

# CLARKE BROS. LIMITED

## Importing Retailers

### Spring and Summer Price List, 1916

## The New Dress Goods

To forget this stock when looking is to deny your choice from many desirable styles and fabrics not to be found elsewhere. A collection certainly to be reckoned with in selecting the Spring Gown.

### Mail Order Department

We can fill your order with just as much pains and care as if you came personally

### Free Delivery

We prepay all delivery charges to your nearest Railway Station or Post Office on all orders amounting to \$10.00 or upwards.

#### TARTAN PLAIDS AND SHEPHERD'S CHECKS

40 to 44 in. wide, splendid wearing materials for children's dresses, blouses and separate skirts. 25c. to \$1.00 per yard

#### MOHAIR LUSTRES

A dust-resisting dress material. Colors in stock: Black, Myrtle, Brown, White and Cream. 36 to 44 in. wide. 25c. to \$1.00 per yard

#### SILK STRIPED VOILES

Just the material for evening dresses or blouse waists. Shades in stock: Rose, Pink, Reseda, Pale Blue, Navy, Old Blue and Grey. 42 in. wide. 55c. per yard

#### PLAIN VOILES

Colors: Black in plain and fancy material. 42 to 44 in. wide. 70c. to \$1.00 per yard

#### BLACK PREMIO CLOTH

\$1.25 per yard

#### MERCERIZED BENGALINES

Fine, even, cord weave, high lustre finish, suitable for Women's Suits or Coats. Colors in stock: Fawn, Pale Blue, Pink, Black, Brown and Butcher Blue. 42 in. wide. 65 and 70c. per yard

#### VELVETS AND VELVET CORDS

A splendid costume cloth, plain and cord weaves. Shades in stock: Black, Brown, Navy, Butcher Blue and Claret. 22 to 27 in. wide. \$1.25 per yard

#### SERGES

Fine wool, thoroughly shrunk, fast dye, shades in stock: Black, Navy, Cream, White, Brown, Tan, Butcher Blue, Myrtle, Reseda, Nigger Brown, and Grey. 42 to 56 in. wide. 30c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.75, and \$3.00 per yard.

#### HOMESPUN SUITINGS

Pure wool. 58 in. wide. Colors in stock: Fawns, Greys and Blues. \$1.25 to \$1.75 per yard

#### VENETIAN CLOTHS

All wool, rich finish, correct weight for women's costumes and separate skirts. Shades in stock: Navy, Butcher Blue, Brown, Black, Green, Red and Taupe. 50 to 52 in. wide. \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.35 per yard.

#### BRITISH BROADCLOTHS

A material that never grows out of date as it is incomparable for suits, dresses or long coats. Colors in stock: Old Rose, Pearl Grey, Myrtle, Navy, Garnet, Reseda, Brown and Black. 52 to 56 in. wide. \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.25 per yard.

#### FRENCH DUCHESS CLOTH

All pure wool, high lustre, satin finish, good weight, a splendid costume cloth. Colors in stock: Garnet and Myrtle. 48 in. wide. \$1.60 per yard

#### GRANITE CLOTH

All pure wool, fancy weave, suitable for costumes or suits, colors in stock: Nigger Brown, Reseda, Tan, Butcher Blue and Navy. 40 to 50 in. wide. 75c. to \$1.35 per yard

#### DRESS SILKS

Messaline and Paillettes, 36 to 40 in. wide. Colors in stock: Reseda, Tan, Brown, Pale Blue, Black, Alice Blue, White and Grey. \$1.00 to \$1.50 per yard

#### SHANTUNG SILKS

In natural and colors, make splendid dresses or blouse waists. 36 to 40 in. wide. 49c., 60c., and 75c. per yard

#### DRESS FINDINGS

We carry a complete range of findings, including Satins, Sateens, Taffetines, etc., etc. 24c. to \$1.50 per yard

#### TRIMMING BUTTONS

A splendid assortment always kept in stock. Prices 5c. to 75c. per dozen.

#### LACES, RIBBONS AND ALL OVERS

We carry a full line of the above goods. Laces . . . . . 3c. to \$1.50 per yard. Ribbons . . . . . 2c. to .50 per yard. All Overs . . . . . 40c. to \$1.50 per yard. "Ask for samples."

#### WASH DRESS MATERIALS

A splendid assortment in striped and floral designs, just the material to wear during the hot days in midsummer. 27 in. wide. 8c. to 25c. per yard

#### STRIPED AND CHECKED GINGHAMS

Our gingham are noted for their good wearing and washing qualities. Patterns are new and a good range of colors. 27 to 30 in. wide. Price 10c. to 25 c. per yard

#### REGA SUITING

A fine even weave, splendid weaver, good washing material for dresses or separate skirts, colors in stock: Tan, Brown, Pink, White and Pongee shade. 28 in. wide. 18c. per yard.

#### SERPENTINE CREPES

This quality laundries well and requires no ironing. Comes in white and colored grounds, striped and floral designs. 27 in. wide. 15c. per yard

#### SUNSHINE SUITINGS

Absolutely fast dye, will not fade in the sun, mercerized finish, a splendid weaver. Shades in stock: Lavender, Brown, Pongee Linen. To arrive: Pink, Black, Butcher Blue. 32 to 33 in. wide. 20c. per yard.

#### WHITE PIQUE

These staple goods are always favorites for skirts, dresses or suits. 28 in. wide. Prices 21c., 25c., 30c. and 35c. per yd.

#### WHITE WAISTINGS

We carry a large range of hair line Dimities, Muslins, French Broaches, Indian Head Suiting and Crepe Cloths. 28 in. wide. 15c. to 40c. per yard

#### EXCELLENCE CLOTH

This beautifully finished cloth is used principally for women's and children's underwear. 18c., 22c. and 25c. per yard

#### VICTORIA LAWN

Fine, even weave, wears well, and will give perfect satisfaction for blouses or dresses. 39 to 40 in. wide. 10c., 12c., 15c., 18c., 20c., and 25c. per yard

#### LINEN LAWN

60c. and \$1.00 per yard

#### DRESS LINENS

Pure White and Silver Bleached. 37 to 40 in. wide. 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., and 70c. per yard.

#### GUEST TOWELLING LINENS

Plain, Striped and Floral designs. 25c. to 50c. per yard

#### CLEMENTSPORT

May 29

Mrs. John Lowe is at present visiting friends at Deep Brook.

Mr. George Elliott of Digby spent Sunday the guest of his sister, Mrs. Elias Rawding.

Mrs. Gussie Gibbons made a flying visit to see friends at Lawrencetown one day last week.

Schr. Mercedes, Capt. Fred LeCain, is at the time of this writing in Boston ready to sail for his port.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roop, who have been ill for some time, we are glad to learn, are recovering.

Mrs. Walter Elliott, who paid a visit to her husband recently, at Windsor, N. S., is again at her own home here.

Mr. A. D. Parker of Granville Ferry, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Parker, for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryder and daughter, of New Haven, Conn., who have spent their summers here for several years past, are again occupying their cottage here as usual.

We learn that the Rev. John McFadden at present pastor of the Clementsport Baptist Church, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist Church, Andover, N. B.

Mr. Daniels, who spent the winter in Boston arrived at his home here recently. Mrs. Daniels who accompanied him on his visit, has not yet arrived on account of ill health.

Schr. Emma E. Potter, recently owned at this port, was sold last month to parties at Granville, and is being used in the wood and piling business between Port Wade and Boston.

The newly appointed Rector of the Parish at Clementsport, the Rev. A. W. L. Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Smith, have arrived here and are at present the guests of Mrs. Lindley Shaw.

Mr. Herbert Hicks one of our popular merchants here, recently purchased the schooner Virginian of Parrsboro. She is now plying between this port and ports in the United States under the efficient captainship of David Robinson, of Parker's Cove.

Mrs. A. D. Roop, proprietress of the "Rest," our summer resort, who spent the winter with her son, Mr. J. Roop, in Charlottetown, P. E. I., is home, and has opened her house for the summer and has at present, as guests, Mrs. Algine and her sister, Miss Emery, of St. John, N. B.; Mrs. Blanch Williams, of Granville Ferry; and Miss Woodworth, the newly appointed station agent.

#### PORT WADE

May 29

Pte. (Rev.) T. F. McWilliam preached his farewell sermon on Sunday morning.

Mr. Richard Thorne of Digby, spent over Sunday with his brother, Mr. Fred Thorne.

Miss Hattie Haynes spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. William Tylar, Victoria Beach.

Pte. Robert Burke of the 219th Battalion is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke.

Pte. William Burke and Pte. Robert McGrath, of the 85th Battalion, are spending a month with their parents.

Mrs. Fred White and three children left on Saturday for Freeport, where they will spend a few weeks with her parents.

Miss Elizabeth Burke left on Friday for Annapolis where she will spend a few days with her cousin, Miss Lottie Saunders.

#### MORGANVILLE

May 27

Mr. Clarence Morgan has been ill with grippe, which is prevalent.

Mr. Murray Smith of the 85th Battalion is at home visiting for a short time.

Mrs. Myron Hibbard of Brooklyn, New York, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Morgan.

Miss Amy Morgan who has been visiting in Aylesford, the past week, is expected home to-day.

Mr. Robert Rice met with a slight accident to his foot this week. Hope it will not prove serious.

Mrs. Ingles Phinney, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. George Morgan, has returned to her home at Middleton.

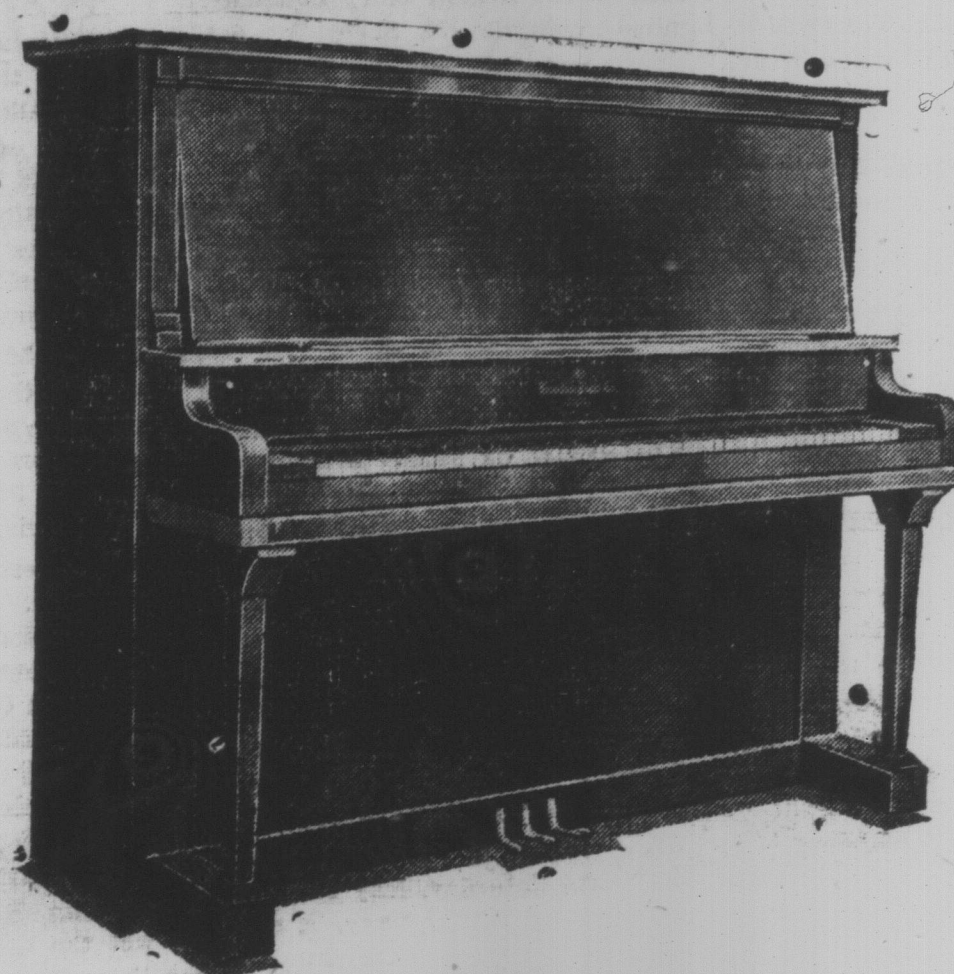
#### 6,000,000 BRITONS BY JUNE

Manchester Man Gives Estimate of New Army

"Great Britain has 3,000,000 troops actually in the field at the present moment. She has 2,000,000 others under training at home. By June the army will reach a total of 6,000,000. "Then the grand offensive will begin."

Prof. John Duxbury of Manchester, England, made this statement the other day. He arrived on the American liner New York.

## MONITOR'S \$700 VOTING CONTEST



MONITOR'S FIRST PRIZE

The above is a cut of the Lonsdale Piano, which this paper will give away to one of the young ladies who have entered the Monitor's Big Voting Contest, and which will close June 24th.



MONITOR'S SECOND PRIZE

Consists of a beautiful Cabinet of over One Hundred Pieces of the very finest Plated Silverware of the Rogers make. The cabinet is a handsome oak case, richly lined.



MONITOR'S THIRD PRIZE

In addition to the five pieces illustrated here—Tea Kettle with Burner, Coffee Pot, Tea Pot, Sugar Bowl and Cream Pitcher—this prize will include a Silver-plated Tray. Each and every article in this service is fully guaranteed by the manufacturers, Canadian Wm. A. Rogers, Limited, of Toronto.

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### BEAR RIVER

#### PROHIBITION AND THE NOVEL

(By R. Walter Wright)

The novel is supposed to be indicative of the sentiments of the people. It reflects the life of the age. Novelists write their stories to be read, and people read largely what is in harmony with their thoughts, their feelings, their aspirations. The vogue of the prohibition novel shows the direction of the current of popular opinion. It has been said, again and again, that the great war has given a mighty impetus to prohibition sentiment; perhaps it would be truer to say that the war has only crystallized the already existing sentiment into palpable form. The war did not create the temperance army; it mobilized it. That army has been recruiting, drilling, arming, piling up munitions, for at least two generations. The war blew its bugles and the temperance army shouted. The day has come.

Even the temperance story was not born yesterday. It may appear a long way back to Arthur's "Ten Nights in a Bar-room"; and critics may say hard things and true things about that book from a purely literary viewpoint, but it had its day, it did its work, it dealt with plain, horrible, everyday facts. It had the grim

relentlessness with which the Bible deals with the devil and sin.

Not long since the lights of literature hob-nobbed with alcohol. Poets sang its praises and fiction writers revelled in convivial scenes. But to-day we see a change. As one says, "The Demon Rum is on the run, with the literary man riding high and strong upon the water wagon, and lashing their old-time ally with an enthusiasm previously exhibited only by those much ridiculed persons who voted the prohibition ticket."

Jack London writes "John Barleycorn," a soul-stirring book, largely autobiographical, merciless in its attack upon drink; Will Levington Comfort sends out "Midstream"—he himself had been in the frightful rapids; Samuel G. Blythe gives us "The Old Game," and James Hay, Jr., "The Man Who Forgot"—books which stand for total abstinence in its most radical form.

What is most remarkable about volumes is that they are no dream-stuff, not highly colored dilution of mere sentiment—these men speak from experience. They know whereof they affirm. They are mostly returned prodigals, and from the safety of their Father's house of virtue they recall the horrors, the famine, the swine-food of the far-off country.

These books were written before the war. They were not inspired by any spectacular prohibition movement. They have grown out of years of education, out of the stern conviction that wine is a mocker, and that if drink is easily accessible for everybody it will be a terrible curse to humanity. They have grown out of the increasing protests of mother's hearts; as Jack London says, "The women are the true conservators of the race. The women know. They have paid an incalculable price of sweat and tears for man's use of alcohol." We are thankful for the aid the war has given to the cause; the drunken soldier is practically no soldier—as Kipling says,

"You may talk of gin and beer  
When you're quartered safe out 'ere,  
An' you're sent to penny-fights an' Aldershot it;  
But when it comes to slaughter  
You will do your work on water."

But the prohibition novel, as was said of the abolition of vodka in Russia, is "really an interpretation of a great popular ground-swell of revulsion against the wholesale drinking which held the people in sodden depression."

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia