemplified in the New Suit Models We Are Showing

The charming simplicity and refinement of these suits—the correct proportions—the narrow shoulders—the loose and tight-fitting sleeves—snug collars and lapels—the tapering skirts and careful tailoring recommend themselves to women of good taste.

ONE OF THE LATEST MODELS is in Navy Gabardine, the whole effect of this suit is one-sided. Front is in surplice style, fastening with four large buttons in one side under the arm. The belt is effectively placed half way round coat. Coat is of uneven length, is decorated on one side only with buttons and has one pocket. The collar is finely tucked and sleeves flare slightly at wrist.

ANOTHER MODEL FEATURES THE RUSSIAN BLOUSE—This is developed in light grey serge. Coat is trimmed with self-colored embroidery, fine tucks and smoked pearl buttons.

COPEN, SERGE is used in another Russian Blouse costume. This has smart cord girdle, military collar, trimmed with rows of narrow black braid and pointed turned-over edges faced with sand mottre. The coat fastens in front with ball buttons and has new slash pockets. Many other styles are represented in our present large stock, including Box, Seal-Bitted, Tailored, and all popular shapes to be worn for Spring by either Women or Misses.

(COSTUME SECTION—2ND FLOOR)

An Attractive Showing of Rompers and Creepers For Small Children

Wise mothers will appreciate not only the distinctness of these exceptionally smart garments, but also the comfort kiddies derive from wearing them.

"Twanta" Rompers have many good qualities that render them superior play garments for boys and girls.

Buster Brown Rompers with Dutch necks, loose, three-quarter sleeves and full two pocketed bloomers. They have white waists and bloomers and trimmings are of khaki, Copen, or pale blue, 3, 4 and 5 year sizes, \$3.50

Overall Rompers with boyish shoulder straps. Bloomers and trimmings are of dark Copen. The waists are of white, 3, 4 and 5 year sizes, \$3.25

Fine White Drill Rompers with pale pink smocking at neck and waist, 1 and 2 year sizes, \$3.25



(WHITEWEAR SECTION—SECOND FLOOR)

SMALL WHITE TERRY TOWELS at Only 10c. Each—These were sold formerly at 35c. a pair. They are balances left over from a lot sold largely for the boys overseas and will be cleaned out at this remarkable low price, 10c. each.

(LINEN SECTION—GROUND FLOOR)

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RECENT DEATHS

Edward Fillmore.

The death occurred yesterday at the St. John County Hospital of Edward Fillmore, of 64 St. John street, West Side, after an illness of ten months. Mr. Fillmore was twenty-seven years of age and a carpenter by trade. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Fillmore, of St. John, and is survived by his wife, a child, his parents and five brothers—Arthur, of Boston, Harry, George, John and Willard, all of St. John. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Come and View Our Showing of New Spring Hosiery



Just the same as everything else at this time of the season. Hosiery comes along all decked out in its new Spring Dress.

Our first displays of it now invite the attention of all who would like to familiarize themselves with the styles and shades which will be most in demand for wear with the New Apparel. An examination of a pair or two will convince you that the quality is there in every pair.

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, in fancy clocks and stripes, made with lisle toe and heel. Shades, grey with white, champagne with black, white with black, navy with white, drab with black, cordovan with white, also black with white. All sizes. Price \$2.25 Per Pair

Women's "Radium" Pure Thread Silk Hose with high spliced back and elastic lisle top. Colors, navy, grey, champagne, black, cordovan, smoke, white and black. All sizes. Price \$1.65 Per Pair

Women's "Radium" Silk Hose with extra strong lisle top, also lisle sole, heel and toe.

Colors, smoke, navy, grey, bronze, gold, Russian calf, cordovan, black and white. All sizes. Price \$1.35 Per Pair All sizes. Price 85c. Per Pair

Just received a new shipment of Gordon "Rou and Ticket" Silk Hose. These are splendid value. Colors, navy, grey, white, black, cordovan and Russian calf. All sizes. Price \$1.95 Per Pair

Special value in "Gordon" Lisle Hose, full fashioned, seamless toe and heel and seam back, in shades of grey, white, black, Russian calf, cordovan. All sizes. Price 85c. Per Pair

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