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ALL WINTER HATS NOW BEING CLEARED AT SACRIFICE PRICES.

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Hudson Seal, Muskrat, Pony and Raccoon Coats.

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AT BARGAIN PRICES.

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OVERCOAT THAT BOY OF YOURS—AT COST!

Yes—boys are included in the chance to get Winter Overcoats at COST PRICE. So if your boy has outgrown the coat he now wears this will be a chance to get him a brand new one at actual cost.

Or if he's not now in need of one get one a size too large and put away for next year. It will be right in time and at a saving in money that will not be available next year.

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LOBSTER

Sandwiches
—and—
Hot Coffee

Novel, delicious, popular, this combination forms one of the latest features of the winter menu at the

GARDEN CAFE — ROYAL HOTEL

A Foot Warmer for the Car Owner

In open as well as closed cars, you can always depend on having your feet warm and comfortable if you use

CLARK DOUBLE PURPOSE HEATERS FOR MOTOR CARS

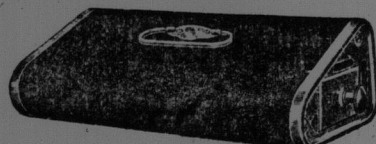
Clark Heaters guarantee comfort, are easy and quick to operate, and are unfailing in efficiency. They

KEEP PASSENGERS WARM WHILE DRIVING, AND KEEP THE ENGINE WARM WHILE STANDING

Each Brick of Clark Carbon Fuel lasts from 12 to 14 hours, and the heater can be made ready for use in five minutes. Positively safe. No Flame. No Odor. Use same heater under hood to keep engine warm while standing.

You'll find Clark Heaters in our MOTOR CAR SUPPLY DEPARTMENT—STREET FLOOR.

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Store Hours: 8.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Close at 1 p.m. Saturdays during January, February and March.

CHANGE OF TIME FOR ADVERTISERS

Advertisers are requested to submit copy to The Times business office before 2 p. m. on the day previous to publication. Advertisements received at a later hour cannot be guaranteed for following day's publication.

LOCAL NEWS

SOUTH END PEOPLE.
Attend tonight's meeting, eight o'clock, board of trade rooms, to boost boys' club for south end. All churches should be represented, and Rotary Club.

EMPRESS DUE TOMORROW
The C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Britain is expected to arrive in port tomorrow morning from Liverpool with 1091 passengers, general cargo and royal mails. Among the passengers on board are Sir George MacLaren Brown, C. P. R. representative in England, and C. P. R. J. S. Dennis, another C. P. R. official.

HAMPTON CURLERS
At a special meeting of the Hampton Curling Club on Tuesday night, at the rink, Hampton Station, T. A. Peters was elected an honorary member. On motion it was decided to send an invitation to the Sussex club to use the Hampton rink one night each week, as there is no curling rink in Sussex. It was also decided to enter two rinks in the bonspiel to be held in St. John in the near future. Dr. F. E. Smith, the president, was in the chair.

LINEN SHOWER.
Mrs. D. A. Hickey entertained on Tuesday night, at her home in Union street, about twenty-five of her friends at a linen shower in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. O'Connell, whose marriage took place recently in Bay (N.B.). Miss Florence Maher, on behalf of the gathering, presented to Mrs. O'Connell a basket full of beautiful and useful gifts. The evening was spent in the games and music, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. O'Connell was formerly Miss Pearl Hickey of this city.

SMITH-NORTON.
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper, 121 St. Patrick street, on Wednesday, Miss Rena Norton and Charles Smith, both of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Isaac Brindley, of the Tabernacle Baptist church. Miss Hazel Norton, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while George Smith, a brother of the groom, was best man. Many beautiful gifts received testified to the popularity of the young people, who have the best wishes of many friends. They will reside in St. John.

CALENDAR TIME.
A very fine calendar has been received from The Canadian Drug Co. It shows "Thoroughbreds," Edmund H. O'Shaughnessy painting of a brace of hunting dogs pointing a covey. The monthly sheets include not only the days but special world events of interest.

The Times has received from the Wilson Box Co. an attractive wall calendar with an excellent reproduction of canoeing scene painting, entitled "Anxious Moments."

Lockhart & Ritchie, insurance agents, send out a pretty calendar depicting a fox hunting scene in England.

MRS. ELIZABETH NELSON.
The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson, wife of William J. Nelson, a returned soldier, 274 Princess street, occurred last night in the General Public hospital. Mrs. Nelson, who was ill only seven days, was thirty-five years of age. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, four daughters, Lilian, Ellen, Elizabeth and Bibbie, and three sons, Frank, Fred and an infant boy. She is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Buckley, and two brothers, William and Arthur Buckley, all of this city. Another brother, Fred A., was killed in France. The funeral will be held at Saturday. Many friends will sympathize with the bereaved family.

CHARGE AGAINST A ST. JOHN MAN

Fredericton Policeman is On the Carpet—Drunkness on Duty Alleged.

Fredericton, Jan. 6.—The Fredericton police commission on Wednesday afternoon heard the evidence in support of the charge against Patrolman Ford Yerra by Chief W. H. Finley that he was intoxicated on duty on the night of December 25. The accused made a direct denial of the charge and presented a written statement from Dr. H. H. McNally that he was suffering from illness at the time intoxication is alleged. The commission decided that Dr. McNally would have to appear in person. Patrolman Yerra came here from St. John to take a position on the police force.

HARDWARE MEN ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Saint John Iron and Hardware Association was held in the board of trade rooms on January 3. Words of appreciation were spoken in reference to the work of the president, A. M. Rowan, who retired after ten years as presiding officer.

The association is in a flourishing condition and added two new members during the last year. New officers elected for 1921 are as follows: President, Stanley E. Fisher; vice-president, S. L. Emerson; secretary, Treasurer, W. S. Clark; directors, A. M. Rowan, W. H. Thorne, J. A. McAvity and M. E. Agar; executive committee, S. E. Fisher, S. L. Emerson, A. M. Rowan, J. A. McAvity, W. H. Thorne, M. E. Agar and W. S. Clark.

ASK EQUAL TAX ON U. S. TOBACCO

Blenheim, Ont., Jan. 6.—At a meeting of the tobacco growers held here last night petitions were signed asking the government to impose an American duty on tobacco coming into Canada a similar duty to that imposed by the American government on Canadian tobacco.

THE B. C. RECOUNT.

Grand Forks, B. C., Jan. 6.—Judge Brown in the judicial recount of votes cast in the provincial elections here yesterday made only some minor decisions which reduced the majority of E. C. Henniger, Liberal candidate, over John McKie, Conservative, from 9 to 6.

QUESTIONS THE STORY TOLD BY SOLDIER HERE

Victoria G. W. V. A. President Wires About Sergeant-Major A. E. Wood.

A reply received in the city this morning reveals interest in the story told by the mayor and common council by Sergeant-Major A. E. Wood. A telegram from the Victoria branch of the G. W. V. A. B. C., to the branch of that organization in this city states that a Sergeant-Major A. E. Wood is alleged to have been wearing decorations to which he was not entitled and that he is a deserter from the 280th Battalion, C. E. F. No action by any of the officials has been taken but officials are investigating.

Sergeant-Major Wood was employed with the Imperial Theatre overhauling seats but it was said today that he worked only about a half a day and this morning did not show up. His story was canvassed by some military men on account of his military career, being spread over so many years when he is comparatively a young man. He was not asked to show his discharge papers for his story that he was a winner of the V. C. was regarded as making an investigation at that time unnecessary. The only matter taken into consideration was that he was desolate and every effort was made to secure employment. The telegram received today reads as follows: Secy. G. W. V. A. St. John, N. B.

Re press despatch this date re destitution of Sergt-Major A. E. Wood, in your city, man of this description and name sentenced on December 8, 1918, to two years for desertion 280th Battalion, C. E. F., Willows Camp, Victoria, also convicted same date for wearing wounded strips and decorations to which he is not entitled. Please investigate and advise if same man.

W. G. STONE, Pres. Victoria G. W. V. A.

CONTEMPT OF COURT ALLEGED

Motion for Attachment Granted Today in Greek Schooner Case.

A case of unusual interest has arisen out of the action pending in connection with the suit of Elias and Olga Loupien against the Greek schooner "Calmeris" in that a formal motion for attachment against Ben Nempton, manager of the Robinson Clothes, Limited, was granted this morning by Chief Justice Hazen for contempt of court. The motion was made by D. Mullin, K. C., counsel for the plaintiffs. He presented an affidavit sworn to by the plaintiffs' friends in court that a subpoena had been issued calling upon Isaac Corber, an employ in the Robinson Clothes, Limited, to attend court as a witness in the admiralty suit. Corber had attended, but was wanted again. Telephone conversation had ensued and Nempton, it was alleged, had told that Corber would not be his job if he went to court and for the court to do what it liked about the matter.

When the motion was granted this morning an attachment was issued under seal of the court to the sheriff, and Nempton will be called upon to explain why he caused the subpoena to be ignored. When the matter was first mentioned yesterday the chief justice remarked that the plaintiffs' friends in court they had better tell him to appear.

The hearing of the Calmeris case was further adjourned to Friday, F. R. Taylor, K. C., for the defendant, concluded his arguments this morning.

THE SUSSEX IS ASHORE AGAIN

Vessel Which Grounded on Navy Island Bar Believed to Be Same Ship Now Ashore in Panama Canal.

Panama, Jan. 6.—Port authorities at Cristobal announce the British steamer Sussex, which went ashore near the Atlantic entrance to the Panama Canal on Monday night, is not in a dangerous position, and will probably be moved on Saturday, following the completion of repairs to her forward hold. The Sussex was bound from St. John's, Nfld., to New Zealand without passengers.

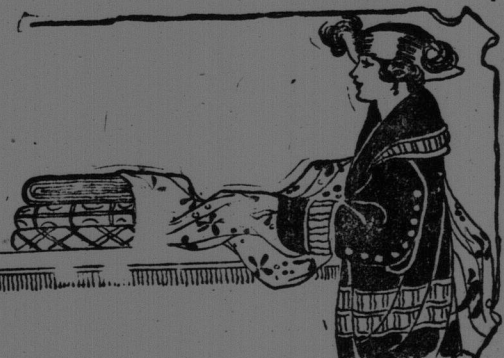
It is thought by J. T. Knight & Co. that this is the same steamer which grounded on Navy Island Bar on Dec. 23, and for which they are local agents. In conversation with a Times reporter this morning J. T. Knight said that he had no word of the recent grounding, but as the Sussex was bound for New Zealand and was scheduled to go through the Panama Canal about this date, he presumed that the ship now in trouble was the Panama Canal about this date, he on the commencement of her voyage.

BANK CLEARINGS.
The bank clearings for the week amounted to \$3,478,420, as compared with \$3,996,927 for the same period in 1920, and \$2,846,402 in 1919. Other bank clearings are as follows—Moncton, \$867,159; Halifax, \$4,521,178.

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Stores Open 9 a. m.; Close 6 p. m.

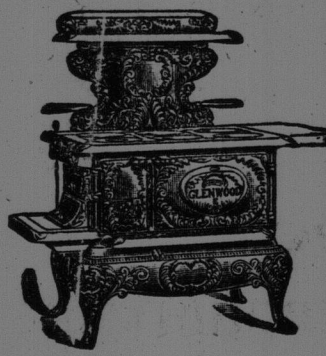
Values in Velvetens



When the quality of an article is good and the price moderate that article is good value. That is the case with these Velvetens. They are real values. Velvetens—Much in demand for Dresses or Blouses. Shown in Navy, Copen and Black. 22 inches wide. Special Value \$1.75 yard. Superfine Chiffon Finish Velvetens—Shown in black only. 27 inches wide. \$3.00 yard. Navy. 27 inches wide. \$2.75 yard. Superfine Twill Back Chiffon Finish—Shown in black only. 27 inches wide. \$3.00 yard. Cord Velvet—for ladies' skirts and boys' coats. Shown in Navy, Copen, Sand, Taupe, Silver and White. 27 inches wide. \$1.90 yard.

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that we can guarantee to be good bakers, economical and give excellent satisfaction. These Ranges have been rebuilt from Bottom to Top, and all parts renewed that were in the least defective, are guaranteed the same as our new ranges. Any one in need of a good Range will find just what they require in our assortment. These Ranges will move quickly at the prices we are asking. Select yours today.

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Unnecessary to say that a sale at Everett's means much to those desiring to buy Furniture, and for two reasons:

First: is that Everett's prices in the ordinary way are much nearer original cost than might be generally the case—hence a discount from the first price is attractive.

Secondly: that Everett has refrained from a planned system of sale featuring—hence this event will be novel so far as it concerns Everett's customers.

Stock taking finds many odd pieces that are minus the remaining pieces of a set and it is these that are mainly affected by the sale.

Practically all departments are included—bedroom, kitchen, dining room, living room—etc.; so those who want to add an odd piece here and there are fortunate because of this sale; so also are those about to start a new home.

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