

Passing of a Pioneer.

BELL ISLAND, Feb. 23.—There passed away, on Monday, Charles Dwyer, aged 75 years, one of the pioneers and one of a large family of brothers and sisters. Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated this morning by his nephew, Rev. Fr. McGeehan, assisted by Rev. Fr. McGrath and Rev. Fr. Deacon and sub-deacon respectively. Father Rawlins assisted at the choir.—R.I.P.

Big Game To-Night.

CHAMPIONS VS. ST. BON'S. Although the Feldians are now the champions, great excitement is being centred in the game between the 1922 champs and the St. Bon's, which will be played to-night. The combination of both these teams is good, and their individual work is good, and the chief cause of the interest manifested in this game is the spirit of rivalry which has existed since the players on both sides were playing against one another in the Inter-Collegiate series. The game will be down in full strength to-night and it is not likely that spectators of a good game will be disappointed.

C.C.C. DANCE Kindly remember the total receipts go towards the Band's upkeep and Hall rent; therefore show your appreciation by attending in large numbers: when you get there the two Orchestras will do the best.—Feb. 24, 11.

Eddie McGinley Lands the Laughs.

Eddie McGinley is becoming more and more popular each night at the Casino Theatre. Last evening he had an audience rocking in their seats with merriment with his characteristic impersonations, songs and funny stories. He took his audience by surprise by springing a few unexpected jokes. Tonight, however, he will introduce a partner, who is none other than the well known local Paddy, Harold Cole. The show will appear in a diversity of fun, entitled "A Lesson in Concentration." This is a roar from start to finish. He's got Hughie Mack beaten to a frazzle and is right there with the goods. Here is a great combination of Paddy Cole and Eddie McGinley appearing together—come prepared for a good laugh, because you're sure to get it.

C.C.C. DANCE — Tickets are now on sale at the following places: Royal Stationery, G. J. Barnes Bookstore, Parker & Harro, east and west, Tom Bennett's Barber Shop, Blue Bird, O'Mara's and Peddler's Drug Stores, Hutton's, etc. Trainers and members of the "Clover" Athletic Ladies' Club. Gents' \$1.00, Ladies' 50c. —Feb. 24, 11.

Another Splendid Program at the Nickel.

Patrons will hear a choice programme of their most popular selections to-night when Miss Ruth will sing "Good-bye" and "I Hear You Calling Me." The picture attraction is a Vitaphone special, featuring Antonio Moreno, entitled "Seven Years." One of the most expensive casts ever assembled for a picture production was engaged to support the star in this picture, an immense dramatic photoplay of love, adventure, mystery and thrills. There were several scenes in the production which require over a hundred players. Part of the action was filmed at the Arizona state penitentiary at Florence, Arizona officials and the governors of the state were so impressed with the picture and the message it conveys that they allowed the prisoners to take part in the photoplay. The current "Seven Years" is the "King of the Pictures" to be shown.

C.C.C. DANCE—Special attraction; hear The "Majestic" Orchestra, 6 instruments, the very latest Fox Trots, One step, etc. at the C.C.C. Dance every night.—Feb. 24, 11.

Athletic Meeting.

OFFICERS ELECTED. A large number of members attended the meeting of the B.L.S. Athletic Association last night. The officers for the coming season were elected as follows:

President—W. J. Higgins.
Vice-President—H. Phelan.
Secretary—D. J. French.
Treasurer—A. D. Dye.

Great enthusiasm prevailed amongst the members of the Association, and they promise to be a most successful one from the point of view of the Association.

The Coughs or Colds take the Phorone, it will

All Furs at Clearance Prices



Economy Chances for the Careful Housewife

Cotton Blankets.

Finest Californian Cotton, smooth soft finish, Pink and Blue borders.
Sizes 50 x 72. Reg. \$2.80 pair for \$2.52
Sizes 60 x 76. Reg. \$3.40 pair for \$3.06

Art Satens.

30 inches wide, Satin finished Cloths in assorted patterns; handsome floral designs. Reg. \$1.00 yard for 60c.

Stair Oil Cloth.

White Duck back, pebble finished Oil Cloth, soft, pliable quality, 18 inches wide. Reg. 47c. yard for 42c.

Colored Table Cloths.

Red and Green Damask Cloths in assorted fancy designs, 18" in the lot; size 2 yards; fringed ends. Reg. \$6.75 each. Sale Price \$3.40 each.

Lace Curtains.

Finest American make, fine net back ground with handsome floral borders; 3 yards long. Regular \$6.00 pair. Sale Price \$5.15

Cushion Covers.

Fawn Crash Linen, with fancy embroidered centres and wide hemstitched borders; sizes 24 x 24. Reg. \$1.80 each for \$1.20

Tea Cloths.

In Brown Crash Linen, with fancy colored embroidered corners; hemstitched borders; size 32 x 32. Reg. \$2.20 each for \$1.45

Dressmaking Helps

SEWING COTTON—Black or White; 200 yard reels Special each 9c.
SEWING NEEDLES—Assorted sizes; 25 in a pkt. Special per 7c.
INDIA TAPES—Black or White Cotton Tapes, all widths. Special ea. 6c.
CELLULOID THIMBLES—Pink, White or Blue. Special each 7c.
CELLULOID DRESS BUCKLES—Assorted shapes and colors. Special 10c.

DRESS FASTENERS—Black or White; assorted sizes. Special per dozen 5c.
HOOKS AND EYES—Black or White, rustproof; assorted sizes; 2 dozen on card. Special 5c.
SKIRT BELTING—2 inches wide. Special per yard 29c.
Special per yard 34c.
NICKEL PLATED STEEL PINS—Best quality; Special per box 20c.

A Great Pile of Men's Shirts To Clear

FLANNELLETTES—With collar attached; fancy stripes; all sizes. Regular \$2.50 each for \$1.10
KHAKI SHIRTS—Strong Cotton, double stitched ends; collar attached; large sizes. Reg. \$1.80 ea. for \$1.65
BLUE DENIM SHIRTS—Heavy quality, with collar and pocket; all sizes. Regular \$1.80 ea. for \$1.63
BLUE COTTON SHIRTS—Plain and striped patterns; buttons that won't come off; all sizes. Reg. \$1.80 each for \$1.65
REGATTA SHIRTS—Light grounds with striped patterns; extra large sizes. Regular \$3.20 ea. for \$1.73
MEN'S SILK TIES—Wide flowing ends; assorted fancy designs. Reg. \$1.60 each for \$1.35
MEN'S BRACES—President make. Reg. 75c. pair for 68c.
MEN'S SOCKS—All Wool fingerings; Black. Reg. 65c. pair for 59c.
HEATHER SOCKS—All Wool. Reg. \$1.80 pair for \$1.00

THE ANNUAL FEBRUARY SALES

Only 4 More Days in Which to Take Advantage of These Great Money-Saving Events

All through the month the Royal Stores have been daily crowded with keen and thrifty shoppers, all eagerly sharing in the multitude of unusual bargains. Newly arrived shipments of Spring Goods are daily placed on the bargain counters, marked at the prevailing low Sale Prices. The Sales terminate on Tuesday, the last of the month.

Black Sealettes

Figured.	Plain.
48 in. wide. Regular \$16.50 yard.	48 in. wide. Reg. \$14.00 yard.
Sale Price \$8.25	Sale Price \$11.65
48 in. wide. Regular \$18.00 yard.	48 in. wide. Reg. \$17.00 yard.
Sale Price \$9.00	Sale Price \$14.40

Black Cashmere Hose

Women's Hose.	Children's Hose.
10 dozen pairs all Wool Cashmere Hose, sizes 9 and 9½; perfectly seamless, spliced feet. Regular 95c. pair. Sale 82c.	6 dozen pairs all Wool Hose, guaranteed fast black dyes, size 5 only; extra strong, hard wearing quality. Reg. 75c. pr. 63c.

A Clearance of Coats & Dresses

Alert at all times to take the fullest advantage of special values and conditions, many of our keen patrons have secured wonderful bargains during this sale of Coats and Dresses. There are still plenty of models to choose from. Every garment is offered at rock-bottom prices, as we do not intend carrying them over to another season.



Early Spring Coats.

In Tweeds, heavy Serge and Velours; assorted styles.
Regular \$21.00 each for \$15.50
Regular \$22.50 each for \$16.00
Regular \$32.50 each for \$23.00
Regular \$35.00 each for \$25.00
Regular \$45.00 each for \$32.50
Regular \$57.50 each for \$35.75

Women's Black Coats.

In Serge, Cloth and Gaberdine.
Regular \$ 8.50 each for \$ 3.50
Regular \$13.50 each for \$13.50
Regular \$24.50 each for \$16.25
Regular \$38.50 each for \$19.00
Regular \$44.00 each for \$21.75
Regular \$20.00 each for \$22.50
Regular \$34.00 each for \$25.50

Women's Coats.

Heavy Ulsters in Tweeds of assorted designs and colors.
Regular \$17.00 each for \$13.00
Regular \$37.50 each for \$20.00

Smart Dresses.

In a variety of materials and styles.

Colored.
Regular \$28.00 each for \$22.40
Regular \$12.00 each for \$ 9.60
Regular \$33.00 each for \$26.40
Regular \$60.00 each for \$30.00
Regular \$67.00 each for \$33.50
Regular \$85.00 each for \$42.75

Black.

Regular \$47.50 each for \$28.75
Regular \$15.00 each for \$12.00
Regular \$42.50 each for \$28.25
Regular \$60.00 each for \$30.00
Regular \$72.50 each for \$38.75

Women's Costumes.

In Colored Serge and Gaberdines.
Regular \$47.50 each for \$35.00
Regular \$55.00 each for \$40.00

Black Caracul Coats.

Up-to-date models; a limited supply only.
Regular \$36.50 each for \$18.25



Good Values in Underskirts

Black Moire Underskirts.

Medium sizes, fitted band at waist; finished with wide flounces. Reg. \$2.50 each Sale Price \$1.50

Flannelette Underskirts.

In Cream only; white cotton hipper bands, scalloped edge flounces. Reg. \$1.50 each Sale Price \$1.00

Fleece Lined Pants.

White Jersey knit, ankle length, open styles; sizes 40 to 44 in. Reg. \$1.30 pair for \$1.17

Black Sateen Aprons.

Without bibs, neat styles; fitted waistband and pocket. Reg. 75c. \$1.50 each. Sale Price 75c.

Fancy Wool Scarves.

Size 10 x 70 inches, fringed ends; shades of Coral, Rose and Emerald. Regular \$3.50 each. Sale Price \$2.40

Linoleums, Canvases and Carpet Squares

A Truly Wonderful Stock

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Low Prices



Get what you need for Spring NOW

Floor Canvases.

New Floral and Tile designs in assorted handsome colorings.

2 yards wide. Reg. \$1.80 yard for \$1.02
2 yards wide. Reg. \$2.00 yard for \$1.50
2 yards wide. Reg. \$2.65 yard for \$2.39
2 yards wide. Reg. \$2.95 yard for \$2.66
2 yards wide. Reg. \$3.45 yard for \$3.10

Inlaid Linoleums.

Floral and Tile designs.
2 yards wide. Reg. \$6.00 yard for \$5.40
2 yards wide. Reg. \$6.25 yard for \$5.65
2 yards wide. Reg. \$7.50 yard for \$6.75

Carpet Squares.

The assortment includes such popular makes as Wilton, Tapestry and Brussels.

Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$25.00 each. \$21.40
Sale Price \$29.40
Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$33.00 each. \$33.00
Sale Price \$36.45
Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$42.00 each. \$36.45
Sale Price \$57.75
Size 9 x 12. Reg. \$77.00 each. \$68.28
Sale Price \$68.28

Stair Carpets.

Assorted weaves and colorings.

18 inches wide. Reg. \$1.75 yard for \$1.49
18 inches wide. Reg. \$2.00 yard for \$1.62
22½ inches wide. Reg. \$2.20 yard for \$1.76
22½ inches wide. Reg. \$2.75 yard for \$2.30
27 inches wide. Reg. \$2.50 yard for \$2.16

Stair Canvases.

22 inches wide. Reg. 70c. yard for 68c.
27 inches wide. Reg. 75c. yard for 68c.
36 inches wide. Reg. 80c. yard for 72c.

Stair Druggets.

18 inches wide. Reg. 40c. yard for 36c.
22 inches wide. Reg. 70c. yard for 68c.

500 Yards White Lawn at 25c yard

Pure White Lawn in ends averaging from 2 to 5 yards long; 36 inches wide; fine linen finish; worth 40c. yard.

Wrapper Flannel.

27 inches wide, soft, Elderdown Cotton in an assortment of desirable colors and with check patterns. Reg. 80c. yard. Sale Price 69c.

Blouse Flannelette.

27 inches wide; handsome Oriental designs in assorted colors; Crepe finished Cotton Flannelettes, ideal material for Dressing Jackets, Over Blouses, etc. Reg. 65c. yard. Sale Price 55c.

Glove Bargains for all the Family

DENTS GLOVES—Shades of Tan, heavy wool lined; sizes 6 to 7½; 2 dome fasteners; Regular \$4.50 pair for \$3.78
FABRIC GLOVES—Women's Suede finish Gloves in shades of Champagne, Brown, Black and White; 2 dome fasteners. Reg. \$1.80 pair for 95c.
MEN'S WOOL GLOVES—Assorted heavy knit Gloves. Reg. \$1.60 and \$4.70 values. Selling for 60c.
CHILD'S JERSEY LEGGINGS—In Crimson, Cream and White; 3 sizes, 5 buttons. Regular \$1.20 pair for \$1.00

Natural Shantungs

34 inches wide, smooth finish, free from dressing.
Reg. \$1.25 yard for \$1.05
Reg. \$1.75 yard for \$1.47
Reg. \$2.20 yard for \$1.90

Figured Voiles.

38 inches wide; dark grounds, with dainty designs in assorted colors. Reg. 45c. yard for 39c.



Smart Blouses

Jap Silk Blouses. White only; sizes 36 to 40; roll collar trimmed with silk braid. Reg. \$7.00 each for \$5.78
Georgette Blouses. V neck, with smart collar, finished with silk embroidery and beads; Black only. Regular \$12.50 each for \$5.50
Muslin Collars. In White Organdie, roll and round styles. Regular 90c. each for 35c.
Neck Frilling. 4 inches wide; White and Cream Lace for neck or sleeves. Reg. 90c. yard for 75c.
Shell Barrettes. 3 inches long; assorted pretty styles. Regular 45c. each for 38c.
Hand Bags. Small Leather Bags in Navy, Brown, Grey and Black, fitted with mirror. Reg. \$6.40 each for \$4.50

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