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The model illustrated here is among the most attractive and highly favored for the early spring season. Even a casual inspection will show exceptional care in the making, and the materials throughout are of particularly good quality.

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CASH MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ORDERS

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FROM GUNNER JAMES HALEY

A letter and a card, neither of them stating whence they came, but the card indicating that it was from the front in France, arrived this week for Mrs. Frank Haley of 42 Protection street, west end, from her son, Jim. He is a gunner with the first Canadian contingent.

His card is the formal one used in active service and merely brings word that he is well. It was dated March 3. The letter, besides matters of interest only to the family, tells of George Haley being transferred to the Army Service Corps. He speaks of his pleasure in receiving letters and papers and says tobacco would be welcome, and that it should be well packed. A tin box is suggested. Gunner Haley asks to be remembered to all friends.

EXTRA CASH SPECIALS
For Friday and Saturday

HOUSE CLEANERS—
30c. tin NODUST Sweeping Compound for 24c.
Little Beauty Broom 24c.
Whisks 3c. to 30c. each
Scrub Brushes 10c. to 20c.
Dandy Brushes 10c. and 15c.
Fiber Water Pails 33c.
Powdered Borax 5c. p. kg.
5 cakes Sunlight Soap 24c.
6 cakes Lifebuoy Soap 24c.
6 twin bars Castle Soap 24c.
6 cakes Minkley Soap Only 17c.
10c. tin Powdered Bath Brick 8c.
25c. tin Royal Metal Polish 21c.
25c. jar Silver Cream 21c.

EXTRA SPECIALS—
20c. jar Best Honey 16c.
1 lb. Marshmallow Cakes 15c.
Special Jar Orange Marmalade 15c.
Large Tin Custard Powder 10c.
Florida Grapefruit 5c. each
Sunkist Oranges 23c. and 29c. doz.
40c. lb. Peppermint Waters 29c.
Mott's Mixed Chocolates 41c. lb.
Quart Tin Italian Olive Oil 30c.

GENERAL LIST—
3 pkgs. Dessert Jelly 21c.
2 tins Canadian Peas 17c.
3 tins Canadian Tomatoes 27c.
16c. tin Belgium Peas 13 1/2c.
25c. tin Asparagus Tips 17c.
1 lb. Block Pure Lard 16c.
1 lb. Block Creamery Butter 35c.
25c. tin Libby's Peaches 18c.
35c. tin Libby's Peaches 29c.
Large Pkg. Quaker Oats 25c.
Large Pkg. Oatmeal 25c.
20 oz. Bottle White's Pickles 20c.
20 oz. bottle Macdonald's Pickles 25c.
30c. lb. Lipton's Tea 28c.

KEILLERS PURE JAM—
Made in Dundee and bought before war prices ruled.
1 lb. glass pots Special, 21c.
Strawberry, Raspberry, Damson, Gooseberry, Strawberry and Gooseberry, Raspberry and Gooseberry.

SUGAR with orders—
14 lbs. Granulated for \$1.00
10 lb. bag Lantic 75c.
3 lbs. Pulverized (no starch) 28c.

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Must Wear One of Our Soft Hats This Spring!

With Our Vast Range of Shapes, Makes and Colors The Choice is Made Easy. Our Prices Must Also Appeal to You.

Prices \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

F. S. THOMAS

539 to 545 Main Street



ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY PLANS INTERESTING CELEBRATION

A meeting of the celebration committee of St. George's Society was held last evening to arrange for the observance of St. George's Day, April 23. It was decided that, on account of the war, they would forego the usual dinner and formal celebration, the idea being to observe the day fitly and at the same time help some of the patriotic funds. The annual service will be held on the evening of Sunday, April 23, probably in Trinity church with special sermon. For St. George's Day the recommendation of the committee will be that the Imperial Theatre be engaged and at 8.15 an entertainment will begin consisting of patriotic pictures and songs after which the large stage will be cleared and an informal dance held, a band or orchestra supplying the music. The tickets will be sold at a low price and any surplus will be devoted to patriotic purposes. The supper will be extra and will be managed by one of the ladies patriotic societies for the benefit of the Red Cross or other funds. Mr. Golding, on behalf of the Imperial Theatre, has promised special war pictures to be there shown for the first time. St. George's Society has already contributed nearly \$400 to the patriotic funds since the war began.

IMPORTANT MATTERS FOR FAIRVILLE ARE GONE INTO

The Water Question - New Highway Act - Lancaster Board of Trade Meeting

A special meeting of the Lancaster Board of Trade was held last evening to consider further the water system question. There was a good attendance. Members as well as several ratepayers who were personally interested in the matter.

Mr. Nelson reported that he interviewed Commissioner Wigmore and the latter said he had not known that residents of Moore's Hill or the Manawash road had difficulty in getting water until brought to his attention by the Lancaster Board of Trade. An engineer from Boston was then in the city, assisting the department and the commissioner assured Mr. Nelson that as soon as he was through with the work he was attending at that time, the situation in Lancaster would be given close attention and plans for standpipes or whatever method was decided upon would guarantee all the high levels being properly served. If the standpipe system was adopted, a site would be chosen consistent with this policy.

Mr. Nelson then read the act to be sent to the house at Fredericton and said that no special plan was necessary as to where the standpipes had to be set up. Several members were heard in regard to the chief features brought out in Mr. Nelson's report and it was decided to impress still further the need of improved conditions in the water system with Spruce Lake as standpipe sites and more signatures be secured to the petitions which are being circulated, one in Beauséjour in Allingham and Ross' store, Fairville.

The attention of the board to dusty streets and the necessity of a watered street was advocated by F. V. Hamm. The general opinion seemed to be that something should be done by the highway board to alleviate the dust nuisance and to clean up the waste paper in the streets. Mr. Nelson reported that the new lighting act, a copy of which was read to the board. Opinions for and against were vented.

The claims of Milford to better sidewalks was referred to by Joseph Dwyer who described conditions in that section as disgraceful. The people had been long suffering in this matter but were not ready to stand for it any longer. The need of street lighting was also referred to.

W. A. Anderson said there seemed to be an idea that the Board of Trade existed to knock the councillors which was not the case. There was a difference between knocking and criticism. He felt an effort should be made by the members personally to acquaint their representatives with this fact and try to influence the councillors to attend the board meetings. The more united people and officials were in parish affairs the more would be accomplished. Neither politics nor any other difference should actuate the Board of Trade.

Adjournment was made for two weeks when the report of the street numbering committee will be received.

ILL IN HOSPITAL

Fred S. Watson Has Not Had Good Fortune in War

Mrs. Fred S. Watson of No. 9 Marsh street yesterday received a letter from her husband for the first time since Christmas. It was dated Feb. 5. He said that all of his company had gone to the front except himself and he had been in hospital for a long time and had to go before a medical doctor when he left the hospital. He said it was all right when he was sick. He had not received any money for a long time and could not even get a stamp to write home, only that a pedlar came in his ward and dropped two by his bed and he picked them up. He could not have written. He said he received last month a box that was sent to him on Christmas but only for some St. John boys he would not have got it then.

FINE SEND-OFF GIVEN RIFLES

Away Through Flag-Decorated Streets to Amherst

MANY OUT TO SEE THEM

The 26th Drawn Up in Broad Street as The Others March Away on First Stage of Journey to The Front

The boys of Squadron "A" and "B" of the 6th Royal Canadian Mounted Rifles have left the city. They boarded a special train for Amherst, N. S., a little after ten o'clock this morning, and were borne from the view of a large gathering of friends and relatives assembled in their honor, as the strains of "God Save the King" and cheers of good-will were ringing in their ears. There were many hearty handshakes and fond embraces as the soldiers bade farewell to friends and loved ones, but the stay in the railway yard was not of long duration, as soon after the arrival of the soldiers, the train pulled out. The order to fall in was given at the armory about 9.20 o'clock for the members of "B" Squadron, under Major C. F. McLean, and headed by the St. Mary's Band they marched off about 9.40 for the station. Just prior to their leaving the barracks green the 26th Battalion turned out of the armory under Lieut.-Col. McAvity in full marching order for a route march, and cheers were given in their honor by the lads of the mounted unit. When the latter paraded into Broad street, the 26th were drawn up in extended order, marching from Carleton to Charlotte street, and the salute was acknowledged by the commanding officer.

Along the route of march, large crowds were gathered and there were frequent outbreaks of cheering. An automobile conveyed Mayor Frink and Commissioners Wigmore and Potts to the depot in front of the line. At the station the band played several martial selections, and the volunteers were given a hearty farewell.

The Women's Canadian Club presented to them baskets containing lunches, and these were very much appreciated. The members of "A" Squadron from St. John under Major Markham, did not parade to the station, but entrained separately, while others of the unit were picked up at various stations along the line. At Amherst both squadrons will join with "C" Squadron from Nova Scotia, and at once begin active training for service overseas. Flags were flying from many buildings in honor of the men of the rifles.

For the Composite Regiment

Nine recruits for the 71st Company of the Composite Regiment left Fredericton Wednesday evening for Halifax. Capt. A. Sterling, of the 71st regiment, who has been recommended to succeed Capt. W. J. McManus, did not accompany the men. Major Gray has recommended Lieut. Priestman of McAdam to fill one of the vacancies in the 71st Company at Halifax. Lieut. Priestman was recently provisionally appointed a lieutenant in the 71st Regiment and if he receives the appointment to the Composite regiment will leave for Halifax for the position.

The following are the recruits who left Wednesday evening: Jack Ryan, Fredericton; Felix McManus, Fredericton; Gilbert James McGoldrick, W. J. McManus, C. Nason, Fredericton; Albert Waters, St. Mary's; Harry Smith and Alexander Gray, Fredericton.

At Fredericton

Major Randolph Crocker, officer commanding the 28th Battery of Field Artillery, arrived at Fredericton yesterday and immediately established his quarters at the exhibition buildings. He was accompanied by 22 recruits, all of whom were enlisted on the North Shore, principally at Newcastle and Chatham. Major Crocker stated that the battery was now recruited up to strength. Capt. D. D. McDonald, second in command, was expected from Antigonish with eight men.

THE FROST HITS GERMAN POTATOES

London, March 19.—Copenhagen reports that the potato crop throughout the south of Germany have been severely damaged by a sudden frost.

A FAREWELL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Belding, Princess street, gave a farewell party last evening for their nephew, Signaller Elmer A. Belding and his friend Herbert McMullen of the 6th Rifles. A number of young ladies and gentlemen, friends of the soldiers, were present, and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

DEATH OF BABY

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baxter, 17 Sewell street, will sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son, Joseph Fenwick, who died yesterday morning.

CONGRATULATIONS

J. Joseph Mitchell is busy shaking hands today. A boy arrived at his home this morning.

Noted Man of Sheffield Dead

London, March 19.—Sir Edward Bingham, a pioneer in the electroplating industry, died last night. He was identified for many years with the silver and cutlery business of Sheffield. He was born in 1829.

Macaulay Bros. & Co., King Street, St. John, N.B.

Our Stores Open 8.30 a.m.; Close 6 p.m. Each Evening During January, February, March.

Second Grand Spring Millinery Opening

TODAY AND BALANCE OF WEEK

Many of our most stylish French Models were, owing to war conditions, unavoidably delayed. These however have now arrived per the S. S. "Corsican," and are now on display in our Millinery Salon.

These combined with a variety of fresh arrivals from New York, will make this exhibit a feast of pleasure to all lovers of choice headwear.

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Grand Spring Opening of Boys' Clothing

This is one of the important events of the season. Every mother of a boy in Saint John is cordially invited. No mother who is particular as to her boy's appearance and the cost of it can well afford to stay away. Here you will see suitably displayed the cream of the new things in ready-to-wear clothing for boys.

Each season it seems as if we could go no farther, and yet this spring we are as far ahead of last, as last spring we were ahead of the previous years.

March 19, 1915.

Men and Young Men if You Are Anxious to See the New Fashions in Spring Clothes

But are not ready to make a purchase, don't hesitate coming here. It will give us pleasure to show you the correct apparel for business and dress wear and give you the benefit of our knowledge of styles, fabrics, etc., and tell you what is the most becoming to you.

We ask you to judge the fashions, finish and fit of our clothing by comparing it with the most expensive-to-measure-made kind.

Do this Today or Saturday. You will find perfect examples of high-class tailoring in our Smart Spring Suits.

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IN FOOTWEAR FOR THE FAMILY TOMORROW

Opportunities you really can't afford to miss. We are bound to make an absolute clearance of all left-overs from the past season. There's not a thing wrong with them in any way. In fact, our Ironclad Guarantee of Satisfaction or your Money Back goes with every pair.

Read over this list, then come Saturday and put us to the test.

ATTRACTIVE VALUES FOR MEN

Regular values, \$5.00. Now \$3.48

About 70 pairs Men's Shoes, the balance of our best selling \$4.00 lines. These are Blucher cut, fine quality Tans, Black Calf and Patent Leathers—mostly Goodyear welted soles. We have all sizes in the lot, but not all sizes in each line. Our regular value \$4.00.

Big Savings on Women's Shoes

A clearing line of Women's and Misses' Pumps and Oxfords, in Tans and Black. Values to \$2.50. All marked to clear, 78c.

WOMEN'S \$5.00 VALUES FOR \$2.98

Fine quality Calf and Patent Leathers, with Cloth Tops, button style, fashionable vamps.

DON'T OVERLOOK THESE

Boys' Strong, Serviceable Boots, Blucher cut, good heavy soles. A durable boot for school wear. A regular \$2.00 line. Clearing at 98c.

Little Girls' Boots—Sizes 11 and 12; fine Dongola Kid, good stout soles, lace style. Usual value, \$1.75. Now 98c.

Infants' Boots and Low Shoes—Tans and Blacks. Usual values, 75c. to \$1.50. Now clearing, 48c.

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DENT'S (English) GLOVES \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75

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