

FIFTEEN MINUTES OF RADIO EACH DAY

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POINTS TO REMEMBER.

REMEMBER THAT:

In order to obtain the best results in the use of galena as a crystal detector, it is advisable to secure a large piece of galena and break it up into smaller pieces. Each of these pieces should be tested and the one which operates most satisfactorily may be used as a standard and the sensitivity of other pieces compared with it. It is advisable to select a single transmitting station, to be used as a basis of signal strength, in order to obtain a fair comparison of the various pieces of crystal. In handling crystals, a small pair of pliers should be used to place the crystal in position, as contact with the fingers is liable to impair the sensitivity. The test buzzer, used as a means of locating the sensitive points on the crystal, is easily arranged and is an important feature of a crystal receiver, as the range over which the set will operate depends in a great measure on the adjustment of the crystal.

Regenerative receivers are super-sensitive to various forms of external electrical vibrations, in addition to those which are normally intercepted by the antenna and impressed upon the receiving set. These electrical disturbances may be due to static, to the alternating magnetic field of nearby power lines or capacity effects due to the close proximity of the hand or the body. In order to prevent these vibrations from inducing interfering currents in the receiver, the interior of the cabinet enclosing the apparatus should have a metallic lining such as copper foil or fine copper mesh. In addition, the individual circuits should be separated by a metallic surface so as to prevent inter-action between the various elements of the receiver. All sections of this metallic lining should be carefully soldered together so as to have a good electrical connection and should be grounded. This process is known as "shielding" and if properly carried out will reduce to a minimum the interference resulting from electrical disturbances which would otherwise induce currents in the receiver due to the tendency of the coils, themselves, to act as an antenna.

In radio receiving sets employing the vacuum tube, the addition of one stage of audio-frequency amplification has the effect of increasing the intensity of sound approximately four to five times their normal strength with the detector tube alone. Two stages of audio-frequency amplification produce an increase in sound intensity from sixteen to twenty-five times their normal strength. Providing that a radio signal possesses sufficient strength to operate the detector and secure proper rectification, the employment of audio-frequency amplification will increase the range of the set by rendering extremely faint signals, clearly audible. It, however, the feeble impulses of the radiated signals lack sufficient power to actuate the detector, the use of audio-frequency amplification will produce no results.

The efficiency of a standard type of "half-wave" rectifier used for converting alternating current to direct current for charging storage batteries, is approximately 75 per cent. This is due to the fact that during the half-cycle when no current is flowing through the rectifier tube, only a small amount of energy sufficient for heating the filament and exciting the transformer, is drawn from the power supply.

In a regenerative receiver the production of oscillations by the tube may be detected by placing the finger on the grid terminal of the tube. A distinct thrill will be heard in the receiving telephone when the finger touches the terminal or when it is withdrawn. The oscillating point of the tube may also be determined by increasing the regenerative coupling to the point where a sudden hissing or rushing noise is heard in the receiving telephone. (All rights reserved by United Feature Syndicate. Reproduction prohibited.)

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Ronald A. McAvity which provoked much mirth. One of the funniest items on the programme was the imposition of fines on offending members, and for composed of Judge E. J. Terry, in wig and spectacles, Prosecuting Attorney K. J. MacRae and Court Constable R. A. McAvity whose repeated and vociferous demands for "order" had a very salutary effect. The manner in which the court opened and closed was to the satisfaction of all. The verdict was as follows:—
"Miss Canada, our Queen, whose gentle ways holds all in love and loyalty today—"

LADIES' NIGHT AT THE ROTARY CLUB

18th Anniversary Celebrated
Last Night—Miss Canada
is Guest of Honor—A Delightful Evening.

A royal good time was enjoyed last evening at the Rotary Club when the members of the Rotary Club held their 18th anniversary celebration. The occasion was the eighteenth anniversary of the beginning of Rotary. The celebration took the form of a dinner and dance and was a complete success. A special committee under C. F. Wetmore had arranged an excellent programme which was greatly enjoyed by all. Miss Canada set on the right of the president of the club, Dr. J. H. Barton, and she was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. R. Blair. Other special guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Golding, Mr. and Mrs. W. Grant Smith, the former the president of the Gyro Club, and Miss Gladys Gibbon. The dinner was interspersed with songs and bits of the programme including solos by Dr. Percival Bonnell, Mrs. L. Lalachur, a reading by Miss Gladys Gibbon and a comic song by



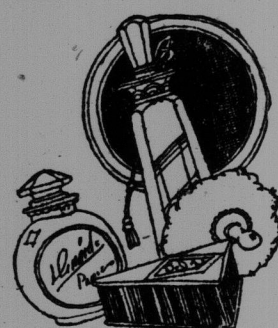
Chintz and Cretonne in yard widths for comfortable covers and drapery—five yards tonight for \$1.45.
Huckaback Towels, all pure linen and 18x34, 50c.

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Then Silvergleam at 35c—Belding's of course—a twofold yarn and silk, lustrous, soft and flexible. It gets you a dressy Hat or Sweater and Scarf on top of most anything for Summer.
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Olive Castile Soap..... 4 cakes 25c.
Olive Shampoo..... bottle 29c.
Vinolia Toilet Soap..... 4 cakes 25c.
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FUNERALS

The funeral of Henry T. Burns took place yesterday morning from his late residence, 164 Sydney street, to St. John the Baptist church for regular high mass by Rev. J. J. McDermott. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.
The funeral of Patrick McBride took place yesterday morning from the residence of his brother-in-law, Thomas Cogger, 200 Rockland Road, to

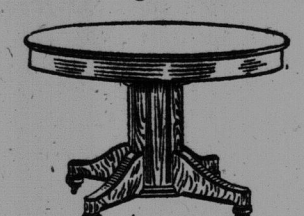
Our February Furniture Sale Ends on Wednesday

Only a matter of a few weeks now until almost every St. John home will be gone over and rearranged for the warmer months. This will bring a need for new furniture for this or that room; or for odd corners here and there.
You'll be able to save a great deal of money by planning such needs early and making purchases during this big February Furniture event.
During the next three buying days, many remarkable bargains will be found in beautiful pieces for living room, dining room, hall and bed room. The following list will give you some idea of the big savings that can be made:

Nine Piece Dining Room Suites

Notice the Big Values Offered.

Suite in Quartered Oak (old English), Mirror on buffet; and mirror in back of china closet; 45 in. round pedestal table... Sale \$218.00 suite
Suite in Walnut Finish, "Queen Anne" design. 54 in. buffet with mirror. China closet with mirror; 48 in. round table with six legs. Sale \$232.00
Suite in Golden Polished Oak. Mirror on buffet. Square table with five legs... Sale \$142.00



Two Wonderful Bargains in Beautiful Walnut Buffets

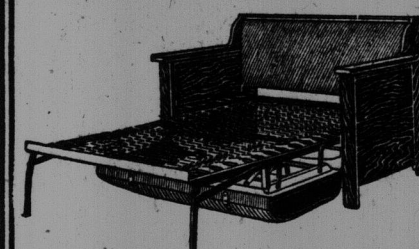
One is in "Queen Anne" design. Originally \$117.00 and \$122. Sale \$78.50
Buffets in oak and imitation oak; various finishes. Sale \$22.00 to \$63.50

One Specially Fine China Cabinet

In Mahogany, Louis XV Design. Originally \$122.75. Sale \$93.50
Others in fumed oak, walnut, mahogany and walnut. Every one bargain priced. \$29.50 to \$93.50

Large Assortment of Chairs and Settees

Prices Much Below Regular. Among them: Morris Chairs, Belgium grey Settees, Fumed oak Rockers, large Willow Settees, Willow and Rush Arm Chairs, Real Mahogany Settee, Tapestry upholstered chairs, etc.



Divanette and Two Chairs to Match

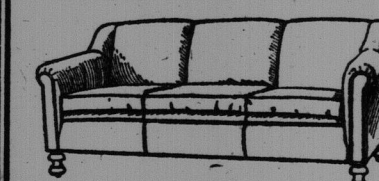
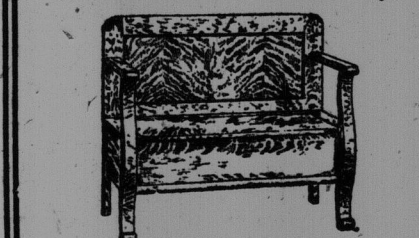
Fumed oak upholstered in leatherette. Divanette can be converted into comfortable bed. Sale \$81.50 for three pieces.

Globe-Wernicke Book Cases

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Hall Seats

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Mirrors to match. Sale prices range from \$6.00 to \$19.50. These Prices Are Exceptionally Low. (Furniture store, Market Sq.)

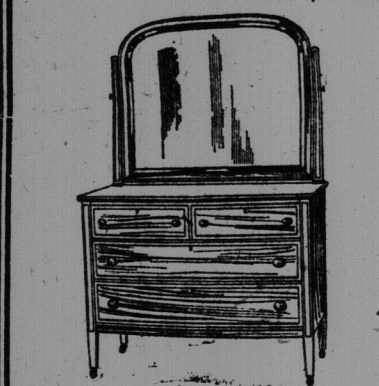


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Holy Trinity church for requiem high mass by Rev. Frank Cronin. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.
The funeral of Miss Annie Kirkpatrick took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, Bethsay. Service was conducted by Rev. Canon A. W. Daniel and interment was in the Gondola Point cemetery.
Those giving evidence were Harold M. Veomans, who witnessed the accident; Dr. C. M. Pratt, who attended the boy; Ronald Livingstone, who was sliding with him; Robert Lawson, C. P. R. gateman; Miles Ring; James Smollen, engineer of the train; W. L. Patterson, fireman; T. Logue, brakeman; W. J. Heenan, conductor in charge; Vincent Perry, engineer of the rear locomotive; and Albert Kirkpatrick, his fireman.

RECOMMEND GATE AT ACADIA STREET

Jury's Verdict at Inquest Says Death of Samuel Milber was Accidental.

That the death of little Samuel Milber, who was crushed beneath a freight train at the Acadia street crossing last Tuesday afternoon, was accidentally caused, was the verdict brought in by the jury at the inquest under Coroner H. A. Butler in the court rooms, Germain street, last night. Coupled with this was a recommendation that a permanent gateman be placed at this crossing. Details of the accident as published in the newspapers were substantially confirmed by the evidence given last night.
The juryman were: A. T. Weatherhead, foreman; William Craig, George H. McLaughlin, R. Wilmet Seely,

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