

## Shoe Bargains For Saturday

Three  
Stores

King Street  
Union Street  
Main Street

Waterbury & Rising Ltd.

At our stores we have provided a lot of bargains that are worthy of examination.

AT KING ST. STORE  
Women's Low Shoes are selling at \$1.00 a Pair  
irrespective of former prices; sizes left run from 2 1-2 to 4.

AT UNION AND MAIN ST. STORES  
the bargain bins have been filled and they contain some exceptional bargains.

COAL!

The best we know how to buy, carefully prepared and carefully delivered.  
Ask For Low Summer Prices  
CONSUMERS' COAL CO., Limited  
221 Charlotte Street

Candy for Picnics Make this department a success. Our facilities will assist you greatly. We have a splendid line especially adapted for this purpose.  
EMERY BROS. 82 Germain St.

"Folks say I'm sad,  
I'm really glad,  
Sad Iron cried with glee,  
"Although I'm 'flat,'  
I'm bright at that,  
Old Dutch has polished me."



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For a Gift of distinction and individuality, let us suggest a choice piece of Diamond Set Platinum Jewelry. It may be a Bracelet, Necklace, Earrings, Bar Pin, Brooch or Finger Ring. Our Platinum Jewelry has the latest "touch" in design, and our Diamond and Gem Values are supreme.

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Highest Standard  
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World Over

These Clubs are made from the finest selected grades of Dogwood and Persimmon, and are absolutely guaranteed. The models are duplicates of those used by some of the world's best golfers. The shafts are all second-growth split Hickory, and particular attention is devoted to the spring and balance of the club.

BRASSIES AND DRIVERS.....\$2.60 each  
IRON CLUBS.....\$2.10 each

W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED  
Market Square and King St.

### Mother and Son

Poem by Mrs. David S. Bispham.  
Wife of Noted Singer, Which Will Appeal Just Now to Canadian Readers

The following beautiful metrical story was written by Caroline Russell Bispham, wife of David S. Bispham, a noted American singer, well known in St. John. It was written in March of last year, and one of the first type-written copies was given to a St. John lady who is a close personal friend of the author. The singular pathos of the story will appeal at this time to all Canadian readers.

### Mother and Son

#### THE NEW-BORN BABY

Oh, shell-pink baby, baby from the sea,  
Aurora's self did find thee at the dawn,  
Weeping softly upon a wave forlorn  
And with her rosy fingers rescued thee.

Since which sweet time the world belongs to thee  
Oh, baby, cast upon the shores of life,  
God guide thy footsteps through the rocks of strife  
Up to the meadows of tranquility.

#### THE BABY'S HAND

I kiss the fingers and the tiny thumb  
And then the little rosy, rose-leaf palm;  
Ah, tender, helpless hand  
Yet strong as the gold band.

Your father gave me 'er God bade you come  
And be to life's rough blows a soothing balm.

Some day when I am weak and you are strong  
You'll kiss my thin old hands instead,  
And sigh  
To think how soon they'll rest  
In peace on my dead breast;  
Yet though we'll part it will not be for long.

God gives the mothers back their sons on high.

#### THE SCHOOL BOY

I. The moment's pause for parting,  
The last good-bye was said,  
One last fond kiss—  
One last long clasp  
And the turn of his sunny head.

II. The sound of hoofs' hoof-beats  
Drops on my heart like lead,  
The empty road,  
The quiet house,  
And the feel as of some one dead.

THE BRIDE-GROOM  
Why does she weep, the mother of the bride—  
Why does the mother  
Is not her daughter going forth beside  
The noblest born?

Is not the honor that he does her pet  
Enough to dry  
Her tears—she gains a son, I lose one,  
yet  
I do not cry—  
She gains an arm to lean on and a kiss  
To stop her tears—  
I, worse than widowed, bravely give her  
this  
From my life years.

THE SOLDIER  
The drums beat with my heart thro' the  
files strike out my pain  
As he marches with the soldiers—  
God!—will he come back again?

THE GRAND-CHILD  
Sweet as you are, my little one,  
You're not my very own—  
Not very flesh of my own flesh,  
Nor bone of my own bone;

For you I bore no shattering pain,  
For you no piercing joy  
Yet I do love you well—for ah!  
Your father was my boy.

THE DEAD  
Here lies the body of my boy  
Brought home to me  
They will not let me see my son—  
"Though mine is he—"  
Shut in his coffin—neath his flag  
As he should be.  
Strange that it was some other one  
Across the sea  
In a far land to do for him  
Instead of me.  
What I, in happier days have done  
When as a wee  
Sweet babe he lay upon my breast  
So fair to see—  
Close down his eyes against the sun;  
Ah, woe is me!  
Now they are closed forever, and

### THE JOY OF BEING ALIVE AND WELL

Restored To Health By "Fruit-a-lives" The  
Famous Fruit Medicine

"I have received the most wonderful benefit from taking 'Fruit-a-lives'. I suffered for years from Rheumatism and changes of life, and I took every remedy obtainable, without any good results. I heard of 'Fruit-a-lives' and gave it a trial and it was the only medicine that really did me good. Now I am entirely well, the Rheumatism has disappeared and the terrible pains in my body are all gone. I am exceedingly grateful to 'Fruit-a-lives' for such relief, and I hope that others who suffer from such distressing diseases will try 'Fruit-a-lives' and get well."

MADAME ISABEL ROCHON.  
The marvelous work that 'Fruit-a-lives' is doing, in overcoming disease and healing the sick is winning the admiration of thousands and thousands.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

He waits for me  
In Heaven, his race superbly run  
And I and he  
Will, joined together at God's throne,  
Bowed head, bent knee,  
Receive the crown his life has won  
For him and me—

THE END  
I came before and lingered after him  
First to prepare and then to wander in  
The path he wore so smooth with love,  
and made  
So fair with flowers of victory over sin.  
He found me young, my son, and full of hope  
And left me, old but brave, to close the  
Upon our happy path, that none might  
With sacrilegious feet, where mine of  
late  
Have trodden all alone,—because he  
The call of country, and his grand-son's  
blood  
That beat within his heart, as quickly  
stirred  
As when my father marched against the  
Heaven.  
Of the invading army, as they passed  
These soldiers brave, my father and  
my son  
I've but to shut the gate—I am the last  
And yet I wait.... There was another  
one.

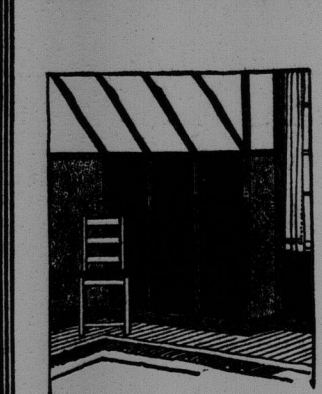
And if I'm patient just a little more  
When I arise to follow God's command  
Perhaps I'll find upon life's darkening  
shore  
My husband standing with repentant  
hand  
Held out to help my lonely footsteps  
over.  
It will not be too late  
Then I will close the gate,  
Hearty have their trinites as well as  
Heaven.

CAROLINE RUSSELL BISPHAM,  
March, 1914.

The marriage of Harold G. Ogilvie to  
Beulah J., daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Joseph Scribner, The Grant, Hatfield's  
Point, took place on June 23, at the home  
of the bride's parents, Rev. E. J. Barras  
officiating. Miss Lulu Scribner was the  
bridesmaid and Fred Hurdler acted as  
groomsman.

ASK FOR  
King  
COATLESS  
SUMMER  
SUSPENDERS  
Worn Under the Shirt  
ALWAYS OUT-O-SITE  
LOOK FOR KING  
ON THE DUCKLES  
MADE IN CANADA

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### Bargain Sale of Boys' Vacation Suits Continued Monday Morning

### Boys' and Youths' Furnishings Suitable for the Holidays

HIGH-GRADE SHIRTS—Large and roomy bodies, carefully made and perfect fitting  
Colored and white, newest designs and most reliable cloths in the following styles:— Soft  
Front with Starched Cuffs attached; All-Soft Lounge Style with Soft Double Cuffs and de-  
tached Soft Double Collars.

ALL-SOFT NEGLIGEE OR OUTING STYLE—With Reversible Collars. Boys' full sizes, 12  
to 13. Each 65c. to \$1.00. Youths' and Young Men's sizes, 12 1-2 to 14. Each 75c. to \$1.25  
COLORED STRIPED SHAKER SHIRTS—With or without collars, extra good quality and  
pretty patterns. Each 50c.

NIGHT SHIRTS—White cotton, plain and twilled; also in pretty colored shaker.  
Each 75c. to 90c.  
PYJAMAS—In attractive colored shakers. Each \$1.00 to \$1.50.

UNDERWEAR—Fine Balbriggan Shirts with short or long sleeves; Drawers, knee or ankle  
length. Per garment, 25c.  
WHITE POROUS KNIT SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Short sleeves, knee length.  
Per garment, 25c.

WHITE MADRAS COMBINATIONS—Short sleeves and knee length. Price \$1.25  
SOFT MERINO FINISHED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. Garment, 35c.  
FINE LIGHT-WOOL CASHMERE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. Garment, 60c.  
NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Popular weight. Garment, 70c. to \$1.00  
JERSEYS—Fine Cashmere and Worsted, in navy, brown and cardinal. Sizes 22 to 33.  
Each 90c. to \$1.70

SWEATERS—Coat Styles with high convertible and military collars; all popular colors and  
many weights. Sizes 26 to 34. Each \$1.10 to \$4.00.  
BATHING GARMENTS—Swimming Tights. At 15c. and 20c.  
One-Piece Suits, cotton or cashmere. At from 45c. to \$1.40.  
Two-Piece Suits, cotton and cashmere. At from 70c. to \$1.75.

NECKWEAR—Washable, Tubular make. Each 15c., two for 25c.; 20c., three for 50c.  
Silk Ties in popular shapes and colorings. Each 25c. to 50c.  
COLLARS—Starched or Soft, in latest shapes and best makes.  
Prices 15c., two for 25c.; 20c., three for 50c.

HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched, colored borders or plain white. 3 for 25c., or 2 for 25c.  
BRACES—All the favorite kinds. Pair, from 10c. to 50c.  
BELTS—In the Newest Leathers. Each from 25c. to 50c.

#### BOYS' FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT

### Ribbons For School Closing

TAFFETA SILK RIBBONS—In plain green, red, blue, pink, sand, putty, grey, brown, mauve,  
purple, gold, black, white, etc. Widths 1 to 6 inches. Yard 5c. to 60c.

FANCY SILK RIBBONS—In narrow widths for millinery purposes, and in wider widths for  
girdles, sashes, etc. Beautiful color combinations, in checks, stripes, plaids and floral  
effects. Per yard, 15c. to \$1.20.

DOROTY DAINY SASH AND HAIR RIBBONS to match; brocade effects, in white, sky,  
pink, yellow, etc. Per yard, 60c. to \$1.70.

VELVET RIBBONS—For millinery; all widths, in this season's prevailing shades.  
Per yard, 6c. to 45c.

BARGAIN RIBBONS—Plain and fancy colored effects, in wide and narrow widths.  
Special, per yard, 5c., 10c., 15c., 25c.

#### RIBBON DEPARTMENT—ANNEX

### Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

## BIG SPECIAL SALE Women's Summer Dresses

JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAY

Commencing Monday, 9 a. m. and Continuing  
Tuesday and Wednesday

Special purchase of dresses from a number of the most  
prominent factories in Canada and United States.

These are dainty Muslins, Voiles as well as heavier  
materials such as Linens, Fancy Ratines and Spence  
Cloths. All are new and a representative line of what is  
showing in the biggest houses in the country.

Extra salespeople will be engaged for this occasion and  
more fitting rooms provided.

No dresses will be allowed out on approbation  
during this sale.

Sale Prices, \$1-98. \$2.95, \$3.95, \$5.00

DANIEL'S Head King  
Street.

### THE ONLY CANADIAN IN THE HOSPITAL; IS OVERWHELMED

A Letter of Interest Comes From Wood-  
stock Woman's Wounded Boy

An interesting letter from Sands Gil-  
lespie to his mother, Mrs. H. P. Gilles-  
pie, of Woodstock, says:—

June 2—I am in hospital in the north  
of England, wounded but not seriously.  
I was passing out the other night to  
the trenches and for a ways we had to  
pass through a regular hall of shrapnel,  
and after getting a little over half way  
up there I got a piece of shrapnel put  
through my forearm, about half way  
between elbow and wrist and it broke  
the bone and fractured it, so I found  
cover in a battered trench and one of  
our party put on the first dressing and

then I started for the dressing station,  
and believe me I went back faster than  
I came.

And then I commenced to realize the  
quick action of the Red Cross system.  
I arrived at the dressing station and  
some old major dressed my arm. He  
dull here today as I am not acquainted  
wondered how I had lived so long in  
France without my cod fish, when I  
told him I was from New Brunswick  
some. When I was at the Australian  
Hospital the visitors came in pretty  
often and gave us cigarettes, fruit and  
chocolate. I was the only Canadian  
there and when they came in the nurse  
would say, "Here is a Canadian." I  
would be showered with questions, hun-  
dreds which I could not answer. They  
are the same here to a great extent and  
I get highballs from all sides. (Hello  
Canadian) and such like, and I expect  
when I get out, to get no peace at all,  
so I will stay here as long as I have to  
and no longer, and I am going to raise  
Cain if they don't send me to a Cana-  
dian hospital. I have just had a chat  
with the doctor here and he says I won't  
be here long.

night at Dover, and this morning at  
about same time arrived here and expect  
to be here for some time.

After I am some better I am going  
to London for a week's leave, but do not  
know how long it will be. Things are  
dull here today as I am not acquainted  
and am the only Canadian of 500  
patients, so I would naturally be long-  
told him I was from New Brunswick  
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