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Advance Showing of Spring Hats for Men Depicting the New Ideas in Soft Hats for Spring 1912

Advance Styles in Soft Hats



The New Hats we show Wednesday are all in the soft styles, and for March winds and April Showers it is as it should be, for this hat is far superior to any other for durability and service. They are American shapes and shades—something new and different, as it were—in mixtures and finished felts. One hat that is decidedly dressy and natty is a smooth fur felt in the new "Elephant shade," with silk band and binding to match. It may be worn in the regular Fedora style, or in the telescope, with snap brim. It might also be interesting to know that the color is absolutely guaranteed as is the hat to give reasonable satisfaction. Price, 2.00

Of nineteen new designs in Men's Hats for spring as shown in one of the leading and latest American Men's Wear papers, twelve were soft hats, thereby proving in a forcible manner that the soft hat is to be reckoned with, in what men shall wear for Spring.

- A Dark Grey Brush Hat—fedora shape in pure fur felt, with black silk band and raw edge. Price, 2.00
 - Another Good Hat for Young Men is shown in the new navy mixture, and steel grey with bindings to match. The edges are finished with the new buttonhole stitching and they may be worn in Fedora or telescope style. Price, 2.00
 - Children's Baby Carriage Robes—in the imported sheep skin—long fur and made in pocket style, lined with felt. Wednesday, each, 1.85
 - Children's Plain Knitted Toques and Sashes in very fine knit and in plain colors. All colors, including white, cardinal and navy blue. Wednesday, each, .45
- Main Floor—Queen St.

Men's Extra Quality Flannelette Night Robes, 75c

This line we believe to be the best that can be had for this money. The flannelette for these garments is purchased in very large quantities from the English mills, and made up in our own workrooms, and which means lowest possible price to you, as proper size and finishing is an important feature in nightrobes, right here is where this nightrobe is sure to please, for it is made full and easy in the body; is full length; has yoke, collar attached; pocket and finished with pearl buttons; sizes 14 to 19. Special value, 75c

Men's Cardigan Jackets at 69c

By purchasing in huge quantities we are enabled to offer this English cardigan at a very low figure. It is in an elastic cardigan, ribbed weave, which fits the body snugly, has "V" shaped neck, close fitting buttoned cuffs and braid trimmed edges; sizes medium and large. Price, each, 69c

A New Pulley Suspender, made with the double cord and pulley, allowing freedom of movement and easing the strain on the buttons. Neat patterns in good elastic webbing, with cast-off cord ends, and adjustable buckles. Specially priced, per pair, 25c

Men's Underwear—medium weight Balbriggan, a nice smooth, even weave, in shades of natural, cream and pink and finished with sateen facings; sizes 34 to 46. Price, per garment, 35c

Men's Knitted Four-in-hand Neck Ties, made of silks and manufactured silks, in a large and unique assortment of leading club colors in cross-bar patterns; also plain shades and two-tone effects. Price, each, 25c

—Main Floor—Centre.

Ulster Overcoats, \$4.50



This is probably the last big offering of the kind, so come early Wednesday.

Just another big buying chance that was too good to resist, so we bought and offer them to you Wednesday at half their value. They are made of heavy Ulster tweeds; classy mixtures in diagonal weaves and stripe patterns in good colorings, mostly greys, browns and olives, and in the easy, comfortable double-breasted style, with the two-in-one style convertible collar—fits perfectly both ways, splendidly tailored and lined; sizes 34 to 46. Early morning rush price, 4.50

Boys' Trousers Included in the Great February Sale

One Thousand Pairs Boys' Knee Pants, 40c

These were specially purchased for the February Sale and contain besides extra good value a full range of sizes. They are made of strong and serviceable tweeds in good patterns, and are lined with white cotton. Sizes 22 to 34. Come early as it is not likely the supply will last long at this price. February Sale price, 40c

Limited Number Boys' Blue Serge Trousers, 25c

Soft-finished Navy Blue Serge Knee Pants for boys, well made and lined throughout. Sizes 22 to 28. February Sale price, 25c

Boys' Knee Pants, made of serviceable mixed tweeds, in grey and brown, and reinforced with double seats and knees. Strongly lined throughout. This is an excellent line, and will give good service. February Sale price, sizes 22 to 28, 60c; and sizes 29 to 34, 75c

Boys' Bloomer Trousers, 75c

This line is made of imported English tweeds in good assortment of neat patterns; are lined with silesia and have double seats and straps and buckles at knee; sizes 24 to 28. February Sale price, 75c

Boys' Suits Clearing, \$1.50

A number of Suits in single and double-breasted style, in serviceable tweeds, in dark patterns, and lined with Italian cloth. Some have bloomer trousers, others the knee pant, so come early for choice. Sizes 24 to 28. Reduced price, 1.50

Fur Collar Overcoats in Large Sizes to Clear \$8.95

These Coats are in 44 and 46 only, so we have reduced them for rapid clearance Wednesday morning. Limited quantity too, so be here early. They are made of black Melton cloth, in double-breasted style, with barrel button and loop fasteners; and lined with imitation lamb cloth, with small tight curl, or with fine Italian cloth, closely quilted; and interlined to waist with a soft and pliable rubber sheeting, which makes this coat absolutely windproof. The sleeves are fitted with a knitted wind shield, and the collar is a dark brown German Otter. Rush price, 8.95

Men's Suits, worth at least one-third more than the price marked; tailored in fashionable single-breasted sack style, in cassimere and worsted finished materials, in a variety of patterns, mostly stripes in dark and medium greys. Linings are of good quality. These suits have good style and finish. Sizes 36 to 44. Wednesday, clearing price, 6.25

February Sale of Trousers

Good Lines of Trousers featured for Wednesday, are each made of British worsteds, of nice texture and good weight, and show neat stripe patterns on medium and dark grounds. These fit in well with odd coat and vest; are stylishly cut and smartly tailored, and are well finished with durable pockets and trimmings. Sizes 32 to 42. February Sale price, \$2.15, \$2.95 and 3.85

Main Floor—Queen St.

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ESTIMATES FOR PARKS ARE LIBERAL

Acting Commissioner Chambers Has Made Preparations to Do Much Beautifying in Toronto This Year — Sentences at Toronto Jail Too Short, Say Grand Jurors.

The estimates of Acting Parks Commissioner Chambers, which provided for expenditures amounting to \$303,325.88, were discussed yesterday afternoon by the parks committee, who struck out items amounting to \$12,460, providing for improvements in the exhibition grounds, High Park and Kew Gardens which were the only sections of the report covered. The committee

decided that it was not feasible to spend \$6000 in widening and resurfacing the road in High Park from Bloor-street to the picnic grounds, and the proposal to establish aquatic gardens at the north end of Catfish Pond also met with no favor. A number of the minor improvements suggested in connection with the Exhibition Park were also left off the program for this year.

Mr. Chambers suggested the removal of the old greenhouses and the superintendent's house in Allan Gardens, as he advocated that two new conservatories be erected there, and for these and for the work of tearing down the old structures the sum of \$4750 was asked. The committee decided to make an examination before making any recommendation regarding the matter.

More Money Necessary. The sum required for the maintenance and improvements of the parks was considerably in excess of that spent last year, but Mr. Chambers explained that the increased park area necessitated more money being spent. It was proposed to spend \$31,990 for shelter houses alone. The amount required for maintenance of High Park Exhibition Park and Queen's Park was lower than that spent last year, as most of these are in excellent condition at the present time.

Ald. Saunders moved that the city acquire the property in Withrow Hollow for park purposes, and the committee decided to have the commissioner report upon the idea. Sentences Too Short. At the meeting of the property committee yesterday afternoon a letter was read from Samuel McClure, foreman of the grand jury, stating that in the opinion of that body the sentences to the Toronto jail were too short to permit the necessary opportunities for reform. Fault was found with the jail in that some of the occupants were not given sufficient work and it was claimed that the women prisoners were treated too leniently. The grand jury thought the jail was quite up to the standard, but they believed that the best results would be obtained if the parole system were introduced. The letter also suggested a provincial prison for Northern Ontario. The letter was sent on to Governor Chambers.

On the advice of Property Commissioner Harris the committee decided to strike out the recommendations that a public weigh scale be established at Earlscourt, and that the James-street entrance to the city hall.

A letter was read to this committee from F. G. Morley, secretary of the Toronto Board of Trade, requesting the committee to recommend that the associated boards of trade of Ontario be permitted to use the council chamber in connection with their annual convention, on Feb. 22 and 23. The board approved of the request.

Jail Estimates. John McMillan, steward of the jail, forwarded the estimates for the year, which stated that the sum of \$47,725 would be required. Last year the expenditures amounted to \$48,218.88.

Railway Earnings. The sum of \$2,838,292 represents the city's percentage of the earnings of the Toronto Street Railway Co. for January, 1912. This amount is over double the sum received by the city for January, 1907. The percentage for January, 1911, was \$43,485.65.

Good for Mary. The sum of \$187.40 was given to Mary Pringle Macdonald for a ten-foot strip along her property on St. Clair-avenue, which was expropriated in connection with the widening of that street from Yonge-street to Avenue-road. The property was only 27 feet in width, and as the amount awarded does not include costs, this property will be a costly one, taking the first award as the scale.

The proposed park on Keele-street, will cost the city the sum of \$17,446, according to the report of City Solicitor Johnston. It is necessary that two properties be expropriated.

MILLION WANTED FOR CHINA FUND

Canada and the United States Asked to Contribute to Huge Sum to Relieve Suffering.

Canada and the United States are asked to unite in contributing \$1,000,000 to a five-million dollar fund, being raised by the Central China Famine Relief Committee of Shanghai to relieve the present terrible famine in China at present.

Secretary Morley of the board of trade received a letter from the society yesterday asking for the earnest co-operation of the citizens of Toronto along with 300 other Canadian and American cities in raising the necessary amount of money. It was pointed out in the letter that the fund would be used to repair the dykes and canals to prevent future floods, and in doing this work would be provided for 600,000 families.

The relief committee express the opinion that there is an opportunity now such as has never before existed to strengthen the friendship between New China and the rest of the world by an expression of courtesy and goodwill such as the suggested assistance would convey.

BANK MANAGER'S HOLIDAY. Manager W. R. Woodworth of the head office of the Bank of Toronto left yesterday on a six months' holiday. Mr. Woodworth intends cruising in the Mediterranean until spring, when he will visit France and Germany.

Some Necessary Red Tape. OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The Hon. Mr. Monk has given notice of an act entitled "an act respecting tolls on government works for the transmission of timber." The purpose of the bill is simply to correct some clerical errors, the principal being that the minister of inland revenue is mentioned instead of the minister of public works to receive the tolls. This will be changed to the minister of public works.

BOILING WATER FOR FROST BITES

Dr. J. M. Johnston Claims It Is a Real Cure in Spite of Popular Fallacy to the Contrary.

Frost bites, frozen ears, noses and fingers may be cured without any ill effects by boiling water, according to Dr. J. M. Johnston, 25 Elm-street. The doctor stated to 'The World' last night that in spite of the popular fallacy to the contrary boiling water was the best remedy which could be used. He had, he said, used it himself and on his patients, and it always gave perfect results.

Female Pills is the Standard recommended for scientifically prepared. It is the most reliable and permanent of all.