

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY--

Yerxa's News is Extraordinary

For March, 1923, we plan bigger and better business—depending upon better than usual values and improved service to develop our plans into reality.

Don't let anything prevent you from reading and taking advantage of Yerxa's advertisements daily.

The values offered are reasonable, the savings so pronounced, that it will pay to anticipate future needs.

2,500 Dozen

California Sunkist Navel Oranges

On Sale at Wonderfully Low Prices:

25c Per Dozen 30c Per Dozen
35c Per Dozen 40c Per Dozen
55c Per Dozen 60c Per Dozen

Very Special Prices by the Case. Let Us Quote You.

Heavy with juice, seedless, very sweet. Ideal oranges for any purpose. Order Sun-kist Oranges to-morrow at Yerxa's. Quality and price are unexcelled.

New-French Shelled Walnut Meats Are Down in Price.

These will be fine for the cake. They're just as taken from the shell, the whole meats, having new crop, they are sweet and fresh.

Regular 65c. Special 55c per pound

EXCEPTIONAL VALUE BROKEN WALNUTS (Large broken pieces)

44c per pound

A Saving Opportunity on Laundry Soaps

Comfort, Pearl White Naphtha and Dingman's Electric Laundry Soaps—

Always handy to have on hand, regular 80c per bar. Friday morning from 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon—

5 bars for.....25c

Extra Special Value on Shredded or Grated Coconut

Fresh shipment, special value at 29c per lb. Friday morning for two hours, selling from 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon—

Per pound.....21c

(These specials are not delivered except with other goods)

FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR 9 lbs. for \$1.00

E. D. Smith's Orange Marmalade, 4 lb. tin.....69c
Reg. 40c bottle Orange Marmalade.....33c
Reg. 15c bottle Orange Marmalade.....25c
Reg. 40c bottle Green Grape Jam.....25c
Reg. 40c bottle Crab Apple Jelly.....25c
Reg. 35c bottle Raspberry Jam.....25c
Pure Strawberry Jam, 4 lb. tin.....89c
Apple and Strawberry Jam, 4 lb. tin.....65c

BEE JELLY POWDER 5 pkgs. for 25c.

Pure Cocoa, in bulk, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Long Sugar, in bulk, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Coca Gelatine, per pkg.....15c
Minute Tapioca, 2 pkgs. for.....25c
Pure Gold Quick Pudding, tapioca, custard or chocolate, 2 pkgs. for.....25c
Lemon Pie Filling, 2 tins for.....25c

PEANUT BUTTER, per pound.....25c

New Golden Dates, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Table Figs, per lb.....25c
Cooking Figs, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Choice Prunes, per lb.....15c
Extra Large Prunes, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Reg. 15c Seeded or Seedless Raisins, 2 pkgs. for.....25c
Finest Evaporated Peaches, per lb.....25c

CHOICE LEAN ROLL BACON 29c per pound, sliced

Finest Breakfast Bacon, machine sliced, per lb.....35c
By the piece, per lb.....35c
Swift's or Davies' Pure Lard, 5 lb. pail.....63c
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Choice Ontario Cheese, fresh cut to your order, per lb.....35c
Canadian Hand-picked White Beans, per quart.....15c
Best Yellow Eye Beans, 2 qts. for.....35c

CANADIAN CHOICE PEACHES No. 2 size—4 tins for \$1.00

Del Monte Peaches, per tin.....25c
Canadian Peaches, No. 2 size, 5 tins for.....\$1.00
Canned Blueberries, per tin.....15c
Canned Plums, per tin.....15c
Canned Pumpkin, large tin.....25c
Canned Succotash, 2 tins for.....25c
Canned Tomatoes, large tin.....15c

LYNN VALLEY TOMATOES No. 2 size—2 tins for 25c

Canned Corn, 2 tins for.....25c
Macaroni, in bulk, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Corn Starch, 1 lb. pkg., 2 for.....19c
Mixed Starch, 2 lbs. for.....19c
Hankins' Cream Soda Biscuits, per lb.....15c
Fresh Ginger Snaps, per lb.....15c
Finest Malaga Grapes, per lb.....25c

NEW EVAPORATED APPLES 2 lbs. for 29c

Best Onions, 7 lbs. for.....25c
Royal Yeast, 2 pkgs. for.....15c
Gillies' Lye, per tin.....15c
Corn Syrup, 5 lb. tin.....43c
Puffed Rice Pancake Flour, per pkg.....15c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs. for.....25c

Orders delivered to Devon and Barker's Hotel every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Yerxa's

TELEPHONE 567.

In Charge of Operation of the C. N. R.



Most recent photograph of S. J. Hungerford, vice-president of the Canadian National Railways in charge of operation, and Mrs. Hungerford, Mr. Hungerford was at one time Mechanical Superintendent of the New Brunswick district of the C. P. R., with headquarters at McAdam.

Chaldeans Older Than "Tut"

CITY OF UR AS ANCIENT TO PHARAOH AS EGYPT IS TO US—NEBUCHADNEZZAR "MODERN" WHEN CHALDEANS ARE CONSIDERED—SOME FACTS ABOUT THE CHALDEANS' MODE OF LIVING—PORK AND BEER IN LIEU OF SHEKELS FOR RENTALS.

[New York Sun] Mutterings of rebellion are arising here and there against the oodles of publicity that the world has been heaving on "Tutankh-Amen." An Italian Egyptologist, Prof. Schiaparelli, is out with a volley in which he riddles Pharaoh's tomb as an archaeological treasure house, saying that its contents don't compare in antiquity or rarity with relics found in the Pyramids and elsewhere.

And the University of Pennsylvania Museum makes a bid for some of Pharaoh's limelight by announcing that its excavators in Mesopotamia, where they are working jointly with an expedition of the British Museum, have unearthed on the site of the city of "Ur" of the Chaldeans, where Abraham lived—a temple so old that it makes "Tutankh-Amen" look like a mushroom.

This temple, at which Abraham may have worshipped, may be 2,000 years older than Tut's tomb and it may be a bit more. Nobody knows when civilized man first lived in Chaldea, or where he came from. History has traced the Babylonian State back to some 5,000 years ago, and there it stops on the edge of the unknown, peering about for more uniform inscriptions.

Nebuchadnezzar a "Modern" Nebuchadnezzar, the tale of whose great eating performances used to be taught in Sunday school, made some additions and repairs to the newly discovered temple, but that was in comparatively recent times, according to Sir Frederic Kenyon, director of the British Museum, who is in this country. And the archaeologists at Ur, which is on the right bank of the Euphrates, in what Jeremiah called "the land of Babel," have warm hopes of turning up records earlier than any others in the history of mankind.

Chaldean records already unearthed are rich in allusions to a great flood covering the "face of the earth" and corresponding to the flood legends of Chinese, Central American, Hindu, and other mythologies.

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One of the numerous clay tablets in the University of Pennsylvania Museum concerns a woman, Ribatum, a priestess of the sun god. She leaves her house to a man with the special stipulation that he shall pay her not only the annual rental of three shekels of silver but also three gallons of beer.

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K. A. BARBER QUILTS CUSTOMS AT ST. JOHN

[Canadian Press by Leased Wire] St. John, N. B., Feb. 28.—Keith A. Barber, one of the most popular and best known members of the local customs staff, will sever his connection with the department today, commencing a six months' leave of absence to be followed by a superannuation at his own request. Mr. Barber has been connected with the customs shipping department for nearly 47 years and has been in the same office for that period. He followed in the footsteps of his father, whom he used to help even before his appointment to the service.

Dublin, Feb. 28.—Miss MacSwiney was released from Kilmainham prison this afternoon on the fifteenth day of her hunger strike.

The Chaldeans were so far from being cave men that they could extract the square and cube roots of numbers and deal with very small fractions, and they divided the ecliptic into degrees and made other valuable astronomical observations, including the phases of Venus, and they established a system of weights and measures, harmonized the solar and lunar years in a scientific and workable calendar, practiced a successful system of surgery and actually performed operations on the eye.

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CHATHAM BOARD OF TRADE CONVENED

Election of Officers — The Question of Hydro for Chatham Discussed

Chatham, Feb. 28.—The annual meeting of the Chatham Board of Trade held in the Town Hall was more largely attended than usual, those present being D. P. MacLachlan, secretary, D. Sadler, treasurer, W. B. Snowball, Ald. P. M. Tweedie, Geo. Watt, mayor, Merseanu, Ald. Adams, E. S. Jack, Dr. Leslie R. D. Walsh, J. S. Martin, M. L. A., Dr. Marven, Ald. Cripps, Ald. Dr. Sprout, A. C. McLean, Walker Croble, Col. McCulley, Peter Archer, A. J. Loggie and A. T. Ross.

In the absence of the president, W. B. Snowball was elected chairman.

A communication from the Grand Falls and Edmundston Boards of Trade asking the co-operation of the local Board re the development of Grand Falls by the Government and the non-renewal of franchise to the International Paper Co. called forth an interesting discussion which was taken part in by the chairman, Messrs. Merseanu, Watt, Tweedie, Cripps and others.

A resolution finally carried asking Government to take over Grand Falls power development and not to grant any further franchise when present one expires on May 1st.

A communication re the removal of 60 families from Moncton on account of C. N. R. changes was after a short discussion laid on the table.

The question of hydro for the town of Chatham was discussed at considerable length and it was shown that there could be no further development until there was further development. Mayor Merseanu had gone fully into the matter with the engineers and others who were conversant with the actual conditions and this was their verdict. He submitted a large amount of data, and gave facts and figures to substantiate his claim. Even if hydro was obtained the lowest rate quoted had been 3c. The question of hydro for the town of Chatham was discussed at considerable length and it was shown that there could be no further development until there was further development.

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Wife of Hero



Above is Mrs. T. W. Shaw, whose husband, the last survivor of the Charge of the Light Brigade, is dying in London, Ontario.

A-CLOSE ELECTION

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 28.—The civic elections in Summerside yesterday resulted in the return of W. J. Lidstone as mayor over ex-Mayor J. E. Campbell by a majority of four.

N. B. PUBLIC UTILITIES

St. John, N. B., Feb. 28.—Only matters of a routine nature were taken up at the monthly meeting of the New Brunswick public utilities commission held in the Provincial Government rooms here this morning.

POISON CANDY CHARGE

Cornwall, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the High School and Presbyterian church at Prattsburg early today with a loss of \$150,000. In the church was a costly organ, partly donated by Andrew Carnegie.

It was the time was not ripe for hydro for Chatham.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—F. M. Tweedie, Vice-Pres.—Dr. G. J. Sprout, Treasurer—D. Sadler, Secretary—D. P. MacLachlan, Council—W. F. Cassidy, J. Y. Merseanu, Hon. Robert Murray, W. B. Snowball, Geo. Watt, Jas. Nicol and J. S. Martin, M. L. A.

LADIES' COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES

Right Up-to-Date and at the Very Lowest Prices.

Special for Saturday—Club Bags at.....\$2.95 We have just received a new assortment of Homespuns, all colors. Prices.....\$1.40 to \$1.75 Ladies' Spring Coats at.....\$3.95

George R. Thompson 87 REGENT ST.

OYSTERS

FRESH RAKED \$1.20 per quart IMPERIAL LUNCH ROOMS 73 CARLETON ST. G. Fred Crowley, Prop. 489 King St. Phone 681-41.

Eggs! Eggs! Every Day the Full O-Pep Way Makes Poultry Pay Full O-Pep Laying Mash and Full O-Pep Scratch Feed will do this. In Stock—Bran, shorts, White Middling, Oil Cake Meal, Cotton Seed Meal, 43 per cent. Purina Cow Chow, Charcoal (country size), Beef Meal, Crushed Oyster Shell, Grit, Wheat, Oats, Corn & Hay Flour—in Barrels, 56 lb. Cotton Bags, and Half-barrels wood.

Clements & Peabody Prompt Delivery to Both Sides of River. 382 YORK ST. PHONE 764.

MERCEDES



ESTELLE TAYLOR AT THE CAPITOL

IN "MONTE CRISTO" MON., TUES., WED.

BARGAIN DAYS Friday and Saturday AT M. L. BLOCK'S

For this week end we are placing some seasonable lines of goods at greatly reduced prices. If you want to save money on goods as on the list below

BUY AT BLOCK'S ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MARCH 2nd and 3rd

FOOTWEAR

Men's \$1.50 Rubbers at.....\$1.25

Men's \$1.75 closed side Storm Rubbers, fits snug all around the boots, at.....\$1.39

Men's 2 and 3 buckle Gum Rubbers, worth \$3.50, going at.....\$1.98

Men's snag proof laced Gum Rubbers, regular price \$4.00, at.....\$2.95

Boys' Gum Rubbers, sizes 1 to 5, regular prices \$2.50 to \$3.00, at.....\$1.98

Smaller Boys' Gum Rubbers, size 10 to 13, regular price \$2.00, at.....\$1.45

Ladies' Rubbers (Dominion brand) best on the market, at.....95c

Men's Knee Rubber Boots, regular price \$5.50, going at.....\$3.98

Boys' Rubber Boots, sizes 1 to 5, regular price \$3.75, going at.....\$2.98

Smaller Boys' Rubber Boots, sizes 11 to 13, regular price \$3.00, going at.....\$2.48

A lot of Girls' School Boots, the best makes, real solid leather (guaranteed) sizes 11 to 2, going at, per pair.....\$2.75

A lot of Children's Boots in sizes 8 to 10, good sturdy boots, well worth \$2.50 a pair, going at.....\$1.75

MEN'S CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

A lot of Men's Blue Serge Suits, all sizes, reduced from \$25.00, to.....\$19.50

A lot of Men's Tweed Suits, regular prices \$20 to \$28.50, going at.....\$17.50

A lot of Men's Negligee Shirts, sizes 14 to 16, going at.....\$1.25

Men's Blue Overalls and Jumpers, all sizes, at per garment.....\$1.85

Men's \$1.50 Top Shirts at.....\$1.15

Men's \$1.35 Top Shirts at.....98c

Those prices are for Friday and Saturday only

M. L. BLOCK

Corner Queen and Regent streets

Fredericton, N. B.

A Globe Trotter



HENRY STEWART Seventy-two-year-old globe trotter, of San Diego, California, is now passing through Canada on his way home, after travelling 95,000 miles.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—One man was burned to death and six were injured in a fire which swept the Philadelphia Rifle Club early today. The dead man, A. S. Cheligo, a waiter, was trapped by the flames.