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Mid-Summer Clearance Sale



Following our usual custom this time of year, we are offering our stock of Summer Footwear at Reduced Prices to clear them out. We do not wish to carry them over to next season and take this means of clearing them out before this season is passed. While there is quite a selection from which to make your choice now, we would advise you to take advantage of these prices before they are gone, as at the prices we have put on these goods, we do not expect to have them long.

BELOW WE GIVE A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS TO BE HAD:

Women's White Kid Lace Boots—Goodyear welt, Dorothy Dodd, \$10.00 value.....	For \$6.85
Women's White Canvas Lace Boots—Neolin sole, rubber heel. Regular \$5.50.....	For \$2.95
Women's White Tennis Oxfords, \$1.31; Boots.....	\$1.44
Something with Heel Oxfords, \$1.58; Boots.....	\$1.89
Women's White Reinskin Lace Boots—High heel, Goodyear welt.....	\$4.65
Special Lot of Women's Oxfords and Pumps—Small sizes in black, tan and patent leather.	Selling at \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.45

Everything in Children's Summer Goods at Reduced Prices.

All White Pumps and Oxfords for Women to be Cleared.

Men's Summer Canvas Boots and Oxfords—A few odd sizes to be sold at \$1.70, \$2.55, \$3.40

Our Clearance Sale of odd sizes and broken lots in seasonable footwear is a money-saving event for footwear buyers. Come in and see if we can fit you. It will pay you well to do so. No Goods on Approval.

"THE HOME OF RELIABLE FOOTWEAR"

Waterbury & Rising, Limited

61 King Street

212 Union Street

677 Main Street

18474, 10 in., 90c.—When I Send You a Picture of Berlin.... Arthur Fields and Peerless Qt. Indianola..... Billy Murray

"When I Send You a Picture of Berlin (You'll Know It's Over 'Over There' I'm Coming Home)" is a song with an original idea in it. Johnny is a camera fiend, and so, when he says goodbye to his sweetheart at the pier, before going abroad with his regiment, he tells her that a photo from London means that he has arrived safely; a snap-shot from Paris is the next step; a picture of himself means he's thinking of her, but a picture from Berlin means that "It's Over 'Over There'."

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TO COMPLETE VALLEY RAILWAY BY AUTUMN

On Tuesday of this week, Premier Foster, accompanied by C. O. Foss, chief engineer, and E. S. Carter, secretary-treasurer of the St. John & Quebec Railway, and B. M. Hill, government inspecting engineer, made a trip by automobile from St. John as far as Gagetown and had an excellent opportunity of observing what progress was being made in the construction work on the Valley line.

The determination of the Railway Company and the government that the road shall be completed this fall was conveyed some time ago to the Nova Scotia Construction Company, and quite recently was embodied in an agreement which the company and the government asked the Nova Scotia Construction Company to enter into to the effect that if the railway is not completed by a certain date in the month of November, the company will forfeit to the government \$800 per day, which will be sufficient to cover any interest charges and engineering expenses for which the province would be liable. "This about \$800 a day would represent the interest upon the total expenditure on the Gagetown-Westfield section. At the present moment the Construction Company are making every possible effort to avoid paying this penalty and the prospects are that the road will be completed sufficiently ready for operation by the Canadian Government Railway before winter sets in."

Grandmother Gave It To Mother, Mother To Me, I To My Baby

Read what Mrs. Wm. Gray, Jacquet River, N.B., has to say about Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. She writes: "There is no medicine I know of that can come up with Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It has been in our house for forty years. My grandmother gave it to my mother, she to me, and I to my baby. For summer complaint it has no equal. I never miss a chance of telling my neighbors about it. I would not think it safe to go to the doctor in the summer without a bottle of it. It has saved us many a doctor bill."

For the past 72 years Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been recognized by both the people and the medical profession as the greatest remedy known for all cases of diarrhoea, dysentery, cramps, colic, pains in the stomach, cholera infantum, cholera morbus, seasickness and all bowel complaints. There are so many spurious "strawberry" preparations on the market today that it would be well for you to see that the name "Dr. Fowler's" is on every bottle you buy.

Our guarantee, that it will do what we claim for it, stands behind every bottle. But the imitations—what is their record, where the guarantee? Put up only by The F. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. Price, 85c.

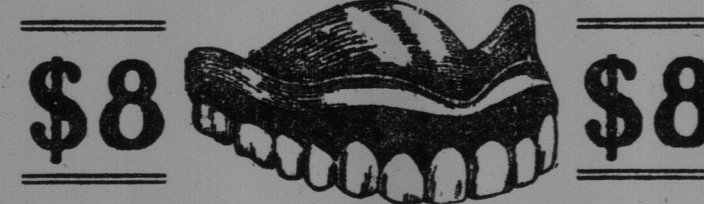
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Free Consultation. Graduate Nurse in Attendance.
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English Women Play Grand Part In Shell Making

More Competitive Than Men Workers;
Average Wage About Ten Dollars a Week—Some Make \$20

Manchester, Eng., Aug. 8.—The women of England are making the shells with which the British army is beating back the enemy, and are doing the work at an average pay equivalent to \$10 a week.

The managing director of a big naval construction work here is unable to employ domestic servants because all the women formerly employed as servants have gone to work in shell factories. When the factory men were called to the colors, women quietly stepped into their places. The vast majority of the women had neither skill nor training in munitions work, but the factory engineers by installing what is known as single process machines made it possible for the women to do the complicated work that previously only skilled men had been able to accomplish.

Does Work Efficiently.

In a week or ten days a woman learns how to operate a single-process machine. She does her work efficiently and faithfully. Recently in one factory the women made 81,000 4.5 inch shells in eighteen weeks and not a flaw could be found in any shell.

Many of the women workers before

the war were operatives in plants for textile manufacture, the chief industry in this region. In peace time their wages averaged about the equivalent of \$8 a week. Now the average is well over \$10, and in exceptional cases, \$15 and more.

In some factories women work three shifts of eight hours each, rotating each week. Their employers say that they are not affected by the strain of night work. A large number of the women are doing the hardest kind of manual work.

Piece work is the system used in most of the shell factories, and the managers say that the introduction of piece work increased the output to an amazing degree.

More Competitive Than Men.
"Women," one of the managers commented, "are more competitive than men workers. Men will work up to a certain point and stop, either because they are indifferent and easily satisfied with the amount of their earnings, or because their mates would protest. On the other hand, women do not seem to care what their mates think or say. Each is out for herself."

The minimum wage paid to women in shell factories, where the piece work system is in effect is about \$7.50 a week, but unless a girl proves herself capable of making at least \$9 a week she is not regarded as a good worker. It is not uncommon for a particularly intelligent and energetic woman to draw each week from \$17 to \$20.



ISSUED BY THE CANADA FOOD BOARD
"If we reduce consumption of the few products which we should export, we will need to eat a larger proportion of many different foodstuffs we have at home."

Our Stores Open at 8.30 a.m., Close at 5.45 p.m.—Fridays Close at 10 p.m.

Saturdays Close at 12.45 p.m.

Extraordinary Economy Sale of Ladies Summer Hosiery, Continued in Hosiery Dept. Annex

Items of Interest Round the Store For Today and Saturday Morning

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' OUTFIT TROUSERS

Combining real comfort and style; made from fine English flannel, in cream and pencil stripes.
White—Regular \$3.75, Special, \$3.00 pair
White—Regular \$4.25, Special, \$3.40 pair
Stripes—Regular \$4.25, Special, \$3.40 pair

Khaki Trousers

In strong Twills, well made and splendid fitting. We have only a very limited quantity of these trousers. Regular \$3.25, Special, \$2.60 pair

BOYS' LONG TROUSERS

In good strong Khaki Drill. Just what the boys want for country and seashore wear. Sale Price, \$1.50 pair

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPT.

LADIES' NECKWEAR

Organdie collars with colored edges, Sets, Jabots and odd lines... 10c. and 25c. each

SILK HAIR BOW RIBBONS

All colors..... 25c. a yard

COLORED BANDINGS

Various widths..... 10c. a yard

SLIP-ON VELS, 10c. each

STAMPED CORSET COVERS

40c. each

NECKWEAR DEPT.—ANNEX

A BARGAIN IN WHITE CROCHET QUILTS

Ready hemmed, ready for use. Sufficiently large for the ordinary double bed. Extra Value at \$2.00

HOUSEHOLD LINEN DEPT.

MEN'S HALF HOSE

Fine cashmere finish, in black, brown, tan and white. Extraordinary Value, 35c. pair 3 pairs for \$1.00

MEN'S WASHABLE TIES

Woven. Tubular make. No seams, no stretching, no lining to get out of order. Sale Price, 20c. each, 3 for 50c.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' COAT SWEATERS

Popular colors in several weights. Greatly reduced to clear. Sizes 28 to 36 in. Sale Prices, \$2.00 and \$3.00

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPT

LADIES' PURE SILK GLOVES

Odd makes, in black only... 50c. a pair

LADIES' CHAMOISETTE GLOVES

Light weight, all white and white with black points..... 75c. a pair

BOYS' HANDKERCHIEFS

Colored borders, miss-prints... 6 for 25c.

LADIES' ALL LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

1-4 inch hems..... 15c. each

FRONT STORE—GROUND FLOOR

LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES AND SKIRTS

Night Dresses... In pink and white batiste, V. square and round necks, lace and hemstitched trimmed. Sale Price, \$1.69

Skirts—Made of Cambric with lace insertion set in frill; also edged with lace. Sale Price, \$1.25

WHITEWEAR DEPARTMENT

Reversible Floor Rugs

Cheap

"Hit and Miss" designs. These Rugs are made from mill remnant yarns, and having no special design are sold at greatly reduced prices. The colors are fairly bright with green or blue band border on ends.

Sizes 27x54 inches..... Reduced Price, \$2.75
Sizes 30x60 inches..... Reduced Price, \$3.50

CARPET DEPARTMENT

Ladies' Silk Costumes Left Over From Previous Sales

They include Rich Taffetas, Satins and Pongees in various colors. Many of the coats have vests, and others Russian style with cord at waist, while others have belts. A few box plaited and Norfolk styles, sizes 16 to 40 inch.

Prices \$30.00 to \$43.75

COSTUME DEPARTMENT

Manchester Robertson Allison Limited

KING STREET GERMAIN STREET MARKET SQUARE

Tom, Tom,
The Piper's Son,
Stole a pig
And away he run.
"Infants-Delight"
Washed him quite clean.
He's sorry now
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LEAVES the skin soft and velvety, with a clear, healthy glow.
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War Garden Bulletin

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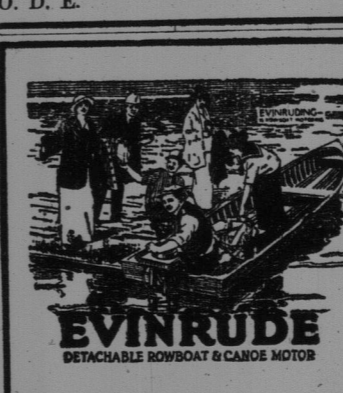
Shall the enemy! Peas are part of the weapons of home defence. See how big you can grow them; how well you can defend them from aphids and what good use you can make of them in your home. The pea crop is a prime favorite but it needs a fair amount of attention and care should be taken that the vines are properly staked up. Otherwise you will lose a percentage of the fine garden food that is so essential at the present time when the country's efforts are being directed toward saving meat, wheat and bacon for export overseas.

Food Board Flashes For Feminine Folk

Now that we are in the midst of the hot season every wise housekeeper is surely trying to reduce her labor in the kitchen to the minimum. Nothing answers better for a hot weather meal than the salad, which lends itself to every occasion and can be made to reappear with pristine freshness and variety every day in the week.

There is certainly no dearth of vegetables and the salad, as well as being easy to prepare, is the most inexpensive of dishes at all times but more especially in a year of war gardens such as this.

The boys of the 9th Siege Battery who left the city yesterday were given a hearty sendoff by representative members of the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. D. E.



Those trips on the water—with family or friends—are doubly enjoyable, when there's an EVINRUDE in the crowd. Always ready to take you where you will and when you will. Portable—attached to any rowboat or canoe in a minute. Easy to operate.

Evinrude Magneto-Built-In Flywheel Type. Automatic Reverse, more speed and power.

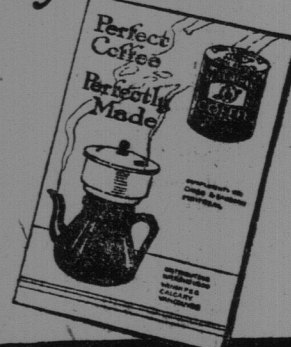
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BLAME COL. PIDGEON FOR VETERANS' SPLIT

Toronto, Aug. 1.—Indications to-day point to a withdrawal of the Winnipeg and Ottawa delegates from the G.W.V.A. convention. Winnipeg delegates are still in town, and interviews to-day backed up the official statement issued last night. Some well-known delegates went even so far as to say that the split might mean the formation of a new organization, and "we are content to stand alone if need be," added another delegate.

Western delegates even refused to-day to take part in the pleasure trip with the "vets" to Niagara Falls. So far as the west is concerned, there will be no further discussion of the matter. Delegates O. H. Brown and W. A. Hill, of Winnipeg, interviewed this morning, said that they had nothing to add to the declaration of principle which was made at the convention yesterday with which they are in the fullest agreement.

Col. D. F. Pidgeon, president of the Ottawa branch, when seen this morning, made it plain that he had given con-

sideration to the matter in issue and had thoroughly made up his mind that he would not agree to the present principle of representation.

Entire blame for the withdrawal of the Winnipeg and Ottawa delegates is laid at the door of Col. Pidgeon by one of the members of the dominion executive of the association.

"Col. Pidgeon," he declared, "lost his temper the other morning, because there was considerable cheering and laughing at the defeat of his resolution to change the system of voting. He complained to the chairman at the time. His soreness is the real cause of the present trouble."

HOME FOR INCURABLES.
At a meeting of the board of directors of the Home for Incurables held yesterday afternoon the following officers were appointed for the coming year: President, Dr. Thomas Walker; vice-president, James S. Gregory; treasurer, F. B. Ellis; secretary, W. C. Jordan. The various committees of the previous year were re-appointed and application for admission from two male patients were voted on and passed.

The first of the U. S. government's four new \$5,000,000 shell filling plants is in operation.

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