

# SPECIAL BARGAIN PROGRAMME FOR

Newly Opened.

A Fresh Supply of Hearth-rugs, Door Mats, &c.

**AXMINSTER HEARTH RUGS.**  
4 doz. Axminster Hearth Rugs, size 28 x 63; handsome new designs in Light and Dark colorings. Reg. \$2.70 each. **Thursday & Saturday \$2.30**

**COCOANUT DOOR MATS.**  
12 doz. extra fine quality Coconut Door Mats, Green and Red Wool Borders, size 12 x 29. Reg. 80c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 65c**

**ROPE MATS.**  
A brand new supply of these popular Rope Mats, Plain Centres, Red Wool Borders, size 18 x 28. Reg. 20c. each. **Thursday & Saturday 16c**

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These Bargains amply substantiate our well earned reputation for Value Giving.

## The Royal Stores Ltd.

A Great Sale of Easter Blouses.

Silk Blouses.

14 doz. Cream Japanese Silk Blouses, various stylish models, daintily trimmed with solid and eyelid embroidery, fine lace and insertion. Reg. \$1.50 each. **Thursday and Saturday \$1.20**

Black Satene and Lustre Blouses.

A large assortment of handsomely trimmed Black Satene and Lustre Blouses; many different styles; all sizes. Reg. \$1.25 each. **Thursday and Saturday \$1.02**



Fancy NECKWEAR.

A fine display of Fancy Neckwear, including White and Cream Lace and Net Collars, with and without Jabots, Silk Jabots and Oriental Lace Collars. The styles are so varied that no matter what you desire, whether it's a plain bow for your morning house dress, something more elaborate for a silk blouse, or a pretty jabot for your costume, you'll find it here. Reg. price 65c. **Thursday & Saturday 56c**

Ladies' MOTOR HATS.

**\$1.50 MOTOR HATS for 75c.**  
Great Clearance Sale of Charming Motor Hats in various pretty styles and shades. Cost or profit bears no influence on the price. These Hats must go to make room for the host of incoming Spring Hats. Many of them can be worn right into the summer. **Thursday & Saturday 75c**

Table NAPKINS.

MERCERIZED COTTON TABLE NAPKINS.  
Size 20 x 20, nicely hemmed assorted patterns. Reg. 15c. each. **Thursday & Saturday 12c**  
LINEN TABLE NAPKINS.  
All pure Linen, assorted patterns; size 22 x 22. Reg. 25c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 20c**

NEW SPRING FOOTWEAR. Now is the time to buy.

You ought to visit our Boot and Shoe Department now. Your highest expectations will be realized when you see the extensive stock of handsome Boots and Shoes that we have just opened. Even if you have no intention of buying, there's a lesson in values here that is worth walking this far to learn.

LADIES' SHOES.

200 pairs 8-strap Shoes, Patent Leather Vamps, Dull Kid Tops, Cuban Heels, medium soles; a really smart dressy Shoe. Reg. \$2.25 pair. **Thursday and Saturday \$1.10**

LADIES' BOOTS.

125 pairs Dongola Boots, Blucher and Buttoned styles, high and low heels, patent tips, easy fitting; all sizes. Reg. \$2.20 pair. **Thursday and Saturday \$1.98**

LADIES' BOOTS.

170 pairs Black Vici Kid Boots, Patent Tips, Dull Kid trimmed, Bluchers only; solid leather soles, sensible heels. Reg. \$2.70 pair. **Thursday and Saturday \$2.48**

CHILDREN'S BOOTS.

A large assortment of Boots, to fit children from 6 months to 3 years, in White, Red, Black and White Kid, Buttoned and Blucher shapes. Reg. 80c. pair. **Friday and Saturday 72c**

Interesting Items at Little Prices.

COAT BUTTONS.  
A job line of high grade Coat Buttons, Silk covered and Metal, in all the leading shades. Values to 60c. doz. **Thursday & Saturday 24c**

PERI LUSTA.  
Stout Embroidery Thread for art needlework all new shades. Special **Thursday & Saturday 7c**

DAISY WASH SILKS.  
Helding's Pure Washing Silks for Embroidery and Fancy Work; all colors. Special **Thursday & Saturday 10c**

KNITTING PINS.  
5 doz. White Bone Knitting Pins, 8 and 9 ins. long. Reg. 8c. pr. **Thursday & Saturday 6c**

MUSHROOM DARNERS.  
Polished wood, hollow handles serve as needle cases; 10 dozen only in stock. Reg. 10c. ea. **Thursday & Saturday 8c**

SAFETY PINS.  
5 gross Needle Pointed Duplex Safety Pins, 12 on a card, special for **Thursday and Saturday 4c**

CROCHETING HOOKS.  
40 doz. Improved Solid Steel Crocheting Hooks; assorted sizes. Special for **Thursday and Saturday 7c**

DRESSING COMBS.  
5 doz. only strong and useful Dressing Combs, British manufacture. Reg. 20c. each. **Thursday & Saturday 14c**

BULLDOG BUTTONS.  
The bachelor's friend. Require no sewing; pushed on in an instant. Special **Thursday & Saturday 7c**

TOILET SOAP.  
The famous "Lullaby" Toilet Soap in assorted odors. Special for **Thursday and Saturday 9c**

Stylish and Dependable Goods at Low Prices.

CUSHION COVERS.  
17 dozen Fawn Crash Linen Cushion Covers handsomely embroidered with colored Silk floral designs; size 20 x 20; frilled. Reg. 50c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 40c**

DUCHESS SETS.  
5 dozen only White Linen Duchess Sets, beautifully trimmed with Lace Insertion and Fringe, 4 pieces in the set; the longest piece is 40 inches. Reg. 80c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 62c**

LAUNDRY BAGS.  
4 dozen Fawn Crash Linen Laundry Bags, some Plain, others with pretty embroidered lettering; size 18 x 29. Reg. 40c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 32c**

LADIES' HOSE.  
240 pairs Black and Tan Cashmere Hose, Plain and Ribbed. This is a job line; extra special values. Reg. 45c. pair. **Thursday and Saturday 38c**

LADIES' HOSE.  
Another job line of Black and Tan Cashmere Hose, Plain and Assorted Ribs, Seamless Feet; values to 35 cents pair. **Thursday and Saturday 22c**

LADIES' APRONS.  
We have a splendid line of White Lawn Aprons nicely made in the most approved styles, neat Swiss Embroidery effects on Bibs and Bretelles. Regular 35 cents. **Thursday and Saturday 29c**

LADIES' OVERALLS.  
In White Lawn, Yoke trimmed with Swiss Embroidery, neat waist bands, deep founces nicely trimmed. Reg. 55c each. **Thursday and Saturday 44c**

INFANTS' BANDS.  
Practical little bands for infants, made for comfort and durability out of strong White Cotton. Reg. 35c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 30c**

RIBBONS.  
80 pieces Heavy Silk Taffeta Ribbon. Every fashionable shade is represented here, 4 and 5 inches wide. Reg. 20c. yard. **Thursday and Saturday 17c**

LADIES' KNICKERS.  
A job line of White Lawn Knickers, American make, well cut and finished with large frills, tucks and lace edging. Reg. \$1.00 pair. **Thursday and Saturday 72c**

LADIES' CORSETS.  
To have every dress looking its best their must be a perfect Corset beneath it. This week we offer a line of the well known D. & A. Corsets. It has medium bust, 4 garters, long hips. Reg. \$1.70 pair. **Thursday and Saturday 1.53**

DENT'S KID GLOVES.  
Here's a chance to obtain a pair of these splendid Gloves for Easter. They come in all colors to match costumes; perfect fitting, 2 domes. Reg. \$1.10. **Thursday & Saturday 98c**

List of Pure Groceries.

- Libby's Preserves—Fruit, Strawberry and Cherries. Reg. 50c. for 35c.
- Crosse & Blackwell's Bombay Chutney. Reg. 20c. bot. for 14c.
- Heinz India Relish. Reg. 25c. bottle for 20c.
- Armour's Tomato Bouillon. Special for 15c. per 1oz. tin.
- Heinz Tomato Chutney. Reg. 45c. bottle for 40c.
- Kola Tonic Wine. Reg. 75c. bottle for 69c.
- Sunlight Soap, 8 oz. cakes. Reg. 6c. cake for 5c.
- Armour's Vigorol Meat Extract. Reg. 40c. pk. for 35c.
- Libby's Soups—Oxtail, Mock Turtle, Chicken, etc. Reg. 12c. package for 10c.
- Compressed Ham, 1lb tins. Reg. 20c. for 15c.
- Rollad Oats, 7 lbs. for 25c.
- Choice Prunes. Reg. 12c. lb. for 10c.

Great Crockery Sale.

- Fancy China Fern Pots, large size, assorted patterns. Reg. 90c. each for 75c.
- Cut Glass Tonic Oil or Vinegar Bottles. Reg. 65c. for 55c.
- White and Gold China Egg Cups. Special, 6 for 35c.
- White and Gold China Egg Frames. 4 cup size. Reg. 45c. for 38c.
- White and Gold Meat Dish, 14 inches. Reg. 55c. ea. for 48c.
- Pyramid Fairy Lights, assorted colors. Reg. 15c. for 13c.
- Krystal Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, Glass Top. Regular 10c. each for 8c.
- Krystal Glass Oval Dishes, 8 inches. Reg. 30c. for 25c.
- Krystal Glass Lemon Dishes. Reg. 20c. for 15c.
- Krystal Sugar Dishes, Handled. Reg. 30c. for 25c.
- Stone China Willow Pattern Tea Plates, 5 inches. Special, 4 for 15c.
- Brown Earthen Flower Pots and Saucers, 6 inches. Special, each 15c.

HARDWARE! Biggest Bargains Yet.

- Enamel Soap Dishes, to hang. Reg. 14c. for 11c.
- Enamel Basin, size 12 in. Reg. 20c. for 17c.
- Enamel Foot Baths, size 14 x 20 in. Reg. \$1.75 for \$1.53
- "Holland" Shaving Brushes, Ebony Handles. Reg. 25c. for 20c. each
- Handkerchief Brush, 5 in. x 3 in. Reg. 25c. for 20c.
- Marbeline, in 5 lb. pkgs.; all colors. Reg. 25c. pkg. for 20c.
- Brushes for applying Marbeline, 3 inches wide. Reg. 18c. for 14c.
- Bissell's Ball Bearing Carpet Sweepers. Reg. \$4.25 for \$3.76
- Nickel Plated Crumb Tray and Brushes with Ebony Handles. Reg. 85c. for 71c.
- Nickel Kettles, to hold 1 gallon. Reg. \$1.75 for \$1.59
- Curtain Stretches. Reg. \$1.60 for \$1.36
- Wood Frame Wringers with 16 inch Rubber Rollers. Reg. \$2.65 for \$2.42
- Stair Plates, Nickel Finished, complete with Tacks. Reg. 18c. doz. for 14c.
- Fancy Lamp Chimneys, to fit large burner. Reg. 15c. ea. for 11c.
- Tack Pullers. Reg. 8c. each for 7c.
- Tack Hammers. Reg. 12c. each for 10c.
- Family Household Scale to weigh 25lbs. with Regulator. Reg. \$1.55 each for \$1.21
- Meat Mincers, with 4 cutters. Reg. 95c. for 82c.
- Shallow Pie Tins, 9 in., with Cutter. Reg. 9c. for 7c.

**MEN!**  
Splendid Money Saving Opportunities wait here on **Thursday and Saturday.**

GENT'S HANDKERCHIEFS.  
40 doz. White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched with 1 inch, 1 1/2 and 2 inch hem; medium size. Reg. 15c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 12c**

CUFF LINKS.  
A job line of handsome Cuff Links for Men. Rolled and Plated Gold, studded with various kinds of precious stones; strong, reliable makes; values to 40 cents pair. **Thursday and Saturday 34c**

MEN'S SHIRTS.  
An unusual offering of High Grade Shirts for Men, in Dark colors; all sizes; perfect fitting neckbands; values to \$1.00 each. **Thursday and Saturday 39c**

MEN'S HALF HOSE.  
Another large assortment to hand of Men's Worsted and Cashmere Hose, Black and Fancy Heather Mixtures; all sizes. Reg. 35c. pair. **Thursday and Saturday 29c**

MEN'S BOOTS.  
75 pairs Black Vici Kid Blucher Boots, best American make; swell toe caps, Goodyear Welts; sizes from 6 to 9. Reg. \$3.60 pair. **Thursday and Saturday 3.30**

BOYS' BOOTS.  
Here is a splendid line of Black Vici Kid Boots for Boys; sizes: 6, 7, 8 and 9; patent tip; all well cut and stoutly made. Reg. \$1.50. **Thursday and Saturday 1.25**

MEN'S REGATTA SHIRTS.  
A nice assortment of Printed Regatta Shirts with short stiff bosoms and medium cuffs; opening at back; all sizes; light and dark striped patterns. Regular \$1.30 each. **Thursday and Saturday 95c**

MEN'S HARD FELT FLATS.  
You will soon be looking for a new hat. Here's your chance. The noted "Red Cross" make. In all sizes; smart, new shapes; light weight and durable. Regular \$1.85 each. **Thursday and Saturday 1.48**

BOYS' CAPS.  
24 dozen Boys' Tweed Golf Caps. Best American manufacture; light and dark shades; sizes: 6 1/2 to 7. Reg. 25c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 19c**

## Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, March 19.  
Judgment was given to-day by the King's Bench division for Attorney General Isaacs and Postmaster General Samuel, against the French newspaper, the *Matin*, for libel, in connection with the recent contract made between the British Government and the Marconi Wireless Company. The newspaper was ordered to pay all costs. The *Matin* had imputed gross corruption to the two members of the British Cabinet in connection with alleged deals in wireless shares, but the newspaper had already withdrawn all its allegations and apologized before the suit came on. Both Cabinet ministers went on the witness stand and repudiated any connection with the market side of the Marconi contract, swearing they had never bought or sold a share in the Company concerned in the contract with the British Post Office. Isaacs, however, admitted he had made transactions in the American Marconi Company shares, six weeks after the tender for the Post Office contract had been made public. He explained that the American Company had nothing to do with the profits of the British Company, and said he had bought ten thousand American Company's shares at a premium, and had sold one thousand of them to Lloyd George and another one thousand to the Master of Elibank, who were great personal friends of his. He had sold another fifteen hundred shares, but the result of the transaction had been a financial loss to himself, to Lloyd George, and to the Master of Elibank.

LONDON, March 19.  
The Conscript question is being fought out to-day at the Kendal Parliamentary division, whose Conservative candidate, Colonel Weston, is making the chief plank of his platform compulsory military service. Col. Weston's supporters call his proposals an unlimited form of National service. His opponent's cry is "No conscription." "Strengthen our home defenses, the territorial are fifty thousand short," and "Britain expects every man to do his duty," are two of Col. Weston's placards. His Liberal opponent, Mr. Somerville, responds with "Keep our lads home; vote for Somerville." Somerville's daughter has been singing at campaign meetings topical songs, the refrain of one of which runs, "We soon will take your boys for soldiers." Britain is supposed to be watching the Kendal contest with the keenest attention, particularly as regards some form of compulsory military service.

COPENHAGEN, March 19.  
The late King George of Greece had intended to abdicate the throne and live the quiet life of a retired gentleman after the conclusion of peace, according to a letter from him received here to-day. The recipient is a high naval officer who was an intimate friend of the murdered ruler. In the letter King George expressed his joy at the success of the Greek army during the war, and the rapid and efficient re-organization of the Greek defensive forces. He told of his satisfaction at the Nation's display of confidence in the Crown Prince Constantine after his recent achievements. He said that he often had been inclined to abdicate, but would not do so during the country's unprosperous period; adding that after peace had been restored, and the jubilee of his reign celebrated, he would leave the throne to his son. He intended to live in Denmark, but would spend two months every year in Paris. Before settling down, His Majesty wished to make a tour of the world, and particularly desired to see America and visit the Panama Canal.

LONDON, March 19.  
The announcement that President Wilson and his administration had declined to request American bankers as part of the six Powers group to continue negotiations in the \$25,000,000 loan to China, has come as a great surprise to the British Government. Secretary Grey, in a reply to a question in the Commons, said the terms of the loan had the unanimous approval of the six powers interested. This reply had scarcely been in print when he news came of the decision of the American government. It is held that because of the American bankers dropping out, the loan will fall through. America holds that neither Japan nor Russia has any money to lend, and that Germany at present has nothing to spare for China.

LONDON, March 19.  
Speaking at a non-political meeting at Sheffield, Sir Robert Radford said that he had just returned from a Continental trip, during which he had talked with many people in France and Germany, who were qualified to now, and had found none of them "relished the idea of increasing the strength of military service, or of the number of those under arms. Conscription in England would seriously interfere with industrial progress."

LONDON, March 19.  
The British Army possesses the best aeroplane in the world, and has a perfected type of flying machine far superior to any in possession of other nations, according to Col. Seeley, Secretary of State for War, who caused a sensation by making this announcement to the Commons when introducing the Army Estimates to-day.

LONDON, March 19.  
A Constantinian despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., says fighting at Tebatjala continues. The Turks have advanced about three miles north of Derkas, and in the advance occupied many strategic points.

LONDON, March 19.  
The Kendal bye-election, made necessary by the death of Col. Bagot, resulted - Col. Weston, Unionist, 3,261; Somerville, Liberal, 2,660; an increased Unionist majority of 273. Weston is a Free Trader.

WINARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.