

**THE REXALL STORE**

**Special Prices on Flower Seeds!**

Mixed Sweet Pea Seeds - - - 8c. Oz.  
Mixed Nasturtium Seeds - - - 7c. Oz.

THIS YEAR'S STOCK

**The Ross Drug Company, Limited**  
100 King St

**WATCH**

**For Our Opening At**  
83-85 Charlotte St.

**BOND'S**

**Extra Values In**  
**Trimmed Hats**  
**For Saturday!**

**\$1 = \$2 = \$3**  
And Upwards - Worth Double

**Marr Millinery**  
**Co., Limited**

**Ladies! Don't Miss the Greatest Opportunity Ever Offered**

We have a large stock of up-to-date costumes, all high class goods, now ready for immediate wear.

30 per cent. saved if you make your purchase on Saturday. Come and choose a costume and leave a deposit on it and get the discount.

**CALL AND INSPECT OUR STYLES AND MATERIALS**

**The American Cloak Mfg. Co.**  
32 Dock Street  
Phone Main 833

**Attractive Styles in**  
**House Dresses**  
**and Wrappers**

Well-made Dresses in neat styles, made of good quality materials in the wanted patterns and colors.

**House Dresses, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.50.**

**Wrappers - \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75**

**Women's Rain Coats, \$4.50, \$5.25, \$5.75, \$6, \$7.75, \$9.50, \$10, \$10.50.**

**Misses' Rain Coats, black rubber - \$4.50**

**S. W. McMACKIN,**  
335 Main Street

**Gilbert's Cash Specials**

14 lbs. Granulated Sugar.....	\$1.00
10 lbs. Pulverized Sugar.....	.75
5c. pkgs. Cow Soda.....	.40
10c. tin Black Knight Polish.....	.80
10c. tin Powdered Bath Brick.....	.80
10c. pkgs. Quick Tapioca.....	.80
10c. pkgs. Quick Custard.....	.80
10c. pkgs. Qu. & Chocolate.....	.80
15c. tin Soldier's Baked Beans, 12 1/2c.	
15c. tin Heinz Baked Beans, 12 1/2c.	
15c. pkgs. Potato Flour.....	12 1/2c.
12c. tin Custard Powder.....	10c.
12c. pot. McLaren's Cheese.....	10c.
1 lb. Block Pure Lard.....	16c.
25c. jar Peanut Butter.....	21c.
25c. bottle Pure Gold Vanilla.....	21c.
25c. bottle Pure Gold Lemon.....	21c.
3 pkgs. Desert Jelly.....	21c.
25c. tin Coleman Baking Powder, 21c.	
3 lbs. Mixed Laundry Starch.....	25c.

**GILBERT'S GROCERY**

**CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS**

Now is the time to fit the children with warm weather headwear.

Something cool and light is what they require.

**A Straw Hat meets the wants and makes them happy.**

**WE HAVE THEM AT**  
50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.00

**J. Grover Watts & Co.,** Hats, Caps, Gloves  
55 CHARLOTTE ST

**The Man In The Street**

Join in the Clean-up Movement.

Don't allow your reading of the war news to interfere with cleaning up the back-yard.

It's positively certain that it hasn't interfered with the women of the house in their house-cleaning endeavors.

**Spotting Notes**

Digby Couriers—There are a large number of our citizens out trout fishing this week. It is impossible to get a full list for publication.

They were all probably trying to avoid the disfigurement of housecleaning, but it is satisfactory to know that women with out the names the paper could be published.

Nearly time for the half-holidays to start!

**Partaking of Revival**

Would our staff of special "detectives" change a violation, if instead of a "Mutt and Jeff" it was a "Billie Sunday" that was sold as ice cream on the Sabbath?

We've never tried a "Billie Sunday" but presume it's of a sulphur-ious flavor.

**Prediction soldier writes from front:** "It was hell let those taking Hill 60!" Again the veracity of Sherman is sustained.

And incidentally, they probably fought like 60, but they also got the hill.

News note says that Geraldine Farrar, opera star, will get \$2 a minute through her engagement in motion pictures. Suppose this may induce alcohol-polliticians to turn their attention from army-supplies-purchasing - to the screen?

St. John housewives are finding it difficult to get mads to go to their suburban homes for the summer. Something like Hon. "Bob" Rogers and his cabinet colleagues—hard to get them to go to the country.

**Wise John!**

(Kirkland notes in Woodstock Press)  
"John Slater had a wood splinting Wednesday. Quite a number attended."

**Safety First**

In reading the news despatches from across the border, with statements that this or that man thinks the States should fight, people in St. John should remember that many who were the loudest in their patriotic talk before the war have suffered an impediment in their speech and pocket, since August 1. It may be the same in the States.

April seems to have left a few show-ers for May.

And now the civic officials are to form a union. Good business! Here's hoping the tax collectors all join and then be able to go on strike.

They say a well-known temperance man registered a mild protest against the use of his name by the ministers. Everybody knows he is not ashamed of his principles; surely it was not because he objected to the imputation that he did not know anything about mixed drinks.

Every hot meal we eat these days should be a reminder that the boys of the 89th need those field kitchens, and will need them more next winter.

A conservative provincial friendship should be regarded as a poor risk by an insurance company.

Those Germans certainly have a keen sense of humor; the murder of a baby is good for a real hearty laugh any day.

In the editor's mail the other day he found a contribution headed "Diana vs. Dash." He paused for a moment, uncertain whether it belonged with the court news or among the prize fights. But a little more careful scrutiny showed that it was only the account of a quiet but pretty wedding. Hostilities must have commenced early in that case.

**In Other Days**

Local amateurs certainly have improved since the days when the only notice one morning paper paid to a performance was the remark "Last evening a dramatic performance was given in aid of the deaf and dumb institution; the chief regret of the audience was that the production was not given by those for whose benefit it was presented."

**NO CUT IN FUND ALLOWANCE FOR THOSE WHO WORK**

**Misapprehension of Some Who Draw From Patriotic Fund in St. John is Removed—Encourage Saving**

There has been a mistaken idea among some of the soldiers' families who have been receiving contributions from the Patriotic Fund as to the basis on which the grants are made. A large number of the wives or mothers of soldiers who have been accustomed in the past to add to the family earnings by their own work because they feared that the extra revenue would be taken as an excuse for cutting down their grant.

This idea is entirely opposed to the principles under which the local committee is working. They are anxious to see the families as prosperous as possible and want to see them in receipt of not only enough money to pay their current bills but to save some money if possible. They point out that the time will come when the war will be over and the soldiers discharged and the pay and grants will cease. When the men come home it may take some time for all of them to find work and resume the earning of their living in the ordinary way.

The committee would like to see the families prepared to meet this situation with some money in the bank to tide the family over and for this reason they are encouraging those who stay at home to open savings accounts in the banks and put by as much as they can. With this idea in view they would like to encourage the home staying members of the family to earn as much for themselves as they can and the assurance has been given that no grants will be lessened because of extra money earned by members of the family.

**LOCAL NEWS**

**MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS**

Registrar J. B. Jones reports fifteen births this week, eight boys and seven girls. There were fourteen marriages.

**SIXTEEN DEATHS**

At the board of health offices this week, sixteen deaths were recorded from the following causes, three from senility, and one each from bronchitis, pneumonia, eclampsia, peritonitis, endocarditis, pulmonary tuberculosis, tubercular meningitis, Hekine disease, acute myocarditis, broncho-pneumonia, cerebral degeneration, pulmonary adenitis, and carcinoma of bowels.

**THE MARKET.**

Poultry still continues scarce in the country market, and stocks today were little better than for some weeks. Prices were high, chickens bringing 35 cents a pound, fowl 80 cents, turkeys 35. Spring lamb sold from \$1.40 to \$3.50. Eggs ranged from twenty-five to thirty-five cents, and butter from thirty to thirty-five cents.

**NEW PATRIOTIC SONG**

A new patriotic song, "The Standard of Britain," by Sergeant Charles Calvert of this city, with music by M. E. Calvert, has just been published from the press of Hickey, Royce & Co., and is for sale in the music stores, at forty cents a copy. The veteran author has already disposed of a large number of copies.

**SOME OF THOSE THERE**

Among those who participated in the entertainment at the banquet in honor of Capt. F. A. Mackenzie at Wana-maker's last evening were: Sergt. Major Bedell, Sergts. Gunn and Reid, and Privates Mellenny, Wilkes, Poole, Rankine and Gibbons.

**C.P.R. OFFICIALS VISIT**

S. L. Elliott of the Montreal office of the C.P.R. telegraphed spent yesterday here inspecting the new operating room of that company in this city. The new appliances that have been installed for the prompt handling of telegrams and cables by the clerks and operators are now working to their highest efficiency. Mr. Elliott addressed the local officials of the C.P.R. during the afternoon on simultaneous telegraphy and telephony.

**FAREWELL PRESENTATION**

Between sixty and seventy friends of Miss Amy B. Sanson gathered last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nicretted, Chesley street, to honor her prior to her departure for the west, where she will join her brothers. A pleasant time was had and best wishes were extended to Miss Sanson. She was agreeably surprised at the honor accorded her, and expressed her pleasure at the gift of a handsome leather traveling bag presented by the gathering as a token of remembrance.

**GENEROUS GIFTS**

The following generous contributions toward the fund for No. 1 General Hospital under the care of Colonel MacLaren, are gratefully acknowledged by the secretary of the St. John Ambulance Association:

From the Volunteer Chapter, I. O. D. E. \$50  
From Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hayes (sent in the Brunswick Chapter I. O. D. E.)..... 20  
Mrs. D. V. Lawson..... 25  
Mrs. T. Barclay Robinson..... 5  
Mrs. Robert Cruikshank, Sr..... 5

**FOR THE BELGIAN ORPHANS**

The following subscriptions have been received during the week by Daniel Mullin, K.C., Belgian consul, for the Belgian Orphan Fund:

Mrs. J. Roy Campbell..... \$ 1  
A Friend..... 5  
A. M. Gray and M. G. Richey..... 10  
George Lynch, Digby, N.S..... 5  
Loyalist Chapter, I. O. D. E..... 22  
Mrs. B. C. Barclay Boyd..... 1  
Richard O'Brien..... 10  
Mrs. M. Hazen..... 10  
Miss Lillian Hazen..... 5

**DIED IN WEST**

Sad news reached the city today telling of the death of a former St. John woman, Mrs. Mary J. Stephenson, widow of David M. Stephenson of Woodstock, N. B. She passed away in Rosetown, Sask., on May 13, after a lingering illness. She was well known in Woodstock where she had resided until eight years ago, although her younger days were spent in this city. George A. Earle of St. John is a brother, and Mrs. E. W. Hamilton a sister.

**BOARD OF HEALTH GIVES \$300 FOR CLEAN-UP WORK**

**M. W. Doherty Offers Use of Four Scaws For Carrying Refuse Out to Sea**

Many matters of public interest pertaining to health and sanitation were dealt with at a special meeting of the board of health yesterday afternoon, Manning W. Doherty presiding. A vote of \$300 was made to aid in the Clean-Up Day activities, and the board decided to co-operate with the Safety Department in lending whatever assistance is possible in the movement. Mr. Doherty volunteered the services of four scaws for the day or days, to carry to sea the refuse taken from about the city.

Seven inspectors were appointed to inspect the various premises about the city and Fairville John G. Cliffe, James McKinney, James Morrell, H. T. Walsh, J. H. Baisley, H. J. McElroy, and J. E. Raines. They will begin their duties next week, making a thorough round of the city.

Twelve people were refused permission to keep cows in the city. The board this year is issuing its own special tags for milk-dealers, instead of allowing them to supply them. The tags are made of metal, and are issued on the renewal of license to the dealers.

**DEATH OF BABY.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nickson, of 139 Waterloo street, will have the sympathy of many friends on the death of their year-old son, Walter Leonard, which occurred today.

**Macaulay Bros. & Co., King Street, St. John, N.B.**  
Stores Open at 8 a.m. Close 6 p.m. Open Saturday Night Till 10 O'Clock

**MEN'S DEPARTMENT**

**After Supper Sale This (Saturday) Evening**

In addition to our advertisement of last night's and this morning's papers, we have put out for sale a full range of Men's Youths' and Boys' Undershirts and Drawers.

Boys' and Youths' Natural Color Merino Shirts and Drawers at.....35c. a garment  
Boys' and Youths' Union or Combination Suit in Merino at.....50c. a suit  
Men's Merino (Natural Color) Undershirts and Drawers—34 to 46 chest measure, 50c. a garment; for all sizes up to 42, 44 1/2 inch sizes..... 60c. a garment

This will be found the best range of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Underwear ever offered at anything near the price.

See Gloves, Socks and Silk Ties and Special Linen Collar advertisement in this morning's "Telegraph" and "Standard."

**MACAULAY BROS. & CO.**

**TO THE JUNE BRIDE**  
**Remember The Kitchen is The Chief Work In The Home!**

At least one thousand meals are prepared there annually, and every meal means work on the kitchen range.

YOU want a range that is a good baker; one that is easy to operate, that gives a good amount of heat, that is smooth and easy to clean, and one that is a fuel saver.

To have all these features embodied in a range, you MUST have a

**GLENWOOD**

**D. J. BARRETT**  
155 Union Street, St. John, N. B.  
Phone M. 1545 Kitchen Furnishings  
Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings until 10 o.m.

**Sale of Ladies Suits and Coats**  
**At 25 Per Cent. Discount**

We place on sale the balance of our stock in the above lines for clearance. Pretty New York models in all the wanted styles.

Suits are made with the short jaunty coats and plain or pleated skirts. The materials are mannish serges, gabardine, poplin, coverts, etc., in navy, black, copen, sand, and black and white shepherd checks.

The coats are in the short jaunty style suitable for wear during the cool summer evenings. The plainer styles are in navy poplins and we also show a splendid range of coats in the more pronounced models in fancy weaves.

**SPECIAL:** Included in the stock are special models for stout women in sizes 39, 41, 43 in navy and black serges and poplins.

SUITS		COATS	
20.00 Suits reduced to.....	\$15.00	Coats that were \$9.45 now	\$ 7.09
25.00 Suits reduced to.....	18.75	Coats that were 12.50 now	9.38
27.00 Suits reduced to.....	20.25	Coats that were 13.50 now	10.13
30.00 Suits reduced to.....	22.50	Coats that were 14.85 now	11.14
35.00 Suits reduced to.....	26.25	Coats that were 15.50 now	11.63
44.00 Suits reduced to.....	33.00	Coats that were 20.00 now	15.00

**KING STREET COR. GERMALIN**  
**GREATER OAK HALL**  
**SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, St. John, N. B.**

**The "Dixie No Tuft"**

Stands pre-eminent as the scene of comfort and cleanliness. It has all the good points of the ordinary felt mattress—distinctive qualities which places it head and shoulders above anything else on the market.

The above cut illustrates its construction, and a glance at it will convince you of the truth of our statements. The absence of tufts does away with the hard spots, which tufting inevitably produces, and with the depressions at every tuft which are gathering places for dust, dirt and germs. Our space is too limited to describe in detail why the Dixie has twenty-five per cent. more elasticity than the tufted type, why it keeps the appearance after other mattresses have spread and sagged out of shape.

But if you will write or phone us for circular which fully describes all these points, or, better still, call and let us show you samples, we will feel sure that your next mattress purchase, and all future ones, will bear the "Dixie" trade mark.

**A. ERNEST EVERETT**  
91 CHARLOTTE STREET

**CHILDREN'S STRAWS**

At last the summer is here, and the kiddies will soon need their **STRAW HATS**. Come in and take the **ELEVATOR** to the **CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT** and you will undoubtedly find a good assortment there from which you can easily make your choice.

These Goods are of **BEST QUALITY** and **LATEST STYLES** and **SHAPES**.

THE PRICES are popular - 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Don't Forget to Call M. 558 and Have Us Call for Your Panama to be Blocked

**D. MAGEE'S SONS, LTD.** HATS CAPS 63 KING STREET