

Embroidered Flannel

Put up in 1½ yard lengths, suitable for making Children's Underskirts.

Corduroy Velvets.

20 bds. of Corduroy Velvets, in all shades. Price \$1.50 per lb.

Pound Tweeds.

2000 lbs. of Tweeds, 2 to 5 yd. lengths. Just in time for the Fall Trade.

Turkish Bath Sheets.

3 doz. White Turkish Bath Sheets, 60 x 86. Old Price, \$2.20.

Hump Hair Pins

The newest Hair Pin made, picks up all the short hair and keeps it in place; non-rust, satin enamel finish; all sizes. One price, 6c. per packet.

We Have Many Bargains

for the next week. We again emphasize that lines mentioned below were purchased before very material advances. Our customers get the benefit.

Men's Khaki Shirts.

50 doz. Men's Khaki Shirts, made of strong Cotton material, and some Sateen. Old Prices, 65c., 70c., \$1.40 each.

Gent's Neck Ties.

60 doz. Gent's Mohair Neckties, in Plain Colors and Plaids. No trouble putting them on; you just hook them on the stud. Old Price, 10c. each.

Warner's Corsets.

60 pairs of Sample Corsets of this well known manufacture. Odd sizes. Selling at Half Price.

Marshall Bros.

Dress Buttons

The largest variety of Dress Buttons in the city to choose from; all sizes and all shades.

Dress Goods.

A large and well assorted stock of Dress Materials in Tweeds, Meltons, Amazons, etc. Old Prices from 35c. per yard to \$2.00.

Sealette

One end only of Black Sealette, suitable for making Ladies' Coats. Price \$4.80 per yard.

The Runaway Spirit.

By RUTH CAMERON.



Did you ever plan to run away when you were a child? Of course you did if you were a normal child. Probably you had been punished in a way that seemed unfair to you, you were burning with a sense of injustice, you wanted to make the grown-ups sorry, and so you decided to run away.

You pictured yourself going down the street with your clothes wrapped up in a handkerchief, you imagined your mother coming to your room and not finding you. Maybe you planned a note to be pinned on the pin-cushion, a touching note that said perhaps you would come back some day. Perhaps you even went so far as to write that note, or even further, and shook the money out of your bank and packed some of your clothes into a bundle.

You Decided Not To "Make The World Your Pillow."

And then something always happened. Maybe you told your mother you were going away in the hope that it would make her repent. Or, maybe, as you had hoped she would, she came up and found you getting ready and kissed you and you decided not to "make the world your pillow" that night.

But I started to write about the runaway spirit and here my pen has run away with me.

Plans to actually run away belong to childhood but the runaway spirit never leaves us.

Don't You Sometimes Envy Tom Sawyer?

Only it manifests itself in different ways as we grow older. When we want to make people sorry we sometimes vaguely plan a much longer journey. Fortunately the thought that it is a journey from which no man returns, safely deters us. Besides what is the use of making people sorry if you can't see them? I never envied any one so much as Tom Sawyer the day he attended his own funeral.

Again the runaway spirit manifests itself in our restless belief that somewhere else, in some new home, in some different business, in some new locality, some new relationship, we should be entirely different from what we have ever been before.

We Want To Run Away From Ourselves.

We want to run away from ourselves.

And we can't.

We can gradually change those selves but we can't suddenly get away from them.

The wisest way is to estimate one's powers, recognize that they can't be suddenly changed, use them to their fullest, and slowly but surely enlarge them.

What Are You Doing for that Eczema?

"Nothing; I've about given up trying to cure it."

"That is not wise. Do as I did and you will probably be cured in a short time. I used Zylex and Zylex Soap with it and my Eczema began to improve at once. A couple of boxes cured. You can get Zylex at your druggists."

Zylex, 50c. a box; Zylex Soap, 25c. a cake.

Zylex, London.

Plums!

We have received by express this morning 360 qt. baskets of splendid Fruit.
100 baskets Blue Plums.
150 baskets Greengage Plums.
100 baskets Golden Drop Plums.
30 baskets Ripe Tomatoes.
10 baskets Crawford Peaches.
We do not expect any further shipments this season.

APPLES.

In stock, by Graciana and Florizel:
100 brls. Early Williams.
100 brls. No. 1 Gravenstein.
100 brls. Large 3's Gravenstein.
50 brls. assorted kinds.

Soper & Moore,

Retail and Wholesale.

Queen Serves Two Years as Scrubwoman

One of the World's Most Remarkable Stories Comes from Bordeaux Concerning Nathalie of Serbia.

New York, Sept. 19.—The Evening Sun publishes the following from Paris, under current date:—

"Former Queen Nathalie of Serbia, whose disappearance at the beginning of the war was one of the mysteries of the world conflict, has been found working as a common serving woman, doing the most menial services in one of the big war hospitals in Bordeaux."

"The identity of the royal scrubwoman was made known by Jean De Bonnefont, a well known journalist, while he was making an investigation of the hospital service in Bordeaux. De Bonnefont, who used to attend court ceremonies at Belgrade, found the widow of King Milan cleaning the hospital floor."

"At the opening of the war the queen, a figure in the most tragic of Europe's court histories, placed her Biarritz palace in the hands of the hands of the Princes Ghika for use as a military hospital."

"As for me," she added, "I am going to efface myself. The times are so tragic that those who were once rulers of men must all do them in all humility."

On the same evening Queen Nathalie, unattended, entrained for an unknown destination and her suite had not heard a word of her since. In the hospital where De Bonnefont found her she volunteered her services under the name of Nathalie Kechoko, her maiden name, and for the last two years has performed the meanest and most exhausting duties.

"When I last saw her at the Belgrade Court," writes De Bonnefont, "King Milan's widow wore a blazing diadem and looked a haughty and queenly beauty. She was attired in purple velvet cloak lined with ermine. Now she wore brown Holland overalls, instead of the purple cloak."

"The wounded soldiers are totally ignorant of her identity. They speak gratefully of her 'saintly goodness,' and her untiring efforts to aid them. At the queen's urgent request the exact location of the hospital is kept secret, as she intends working incognito until the end of the war."

Train Notes.

A local freight with several passengers reached the city at 11 a.m. to-day. Yesterday's outgoing express is due at Port aux Basques on time.

The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 8:45 a.m. to-day.

The local from Carleton Place arrived in the city at 12:10 p.m. to-day.

The train from Trepansey reached town at 9:30 a.m. to-day.

SHIPMENTS OF ENGLISH GOODS.—A large consignment of English goods for the fall trade is expected to arrive here early next week by the Furness Line steamers Tobacco and Rappahannock. The former is due here on Monday next, and the latter on Tuesday. These are the first shipments of goods from the English markets to this port for this season.

T. J. Edens

By Express to-day:
200 baskets Green Grapes.
100 baskets Damsons.
100 baskets Plums.
Last for the season.

No. 1 Red Gravensteins, Siberian Apples, Green Tomatoes, 10 lbs. for 35c. Pickling Spices, 5 boxes Lemons.

Bakeapples—in tins.
New Bonsters—in tins.
Ambrose James' Salmon—in tins.

Whole Wheat Biscuits, 16c. pkg. Dates, 1 lb. cartons, 11c. Marshmallow Drops. Roasted Peanuts, 16 oz. bottle Pickles, 13c.

The Universal Blend, Bulldog Brand TEA

still going strong at 45c. lb. 5 lbs. for \$2.00.

SPECIAL:

50 brace

Fresh Rabbits

by Rail to-day.

T. J. EDENS.

Duckworth Street and Military Road.

MINARD'S LINIMENT LUMBER-MARK TRADE.

In Milapy's Boudoir.

THROAT BEAUTY.

No part of the body shows age more quickly than the throat, when the face is still fresh and plump the neck will grow creased and shriveled, and so it behooves milady who would be beautiful to take the very best care of her neck.

Scrawny throats, fat throats, flabby throats with double chins are all unsightly, and all must be corrected if you wish to take your place in the ranks of well groomed and beautiful women.

All the care in the world will not give you a pretty throat if you carry yourself badly. Remember that the sky is prettier than the ground, and look up when you walk. When resting bring the book up to a level with your eyes, so that you will not have to drop your head, else you will have a double chin.

Sleeping with the head dropped on the chest is another disastrous habit and will defeat all your good resolutions in wide awake hours. It is just as easy to sleep with the head thrown back and far more healthy for the lungs.

The wearing of high stiff collars tends to leave an ugly red ring around the throat. If care is not taken, the ring will assume a brownish tint, and eventually will be impossible to remove. Before retiring every night, one should give the neck and throat a brisk massage with a complexion brush, dipped in warm soap suds. This will preserve the whiteness and softness in spite of the harsh collar.

Universities and Business Life.

Empire Review:—It is often urged that a university career unfits a man for business life. I doubt whether there is much truth in the contention. A man may be temporarily delayed by his university training, but the habits of mind he has formed, and the spirit of culture he has acquired, are likely to stand him in good stead eventually, and fully to compensate him for any disadvantage he may incur at the outset. The fact that a majority of our ablest civil servants and of our most prominent and successful lawyers are university men would seem to dispose of the theory that the present curriculum unfits its devotees for practical life. In fact, a university career is indirectly helpful to any man of ordinary ability and character, while in addition it gives him those priceless attributes of true culture—attributes which will soften the road of life and provide a welcome refuge from the monotony of daily routine. By all means do everything that is possible to reform and increase the academic and intellectual efficiency of the universities, but do not embark on the perilous and mistaken course of harnessing them to the business system of this country. They are not meant to be seminaries for commercial houses; their ideals are more lofty than those dictated by the maxims of worldly prudence and materialism. The universities are symbolical of the grandeur and dignity of national history; at present they embody all that is noblest and most enduring in national tradition. Let them so remain.

BUY YOUR Floor COVERINGS

—FROM—

BLAIR'S

Because they will Save you Money.

They are offering a big variety of patterns in the New American Floor Coverings at

\$1.10 yard.

You can buy these same Floor Cloths somewhere else for \$1.20 and that is the usual price, but Blair's say September being a kind of a quiet month they can easily cut more Floor Cloths than, so the cut in the price cuts two ways.

They say according to the prices the manufacturers are now quoting, these coverings would cost them all this to land.

They show a big range of Block and Floral Patterns, as they have the manufacturers of three different makers, viz.: Congoleum, Feltoleum and Neponset, and show the best patterns of each make. These are much better than cheap Floor Canvases, of which the cheapest to-day is about \$1.00 per yard.

This is mainly because the basic material for Cheap Floor Canvas is Burlap or Brin, and the immediate demand for that is tremendous. It is estimated that for the making of sand bags and the wrapping of foodstuffs, etc., for the Army, that the British Government calls for sixty million square yards per week. Therefore the price of brin has more than doubled. But Blair's are trying to help you all they can on prices, therefore remember—

BLAIR'S FOR FLOOR COVERINGS



JUST RECEIVED:

1917 Model Overland.

Call and see them, they are beauties. No waiting for Cars to arrive, we deliver at your door one hour after your order is received.

Read the letters from satisfied "Overland" owners which will appear in the Daily News.

SERVICE COUNTS.

T. A. MACNAB & Co.,
(Overland Distributors for Newfoundland)
CITY CLUB BUILDING.

Job Printing Executed.

War News

Messages Received Previous to 9

BRITISH GAINS.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—During the night our men on various points of Martini Guedocourt, and posts east and southwest of Euphrates, within 800 yards of the river. On our left our position was not changed. On the ridge N.E. of a battalion of enemy infantry transport was caught on the river. Our artillery and successfully fighting the past few days, singularly economical, our loss small, not only relatively to our gains, but also to our total casualties are not more than twice the number of enemy taken. One division, which had a difficult task allotted to it, took prisoners as it suffered casualties.

THE REICHTAG SESSION.

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 29.—The autumn session of the Reichstag begins to-morrow, which begins to-morrow, will be in a minor degree a legislative session. It will partake far more character of a political manifesto on the one hand, and an explanation of his conduct in the affairs; and on the other, a strong offensive from a group of warts, which for long months been fighting Bethmann's policy.

ANOTHER SUBMARINE.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph says that travellers who have from Bremen, report that a German commercial submarine was ready to sail within a month submarine is to be known as Kaiser, and it is said to be larger than the Deutschland.

REVOLUTION TO BE PROCLAIMED.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—An Athens despatch to the Agency says that a monster demonstration will be held at Mytilene to-morrow which a revolution will be proclaimed.

ASSAULTS REPEATED.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—A strong attack was made by Germans last night on the front between Thiaumont and the War Office announced that the assaults had been repulsed. Heavy losses for the Germans. Some front French batteries were bombing German positions.

BULGARIAN ATTACKS.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The repulse of four successive Bulgarian attacks on the Kaimak mountain is described in a dispatch from Serbian headquarters, dated Wednesday. The dispatch says that the Bulgarians, after receiving reinforcements of more than a regiment, yesterday, attacked the Serbian line at Kaimak mountain. In darkness they were able to reach the first line of trenches, but at daylight were repulsed. An officer who was taken prisoner, said that crossing the line between the opposing lines was walking over a field of corn.

The more you know about coffee—



The better you like - SEAL BRAND

In ½, 1 and 2 pound tins. Whole—ground—pulverized—also Fine Ground for deco-lators.