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of the expenditures in with the Agriculture and Department, Model Farm and Prop account as published and the scandals in connection with have aroused public opinion so that even strongest supporters Government are loud in their dations of the perpetraters and who by their silence encouraged same or are associated in any way he questionable methods em-

1922-23 loan seems to have been main target on which the Hon. Campbell centered his attention so that this loan which is the ever secured in the history of colony is completely exhausted if anything a deficit of some ands is now recorded by the Dement of Finance.

the loan account of 1922-23 608.52 was given out and charg-Able Bodied Relief, whilst \$258, was expended from the same v the Public Works Department repair of Roads and Bridges, \$149,677.88 was voted Deer Lake, and Colinet Roads and \$450,-33 was allocated by a Minute in der as relief work.

av after day the list is growing no let up. Millions of dollars voted by the legislature are turnver to defeated candidates to dis-# as they may deem desirable ist the people must grin and bear pay the price. To all appearances ooks as though one was trying to

sale of Government splits of during the three weeks before reneral election is only a myth with the many scandals alalluded to and others to follow. splits cost the taxpayers thouof dollars and when sold by pubetion netted \$104 and to add to al a great portion of this sum is up to pit prop account.

continuation of the detailed ment of expenditure for year ed June 30th, 1923, under head rtment of Agriculture and Mines ecount of pit props account, the as published on Tuesday for

From the statements of August and tember we read the same names d same amounts with many inases and additional charges.

gust like July and others to folecords a H. W. Baird with \$200,months salary and \$300.00 ex-For this month J. F. Downey redited with \$120.00, K. Ruby

mia, Ferryland Bridge ..\$3,000.00 dyear. pulpwood 3.417.00 929.50 urran. wages 2,600.00 A. Strong 2,471.62. ryant 1,771.35 2,587.03

. House & Co. 387.00 tition of each and every month tile the money lasted. The second me on the list for September is C. fant, who is down for \$1,155.45. On 8th of the same month he was \$222.80. Three days later he rered another \$1,398.60 and four days

is credited with \$798.90. Downey 120.00 James 130.00 Nolan 202.00 James 40.00 Curran, salary , 400.00 oodyear, salary 400.00 Winsor 2,127.54 Woodman 3,396.34 H. Baird, salary and expen-J. Wadden 121.00 Goodyear, wages 1,000.00

n Rossiter 233.00 ford & Son 256.94 Downey 140.00 Ruby 437.27 Bryant 3,136.23 G. House & Co. 619.76 Cab hire and sundries bringing up total for the month of September

> The directors of a well known city impany which furnished a public tility are now in a dilemma as to the eneral management of the concern, ad unless a settlement is arrived at the shareholders at a special mestas the majority of those on the Board Directors will resign. The chief difculty appears to be that one of the Acials of the Board who enjoys a crative position in the Civil Serce receives yearly a big salary from Company referred to and the dirstors are endeavoring to appoint an deial who can devote his entire time attending to the Company's busi-

> coording to an advertisement in e Canadian papers our railway is operated by a Commission known the Newfoundland Government. liway Commission. The attention



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CREPE PAPER TABLE COVERS

Plain White; size 61 x 84. 27c.

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Decorated with assorted designs, size 63 x 84. Special 37c.

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dozen
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in package. Special per 12c.

package
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WOOD SKIVVERS—All sizes. 32c.

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tles Special each ... 17c. BRUSHES—Metallic 17c.

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CERTIFIED WITCH HAZEL and

ALMOND CREAM - Delightful

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In White and Cream, 2½ and 3 yards long; splendid new designs, in

great variety. Reg. \$3.00 \$2.70 pair. Sale Price

Made of fine White Linen, hem-

size 32 x 32. Reg. 90c. each. 75c.

Made from heavy toweling, all

White with fringed ends; size 20 x

42. Reg. 35c. each. Sale 30c.

Size 14 x 31, strong towelling with Red stripes and fringed ends. Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price 21c.

In assorted patterns.

15 inches wide. Reg. 24c. yd. for 21c.
18 inches wide. Reg. 30c. yd. for 27c.
18 inches wide. Reg. 55c. yd. for 49c.

Tinted Crash Linen Cushions; size 18 x 23. Reg. 40c. each 34c.

Showroom

Specials

Assorted colours. Special 9c.

Round style with lace in-sertion. Reg. 60c. each for 54c.

Size 14 x 54, fancy colored stripes, knotted fringed ends. Reg. \$5.75

In all popular colors, close 29c. atting. Special each Three Flowers" Toilet Sets

Regular 50c. each for 44c.

Muslin Handkerchiefs.

Knitted Silk Scarves.

\$6.25 each for

Net Collars.

Smart Veils.

White Turkish Towels.

Blay Turkish Towels.

Oil Baize (for stairs)

Stamped Cushions.

Lace Curtains.

Tea Cloths.

mic. Special per tin TALCUM POWDER—Vinolia,

Aluminum. Special each

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Take Advantage of These VACATION Sales at the Royal Stores

Many items are needed to complete your Holiday outfit. Every form of outdoor activity is provided for with serviceable merchandise at this Store. You will certainly be right in entrusting to us the supplying of your Holiday needs. Here are some values offered at Special Prices.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Colored Shantung

Fabrics, 34 inches wide, high-grade Shan-Natural, Pink, Saxe, Lavender, Navy, Henna, Brown and Grey. Special par year

Great Offers in

Summer Footwear

Women's Canvas Shoes. Misses Canvas Shoes.

White Wash. Suits

for Sports Wear

Men's Wearables

at Small Cost

Pure Silk Socks in Tan, Black Boys' College Belts.

Percale Shirts.

Boys' Shirtwaists.

Light Grey Trousers

smartly cut Pants in Light Grey Tweeds, cuff bottoms, neat

buckled belt at waist; all sizes.

Another shipment of these garments has just arrived;

each for

Reg. 65c. pair for ... 58c. Black Rubber with Gilt Reg. \$1.10 pair for ... 95c. les. Regular 30c. each Reg. \$1.30 pair for ... \$1.18

40 pairs of White Shoes, sizes

11 to 2, all fitted with rubber

Reg. \$2.45 pair for \$2.20

Reg. \$2.70 pair for \$2.43

Mahogany shades, all Leather,

Sizes 6 to 8.

Special per pair \$1.50

Sizes 9 to 11.

Sizes 12 to 2.

Special per pair \$2.00

In Dark Brown Vici Kid, Light

Childs' Sandals.

Men's Oxfords.

White Jean Skirts.

Reg. \$3.85 each ... \$3.25 Selling For

Reg. \$5.00 each ... \$4.25

Reg. \$7.75 each \$6.60

Boys' Linen Hats.

Made of Percale and Cotton Crepe, soft bosom, double cuffs; sizes 14 to 16½, as-

sorted stripes. Regular \$2.75 \$2.43

In Deep Cream or Shantung shades,

double cuffs and attached collar, sizes 14½ to 16½. Regular \$1.75 \$1.55

For boys of 10 to 15. Reg. 90c. 84c.

Luster Jackets.

Sizes 36, 38 and 40 in-

ches, Light and Dark col-

Reg. \$3.50 ea. for .. \$3.00

Reg. \$4.25 ea. for ..\$3.60 Reg. \$5.50 ea. for ..\$4.50

Assorted striped and Check de-

signs, all sizes. Reg. 69c.

Black Rubber with Gilt Buck-les. Regular 30c. each 25c.

100 pairs only, in White Can-

vas Shoes, with Leather soles

and heels, Strap, Lace and "Sal-

ly" Pump styles, sizes 3 to 8. Regular \$2.50 pair \$1.50

Shoes, in Lace and Strap styles.

assorted sizes. Reg. \$1.94

Oxfords in White, Black and

Oxfords in write, Date Tan, sizes 11 to 2. Reg. 90c.

Women's Tan Oxfords.

40 pairs in the 10t, Simular Brogue Shoes, sizes 2½ to 7. Regular \$5.25 pair \$4.75 40 pairs in the lot, smart Tan

Strong Leather Shoes in Tan shades, solid Leather soles and heels, sizes 4 to 5½ sq.70 only. Special per pair

Boys' Sandals.

White Pique Skirts.

Reg. \$4.25 each

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Men's Socks.

and White.

Reg. \$3.25 each ... \$2.69

In Dark Tan Lisle Thread.

Reg. 45c. pair for 38c.

Misses' Tennis Shoes.

pairs of White Canvas

White Piques An exceptionally fine offer of White Pique by the yard, 27 inches wide, fine and medium cord. Reg 45c. 40c. Dainty Figured Voiles.

Exquisite New **Blouses**

A display of interesting Blouses, smart, practical New models, which will delight you to inspect, all of-fered at Special Prices Friday and Saturday.

Voile Blouses. Neat Striped design in White, sizes 36 to 44, long sleeves and Peter Pan Collars of fancy muslin. Reg. \$3.25 each \$2.70 Voile Smoks. In Sheer White Voile, half

sleeves, round neck, neat Pin tucks, Hemstitching and Em-Regular \$2.50 each \$1.90 broidery designs, sizes 36 to 44. Wool Sweater Coats. In shades of Rose and Beaver. trimmed with contrasting colors,

Silk Overblouses: In White Jap Silk, long sleeves, finished with Hemstitched and Embroidered fronts. Regular \$3.50 each \$2.95

Silk Shirt Waists. In White Jap Silk of heavy quality, sizes 15, 15½ and 16 in., adjustable collar, Tailored models. Reg. \$9.50 each \$7.80

Wool Slipons. In shades of Saxe, Beaver, Henna, Rose & Navy Reg. \$3.00 each for ... \$2.68

Children's Wear



Childs' Rompers. Plain and Striped Cotton Rompers in assorted colors, Peter Pan collar, Breast pocket and belt, elastic at knee, to fit children of 2 to 6 years. 75c. Reg. 85c. each for DC.
Another line of slightly better quality. Reg. \$1.00 88c. Women's Summer Vests

White Jersey Knit Cotton, Strap shoulder, trimmed with Lace, sizes 36 to 38 in. 36c. Misses' Hats. White Imitation Panama Hats

with Black or colored bands. Reg. \$2.00 each for\$1.68

Infants' Pelisses. Dainty White Pelisses, nicely trimmed with fancy braiding and Silk Embroidery. Reg. \$4.25 each

Sale Price Children's Pants. Well cut Pants made of Fine White Shirting, finished with tucks and narrow embroidery, to fit girls of 4 to 12 years. Reg. per pair 35c. ... 29c.

Women's Summer Pants Very fine Jersey Knit Cotton Pants in White, both styles, lace trimming at knee, size 36 to 38 inches. Reg. 65c. pair 57c.

Summer Hosiery



The warm weather calls for light-weight Stockings. In fact no holiday is complete without a good supply of light weight Hose. You will find these prices very reasonable.

Over 100 pairs of slightly imperfect Silk Hose, in Black only, Special per pair

28c. Women's Cotton Hose. In shades of Brown, and in Black, strongly made, guaran-teed Fast Dyes, seamless feet, Garter Tops, sizes 9 and 91/2 and

Children's Cotton Hose. Made of very strong Knit Cotguaranteed to withstand hard wear. In Black only. Sizes 1, 2, and 3. Reg. 45c. pair for 39c. Sizes 4, 5 and 6. Boys' Cricket Pants.

Short Pants in Cream Flan-For boys of 8 to 12 years. Reg. \$1.55 pair for \$1.40

Boys' Wash Suits

The ROYAL STORES, Limited

f the members of the Opposition i called to same for the purpose of asking who are the Con appointed and the salaries

Clippings From the Syren and Shipping.

In our issue of June 18 a Sydney correspondent drew attention to the presence in the port of Newcastle (N. S.W.) of the one-time well-known Devitt and Moore sailing-ship Der-went, 1.700 tons register, which was loading a cargo of coal for the West Coast of South America. We have since then seen a copy of a letter from the master of the ship, now under the Norwegian flag, which is scarcely encouraging to those who hope that there is yet a lease of life for the windjammer in certain trades. Evidently Newcastle-in years gone by much frequented by sailing-ships -is now no longer a paradise for them. The Derwent, which had come in ballast from South Africa, loaded 2,800 tons of coal, the freight for which was 15s. 6d. per ton, making a total of £2,170. Here, however, is what the ship had to pay at New-

Towage in and out at 2s. per ton Tugs for shifting (employment five times at Pilotage in and out at 4d. Pilots' fees for five shifts in harbor at £3 10 0 0 Commonwealth Gov. dues 83 10 0 State harbor and light dues 28 10 0 Tonnage dues 44 0 0 Wharfage ... Commonwealth Government income-tax 40 0 0 Fumigation of ship 20 0 0 Discharge of 800 tons ballast at 7s. per ton 280 0 Removing 2,800 tons of coal at 1s. 8d. per ton 175 0 0 Use of buoys 12 0 0

Boatmen 5 0 0
Thus it will be seen that for the privilege of picking up a freight of £2,170 the ship has to pay at the loading port no less than £947 7s., which does not leave much for the owner, after providing for running expenses, insurance, etc.

They have a sense of fitness of things in Poland, the name of whose late Minister of Finance was Grabski. He has, says a telegraph message, resigned "Owing to lack of support for his financial proposals." Poland is not the only country where the policy of Grabski is unpopular.

A case of exceptionally rapid discharge of cargo is reported from Birkenhead. The S.S. Gronsund arrived at Rea's Jetty at 12.45 a.m. on June 25, with a cargo of 3,400 tons of phosphate rock from Sfax. By 4.45 p. m. the same day, the whole of this cargo had been discharged into barges, the actual working time being 141/2 hours.

"The African World" (published at 801, Salisbury House, London Wall. E.C. 2; price 6d.) has a description of the South African Pavilion at the forthcoming Empire Exhibition at Wembley. According to this, the pavilion will cover an area of 50,000 sq. ft., whilst the many exhibits will include an electric locomotive train, which will be complete with restaurant coaches, in which meals will be served; a display of ostriches, and a diamond-washing plant. There is also in this issue an announcement of a scheme for a new trans-Atlantic railroad, linking Johannesburg with Algiers in less than six days.

Fairfield will have heard with not a little gratification that its finest production-so far-has been setting up more new records on the Pacific. The Empress of Canada has esablished a new Transpacific speed record of 8 days 10 hours 53 minutes actual sailing time on an eastward voyage, and so, according to Reuter, "is acclaimed the champion of the Pacific." Fairfield worked for this long and determinedly, and the success of the vessel on service is a high tribute to the skill and experience and unwearying efforts of the officials and men of the big Govan establishment.

Iountain Air.

Those who long for the cool air of the mountains when the hot weather ing and original, and Messrs. Moirs comes need hope in vain no longer, for they will find in the central window of T. M. McMurdo & Co.'s drug upon securing such an attractive adstore a mountain scene so realistic vertisement for their delightful that the chill air sweeping down from | chocolates. over the snow covered peaks can al-

local decorator has achieved a real lic to use Moir's candies at their card success in the window dressers' art, parties. Considerable interest has been at- you something, Ethel. Do you know tracted to this window, which is really that last night, at your party, your a creditable piece of work. ground consists of many ing her away?"



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203 Water Street. "Ridgway's" Teas.

Geo. Washington Coffee. Evaporated Milk. Nestles Cream. Dairy Butter Elkhorn Cheese. Ingersoll Cheese.

Whole Chicken in Aspic. Boneless Chicken. Chicken and Tongue In glass

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In glass. Potted Meats and Game In glass.

Fresh Boiled Ham

Ox Tongue nicely sliced. Veal Loaf cut thin.

Game Pie. Apple Pudding. Army Rations. Chipped Dried Beef in glass. Sliced Bacon in glass. Sausages in glass. Luncheon Tongue in glass. Pate au Foie Gras. Lamb and Green Peas. Veal Cutlets. Sweet Mustard Pickles. Sweet Mixed Pickles. Cambridge Chutney. Pickled Walnuts. White's Onions. C. & B. Sauces. Tomato Catsup. Chili Sauce. Red & Green Pepper Sauce. French Mustard. Prepared Mustard. Queen Olives. Stuffed Olives. Oxo Cubes.

Huntley & Palmer's Biscuits, Cakes, Shortbread.

Bouillon Cubes.

Mayonaise Dressing.

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Gauva Jelly. Bramble Jelly. Apple Jelly. Red Currant Jelly. English Marmalades

English Table Waters American White Rock. Perrier Water. Lemon Squash. Lime Juice Cordials.

tolling the excellent qualities of Moirs products. A background of dis-ATTRACTIVE WINDOW DISPLAY, tant hills lends an air of realism to the design.

The effect produced is very strikthrough Mr. Fred V. Chesman, their local agent, are to be congratulated

McMurdo's eastern window has also been prettily dressed, the design With the window as a setting, a having a particular appeal to the pub-

> Mr. Green-"Now, I'm going to tell sister promised to marry me for tak-

nountain peaks, the top and sides of Little Ethel-"Forgive you, Mr. which are streaked with snow, while Green? Of course I will. Why, that's on the highest peaks are notices ex- what the party was for."

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