

Concert on Silvia.

The Tuesday night concert was held on board the Silvia, when the social club members assembled in the social hall for a very excellent programme of songs through Capt. H. O. Mitchell was chairman and Miss Edith was accompanist. After the concert a collection was taken up, over fifty dollars was subscribed, which it is understood is being used to Adjutant Hurd for the Maternity Home. The following is the complete programme:—
 Song—Mr. A. E. Holmes.
 Solo—Miss Gracie and A. E. Holmes.
 Community Singing—Leader, Mr. J. Storey.
 Solo—Mr. Stan O'Leary.
 Song and Stories, Maybe—Mr. E. J. Storey.
 Community Singing—Leader, Mr. J. Storey.
 Dance—Mr. Elston and Miss Gracie.
 Lullaby—Maguire Esquire Esquire.
 Solo—Miss E. Jones.
 STAR SPANGLED BANNER.
 GOD SAVE THE KING.
 Gaelic League.

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The Gaelic League met last evening at the home of Mrs. Walsh for the purpose of dealing with the future of the League was discussed. A large gathering was present during the evening. Reports from the various sub-committees were submitted and adopted, and future plans were outlined for the coming year. The League is growing rapidly and will be heard from in the future in athletics and community work.
 At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Walsh, B.E., announced his resignation as President owing to his being for New York where he will be in the future. Mr. Walsh in a address thanked the League, the members generally, for the support they have given him since his coming to St. John's and said he would always cherish the recollections of Newfound Irishmen and women who have always stood firm to the appeals made for recognition as a Gaelic League.
 In bidding good-bye to the Gaelic League of Newfoundland, Mr. Walsh said that the members give his success the same loyal support accorded to him. At the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Walsh was cheered to the echo. Each member shook hands with him and wished him the best of luck in his new home.
 The adjournment Mr. Denis O'Connell on behalf of the League, asked Mrs. Walsh to accept a beautiful handkerchief as a memento and a watch, as an appreciation of her help to him for his services in re-erecting the flames of the Nationalism during the past few years.
 Mrs. Walsh replied in fitting words, which the meeting adjourned with the singing of "He's a jolly good fellow."
 Mrs. Walsh leave by the train on Saturday for their future home in New York City.

Good Fishing.

A good sport of fishing at Petty Harbour which prevailed last week was a sign of slackening off. On Monday all the traps had big fish but owing to stormy weather had to be let go. At Witless all the traps did well yesterday.

Message From the Sea

We have received the following messages:—
 BRITAIN, via Arnold's Core, P.B. Evening Telegram.
 "I picked up here July 10 a bottle with the following inscription in it:—
 "Seattle Spirit," Rotterdam, Montreal, Can., April 30th, 1923. West Grand Bank, Nfld., lat. 43° 05' N. Long. 52° 45' W. Overboard by Chas. W. Officer, 10 Alan St., Montreal, Maine, U.S.A."
 Yours truly,
 ALEX. ADAMS.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.
 The left Lewisport 6.10 p.m. today.
 The left Lewisport 6.25 a.m. today.
 The left Lewisport 1.30 p.m. yesterday, coming east.
 The left Lewisport to-day, leaving Humbermouth to-day.
 The left Lewisport to-day, leaving Port aux Basques to-day morning.
 The left Lewisport to-day, leaving Black Tickle 3.40 p.m. today, going north.
 The left Lewisport to-day, leaving Port Union to-day.
 The left Lewisport to-day, leaving King's Cove 10 a.m. today.
 The left Lewisport to-day, leaving Port Union 11.10 a.m. today, going north.

Outstanding VALUES

BID FOR YOUR EARLIEST ATTENDANCE

This week's many golden opportunities are positively too good to miss, for right here you will find merchandise that you can use away up into the fall—all tremendously reduced for

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

August Sales at this Store mean—A Seasonal Disposal of timely merchandise without a parallel. A Sale that commands the interest of all, and a Sale in which variety is large, and prices reduced to sensationally low figures.

DON'T MISS THESE

- FACE CLOTHS—White Huck Face Cloths, hemmed; pure White 6 for 20c.
- KITCHEN CLOTHS—One yard size in unbleached qual- 3 yds. for 20c.
- GLASS CLOTHS—Hemmed ready for use; convenient size for shop or kitchen use 2 for 19c.
- TOWEL RACKS—Nickel finish Tubular Racks with curved ends; simple and useful. Special 17c.
- PIC-NIC PACKAGE—Containing 5 Paper Plates, 5 Paper Napkins, 1 Table Cloth, 40 x 50. The package 15c.
- PRESERVE COVERS—With waxed tissues, one and two pound sizes; circular, 10 in each package 4c.
- PAPER NAPKINS—Fancy bordered Crepe Serviettes, 25 for 19c.
- PLAYING CARDS—Bicycle Playing Cards, with a permanent linen finish, gold edged. The pack 45c.
- CONGRESS PLAYING CARDS—Gold edge linen like Cards, picture back; each pack with a guide to honours and bridge table of points. Special 75c.
- JERSEY BLOOMERS—Finest Jersey Bloomers, elastic waist and knee; Pink, Cream, White and Black. Special 28c.
- CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' BLOOMERS—Special 18c.
- WHITE GLOVES—Ladies' White Lisle Gloves, pearl buttoned wrist. Special 59c.
- KNICKER HOSE—Boys' fancy topped Knicker Hose, in assorted sizes. Our Special 59c.



TOILET REQUISITES

- Face Powder, Jap Rose quality, high grade; box 25c.
- Pond's Cold Cream, a pure Cream 50c.
- Pond's Talcum Powder, borated, perfumed 45c.
- Puffs—Velour Powder Puffs, set 15c.
- Colgate's Ribbon and Dental Cream 25c.
- Babcock's Talcum Powder, Cory-opsis 25c.
- Palmolive Talcum Powder, Rose 25c.
- Taylor's Talcum Powder, Violet 25c.
- Williams' Talcum Powder, fragrant 25c.
- Fair Skin Toilet Soap, Armour's 15c.
- Armour's Buttermilk Toilet Soap 15c.
- Armour's Castile Toilet Soap 15c.
- Armour's Hugs Bath Soap 15c.
- Armour's Corrosive Toilet Soap 15c.
- Loofah English Toilet Soap 15c.
- Tropic Palm Soap, the cake 15c.
- Palmolive Toilet Soap, the cake 15c.
- Liberty Belle Hair Pins, box 4c.
- Liberty Belle Hair Pin Cabinet 10c.
- Rubber Sponges, large size 15c.
- Hair Pins, Imitating Amber and Tortoise, 5 in set for 15c.

- WHITE BASINS—Heavy White Enamel Wash Basins, in five different sizes. Special 35c. 39c. 45c. 49c. 59c.
- EXTRA LARGE ENAMEL PANS—The largest we have ever handled. Extra heavy, too, in good grade Grey Enamel. Mixing, Rinsing and Bread Pans. Special 70c. 80c. 90c. \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20.



THE SHOWROOM

Now a Veritable Harvest of Good Values in SUMMER APPAREL

- Ladies' Georgette Waists and Jumpers, with and without collar, long and short sleeves; some embroidered in silk, others trimmed with Filet lace; becoming shades Sand, Flesh, Matze, Reseda, Henna, Lavender, Navy and White; sizes 36 to 42 inch. Reg. \$5.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$3.49
- GABARDINE DRESSES. Ladies' Colored Gabardine Dressing, straight line ecclis, 3/4 sleeve, girde; pretty shades—Fawn, Grey, Taupe, Brown, Navy and Black; sizes 36 to 42. Special for Friday, Saturday and Monday \$9.39
- SPORT SKIRTS. In light fannel Tweeds and Gabardines, plaited and straight line effects; with pockets; shades include Fawn, Browns, Navy, Lavender, Reseda and an assortment of fancy checks. Reg. \$6.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$5.39
- SAILOR COLLARS. Double Sailor Collars, trimmed with Paris Net Lace; becoming. Reg. \$1.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.23
- WAIST BELTS. Ladies' and Misses' Suede and Patent Leather Belts in mixed shades—Crimson and White, Blue and White, Lavender and White and all White. Reg. 75c. Friday, Saturday & Monday 62c.
- LADIES' VESTS. Fine White Jersey Vests, round square and V neck, tape straps and drawstring; sizes 36 to 40. Clearing at 19c.
- GIRLS' DRESSES. Beautiful styles in White Voile and Organdie Muslin, round and square neck, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion, short sleeves; to fit 7 to 14 years. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday, Sat. & Monday \$1.29
- UNDERPANTS. Ladies' summer weight White Jersey Underpants, umbrellia legs, lace trimmed; sizes 36 and 38. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 59c.
- ROMPERS. Children's Coloured Linen Rompers, Dutch style, cuff knee and collar, in shades of Maine, Tan, Saxe and Pink. Reg. \$1.60. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$1.39
- BATHING CAPS. All Rubber Bathing Caps in a maize of bright hues, trimmed with rubber Marguerites and bow. Regular 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 29c.
- EASY WAISTS. Form fitting Easy Waists, to fit 2 to 11 years; fine Jersey make, fitted with buttons for attaching suspenders. Reg. \$1.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday 65c.

From The House Furnishing Section

A Generous Contribution of Values—AND THEY'RE GOOD

- WINDOW BLINDS—Fringed Window Shades, 26 inch width, Buff shade. Complete with fittings and dependable roller. Friday, Saturday and Monday 98c.
- STAIR DRUGGET—22 inch width, several pieces in assorted color tones; fancy centre and wide border. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday 48c.
- QUILT COTTONS—Paisley Pattern Quilt Cottons; just a couple of pieces. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, the yard 24c.
- WHITE SHEETINGS—165 yards of beautiful quality plain White Sheetings, 80 inches wide. \$1.20 value. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.10
- RUNNERS—Dark Linen Crash Sideboard Cloths, embroidered in pretty shades and hemstitched. Regular \$1.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.10
- TEA COSETS—Art covered Tea Cosets, empire shape, silk cord handles, relieved with plain satcen corners. They're plump and nicely finished. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.59
- TABLE COVERS—Fancy Table Covers with knotted fringe edge, in Crimson and White, and Green and White. Reg. \$4.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.95
- TABLE CLOTHS—White Damask Table Cloths, with an all hemstitched border, 64 and 66 inch size. They offer a Special value even at their regular price \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.58
- COTTON BLANKETS—Thoroughly well selected Cotton Blankets, pink or blue striped border. 10 Quarter Size \$2.95 11 Quarter Size \$3.30
- CUSHION COVERS—Handsome embroidered Dark Linen Crash Cushion Covers, cord edge, loop corners; they're serviceable. Reg. \$1.12. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$1.12
- WHITE QUILTS—Beautiful Marcella Quilts, snow white, deep cut, clearly defined patterns. When you buy one you have it for years and years. Reg. \$5.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$5.15
- COLOURED QUILTS—Large size Crimson and White fringed Honeycomb Quilts, away under their regular price. Reg. \$3.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.79
- ROLLERS—3 Doses of full length, made up unbleached Turkish Roller Towels. Friday, Saturday and Monday 53c.
- TEA CLOTHS—Dark Linen Crash Tea Cloths, hemstitched and embroidered, very uncommon looking. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.75

Snappy Velour and Soft Felt Hats

Hint the NEWEST for Early Fall Wear

- BOSTON GARTERS—Assured comfort when you don a pair of these; assorted colours in good grade elastic. A special line at 45c.
- STANFIELD'S COMBINATIONS—Nice lightweight combinations in a silk and wool make; true to fit, a pleasure to wear. The suit \$5.75
- BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR—Cream shade warm weather Underwear; this line brings you values up to \$1.20 the garment. Friday, Saturday & Monday, to clear 69c.
- STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR—Men's lightweight Underwear, Stanfield's quality, fine texture, closely knit; nice for fall wear. \$2.08
- SOFT COLLARS—Men's pure White semi-stiff Beach Linen Collars, peak point front; easy to do up and decidedly smart. Special 25c.
- ARMLETS—Silk covered Elastic Armlers; they save your shirt cuffs and cost but little. Special the 20c.
- PYJAMAS—Striped Flannellette Pyjamas, nice medium weight; assorted colours. Reg. \$2.40. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$2.59
- BOYS' CAPS—Boys' English Tweed Caps in plain and fancy; the shape that boys like. Special 75c.
- KNAIL SHIRTS—Good Shirts for knockabout wear, collar and pocket; men's sizes. Special \$1.10 Friday, Sat. & Monday \$1.10
- POLICE BRACERS—Stand hard wear, heavy elastic and stout leather strapings. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday 50c.
- TOP SHIRTS—Another supply of these pretty striped American Top Shirts; all needed sizes; quite a range of patterns; soft. \$1.12
- WORKING SHIRTS—Dozens of them, good and strong, in light, medium and dark strong texture American Ginghams, made up specially to our own order; collar and pocket; unmatched to-day for their value. See them. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$1.18
- VELOUR HATS—Good looking English Velours showing the newest in narrow brim style; shades include Beige, Grey and Navy; silk lined. Excellent value. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$3.95
- SOFT FELT HATS—Another new lot of jaunty Soft Felts, just to hand; shades of Seal and Light and Dark Greys, self and bound and brims. Special \$4.75



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ALUMINUM PANS

The kind you like to see about your well-kept kitchen, riveted hand. \$1.95 less, goodly size. Special \$1.95



When GLOVES of such excellence bring values like these—BUY!

- LISLE GLOVES—Ladies' Summer Lisle Gloves, in shades of Putty, Chamale, Slate, Navy, Nigger, Black and White; 2 dome wrist. Reg. to 85c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 74c.
- LISLE GLOVES—Lisle Gloves with the hall mark of reliability; shades of Slate, Stone and Black and White. Reg. \$1.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.10
- SILK GLOVES—Ladies' fine Silk Gloves, double tipped at the point of wear; shades to match up your outfit; Covert, Slate, Champagne, Grey, Fawn, Black and White. Reg. \$1.20. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$1.08

CLEARING! Ladies' White Poplin SHOES

This is a clearing line in laced and strapped styles; Cuban, military and spool heel; mixed sizes. Values to \$4.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.49



Good Looking HEARTH RUGS

Axminster Hearth Rugs in gorgeously blended hues; another point in their favour is their unusual large size and heavy weight. Regular \$9.50 value. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$8.49

FOOTWEAR SPECIALS

- MEN'S DANCING SHOES—Patent Leather Dancing Shoes, laced style, semi-pointed toe; dressy. Regular \$3.00 value. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.48
- LACED SHOES—Ladies' Laced Shoes in Dongola Kid; Blucher style, broad toes, rubber heels. Reg. \$3.10. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$2.49
- LADIES' TAN BOOTS—Smart looking footwear; in Dark Tan, pointed toe, Cuban heel; sizes 3 to 7. Reg. \$3.48. Friday, Sat. & Mon. \$3.48
- BOYS' BOOTS—Boys' strong Black Calf Boots, broad fitting shape; sturdy footwear. Regular \$4.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$3.58
- CASHMERE HOSE—Light shades and Navy in assorted wide rib effects; they're English, they're good. Special \$1.10

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Magistrate's Court.

A drunk was granted his freedom. A motorist summoned for breaking a breach of the Street Traffic Regulations, was postponed until Monday next. Inspector Sparrow summoned two boys into court for mis-conducting themselves in Beausart Park. After receiving some good sound advice for their mis-behaviour they were allowed to go upon paying costs. An assault case was postponed until Wednesday next. A case for non-support preferred by wife against husband, was amicable settled out of court.

Prizes on Exhibition.

On exhibition in the store window of Messrs. T. A. McNab & Co., Water Street, is a splendid display of valuable prizes to be competed for at the Highland Games, which takes place at St. George's Field on Wednesday next. The trophies offered are something out of the ordinary, and will no doubt be greatly prized and made good use of by the lucky winners.

Marauder Around.

Last night a vagrant or maybe burglar attempted to gain entrance to a house on Waterfordbridge Road owned by Reddie's estate, by smashing one of the windows. The noise of falling glass arousing nearby residents the marauder beat a hasty retreat. A description of the man has been given the police and an arrest will probably follow.

Ring 1346 for Neary's Dry Kindling Wood.—July 31, 1923

Insane Man Hangs Himself.

The Deputy Minister of Justice is in receipt of a message from Magistrate Giovannite stating that Lawrence Hackett of Trepassy committed suicide yesterday by hanging. The victim of the rash deed who is married was insane.

Look out for the Independent. July 12th

Personal.

Mr. I. Levitz, dry goods merchant, Water Street, leaves by S. S. Silvia tomorrow to select his fall stock in the Canadian and American markets.

Shipping.

Aux. schr. Sasarito has entered at Ferryland to load salt bulk fish for Portugal. Schr. Mordruff is loading 2400 qts. codfish at Burgeo for Oporto. S. S. Heronspool has entered at Western Arm to load pit props for the B. N. A. Trading Co. Schr. Jean Wakeley, Capt. Jerry Pettit, has arrived at Barbados, according to a message received to-day by Messrs. T. H. Carter & Co. S. S. Sebastopol, with the Circuit Court on board en route to Bonne Bay, harbored at Placentia last night out of the storm. The ship continued on her way again this morning.

Fads and Fashions.

A sports suit of neutral brown woven with mustard-colored stripes consists of a one-piece dress and a knee-length one-button coat. A straight coat is reversible, being of tan kasha cloth on one side for daytime wear, and of stitched black taffeta on the other side for evening wear.

Flies Bother You?

Now is the time to get after the flies. You can't stop them from getting in the house even with screens, but you can either catch or get rid of them very easily after they get inside by the use of either of the following articles:

- Tanglefoot, 3 double sheets 10c.
 - Fly Coils, 3 for 10c.
 - Keating's Insect Powder, small size 10c.
 - Keating's Insect Powder, medium size 15c.
 - Keating's Insect Powder, large size 25c.
 - Sabadilla Powder 15c.
 - Jeyes Fluid (small size) Price 30c per bottle.
- For prevention of Mosquito bites use our Mosquito Oil it does its work.
 Price 20c. per bottle.

STAFFORD'S
 Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill.
 July 30, 1923

FOR Preserving Time Grey Enamel SKILLETS

Just in time for the jamming season, and a nice range of sizes ready for you. Special 84c., 98c., \$1.19, \$1.34



Boys' Tweed Suits Pinch Back Style, 3-Piece

3-Piece English Tweed Suits, Pinch-Back style. Truly marvellous values, patch pockets, nice Dark Tweed pattern, for the time he will be going back to school. Sizes to fit 10 to 15 years. Friday, Saturday and Monday, Special Prices from

Mail Order Specialists \$5.75 to \$6.95