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GREAT JULY SALE

Our Annual Clearing--Goods from Every Department at Reduced Prices--All Bright New Goods Bought This Season.

It has been our custom for some years to place on sale, commencing July 2nd, at special prices, goods from every department in the store with the object of making room for new stock which commences to come in about August 15th.

The Sale Commences July 2... THE GREATEST YET.

From all over the store, upstairs and down, are to be found some of the greatest bargains we have ever offered.

Cottons are Dropping

Our stock is heavy and we intend clearing them out quickly

Carpets, Linoleum and Other Floor Covering

Stock are the lines that we have put the knife into. Lace Curtains, Curtain Muslins and Drapery Curtains are in line at greatly reduced prices

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Skirts and Suits

New and nobby, and all at reduced prices.

READ EVERY ITEM over carefully, and then come and see the goods. Seeing is believing, and every article advertised will represent a saving if you need the goods.

Annual July Sale. Annual July Sale. Annual July Sale

Dress Goods

18 pos fancy Dress Goods, 44 in. wide, worth reg. 50c to \$1, Annual July Sale Price 25c.

10 pos. of all wool Serge 42 in. wide, in shades of cardinal, grey, brown, fawn, myrtle, light and dark navy, reg. price 25c, Annual July Sale Price, 15c.

7 pos Flaked Tweed Dress Goods in shades of navy, brown, grey and cardinal, regular price 40c, sale price 25c.

8 pos. Tweed Dress Goods, suitable for suits, old skirts, etc., 44 in. wide, regular price 55c, sale price 45c.

Very fine range composed of Tweeds, natty Canvas Cloths, Crepe de Chine, Flaked Venetians, 44 in. wide, in shades of grey, brown, green, fawn, Rosetta, Champagne, Cardinal, reg. price 15c, sale price 8c.

Fancy and Plain Venetians, Tweeds, Cheviots, Pebbles, Canvas, etc., in shades of brown, green, fawn, black and white, reg. price \$1.25, Annual July Sale Price, 90c.

Light Colored Dress Goods in Lustres, Etamines, Voiles, Eolienness, Crepe de Chine, Twine Cloth, Canvas Cloth, etc., in shades of Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Grey, Biscuit, Rosetta, Nile, Helio, Old Blue, etc.

Regular 50c quality at 45c.

" 80c " 65c.

" 1.00 " 75c.

Extra special Lustre Dress Goods, in shades of Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Brown, Navy and Cardinal, very bright finish, daily for shirtwaist suits, regular price 35c, Annual July Sale Price, 23c.

Black Dress Goods in Cashmeres, Delaines, Poplin, Canvas Cloth, etc. Reg. price 60c, sale price 45c; 75c goods at 55c.

Broadcloths, Venetians, Canvas Cloth, Twine Cloth, Eolienness, Voiles, Crepe de Chine, Wool Panama, etc., reg. price, \$1, sale price, 85c.

SILKS

Some money-saving opportunities. A very fine line of Tannine Silk in Navy, Brown, Grey, Pink, Light Blue, Cream, Cardinal, 20 in. wide, reg. price, 60c, sale price 50c.

Foulard Silks, 24 in. wide, in shades of Grey, Brown, Blue, Rose, Helio, very special, 24 in., reg. 75c, sale price 55c.

20 pos. Japanese Wash Silks, reg. price 50c, sale price 25c.

HOSIERY

25 Dozen Hosiery, Black, ribbed, sizes 6 1/2 to 9 1/2, on sale, extra special, at 9c a pr.

Ladies' Grey Cotton Hose, reg. 25c, sale price 15c.

Ladies' Open Work Hose in Black, reg. price 35c, sale price 25c.

WRAPPERS

Ladies' Light Print Wrappers, nice range to choose from, reg. price \$1, sale price 50c.

SILK WAISTS

In Pink, Blue, White, made of very good quality of Taffeta, just a few in each color, reg. 85c, sale price 52c.

1 off all other Silk Waists.

GLOVES

Ladies' Tan Lisle Gloves, reg. 25c, sale price 15c.

Ladies' Print Dressing Sacques

Very new and pretty. Reg. 50c quality 38c; reg. 75c quality 60c; reg. \$1 quality at 85c.

Corset Sale

Corsets in sizes 18, 19, 22, 23, 24 and 25, Dove and White, reg. \$1 and \$1.25, sale price 35c.

Embroideries and Insertions

A fine range, 1 1/2 in. wide, reg. price 6, 7c, and 8c, your choice at 5c.

Reg. 25c quality at 20c.

" 2c " 15c.

" 15c " 12 1/2c.

" 12 1/2c " 10c.

Laces

Cotton Applique Lace in Cream, Paris and Ecu at half price.

Insertions in Cream, Ecu, Linen and Blue, and White Mixture.

Regular 25c quality at 20c.

" 20 " 15c.

" 15 " 12 1/2c.

Black Silk Yak Laces and Insertions at quarter off.

Cream and Champagne Silk Yak Laces and Insertions at quarter off.

Ladies' Lace Collars in Paris, Cream and Ecu at quarter off.

Hose Supporters

Regular 25c quality at 16c.

Prints

125 pos. fine heavy prints in all the new and dainty colorings. Suitable shirting and dressy patterns; wide widths, some in Oxford and Indigo, fast colors warranted--many of them worth 12 1/2c, others 10c, a big selection at 9c.

Ginghams

15 pos. Gingham in apron checks, also Scotch plaids, suitable for Childrens dresses a good quality, per yd. 6c.

Cottons

A very clean and unbleached Cotton, heavy weight, suitable for general use and especially for Pillows and Sheetings, regular 9c, at per yd. 8c.

40 in. Circular Pillow Cotton Bleached 14c.

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Veranda Cushions

Saleen covered Veranda Cushions, sizes 18x18, nice designs, your choice at 25c.

Great Rug Special

Fine Jute Rugs, size 27x50, fringed at both ends, nice patterns, on sale extra special at 39c.

Linoleums

Every one of them the finest, Scotch Manufacture, twenty patterns to choose from.

Regular 60c quality, Annual July sale price 50c.

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" 75c " 65c.

" 85c " 75c.

The above are all 4 yds. wide, two patterns Inlaid Linoleums, Frederick Walton's Patent, every color inlaid goes through to the canvas, regular price \$1.25, special sale price 90c.

Carpet, Matting and Linoleums

After a very successful season in our Housefurnishings Department we have many odds and ends that must be cleared out at once, and to make the sale more interesting we're marking our regular lines away down, so if you need a Carpet large or small, this sale will give you a chance of saving a lot of money on your purchase.

BRUSSELS CARPETS--Brussels Carpet, 5 frames, drawing room pattern, regular \$1.40, July sale price \$1.10.

Brussels Carpet, best four frame, in a variety of designs and colorings, regular price \$1.15, annual July sale price \$1.00.

VELVET CARPETS--Jno. Crossley & Sons best Velvet Carpet, in different designs, some with borders, some without, sold all over Ontario at \$1.35, our Annual July sale price 95c.

TAPESTRY CARPETS--nice patterns to choose from in any color you want, regular price 85c, annual July sale price 69c.

Reg. price 58c, annual July sale price 40c.

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Pointed Sermon for Laurier's Benefit--His "Foreigner" Utterance.

The Dundonald Matter Again Discussed in Parliament--Withholding Documents.

Ottawa, June 29.--There was a recrudescence of the Dundonald-Fisher incident in the House to-day.

WITHHOLDING DOCUMENTS.

Mr. Haggart, on the motion to go into supply, offered a resolution, expressing regret that the Government had seen fit to withhold from Parliament documents of a public character to which Parliament was entitled for the proper consideration of matters to which such documents related.

Mr. Haggart instanced first the Blair memorandum, which was withheld on the plea that it was confidential. One of the ministers who differed from his colleagues, prepared a statement of his views and presented it to them.

When a minister gave up his position, Mr. Haggart contended, Parliament was entitled to all papers relating to the matter. Another document, which had been kept back, was the original offer of the Grand Trunk with regard to the construction of a transcontinental railway.

This paper showed on its face that it was proposed to the Government to consider certain propositions made by the Grand Trunk Railway. While the Government had this paper, the Premier solemnly assured that every document relating to the matter had been brought down "without any equivocation at all."

The production of the paper certainly astonished the House after the Premier had denied that anything of the kind was in existence. Then there was the report of Lord Dundonald's report which had been suppressed. The latter addressed to the Minister of Militia, enclosing the report was marked "private" but not so the report itself.

It was held that this report should be considered secret and confidential in the interests of the nation. The commander-in-chief, three years ago, was the best judge of what was required to be kept secret.

And in this case, Lord Dundonald requested that the report be made public. Mr. Fisher, on the other hand, contended that the report should be kept secret.

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SCOTTISH HERO STANDS TO GUNS

Lord Dundonald Reiterates His Charge of Mutilation of Reports by Minister.

Denies That His Military Reform Would Be as Costly as Borden Stated It.

Ottawa, June 29.--Lord Dundonald has handed out another lengthy statement replying to the Minister of Militia's speech in the House of Commons, in which he takes issue with the minister as to the charges that the scheme for militia reform would have cost hundreds of thousands of dollars, and place it at \$25,000 to \$30,000.

He repeats that Sir Frederick Borden mutilated his report, and denies that he had direct intercourse with the minister, the last time met being in March, when the mutilated report was returned.

Lord Dundonald also denies that Col. Roy was overlooked, as alleged by the minister.

Lord Dundonald will speak at Renfrew on Friday night at a Scottish gathering. He will be presented with an address, and will doubtless make allusions to recent differences in reply, as the address is said to contain allusions to the trouble with the Government.

Ottawa, June 29.--Lord Dundonald was interviewed to-night in regard to Sir F. Borden's speech of last Thursday evening. The general was very moderate in his reply to the minister, but dealt with several points in Sir Frederick's address most effectively. Speaking of the minister's statement that he had paid a newspaper reporter to report his speech at the Montreal banquet, the general emphatically denied that he had anything whatever to do with the business of a reporter at the banquet.

Asked as to the truth of the minister's statement that he went to Montreal to induce Col. Smart to write a letter condemning Fisher, the general said he went to Montreal on that particular day to open the Montreal Military Institute. There he met Col. Whitley and Col. Smart by accident, and learned of fuller details of Mr. Fisher's preference. Then was that he asked Col. Smart to write a letter condemning Fisher, the general said he went to Montreal on that particular day to open the Montreal Military Institute. There he met Col. Whitley and Col. Smart by accident, and learned of fuller details of Mr. Fisher's preference.

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