CHISE ALL GERMAN.

NEY, N.S.W., March 8 tet has decided to disen-li German-born electors ition of the war, following and internment of several ens, who are considered to

INNAGE QUESTION.

LONDON, March 8. man, President of the e, said that in view of the services of every seaman were urgently the Board had reconsection of holding a fortion into the loss of the a. He said the Board the conclusion that are the conclusion that an vould not produce reient importance to juster detention of the offiv ashore, and the connse which would be instated in the Commons
e Brewers' Society had
duction of imports of
citals by one-third. The
se this tonnage Runcie this tonnage Runciould mean a saving of

ELIN DAMAGED.

LONDON, March 8. in which took part in vas damaged by anti-One message , which passed ast, homeward bound , was seen to be in her despatch says it that an explosion took and the Zeppelin when it is practically crippled it. rtion of the Zeppelin's

LLOWS EXPLOSION. ARA FALLS, March 8. ed the explosion in the ent of the Niagara cal Co. to day, and complete the destructure begun last night, explosions and the re ficted damage estima-

BATTALION LOSSES. PARIS, March 8 taken at Verdun estimate es to the battalions which u infantry assaults since an average of two-thirds

WLER'S REPORT. LONDON, March 8.

n fleet, consisting of a warships, followed by a painted armed trawler Zeppelins and numerous was sighted on Monday the North Sea, off Ters-and, north of Holland, acreport of a steam trawlrived at Ymuiden, says large cruisers of unnality passed Ymuiden at

ELY RECEIVE PASS-

LONDON, March 8. many will receive. his thich gives a report from a basis for the state-Munich Nachrichten, the presented to Portugal.

COMMON STOCK DIVI-DENDS

MONTREAL, March 8: Nova Scotia Steel and l pay all common stock ferred, six in number,

VE'S' COMMANDER DE-CORATED.

LONDON, March 8. William has received the of the German commerce Reuter despatch from

e and There.

hat will be, as it always part of the summer mode.

LEAVES. - The S. S.

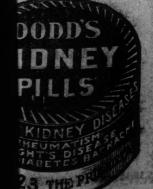
es Halifax to-morrow for

GHTED.-Yesterday bed-

were sighted in the vicin-ingate and Nipper's Har-UNTEERS. -The volun-

fle practice at the South-ghlanders' ranges yester-

and were granted leave . DEBATE. -"Resolved. ers do more to mould than all other agencies I. C. L. I. Club rooms this ssrs. Alex. Mews and are the leaders.



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Lot of brand new Soft Col-Cases, hemstitched finish, lars in plain Cream, White

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Just a couple of pieces, of the new Curtain Scrim, half plain and half figured; very effective looking; 40 inches wide; two patterns for this Sale. Reg. 40c. Sale

TRAY CLOTHS.

An extra Tray Cloth is very handy at times; we have a lot of nice Damask ones; size line. Sale Price .. 16C

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Boys' Sweater Coats.

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M	New Tork Styles.
	Sale Price76c
	Sale Price \$1.13
Reg. \$1.50	Sale Price \$1.24
	Sale Price \$1.59

Reg. \$2.25 Sale Price Reg. \$2.50 Sale Price ... Reg. \$3.30 Sale Price .. .

Reg. \$4.00 Sale Price \$3.44

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SLIGHTLY SOILED LEFT. OVERS, in

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Reg. 70c. values for 48c. Just a few dozen in White Linen and Damask; some nicely embroidered and hem stitched; size 32 x 32. Reg. 70c. Special Sale 48C

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BED SHEETS. 20 pairs only Superior English Sheets, made of best quality sheeting, ample size, being 2% x 3 yards, hemstitched finish. Reg.

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1.20 DRESSING JACKETS, 78c. | HAND BAGS.

You'll like these inexpensive flannelette Dressing Jackets, trim.ned with silk cord, Basque, nice shades of Grey, Tan, Sky, Purple and Fawn. Reg. \$1.20. Sale 78c

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Always secure, fastened with belt around waist; strongly finished, yet neat; 23C 4 garters. Reg. 28c. set. Sale Price

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Mostly in glaze and kid, shades of Red, Tan, Black, White and mixed Black and White; suitable styles for Coat or Dress;

The indispensable Hand Bag needs to be a good serviceable one; you will find these with that attribute; good Black leather, change purse within, leather' lined, generous size; also a few in colored Suede with silk cord; good value for 75c. 67C

SAMPLE LINE OF CHILDREN'S VESTS.

Best quality Jersey ribbed, in Cream and White, long sleeves, buttoned in front; these are excellent value, worth up to 50c, each. Sale Price 32C

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A full stock of American Brassieres, snug-fitting, with embroidery and insertion yokes; open in front, any size from 34

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Just the prettiest little Dress for morning wear, neat stripes and checks, and others in Grey, Blue and Helio, trimmed with embroidery and buttons, full skirts; nothing more desirable in inexpensive wash dresses; sizes from 32 to 48 inch busts. Reg. \$1.70. Sale Price

DAINTIER BLOUSES THAN EVER.

Blouses with the stamp of \$1.00 value on them. Pure White American Muslins, Voiles and Crepes; others in pretty stripes; ratine makes, plain shade of Saxe, low and th neck styles, long sleeves, buttoned in nt and pretty crochet buttons. 67c White, with plain linen facings to set them off, to fit from 2 to 6 years. Reg. 39c high neck styles, long sleeves, buttoned in

CHILDREN'S GNGHAM DRESSES.

Smart styles and surprisingly cheap too; pretty stripes and checks and other fancy makes, dainty little Middy styles, laced in front, in Pink and White and Blue and

A Gigantic Purchase of THIS ENTIRE PURCHASE GOES ON

SALE THIS WEEK. Elegant designs in extra heavy White Marcella Quilts, artistic borders surrounding heavy raised floral or scrill centres. A Quilt for years of wear. Value for

Grecian and Honey-Comb Quits

Another handsome lot of Pure White Quilts, very soft finish, large enough for ordinary beds; lots of rather neat patterns, plain finished edge. Don't pass, these if you

Fast Black, heavy ribbed, hard wearing Hosiery for every day: assorted sizes, full



Our popular 60c. line in long flowing ends, in assorted Green shades. Many of these are new and came just in

48c.

TABLE OIL CLOTAS

A lot of new arrivals in White and Colored finish; lots of nice check, tile and other would want an inexpensive Quilt or two Regular \$1.60 value. Sale \$1.25 and White, Special Sale Price, per 27c

Boys' and Girls' Hose. | "San Toy" Quilt Cottons.

length, heavier than the usual low-priced new floral designs on assorted grounds. Hose, Regular up to 35c. Sale 29c They make handsome Quilt Cover-Price Sale Price 10c

5c. Never Bought as Much Before!

The little coin never brought bigger value. Many lines we cannot repeat.

Drinking Cups, collapsable, 5c. | Pictures, assorted5c. Cork Soles, per pair5c. Note Books, assorted5c. St. Patrick's Day Badges, Ironing Wax, 3 for5c. Large Forks, each5c. Easter Egg Dyes, 2 for5c. Balloons, colored, each5c. Pins, 2 papers for5c. Mouse Traps, each5c. Darning Wool, 3 for 5c. Tin Cover Knobs, per card .. 5c. Safety Pins, 2 cards for5c. Fire Shovels, each5c. Pearl Buttons, per dozen5c. Hat Pins, per card5c. Tack Hammers, each5c. Small Mirrors5c.

Pencil Boxes, each5c. Ironing Wax Pads5c.

Machine Oil, per bottle5c. Artsye Silk, per slip5c.

New Dress Goods.

SUMMER DRESS LUSTRES.

all the most popular shades; Lustre is favored by reason of its wearing quality and as it does not take the dust it is much preferred. Reg. 50c. Sale Price New Dress Materials in extra fine lustres

SILK POPLINS. 2 pieces only, pretty shades of Saxe and Grey, 36 inches wide. For a nice clinging

dress material this is hard to equal. Reg.

CREPE-DE-CHENES. Black, White and Coloured.

Exquisite Summer Dress material, in all the most wanted shades;

the fine texture is at once striking and should make a nice soft clinging

one-piece Summer Dress. See the pretty shades to-day. Reg.



Saucepan, 3 quart 15c. Tin Mixing Paris 15c.

Pudding Pan 15c. Fire Shovels 5c., 7c., 10c.

Skillet, 3 quart 15c. Tin Mixing Pans, large 18c. Skillet, 4 quart 20c. Tin Water Buckets, per

90c. per yard. Sale Price

SAVINGS on Every-Day Needs.

CURTAIN RODS—Brass extension rods, for light curtains, extending to 54 in extending to 54 in extending to 54 in extending to 54 in extending to 50 in extending to 50

PEARL BUTTONS - Exquisite

BLIND ROLLERS—Spring rollers, dependable make, 36 inches long with fittings. Sale Price, each 9C

tation linen and others. 9c PEARL BUTTONS — Exquisite trimming buttons, e x t r a weight, assorted sizes.

Sale Price, per card... 5C

Sale Price, per card... 5C

Sale Price bound. Sale Price 15C

RAZOR STROPS — The swing doing business at both ends; strop keeps your razor in fine bristles in light oak

RUBBER SPONGES - Service- PENCIL BOXES-For the childable make, very durable, convenient size, oval 15c shape. Sale Price .. 15c

Lord Roseberry and the Judas Kisses.

Lord Rosebery, speaking n Edinurgh of the surprises of the war,

"We could not conceive it possible that a great civilized country, which believed itself to stand at the head of the culture of the world, which had achieved a prosperity beyond all human experience, swelling in forty years from forty millions of populaarmies and potent fleets for its defense-we said we could not have believed it possible that this nation was all the time, with genial smiles and Judas kisses, its chief visiting England amidst the acclamation of the simple-hearted people attended by the chief of his detectives as spies, by a deliberate and infamous conspiracy against the liberties of the world, was plotting a war of which no human being at this moment can see the limits, but which every child can see nyans the ruin and devastation of Europe.

"All this in the lust of some vile idea of conquest which, God help us, shall never be fulfilled." (Prolonged

Luxury in the Bastille.

The Famous French Prison During the Reign of Louis XIII.

It was during the reign of Louis XIII. that the Bastille became recognized as a prison, especially for notable persons suspected of treachery against the French government. Richelieu used it for the secure lodgment of troublesome opponents, and during his time the celebrated fortress became the luxurious prison of a pow-

erful aristocracy. Apart from the necessary restrictions, a stay in the famous prison of Paris was little more than an agreeable diversion. It seemed indeed as though the king was determined to show his kindness. He expressed great anxiety for the comfort of his

Money could buy in the Bastille all the luxury that could be obtained outside, and should a poor man stray within the impenetrable walls the king was so eager to prove his hospitality that he at once allowed him a reasonable pension. The rooms in which the prisoners were confined were lofty and well aired; the furniture was arranged according to the taste of the

occupant. Mme. de Stael, for instance, hung her walls with rich tapestries, and many a distinguished culprit carried with him to the Faubourg St. Antoine his family portraits or a valuable

library. Nor is it in the least significant that the prison barber visited his patrons every morning with a silver basin, perfumed soap and embroidered towels. The best viands, well cooked, were furnished to the better class of prisoner, and at the close of the meals they exchanged visits, played cards and made the walls of the gloomy looking prison ring with their

Verdun.

the past week, has been centred on the mighty struggle which has raged round this ancient fortress city. It is situated on the river Meuse. 130 miles east north east of Paris. It is a city of considerable importance as

a city of considerable importance as a trade centre and as the principal fortress of eastern France.

It was a town of some importance in the times of the Romans. Here in 843 a treaty was entered into by which Charlemagne's Frankish empire was divided into three kingdoms the Verdunois territory going doms, the Verdunois territory, going to the Dukes of Lorraine. Baldwin, the brother of Godfrey of Bouillon, sold it to the Bishop of Verdun, who sold it to the Bishop of Verdun, who. gave it in fief for some time as a viscounty to the count of Moncon and. Bar. Verdun early became a free imperial city of the German empire, but ity, and the numerous conflicts resulted in 1552 in the city coming under French domination, which was the bishop claimed absolute authorsanctioned by the Westphalian treaty.
Two royalists surrendered the town Two royalists surrendered the town to the Prussians, in 1792, in consequence of which the commander of the citadel (Beauregard) shot himself, and subsequently many of the loyalists were executed by the republican authorities. It will be noted that the Germans are well acquainted with Verdun, because in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870 it surrendered on Nov. 8th, after a seige of about a month. Many officers and much artillery and war material fell into the hands of the Germans. It was occupied by them as a pledge until the final payment of the war indemnity in 1873. So there can be no doubt that they are intimately acquainted with all its surroundings and facilities for approach and attack. It has been greatly strengthened by the French since that time.