

## School Opening On Monday!

We would like to shoe every child that goes into school on Monday. Of course that may be too much to expect but if parents were desirous of getting the very best values obtainable for their money our stores would be crowded tomorrow and Saturday.

On Saturday King Street Store Closes at 1 O'clock  
Union Street and Mill Street Stores Close at 10.30 p. m.

## Waterbury & Rising, Ltd.

King Street Union Street Mill Street

## Clocks, Watches and Jewelry

We are specialists on CLOCKS and are showing some very attractive new designs in Mantle and Novelty Clocks—also a number of late patterns in 400 day clocks.  
OFFICE CLOCKS, HALL CLOCKS and BEDROOM CLOCKS  
Reliable Watches of All Makes and Guaranteed Time Keepers.  
Fine Jewelry, The Pick of All Creating Centers.

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## TAKE A KODAK WITH YOU ON YOUR HOLIDAYS

We have them from the vest pocket size upwards

## SAMUEL H. HAWKER'S DRUG STORE

Corner Mill Street and Paradise Row

## Photos

The business man who will spare a few minutes of his time to the photographer of to-day will please his entire family.  
Make the appointment now.

## THE RED STUDIO

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## CONFECTIONERY

Pastries, Ice Cream Cones, G. B. Chocolates, Cream and Hard Mixtures, Package and Family Goods always in stock in great variety. Mail orders a specialty. All orders filled promptly.

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## SIRLOIN IN BOSTON AT 29 CENTS A POUND

The price of beef went soaring in the Boston market on Monday, when twelve sirloins, dressed and weighing on an average of 1100 pounds each, were sold on the market, at the highest price ever known in that city.  
The cattle, which had been slaughtered by Swift & Co., of Chicago, for Arthur E. Dorr & Co., wholesalers, cost, when alive, \$10.40 per 100 pounds. The sirloins, when dressed, were sold at 29 cents a pound, which is also the highest price that marketmen ever remember.

When word was passed among the beef dealers, many of them at first refused to credit the news of this record rise in the price of beef, declaring that they had neither been paying nor charging higher prices for beef. They said, however, that there was no knowing when prices might rise up.  
One Fenelon Hall marketman said that \$1.00.

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Are Light, Strong and Non-Corrosive

The cook can handle them easily, they will not chip and will outwear any other kind of cooking utensils.

Sauce Pans Preserve Kettles  
Tea Pots Coffee Pots  
Tea Kettles Fry Pans  
Double Boilers Pancake Griddles

## W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.

MARKET SQUARE AND KING STREET

## DUCHESS MAY ONCE AGAIN BE IN SOCIETY

Once Thought Her Grace Of  
Newcastle Would Become  
Nun

## DEVOTED SLUM WORKER

Terrible Threats of Irish Ladies in  
Connection With Home Rule Bill  
Alarm Their Society Friends—  
News of Canadians in Old  
Country

(Times Special Correspondence.)

LONDON, Aug. 20.—We recently have had instances of the daughters of prominent families taking the veil and as an offset we now have the action of the Dowager Duchess of Newcastle, who has severed her active connection with the Catholic institution which she was instrumental in founding in the East End of London some years ago. For some time, with her snow white hair and distinguished features, she was a conspicuous figure in the processions of those of the institution through the drab, mean streets that formed some of the worst slums in the world. Although her identity was hidden from all but those in closest touch with the workings of the institution, it was instinctively felt by all the poor with whom she came in contact that she was some "grace lady," and was worshipped by those who had felt the soft touch of her ministering hands.

It was not many months ago that the duchess was telling an intimate friend that she thought strongly of taking the veil and retiring for ever from the world. Later, however, there has come a change in her mental attitude toward the world and its duties and the future of her friends predict even that next year she will once more figure in the more staid and conventional social affairs.

Although the rumors of wars to come in Ulster are not "battering society" over much, there is a wild talk to be heard from some extremists among the women folk. Everybody is discussing the astonishing remarks of the Duchess of Abercorn, the wife of one of the greatest of Irish land owners and herself a leading figure of her time, speaking in Lifford, County Donegal, of which His Grace is His Majesty's lieutenant, the duchess delivered a long and warlike defence of the Liberal government, and its home rule bill.

"Ulster women," she said, "are not to be trifled with. Many of us are descendants of women whose heroism in one of the world's most memorable wars is as described by Lord Macaulay: 'The women of Derry were seen amid the thickest fire serving out water and ammunition to their husbands and brothers.' Ladies, it has been done; it can be done again."

Let us hope these fire-eating persons do not carry their warfare into their social life and that, although we may meet in sanguinary conflict next year or the year after, we may dwell in peace and amity on moor and in country house during the next few months.

## A Story of Kitchener

Here is a story that you might without being told associate with Lord Kitchener, and for which I can personally vouch. A lady, a lovely figure at society functions, was the guest of a prominent London hostess the other evening, looking as if she were a remarkable, a veritable wall flower. Although he is really the kindest of men, people seemed to shy of him, and he perhaps was nervous at intruding on his habitual reserve—your know his stern countenance is not smiling.

However, as an unconventional Canadian approached him with, "Look here, I'm a Canadian. I don't want a formal introduction, but I would feel proud to shake the hand of Kitchener."

The lady's hands seized his immediately. "That's just what I like, no formalities," he said, and straightway he entered into a heart to heart talk about Canadian co-operation in naval matters.

The steamship Niagara, which will be christened by Mrs. Borden at Clydebank next week, will ply between Vancouver and Australia and is the latest addition to the Union Steamship Company's fleet, demanded by the rapidly expanding passenger traffic in those waters.

More than 500 feet long, she is modernly equipped and will easily be the biggest steamer sailing into the Pacific port. A novel feature is that she will be equipped to tow either oil or coal.

Canadians in London

I hear that John Rose Robertson, proprietor of "The Telegram," Toronto, met with a slight accident on the steamship in the way over, which necessitated his resting for some little time. Mrs. Robertson, too, has been indisposed, but both have recovered and have left town for the country.

Mrs. Lydia Barr, of Toronto, who has been travelling on the continent visiting among other places, Berlin, Eberswalde, Munich and Paris, will return to London soon, prior to leaving for home.

Mrs. Margaret E. T. Addison, of Toronto, who has been over here for some time, has been staying in Derbyshire, and is at present in the lake district.

The Hon. I. H. Lucas and Mrs. Lucas have returned to London from the continent and are staying at the Strand Palace Hotel. They will leave for Ontario on August 24.

James P. Beatty, Mrs. F. B. Brown and Mrs. C. B. Macnamara, of Toronto, are making an extended stay in Scotland.

Visitors registered at the High Commissioner's office during the week were: John W. Wakely, Lindsay; Ald. J. and Mrs. Drummond, F. A. Hanley, Montreal; H. C. Mark, F. C. Mark, C. J. Mark, New Westminster; Mrs. J. J. Morris, Mrs. G. C. Morris, Nelson; Mrs. G. L. Skinner, Winnipeg; Dr. H. A. Doherty, Toronto; Hope McGinnis, Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. J. and Miss Chas. well, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. C. Van Norman, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mann, Toronto; S. W. Scott, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bausfield, Lewis; J. S. Porden, Hamilton; Mrs. L. Lukes, Toronto; Miss S. H. Richardson, Newmarket; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lucas, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. W. Yule, Montreal; Mrs. V. Schiller, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Foster, Fredericton; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Palmer, Oak Point; Miss Jessie W. Forrest, Toronto; Miss Jessie M. White, Athens; Misses H. and E. H. Seifert, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. and Misses Cargill, Carleton Place; Misses A. and E. Tomkins, J. E. Minnie, Mrs. O. Sheihriff, Oakville; Miss E. F. McInery, Miss E. M. F. Maguire, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Wash-

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Correct Styles, Latest Designs,  
Reliable Qualities at Attractive  
Prices

Colored Soft Front Shirts, newest designs and colorings in durable cloths, particularly large and roomy bodies, carefully made and perfect fitting. Boys' sizes 12 to 13, 75c. to \$1.00. Youths' or Young Men's sizes 13 to 14, \$1.00 to \$1.25.

Soft Negligee Shirts with soft reversible collars, pretty patterns and good reliable cloths, prices 65c. to \$1.00.

Colored Shaker Shirts with or without collars, our special custom make, extra quality cloth and good patterns, sizes 12 to 14, price 50c.

Night Shirts, our special make in white, plain or twilled cotton, prices 75c., 90c.

Colored Shaker Night Shirts, extra quality, custom made, 75c. Pyjamas, in colored madras and pretty colored shaker, prices \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Boys' and Youths' Underwear, Balbriggan Shirts long sleeves, Drawers ankle length, sizes 22 to 32, per garment 35c. Soft Merino Shirts and Drawers, sizes 22 to 32, per garment 35c. Fine Cashmere Shirts and Drawers, per garment, 50c. Heavy Natural Union, winter weight, per garment, 40c. to 60c. Grey All-Wool, winter weight, per garment, 35c. to 60c. Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, per garment 35c.

Sweaters, coat style, light, medium and heavy weights, all popular colors, prices 85c. to \$2.75.

Button neck styles, prices \$1.25 to \$1.65.

Roll collar styles, extra qualities, prices \$1.35 to \$1.50.

Jerseys, navy cashmere and worsted, English make in several qualities and weights, prices 65c. to \$1.65.

Collars, newest shapes, perfect fitting, 2 for 25c.

Soft double collars in white and colored, price 15c., 20c.

Soft double collars and tie to match, prices 25c., 50c.

Handkerchiefs, colored borders, merized, 3 for 25c., White Cambric, hemstitched, 4 for 25c.; White Linen, hemstitched, 3 for 50c.

Braces, all reliable makes at lowest possible prices.

Neckwear, String Ties, 25c., 40c.; Four-In-Hand Ties, in all popular colors and newest designs, prices 25c. and upward.

School Bags in sheep, split and heavy grain leathers, several styles and sizes, prices 50c. to \$1.50.

Boys' Furnishings Department.

## MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.

## ARE THE CHILDREN READY FOR SCHOOL OPENING ON MONDAY?

You will find here the necessary outfit for the school girl, for the little tot just entering kindergarten, or for her high school sister.

## SERGE SCHOOL DRESSES

stylish and serviceable

Pretty Navy Serge Sailor Suits with trimming on collar and cuffs of fine red braid, large black ribbon bow tie. Sizes 6 to 16 years, \$2.98 to \$3.98.

Specially pretty Navy Sailor Dresses for little girls of 5 and 6 years, trimmed on collar and cuffs with red silk sou-tache braid, \$2.45 each.

One-piece Serge Dresses, navy only with trimming of wide silk braid. Sizes 5 to 8 years, \$3.45 each.

Middy Dresses (one-piece) brown, or navy, trimmed fine brown and white or navy and white stripe in reverse of feet. Sizes 14 to 16, \$4.75 to \$6.50 each.

Also a large variety of one-piece Dresses, cream, sky, navy, etc., all prettily trimmed with silk braid. Sizes 6 to 12 years, \$3.50 to \$5.50.

## Children's Raincoats and Umbrellas

FOR DAMP DAYS

Black Rubber Coats with raglan sleeves and high, close-fitting collars. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Hat to match, \$5.50.

Poplin Raincoats, rubber lined. Colors tan, fawn and navy. Sizes 8 to 14, \$4.50 to \$6.50 each.

Children's School Umbrellas with fancy horn and metal mounted handles, 65c. to 85c. each.

Children's Silk Gloria covered Umbrellas, natural wood director handles, \$1.45 each.

WOMAN'S MAGAZINE AND NEW IDEA PATTERNS FOR SEPTEMBER NOW ON SALE

## Special for Friday.

Attractive assortment of

NECKWEAR, 29 CENTS

Dainty Jabots, embroidered and trimmed fine Armenian, val or marsee lace.

Hunting Stocks with embroidered tabs.

Cerise Velvet Bows.

French Repp Coat Sets, edged torchon lace.

## Advance Showing Of Early Fall Millinery

On Friday Morning

These Autumn models will afford a first glimpse of Fashion's choice in styles for the new season.

## READY-TO-WEAR AND TAILORED HATS

in a wide variety of strikingly original creations representing the best ideas of English, French and American designers.

See this interesting exhibit in

The Millinery Salon.

## Demonstration of "Nemo" Corsets All Next Week By Expert Fitter



Beginning next Monday, August 26, and throughout the week, Miss N. G. McNulty of New York, a "Nemo" corset expert, will be at the service of patrons in our corset department.

Miss McNulty will explain in a series of talks why "Nemo" corsets excel in material and workmanship and demonstrating the many patented features which make it possible to exactly fit any figure, providing perfect ease and freedom of movement and absolutely overcoming the ordinary corset discomforts.

There is a "Nemo" corset for every form. You may be fitted exactly right if the correct model and the proper size is chosen.

Come next week and allow Miss McNulty to advise you.

## OUR FIFTH ANNUAL SMALL- WARE SALE ENDS TO- MORROW, FRIDAY

Supply your smallware needs while these bargains last.

Boots, 36 inches, for boys, sale price 5c. dozen.

Boots, 45 inches, for ladies, former price 15c. dozen, sale price 2 for 15c.

Half ounce Ball Mending, black only, former price 5c., sale 3 for 5 cents.

Wool Mending, best quality, all colors, each card with darning needle, formerly sold 2 cards for 5c., sale price 4 cards for 5c.

Tape Measures, 60 inches long, kateen, machine stitched, former price 5c., sale price 2 for 5c.

Lace Pins, dozen pins on a card, pearl, white, sky, pink, mauve, purple, gun, large or small pearl heads, former price 5c. card, sale price 2 cards for 5c.

Tape, best India blocked, long lengths, any size, black or white, registered brand "non-twist," former price 5c., sale price 3 for 10 cents.

Pearl Buttons, 2 or 4 hole, 16, 18 and 22 line, good pure white button, sale price, for any size, 5c.

Featherstitch Braid, 6 yard pieces, extra fine quality, new designs, former price 20c., sale price 10 cents.

## DRESS ACCESSORIES

for the school girl.

Wide Hair Ribbons, in black and all colors, 15c. to 25c. yard.

Children's Hose Supporters, 10c. pair.

Fine All-Wool Cashmere Hose, 1-1 rib, spliced heel and toe, black and tan, 25c. pair.

Children's Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, 5c. to 7c. each.

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