

Downward Price Sale

and with no gradual drop about it either, but a genuine revaluing of all our stock from the regular prices to extraordinary value giving Bargains. DOWN-DOWN-DOWN they come, and our Sale Figures have hit the bottom. Make no mistake about this being one of the so-called usual sales. THIS IS A BIG MERCHANDIZING EVENT TO UNLOAD STOCK AT BACK TO PRE-WAR PRICES, and if you miss the chance you simply throw away an opportunity that came almost to your very door.

Commencing Tomorrow Morning at Urdang's, 221 Union Street

Footwear For Men And Women At Cut Rate Prices Representing Remarkable Values

Men's Brown Boots—Hi cut, Goodyear welt. Regular \$8.50. Downward Sale \$6.98

Men's Brown Boots—Rubber sole and heel. Regular \$8.50. Sale \$6.98

Men's Brown Calf Leather Boots—Rubber or leather sole. Regular \$10. Sale Price \$7.98

Men's Black Boots—A special walking boot. Regular \$6.50. Downward Sale Price \$3.98

Men's Brown Boot—Receding toe, rubber or leather sole. Regular \$8.50. Sale \$5.98

Men's Brown Boots—Leather sole, Goodyear Welt. Regular \$9.50. Sale \$6.98

Men's Work Boots—Heavy grain leather; brown or black

AT A SPECIAL CLEARING PRICE

CHILDREN'S FOOTWEAR

In great variety. Also Slippers and Felt Boots. On sale at exactly HALF PRICE

GUM RUBBERS AT LOWEST PRICES

Men's Felt Boots at ONE HALF REGULAR PRICE.

Boys' Strong Work Boots, also Dress Boots. Regular \$4.50. Sale Price Only \$2.98

Boys' Solid Leather Dress Boots. Regular \$5.00. Sale Price Only \$3.98

Boys' Gum and Plain Rubbers at Lowest Prices.

Ladies' Black Boots—Fine or heavy leather, low or hi cut; medium height. Size from 4 1/2. Special Price to Clear \$2.98

Ladies' Black Dress Boots—Regular \$8 to \$12. Downward Sale Prices \$5.98 and \$6.98

Ladies' Brown Hi Cut Laced Boots—Cuban or spool heel. Regular \$8 to \$12. Sale Price \$5.98, \$6.98, \$7.98

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A sample lot, all colors and styles. Sale price just ONE HALF OF REGULAR

LADIES' RUBBERS—BEST VALUES IN TOWN

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Is very complete and the BARGAIN PRICES will undoubtedly draw Crowds. SHOP EARLY AND SECURE BEST CHOICE

Some of Our Price Cuts That Show What We Do At a Sale. Well Made and Serviceable. For Work or Dress Wear

MEN'S PANTS

Reg. \$5.00. Sale Price \$3.48

Reg. 5.50. Sale Price 3.98

Reg. 6.00. Sale Price 4.48

Reg. 6.50. Sale Price 4.98

Reg. 7.00. Sale Price 5.48

Reg. 8.00. Sale Price 5.98

Men's Work Shirts, reg. \$2.

Reg. \$2.50. Sale Price 1.79

Reg. \$3.00. Sale Price 1.98

Men's Wool Socks, Reg. 60c. Sale Price 39c.

Reg. 75c. Sale Price 49c.

Reg. \$1. Sale Price 79c.

OUR MEN'S FURNISHINGS PRICES SHOULD ATTRACT EVERY MAN STRIVING TO ECONOMIZE IN THESE HARD TIMES. READ THE BARGAIN OFFERINGS.

Overalls at Great Reductions.

Men's Blue Overalls. Reg. price \$2.50. Sale \$1.49

Men's Black Overalls. Reg. price \$2.75. Sale \$1.79

Men's All Wool Underwear. Reg. \$2.50. Sale \$1.49

Men's Fleece Lined Underwear. Reg. \$1.50. Sale 98c. garment.

Men's Mitts, were \$1 and \$1.50. Sale Prices 69c. and 98c.

SWEATERS

Reg. \$4. Sale Price \$2.48

Reg. \$5. Sale Price 3.48

Reg. \$6. Sale Price 3.98

Children's Overstockings, red, brown, black. 59c. 69c., 79c.

Children's heavy ribbed black Stockings, sizes 5 to 10. Reg. 60c. Sale Price 29c.

Boys' all-wool Stockings. Reg. \$1. Sale 59c. and 69c.

Watch For The Yellow Posters In The Window And Remember The Name—Urdang

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PRESBYTERIAN ANNUAL MEETINGS

The annual meetings of the Presbyterian churches in the city were held last night. In Knox church the sum of \$9,598.58 had been raised and of the \$5,020 that had been raised for the forward movement, the sum of \$3,500.88 has been paid. It was decided to increase the minister's stipend to \$8,500 and George W. Fleming offered to provide two lights at the entrance of the church. K. J. McIntee was in the chair and the following trustees were elected: K. J. MacRae, H. C. Page, J. J. Stothart, J. B. Hamm, J. C. Mitchell, Albert McArthur, H. H. McLellan, W. S. Edgar, R. A. Sewell, W. H. Campbell, D. Lawrence MacLaren and J. J. Irvin.

Rev. William Townsend, the pastor, presided at the meeting in St. Columba's church, Fairville and the following were elected: John Baird, chairman; L. C. Coughle, secretary-treasurer; members: Daniel Campbell, Joseph Semple, Thomas Snodgrass, William Stinson, Packard Campbell, Arthur Doherty, W. H. Stinson, Harper Henderson and G. S. McPherson, and auditor, Arthur Morrow.

At St. Andrew's church meeting John H. McRobbie was appointed chairman. The total receipts for the year amounted to \$14,614.27 while the expenditures amounted to \$10,818. The following were elected: F. N. Brodie, W. G. Stronach, T. Guy, H. F. Rankin, C. McN. Steeves, R. P. Cowan, C. H. Smyth, J. A. Robertson, C. B. Allan, R. M. Magee, George S. Bishop and George Roberts.

At St. Matthew's meeting a vote of thanks was extended to John Burke, choir leader, Miss Madeline Daley and Mrs. Robert Elliott. W. N. Collins was appointed treasurer to the forward movement. The following trustees were elected: J. Fraser Gregory, John Thornton, R. J. Carson, R. F. Brittain, W. N. Collins, Wm. McHarg, Isaac Hutchinson, Charles F. Stevens and Austin Gubraith. H. L. McGowan was appointed chairman at the meeting in St. David's and James MacMurray, secretary. With the sum of \$10,648.41 for the year the total receipts amounted \$48,945.97, while the expenditures amounted to \$38,358.62.

Reports of the various organizations were read, showing all church activities in a flourishing condition.

INDIAN MEDICINE MEN

In the Indian Tribe one finds the "Medicine Man," one versed in the healing art of roots, herbs, leaves and barks. In these he discovers emollients, astringents, laxatives and tonics, all of which are prepared and offered to sufferers among the tribe. To such good, old-fashioned roots and herbs Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the most efficient remedy in the world for female ills, owes its success. For forty-five years it has been restoring the women of America to health, until it is now recognized as the standard remedy.

SAVED A GIRL

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Frank B. Johnston, 88, of Toronto, has been awarded the bronze medal of the Carnegie hero fund, for saving Daisy A. Hooper from drowning at Lindsay (Ont.), on July 25, 1917.

PYTHIAN DEGREE WORK

Additional celebrations were carried on last evening in conjunction with the opening of Pythian Castle, when more than 500 knights from four city lodges and provincial officials were present. It was the formal convention night of New Brunswick Lodge, No. 1, and the activities included a ceremonial smoker and entertainment. Among the officers taking part were John F. Kelly, Harvey H. Colwell, Robert Scott, Oscar E. Dick, Frank H. Greaves, William E. Dennis, William B. Harvey, B. L. Sheppard, E. E. Thomas and James Moulson. D. M. Cochran of Halifax, was also present.

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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Sir John Martin Harvey, the well known actor, took suddenly ill at a theatre in Toronto, yesterday.

At the interment camp for Sinn Féiners in Ballykinkor, County Down, Ireland, two men were shot dead recently. It was said that one of the victims had been signalling to some person outside of the camp and when told to stop did not. He was shot by a soldier and another prisoner was in the line of fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenwick Granville, Mrs. Jessie Kennedy and Daniel Sinclair were injured at Waterboro, Queens county recently when the wagon in which they were driving skidded on the ice and upset.

A fire in Morton and Thompson's hardware store, Halifax, yesterday, destroyed about \$40,000 worth of property. A hundred persons were drowned, 200 injured and 1,000 made homeless when two dams near Mexico City broke and torrents of water poured through the mining town of Pachuca on Tuesday.

As a result of a row at Harewood, Westmorland county, a man was shot in the leg, according to information received by Sheriff Killam, at Moncton yesterday.

For the first time since the intoxicating liquor act came into force a fine was imposed for allowing liquor to be consumed in a private dwelling. A resident of Moncton pleaded guilty to this offence yesterday and was fined \$50.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE FARMERS OF QUEBEC

Montreal, Jan. 30.—The third annual convention of the United Farmers of Quebec last night adopted resolution for the establishment of experimental farms in every county of the province, the granting of one million dollars annually for colonization, the endorsement of small parochial savings banks, and the encouragement of co-operative communities.

LOCAL NEWS

The shipwreck held their regular meeting last evening in Temperance Hall, Market Place, west end. The president, D. Webster, occupied the chair.

A committee was appointed last evening at a meeting of the Philathea Class of the German Street Baptist church to select a subject for a debate to be held by the members class with the Y. M. A. of the church.

The smoker of the 15th Heavy Battery at the Armouries last night was a most successful affair. Everybody had a good time. Major C. F. Inches was master of ceremonies and an excellent programme of musical selections was rendered. Six recruits joined the battery and were welcomed at the smoker.

The committee meetings of the Fredericton diocesan synod were concluded yesterday. It was decided to make recommendation that a committee on Bible reading in public schools be appointed. Bishop Richardson and Canon Kuhling were appointed to draft a resolution of deep sympathy and regret at the death of the late James F. Robertson, a copy of which will be sent to Mrs. Robertson.

Captain Frederick Courage and five men of the Newfoundland schooner Elsie L. Cortum, passed through the city yesterday en route to their homes in Catilina, Trinity Bay, Newfoundland. This crew was rescued at sea by the steamer Heronpool and landed in Ireland. They arrived in St. John yesterday on the steamer Minnesota, and related a harrowing experience.

George W. Ketchum, of Riverside, had a narrow escape from death when he was struck yesterday afternoon by the incoming Halifax express. He was hit by the engine buff and knocked to the bottom of the emankment and was unconscious for about one hour. Dr. J. R. Peters and Dr. D. C. Malcolm attended him and it was found that he was suffering from shock and that his shoulder blade had been injured.

The first evening of addresses given in connection with the home economics course of vocational classes last evening was a most successful and auspicious one. The large gathering in the Odd-fellows' hall listened with much pleasure and profit to excellent addresses.

CHAMBERLAIN'S

The Best Cough Medicine

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since I have been keeping house," says L. C. Harnes of Marbury, Alta. "I consider it one of the best remedies I have ever used. My children have all taken it and it works like a charm. For colds and whooping cough it is excellent." Keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by you—it is a friend in need.

COUGH REMEDY

BELIEVE PRISONER IS LEADER OF DRUG RING.

Federal Agents Arrest in Denver Alleged Members of Band Operating Throughout Country

Denver, Jan. 17.—Thirty minutes after he is said to have sold drugs worth \$25,000 to a prominent Denver man, the transaction taking place in a taxicab, Federal officers and Sergeant Reed of the Denver Police Department, arrested "Diamond Dick" Newman, alleged leader of the greatest drug ring in the country. Federal officers who for five years have been endeavoring to break up the ring, assert that with the arrest of Newman and S. Swartz of Kansas City, who was arrested soon afterward, they have caught the chief agents of an organization whose operations in illegal drug traffic involved \$1,000,000.

Two prominent Denver men are implicated, according to Federal agents, and several more arrests, including those of women, are expected. Joseph Goldstone and E. Parker, who are held in the city jail, are two of the links in the chain, it is alleged.

Newman was traced through a diamond watch chain containing eight large stones. He was captured as he was about to enter a hotel. He had no money or checks.

The scope of the ring is said to include a dozen large cities, with New York probably as the centre.

It is alleged that Parker and Swartz were the mediums through which drugs of various kinds were sold.

SET NEW WIRELESS RECORD.

Hartford and Los Angeles Papers Exchange Messages in 68 Minutes

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 20.—What is claimed to be a world's record for civilian wireless transmission was made when a message from The Hartford Courant to The Los Angeles Times was relayed across the continent by the station of Hiram Percy Maxim here. The reply came in one hour and eight minutes.

Several midwestern stations, operated by members of the American Radio Relay League, the national organization of non-commercial wireless operators, of which Mr. Maxim is president, assisted in relaying the test message across the continent.

A record of one hour and twenty minutes for cross-continent relay of a wireless message was made by the Maxim station more than three years ago. Beginning on Feb. 1 twenty-four amateur operators will try with both wireless telegraph and radio telephones to talk across the Atlantic.

LESS FOX TAXES

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Jan. 19.—Fox men of the island today met Major Creighton of the finance department, Ottawa, and asked that federal taxation on foxes be reduced as it was based at present on inflated valuations made before the war. The government was urged to allow companies to reduce gradually the inflated value of their stock until the industry was again on a paying basis.

CONVICT HELD FOR TRIAL.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 19.—John "Wash" Kallis, a convict in the Portsmouth penitentiary, who was charged with sawing through three seven-eighth inch steel bars in the door of his cell preparatory to an alleged plot last October for a general delivery of prisoners, was given a preliminary hearing at the penitentiary today before County Magistrate Bradshaw. He was committed for trial.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN. 20.

A.M. P.M.

High Tide.... 8.07 Low Tide.... 2.19

Sun Rises.... 7.57 Sun Sets.... 5.11

Cleared Yesterday.

Str. Tonjer, 1948, for Ipswich, England.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Tonjer sailed late yesterday afternoon for Ipswich, England, with a full cargo of grain. She is engaged to the Furness, Withy Co., Ltd.

3,000 FAMILIES ON RELIEF LIST; NEED CLOTHING

Increase of 100 Cases a Day in Toronto Since New Year's.

(Toronto Globe.)

More than 8,000 families are now receiving assistance from the city. The exact figures issued yesterday morning by the Department of Medical Health, through officials in charge of the relief work, were 8,007, and during the day there were added 117 applications from men who had not been forced until yesterday to apply to the city.

"During the smallpox epidemic last year we found the average size of the family provisioned by the department was five. Thus, the number of the individuals who are being taken care of at the present time in this branch of the work is over 15,000," said Miss Dyke, nurse in charge.

100 Fresh Cases a Day.

While families are being stricken from the lists daily, when the head secures employment, it has been found the daily increase since the beginning of the year of fresh cases has not been less than 100.

A steady increase in the number of single men receiving relief was also noted yesterday. At the beginning of the year the number of these cases totalled 1,100. The applications yesterday were higher than at any time since relief was distributed, and numbered 1,705. This, in spite of the increasing vigilance of the officials of the bureau in the Krausmann Hotel, who are daily striking off doubtful cases, rejecting men who float in from other points and sending juveniles to their homes.

Run Down

Do you suffer from headaches, followed by fits of dizziness, and an overpowering feeling of lassitude? Do you feel drowsy, listless and irritable? Are you run down?

Then you should consider whether your kidneys are performing their functions properly. You should let Gin Pills do for you what they have done for thousands of others. Gin Pills will relieve you of your distress, by promptly assisting the kidneys to healthy action. Get a box from your druggist or dealer, or, with money-back guarantee if they fail to help you, or send for free sample to: National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Ltd., Toronto, Ont. U. S. residents should address: Na-Dru-Co., Inc., 202 Main St., Buffalo, N.Y.

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