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Fast to Sell— Slow to Wear Out

We are continuing this week to sell the three extra Specials with other Bargains on display for those who were unable to purchase last week.

Women's Hi-Cut Mahogany or Brown Louis or Cuban Heel Boots. Were \$12.50 Now \$9.50
Men's Mahogany Brogue Boots. Double Soles. Were \$12.50 Now \$7.35

See Our Windows and Sale Bins.

Waterbury & Rising Limited

Sale of Odd Flatware

We are offering several broken lines of Flatware at the following prices:

Tablespoons and Forks \$10.00 doz.
Desert Spoons and Forks 8.00 doz.
Teaspoons 6.00 doz.

Fancy Pieces in Proportion.
SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

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Better than before the War

Western Canada this year has yielded wheat which in quality has never been beaten.

"ROBIN HOOD"

Family Patent Flour is milled at Moose Jaw—in the midst of the finest wheat belt in the world—from only the very best selected hard spring wheat.

Ask your grocer—he has it in all standard sized packages.

Robin Hood Flour

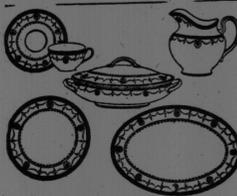
"(1921) worth the slight extra cost."

Take it Out!

That old-fashioned, boarded in, smelly wash basin and replace it with a clean, sanitary white enameled one. We have them in a great variety of styles and prices. Why not let us put one in for YOU?

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We have just received a shipment of this popular stock design.

We can supply full sets or odd pieces.

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All Kinds - Hard and Soft
TELEPHONE 1913
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LEAVES 15 MILLIONS TO DAUGHTER

Alfred Tredway White, banker and philanthropist, who was drowned on Jan. 29 while skating at Central Valley, N. Y., left an estate of more than \$15,000,000, according to the estimate of a friend of the family. This was disclosed when the banker's will was admitted to probate by Surrogate Albert Wiggate in Kings County, New York.

The entire estate was left to the daughter, Mrs. Jean Van Sinderen of 42 Remsen Street, Brooklyn. William Augustus White, the banker's brother, and his son-in-law, Adrian Van Sinderen, were named as executors. The estate was roughly appraised to consist of real estate valued at "upward of \$10,000," and personal estate of "upward of \$25,000."

In the will he said, "having made provision during my lifetime for the many benevolent institutions in which I have been most interested, I make no mention of them in my will." It was established, however, that a large amount of money was set aside in trust funds for the charitable institutions.

During Mr. White's life he made gifts to a number of institutions, for which the Brooklyn Trust Company was made trustee. Among them were: The Brooklyn Board of Charities, \$108,000; Visiting Nurses Association of New York, \$168,000; Brooklyn Children's Aid Society, \$41,000; Brooklyn Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, \$30,000; Brooklyn Hospital, \$17,000; Graham House for Old Ladies, \$7,500; First Unitarian Congregational Society of Brooklyn, \$25,000; St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies, \$30,000, and the Long Island Historical Society, \$3,000.

According to officials of the Brooklyn Trust Company, Mr. White made many other benefactions which were not announced at the request. The total amount of these gifts exceeded \$1,000,000, it was said. The officials added that, under the terms of the trust agreement, the Trust Company was instructed not to pay the funds to the charitable institutions until after Mr. White's death. Some of the amounts listed above, will not therefore be paid for several months.

Mr. White was a member of W. A. and A. N. White, 14 Wall Street, importers and exporters. He was born in Brooklyn in 1846 and was known as "Brooklyn's first citizen." He was a leader in all matters of civic betterment and became widely known as a champion of tenement house reform, being credited with the reformation in New York, which permitted sunshine and hygiene to enter into the construction and upkeep of the homes of the poorer quarters.

SCHOOL LEADERS TO HAVE CHANCE FOR TRIP TO U. S.

New York, Feb. 23.—(By Canadian Press).—A hundred or more Canadian children picked from the class leaders in schools in every part of the Dominion each year will have an opportunity of spending a vacation in the United States if a project which has been launched by the Sulgrave Institute here is successful. The plan would provide for an interchange of visits by a certain number of school children of Canada, Great Britain and the United States. The details have not yet been worked out, but it is probable that arrangements would be made to enlist the support of leading citizens, who will be asked to act as hosts to the visiting children. A fund for the purpose of the three countries. John R. Stewart, chairman of the board of the Sulgrave Institute, is going to London next month and will lay the proposal before the British branch of the organization, when it is likely that detailed plans will be formulated.

FAVORS IT.

To the Editor of the Times:
Sir: One of the speakers at Monday evening's citizens' meeting is reported in your paper of Feb. 22 as follows: "We have been proposed to start a commercial course for boys and girls of school age who had left school and the business proprietors objected as the retail merchants had objected to home economic classes." Editor, that the proprietor of the Modern Business College was not spoken to in this regard, so could not have made any objection.

I have been in other cities where vocational work was carried on and have never opposed it, nor do I oppose it now. On the contrary, I will support any cause that will give enlightenment and that will increase the earning capacity of our young people. I believe vocational training will do both.

Yours truly,
GEO. J. SMITH.

St. John, Feb. 22.

ONE WOMAN'S TESTIMONY

To the Editor of the Times:—
Sir:—Would you kindly publish in your paper a few words I would like to say in regard to Vocational training? Last winter I was one of the students in a sewing class. When I started I could not run a sewing machine and I am the mother of three children. I had to leave school in an early grade and after I married, my mother and aunt made the clothes for my children, what they did not make I bought already made.

I have stated last winter I attended one of the Vocational sewing classes and did not know anything at all about sewing. I had to learn it and now am able to make all my children's clothes, some of my husband's and most of my own. You can understand what the Vocational class did for me. It is altogether too bad that they had to close and I will sign myself.

GRATEFULLY FOR
VOCATIONAL TRAINING

It is a rule with the Mahomedans to begin a meal with salt and finish with vinegar. If they begin with salt they think they will escape the contagion of several diseases. If they finish with vinegar their worldly prosperity will continue to increase.

STORES OPEN 9 A.M.

CLOSE 6 P.M.



Thursday---Sale of Handsome New Spring Blouses

Fashioned of Georgette Crepe, Taffeta, Crepe-de-chine, and Messaline. Wonderful Bargains.

Only \$5.75 Each

These blouses are the result of a very lucky purchase. Every model is fresh and new and in one of the smartest styles of the new season.

In the assortment will be found Overblouses with becoming round necks and short sleeves. These are plain or handsomely embroidered with silk or wool. Some have smart little tie-back sashes.

For those who prefer tailored models there are plain blouses, neatly tucked and fashioned with convertible collars.

The colors include brown, maize, sand, navy, grey, burgundy, orchid, sky; also black and white.

You haven't seen a blouse bargain to equal this in a long time. It will certainly pay you to be on hand early while the choosing is good.

Sale Begins Thursday Morning in Blouse Section, Second Floor.

Blouses are in the styles one would expect to find in models two and three times the price. All sizes from 34 in. to 42 in.

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RECENT DEATHS

The death of Mary J. Campbell, wife of George Campbell, occurred yesterday afternoon at her residence, 2 St. John street, West St. John, after a lingering illness of 49 years. She leaves, besides her husband, two sons, two daughters and one brother. The sons are Wilford, of Truro (Man.), and Clarence of West St. John, and the daughters are Mrs. Frederick Stanley and Mrs. James Sear, of this city, is a brother. Mrs. Campbell was a faithful member of L. O. B. A. No. 19, and the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from her late residence.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Worden will extend to them their heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement at the loss of their little son, Albert Beverly, who died yesterday afternoon after a brief illness at his parents' residence, 31 Summer street. The little boy was only four and a half years of age and leaves, besides his parents, two sisters and one brother. The funeral will take place on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock from his parents' residence and interment will be made at Bayswater.

Many friends in the city will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Thomas, wife of the late George B. Thomas, which occurred early this morning at her residence, 188 Queen street, after a short illness. The late Mrs. Thomas was the daughter of the late Asor W. T. Betts and leaves two sons, Mrs. James H. Purdy of Bell River (N. S.); Miss Matilda P. Betts, of Jacksonville (Fla.); Mrs. J. F. Betts, of this city, and Miss Josephine Betts, at home.

Dr. James Caswell, a well-known physician and formerly of Gagetown, passed away yesterday afternoon at his home in Digby, N. S., as a result of heart failure. He was a native of P. E. Island, and was sixty years of age. He was a graduate of the Bishop Medical College in Montreal, from which institution he was a gold medalist. He spent most of his life in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, but practiced in Manitoba for a short time.

R. C. Wright, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada's Windsor, N. S., branch, died at his home last night after a brief illness. He was sixty-three years of age and is survived by his widow and four daughters.

The death of Mrs. Edward E. Benson occurred in Newcastle on Sunday evening. She was very popular among a wide circle of friends. She is survived by her husband and two daughters.

At Tracy's Mills, N. B., recently, the death occurred of Irene E. Harris as the result of burns received in an accident on December 30, 1920. She was seven years of age. She leaves her parents and two brothers.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN BUSINESS CLUB FORMED

IN NEW YORK CITY
New York, Feb. 23.—(By Canadian Press).—A Canadian Business and Professional Women's Club has been launched in New York by a number of women from the Dominion who are engaged in business in this city. The object is to provide a medium of social intercourse for Canadian women resident here and to provide a means for assisting those who may be temporarily in need of help. At a recent meeting the organization was formally launched and officers were elected.

DENIES MERCY TO WOMEN.

Washington Judge Calls Penitentiary Only Cure For Razor Wielding.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Justice Ashley M. Gould of the District of Columbia supreme court, a student of the psychology of crime and criminals, in refusing to place on probation two women razor wielders, remarked: "This kind of an offence—committed with a razor, gun or a blackjack, is what has made Washington the most notorious city in the world for murder. There are too many acts of this sort which culminate in murder, and penitentiary sentence is the only cure I know for such a condition."

A SURPRISE PROGRAMME.

The Women's Missionary Aid of the Main street Baptist church held a much enjoyed open meeting last night when the president, Mrs. David Hutchinson, was in the chair and a large gathering attended and an excellent programme was given. It was a surprise programme. Those who took part were: Miss Verta Wilson, Miss Eva Lettney, Mrs. F. E. Marven, Mrs. Hazlett, Miss Hazel Flewelling, Miss Matilda Bailey, Mrs. F. E. Flewelling, Mrs. D. Hutchinson, Mrs. W. F. Roberts, Mrs. Leslie McLennan, Mrs. McLennan, Mrs. Olmstead, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. Prince, Mrs. Flower and Mrs. Willard Wilson. At the close of the meeting the surprise was still carried on and "intellectual" refreshments were served. They were found to be very appetizing as well as intellectual. A substantial offering was taken.

KNEE SKIRTS DOOMED, SAYS FASHION EXPERT

She Asserts Silver Gray and Pastels Will Replace Brilliant Colors.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—The knee-length or higher skirt is doomed and the brilliant colors that have dazzled for some time are a thing of the past according to Mme. Alla Ripley, president of the National Fashion Art League. The league will hold its annual convention here early next month and Mme. Ripley has just returned after a tour of this country and Europe to get a knowledge of coming fashions. Silver gray will be the ultra smart tone in spring frocks and pastel shades will be preferable to the brilliant colors of last year, she says. Superfluous trimmings are to go and there will be no normal waist lines. The long straight effect, or very low belted frocks will supersede all other models.

REPORTS 20,000 CHILDREN KILLED YEARLY IN ACCIDENTS

Washington, Feb. 23.—Accidents take the lives every year of 20,000 children up to the age of fourteen years, so the Red Cross disclosed in a tabulation. It shows that 167 out of every 1,000 child deaths between the ages of five and nine are due to accident, while between ten and fourteen years the ratio is 177 to the thousand. Statistics for 1919 showed more deaths from accidents than epidemic diseases among children. The percentages of total deaths were: Accident, 17.7; epidemic disease, 17.1. Of the accidental deaths in the five to nine year period thirty-nine per cent. were due to vehicles, and in the ten to fourteen years thirty-two per cent. to the same cause.

MILD WINTER STIRS BIRDS.

They Are Reported Singing, Mating and Breeding in North Woods.

Boston, Feb. 10.—Birds are singing, mating and breeding in the north woods, Edward Howe Forbush, state ornithologist, said that the unusual warmth and openness of the winter had stirred the birds much earlier than usual. Cross-bills have been singing for several days in the White Mountains and elsewhere in the north country, he said. Mating has begun and several nests of young have been found.

Mr. Forbush said there had been a fairly general movement of birds toward the north. Bluebirds were reported in flocks from the Connecticut valley and other points and the tree sparrows are beginning to appear in numbers.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS.

The King's Daughters, at a special meeting held at the guild yesterday afternoon, received very gratifying reports of the recent tea and sale held in aid of the Furline House for the Aged. Mrs. C. A. Clarke was in the chair. Several cash donations were acknowledged and it was thought that when all returns of the tea and sale were in that the objective would have been reached and perhaps exceeded. Letters of thanks will be written to all who had helped to make the event so successful. The death of Miss Pritchard was spoken of with regret and a tribute was paid her work for the order. She was a charter member of the ministering circle, the oldest circle in the city, and had given invaluable service to the city union also, having been its secretary for several years.

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