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Be Not Deceived

Putting in a New Front

Business Going on as Usual

Our Union Street Store

is being remodelled and the boxing in is to comply with the law. In another week the contractor will be able to take down the unsightly boards, but in the meantime business is going on as usual. The new spring goods are open and ready for inspection.

Waterbury & Rising Limited

FIRE INSURANCE

Losses Paid to St. John Clients Exceed One Million Dollars.

C. E. L. Jarvis & Sons

Established 1866

CHOCOLATE NUT BARS

To get the best in flavor and quality, be sure to ask for GANONG'S ALMOND, WALNUT AND FILBERT in Plain, Sweetened or Milk Chocolate, On Sale at all Retail Confectioners and Groceries

A NATION ON THE WATER WAGON

The loss of five hundred thousand men in war can be made good in less than ten years through complete abstinence from alcohol by all the inhabitants of Russia. This is not the statement of some professional temperance booster; it is the estimate of Arthur Hunter, actuary with the New York Life Insurance Company. To the Association of Life Insurance Presidents he recently read a paper based on the study of the deaths of two million policyholders during twenty-five years. This was his statement: "Total abstainers have a mortality during the working years of life of about one-half of that among those who use alcohol to the extent of at least two glasses of whiskey a day." Do facts mean anything to you? How much of your life and its energies are you cashing in for whiskey —Collier's Weekly.

Suggestive Reading

"Every time I read Shakespeare I discover some idea that hadn't struck me before."

"Yes," replied the man who yawns. "But isn't it pretty much the same with an insurance policy?"

PILES Do not suffer another day with Itching, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and is certainly cure you. 60c. a box; all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

An Interesting Collection of Diamonds

"Our Diamonds" are all of unquestionable quality, are mounted in the newest designs of settings, either in gold or platinum. They constitute a special feature of our large stock of "Fine Jewelry."

The assortment to be found here is always full of interest. The high qualities, exceptional designs and reasonable prices have attributed much in making our stock so attractive to lovers of Fine Jewelry.

We cordially invite your inspection.

Ferguson & Page

Diamond Importers and Jewelers

King Street

Extra Good Values

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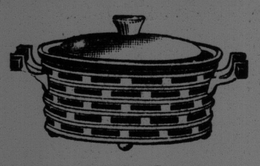
Casserole Dishes



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Pie Plates With Casserole Linings

In our Silverware Department we have placed on sale a special line of Casserole Dishes and Pie Plates with Casserole Linings, which have been priced at the exceptionally favorable figures of

$1.75 and $2.00 Each

These are of good quality, attractively designed, and will at once appeal to practical housewives, who recognize in the Casserole the most sanitary vessel in which to cook meat and other foods.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. MARKET SQUARE and KING STREET

AWFULLY ODD, YOU KNOW, BUT QUITE THE FASHION

No. Gladys dear, she did not wear her new cape veil—Dame Fashion did it for her. Just to please the young lady who goes to afternoon teas to drink tea as well as talk, some obliging deviser of fashions cut a swathe in the cape veil, and the modish young lady need no longer hunger and thirst while her less fashionable sisters sip tea.

The tea-veil is new but the apron-veil is the very last whim of fashion. It is odd, of course, some prim folks think it is freakish, but that is no good reason why the Up-to-the-Minute Miss should be prejudiced against it—quite the contrary.

NEARLY 11,000 MORE IN GOVERNMENT EMPLOY

Matter of Conservative Appointments Given Further Airing—Hon. Mr. Graham's Stirring Speech

Ottawa, March 4—Prof. Shortt's comment on political patronage evils, as exemplified in his recent remarks about 2,000 dismissals and about 10,000 appointments in three years under the present government, produced the most vigorous and illuminative debates of the session in the commons today.

Last week Hon. Robert Rogers declared that Prof. Shortt's criticism was "untrue, unfair, dishonest and dishonorable." Today Sir Wilfrid Laurier brought the matter up at the opening of the house and maintained that such a comment from a minister of the crown on the man who was the guardian of honesty and effectiveness in appointments to the civil service, deserved either substantiation or withdrawal.

The government attempted to substantiate the criticism and fell into an unexpected trap. The excuse which one minister after another gave was that Prof. Shortt had neglected to refer to resignations or other withdrawals from the civil service, and had deliberately magnified the government's offence of crowding the pay rolls.

The reply came promptly. Mr. Sinclair (Guysboro) pointed out that Dr. Shortt had very much understated the facts. Instead of there being only 10,000 appointments made during the three years there had been no fewer than 21,808. Dismissals totalled 3,957, and "resignations" 6,997. There was therefore an increase of nearly 11,000 in the number of government employes after giving the return the best face that the government could put on it. The moral as to the need of new taxes to meet extravagance was fully drawn.

Premier Borden, who spoke shortly before midnight, joined with the other ministers in lecturing Dr. Shortt, but declined to adopt the suggestion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, emphasized by W. F. Nickle, Conservative member for Kingston; Hon. Dr. Pugsley, E. M. MacDonald, and others that Prof. Shortt should either be allowed to vindicate himself or that an inquiry should be conducted.

Ottawa, March 4—Imputations that the Liberal party were not showing a sufficiently loyal spirit, and were breaking the political truce declared at the outbreak of the war by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, were hurled back at the government forces tonight with boomerang effect by Hon. George P. Graham.

"While you are crying truce," said he, "you are stabbing us in the back by circulating the most inflammable campaign literature any party ever circulated. It is bad enough for the Germans to fire on a flag of truce, but to take refuge under such a flag and then fire from that shelter on those who are acting in good faith is a far worse crime.

"If you are determined to have an election, do not do as you did in October and linger and shiver on the brink, and then draw back. Go about it in the open. We, however, intend to give you no excuse on the ground of war legislation." (Prolonged Liberal cheering).

GET RID OF HUMORS AND AVOID SICKNESS

Humors in the blood cause internal derangements that affect the whole system, as well as pimples, boils and other eruptions, and are responsible for the readiness with which many people contract disease.

For forty years Hood's Sarsaparilla has been more successful than any other medicine in expelling humors and removing their inward and outward effects. Get Hood's. No other medicine acts like it.

CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

MUCH GRATIFIED BY SUCCESS AT RIVER GLADE

Doctor Townsend Speaks of The White Plague Battle

"We have depended on St. John for most of our patients in the past, but they are beginning to come in greater numbers from other parts of the province now," said Dr. David Townsend, superintendent of the Jordan Memorial sanitarium, yesterday. "As we send patients home cured or greatly improved they act, unconsciously, as missionaries in spreading the news of what the sanitarium can do and other patients from the same neighborhood will follow.

"We have been very much gratified by the success which has marked the work so far. The conditions have proved ideal in River Glade and we try to do our part. One of the features on which we lay emphasis is the diet and the meals served there will compare favorably with any first class hotel in quality, and cooking and perhaps surpass most of them in nourishment.

"No, the diet does not consist largely of milk and eggs as many people seem to expect. With a well rounded diet this is not necessary and the meals are not such as to emphasize the fact that they are part of a hospital diet."

Dr. Townsend was here to hold the free clinic which is held in St. John on the afternoon of the first Thursday each month. This is open to any one without charge and, as it is paid for by the government, is not to be regarded as charity in any sense. The doctor wishes everyone who has any suspicion that he or she may be affected by tuberculosis to take advantage of the clinic as that is what he comes here for. It is held in the dispensary, in the water works building, corner of Leinster and Carmarthen streets.

GAS, HEARTBURN, INDIGESTION OR A SICK STOMACH

"Pape's Diapepsin" Ends all Stomach Distress in Five Minutes

Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

THIS MAN HAS TAKEN ONE OF THE HARDEST JOBS IN THE WORLD

Baron Burian

Baron Burian is the man who has assumed Austria's portfolio as minister of foreign affairs. He is a Hungarian. It is said that his appointment was caused by a feeling of revolt throughout Hungary because the army's resistance to the Russians was demoralized. This photograph was taken in Berlin, where Burian had gone for a consultation with the kaiser.

Stores Open at 9 a. m. and Close Every Day in The Week at 6 O'clock

Newest Home Beautifying Materials For Spring

Immense Assortments of Desirable House Furnishings Presenting the Most Select Offerings For The New Season

VELOURS—Beautiful, rich-appearing materials for the making of Portieres, Over-Curtains, Piano Drapes, etc. We were most fortunate in securing a large range of colorings at the outbreak of the war, and as it is impossible for us to get any more, we would suggest that you choose from this complete display now and prevent later disappointment. We offer these handsome velours in red, olive, light and dark rose, myrtle, brown, tan, blue, grey, etc. All 50 inches wide. Same old prices.....**Per yard, $1.80, $2.00, $2.25, $2.40 and $2.75**

PLAIN REPS—In all the leading shades for Portieres, Over-Curtains, Divan Rugs, etc. All 50 inches wide.....**Per yard, 95c. to $2.25**

ENGLISH CASEMENT CLOTHS—In plain shades of rose, terra, crimson, tan, olive, purple, blue, cream. A large number of these shades are guaranteed unfadable. All 50 inches wide.....**Per yard, 35c. to 65c.**

MERCERIZED POPLINS—A splendid assortment of this popular material for making curtains and lining heavy curtains, etc.; offered in rose, blue, green, old gold, etc. 50 inches wide.....**Per yard, $1.10**

TAPESTRY BORDERINGS—A large variety of floral and conventional designs for trimming Portieres, Over-Curtains, Table Covers, etc.....**Yard 17c. to 43c.**

CRETONNES—English and French makes, in a very large variety of light-weight materials for Bedroom Over-Curtains, Valances, Bed Spreads, etc.; also heavier makes suitable for covering Chairs, Lounges, Window Boxes, etc. Offered in a great range of rich and delicate shades. 31 inches wide.....**Per yard, 15c., 20c., 25c. to 90c.**

TAPESTRY COVERINGS—We have never before had such a select assortment of rich designs in this popular and serviceable material for Drawing-room, Living-room, Library and Den Furniture. All 50 inches wide.....**Per yard, 50c. to $3.75**

BROCADED SILK COVERINGS—For Drawing-room Furniture, in rose, blue, green, red, cream, etc.....**Per yard, 2.00 to $4.00**

ART SATEENS—English manufacture in beautiful designs and rich shades for recovering Down Quilts, for making Cushions, etc. 31 inches wide....**Per yard, 15c., 20c., 30c., 35c.**

ART SILKOLINES—In large variety for making up Bed Comfortables. 36 inches wide. **Yard, 18c.**

Tris is the best time of the year to have us make up all kinds of Portieres, Over-Curtains, Bed Spreads, Lambraquins, or to have Shirt Waist Boxes, Sofa Cushions or Bed Comfortables made to your order with any desired material.

Ask to see the Special M. R. A. Comfortables, very soft and warm, extra large sizes, covered with best grade of Art Silkoline.....**Each $3.25**

HOUSE FURNISHINGS DEPT.—SECOND FLOOR.

New Tapestry Rugs Without Seam

2 1-2 by 3 yards.....**Each $ 9.75** 3 by 4 yards.....**Each $15.25**
3 by 3 yards.....**Each $11.50** 3 1-2 by 4 yards.....**Each $18.00**
3 by 3 1-2 yards.....**Each $13.50**

Bright, clear colors, oriental and floral designs; great values. We are also able to furnish less expensive Tapestry Squares if desired.

CARPET DEPT.—GERMAIN STREET.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

SCHOOL FOR MOTHERS

Mabel Potter Daggett Gives Facts Regarding Schools in England

(Quoted from Pictorial Review, March 1915)

Some interesting statistics have been gathered by the Birmingham School. The average weight at one year of age for babies entered there in 1911 was 16.75 pounds. By the year 1913 the average for the babies registered had risen to 19.75 pounds. What the mother who has had first aid, is able in turn to do for her baby was exhibited at the mothercraft competition in which thirty London schools engaged. Robbie Gordon was the best baby entered. There were also interesting class competitions. All the London newspapers commented on the extraordinary ingenuity shown in the sewing competition. The first prize went to a Fullham mother for a child's coat made from an old gray skirt. The material had been steamed and pressed. It was trimmed with "revived" green velvet from an old hat, and the lining was silk from a second-hand dress bought for twopence at a jumble sale. The cookery test was the preparation of a shilling dinner for a family of five.

England's schools for mothers are doing very well. But this rearing of the children is not solely Mother's business, after all. Now the schools are cautiously reaching out for Father. There is room for improvement in his education. He is getting keen about that chart card containing the baby's record, that Mother keeps in the bureau drawer. And days when there is a baby clinic, often he hurries home from work to inquire eagerly what the baby weighs this week. On the strength of this interest, Fathers' Evenings have been begun at the Mothers' Schools. One has a Fathers' Bureau, which is announced as "a register for investigation, advice and recommendation." Gradually Father is developing a new sense of responsibility about his offspring. That cradle in which the Gordon baby sleeps before the open window, Jimmie Gordon himself made from a banana crate and lined it with muslin and fitted it with a mattress stuffed with bran, all at a cost of just eight pence. In the last mothercraft competition, a special class was arranged and fathers were offered a prize for "a contrivance for the benefit of mother or child, not to cost more than five shillings."

The first prize went to a fireman. He had made at a cost of one shilling a baby's larder with a sloping zinc roof, a movable shelf, and a muslin cover for the milk jug. The second prize was awarded for a baby's chair made from a margarin box and a broom handle at a cost of tenpence.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

PANAMA - PACIFIC EXPOSITION SAN FRANCISCO.

Tickets on Sale March 1st. to Nov. 30th. Limit Three Months

$115.70

From ST. JOHN, N. B. Going and Returning via Chicago

Going via Chicago and Returning via ancouver, or vice versa, $17.50 additional

W. B. Howard, D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

Saturday Cash Specials At Daniel's

Store Open Until 10 p. m. Saturday Evenings

CHILDREN'S SERGE DRESSES—86 Girls' All-Wool Serge Dresses, sizes four to ten years; variety of styles. Colors: Navy, cardinal and brown. Regular up to $8.50. **Saturday cash special, $1.49 each**

LADIES' DRESSES—Nine Sample Broadcloth Dresses—this season's goods; come in navy blue and black; new style skirts; imported to sell at $25.00 to $30.00 each. **Saturday cash special, $12.90 each**

WOMEN'S WATERPROOFS — Women's Good Quality Black Rubber Raincoats, most popular raglan style, high buttoned collar; all sizes up to 44 inch bust. **Saturday cash special, $4.95 each**

CHILDREN'S RAINCOATS — Girls' or Boys' Black Rubber School Raincoats; sizes six to fourteen years. **Saturday cash special, $3.95 each**

UNDERSKIRTS—Mervataff Underskirts, soft finish, new shirring and pleating; blue and black only. Regular $1.19. **Saturday cash special, 95c. each**

SATINS—Soft Finish Satin for Underskirts or Linings, in all popular colors and black, full 40 inch wide. Regular 80c. quality. **Saturday cash special, 58c. yard**

CREPE DE CHINE—Silk Crepe de Chine, 40 in. wide, for Dresses; in colors or black—great bargain. Value 85c. per yard. **Saturday cash special, 68c. yard**

MOIRE SKIRTING—40 in. Black, Silk Finish Moirette Skirtings. **Saturday cash special, Skirt length of 3 yards for 89c**

TURKISH TOWELS—White Turkish Towels, soft, for children's use; size 19 x 40. **Saturday cash special, 29c. pair**

SHEETS—Limited Quantity of Imported English, Full Bleached Sheets, strong round thread cotton; two and one-half yards long. **Saturday cash special, 69c. each**

FACE CLOTHS—Jersey Knit Face Cloths. Regular 5c. each. **Saturday cash special, 3 for 12c.**

TEA CLOTHS—Small Hemstitched Damask Tea Cloths, with colored borders; size 36 x 36 in. **Saturday cash special, 33c. each**

PILLOW SLIPS—Imported English Pillow Slips—good cotton; two and one-half inch hem; size 40, 42 or 44 inch. **Saturday cash special, 14c. each**

TABLE DAMASK—72 inch Pure White Table Damask; excellent design. Value $1.10 per yard. **Saturday cash special, 87c. yard**

SWISS FLOUNCING—27 in. Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, in dainty baby designs; very special at the price. **Saturday cash special, 29c. yard**

TORCHON LACES—A large quantity of Fine Torchon Lace, suitable for Underwear; at a remarkably low price. **Saturday cash special, 6 yards for 12c.**

STAMPED GOODS—Corset Covers, fine Nainsook, stamped. **Saturday, 23c. each**
Gowns, fine Nainsook, stamped **Saturday, 58c. each**
Stamped Linen Cushion Tops, new designs. **Saturday, 19c. each**
Stamped Monk's Cloth or Canvas Cushion Cases; green or brown. Regular 39c. **Saturday, 29c. each**

COUCH COVERING —A limited quantity, Striped Couch Covering; 50 inches wide. Regular 55c. yard. **Saturday cash special, 39c. yard**

PILLOWS —A number of Feather Bed Pillows, sanitary filled. **Saturday, 94c. pair**

WINDOW MUSLINS—White Frilled Window Muslins for Sash Curtains or for Bedroom Curtains; quantity limited to 100 yards. **Saturday cash special, 12½c. yard**

CARPET FRINGE—Green Carpet Fringe and Binding combined, four inches wide. **Saturday cash special, 12½c. yard**

WINDOW SCRIMS —In Drapery Dept., Saturday, Colored Border Window Scrims, quantity limited to 200 yards. **Saturday cash special, 5 yards, 69c.**

HAND BAGS — A special in the Popular Shaped Hand Bags, single or double straps; three-piece fittings; black only. While they last. **Saturday cash special 39c. each**

BARRETTES — Shell and Amber Brilliant Hair Barrettes, 24 settings. **Saturday cash special, 28c. each**
Amber Turban Pins. **Saturday cash special, 2 for 15c.**
Four Large Shell Hairpins, on card. **Saturday cash special, 7c. card**

NOTIONS —Housecleaning Gloves. **Saturday, 7c. pair**
Cotton Thread (black only), **2 Spools 5c.**
One dozen Tubular Boot Laces **Saturday, 8c.**
Five cent Invisible Hairpins, **Saturday, two for 5c.**
Three boxes Five-cent Hairpins.....**Saturday for 10c.**
Good Pearl Buttons, two or four holes.....**Saturday, 5c. doz.**
Three dozen Safety Pins. **Saturday for 10c.**
Three Large Silk Hair Nets, with or without elastic. **Saturday for 10c.**
Eight packages Japanned Hairpins.....**Saturday for 5c.**

A SALE OF GOOD BED COMFORTS THAT WILL ATTRACT WIDESPREAD ATTENTION ON SATURDAY—Four bales of New Bed Comforts for Saturday, selling at a remarkably low price. A factory's overmakes, in various qualities, all white filled; bought by us at a big discount to clear. Mostly large sizes, too; some are 72x78 inches. Comforts that would be regular value from $1.85 to $3.00. **Sale price, commencing Saturday $1.39 each**