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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

To Suburban and Out-of-town Readers—If you have not received a copy of the Spring catalogues, send postcard with your name and address, and it will be mailed to you.

"Brighten the Home"

WHO can resist the spirit of the Springtime—the spirit of awakened energy, of budding beauty, of dissatisfaction with all that is dingy and drear? Old Sol has been turning his searchlight on faded walls and shabby coverings, revealing the bald places in aged carpets, and magnifying stains and scratches. He has been flooding rooms with that yellow glamor which induces hatred for ugly, unfit furniture, and engenders within us an insistent longing to freshen and gladden the whole surrounding aspect. All Nature echoes the Store's latest slogan:

"Brighten the Home"

And in support of the slogan there has been arranged for the coming week

--Beginning on Monday Next--

A Great Special Offering of Unequaled Values

In Furniture, Furnishings and All Manner of Household Appurtenances

All Being New Merchandise Marked Specially for the Occasion at Unrivalled Prices

Following are but a few of the host of items featured for Monday's selling:

Tapestry Couch Covers at \$2.20

Featured in the Presentation of Unrivalled Values in Draperies

FOR THE COT ON THE SLEEPING PORCH, for the couch in the sitting-room which converts itself into a bed for the accommodation of the extra guest, for the divan in the den—for all such, the tapestry cover is indispensable. And especially in the Summer cottage does it well prove its usefulness.

Many are the housekeepers then who will be interested in this Sale offering of couch covers at \$2.20 each—a phenomenally good value. The choice of patterns includes Roman stripe and tapestry effects, with a number of hammock-like patterns particularly adapted to verandah use. The predominating color combinations are red and green, red and brown, and tan and brown. Sizes are 60 inches wide by 2 1/2 or 2 3/4 yards long.

—Fourth Floor, Centre.

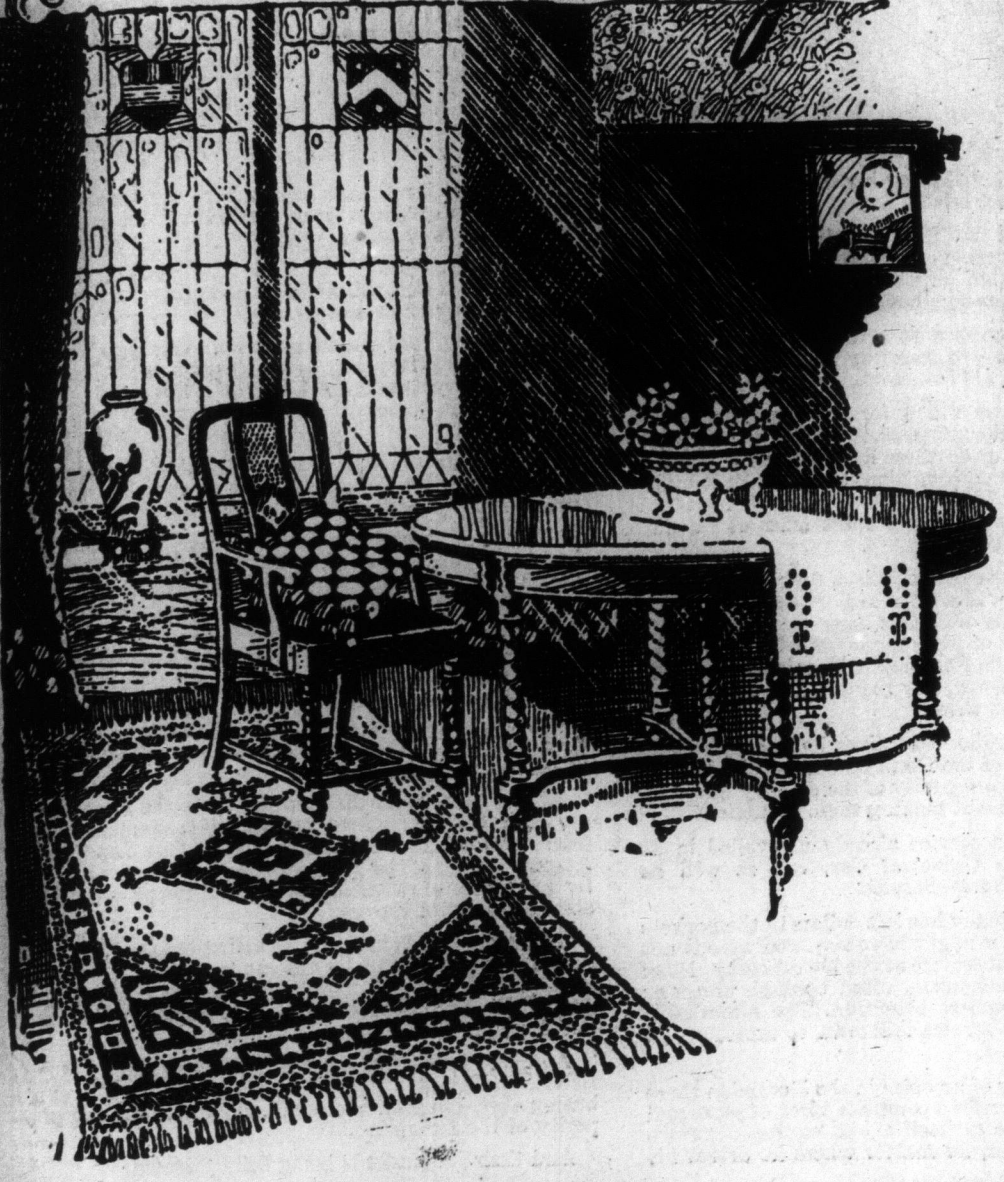
"Brighten-the-Home Specials" In the Basement Department

SAMPLE ELECTRIC FIXTURES AT PRICES THAT REPRESENT ABOUT HALF THEIR USUAL VALUE.

THESE ELECTRIC FIXTURES comprise sample pieces of all kinds of fixtures, from bedroom brackets to massive semi-indirect fixtures and even outdoor brackets in torch effects. There are also crystal and cluster lamp fixtures for drawing-rooms, fixtures in hammered brass in antique designs for living-rooms, dens, etc., hall lanterns, bedroom ceiling fixtures, and a host of wall brackets—only one of a kind. Priced from about \$2.55 to \$51.00.

Also included are about 150 portable lamps in Japanese effects—wicker designs, etc., complete with shades, and ranging in price from \$2.65 to \$9.00.

Prices include installation in city, but do not cover cost where insulation is required or city inspection. —Basement.



"Oatmeal" at 17 Cents a Roll Among the Interesting Bargains in Artistic New Wall Papers 30 INCHES WIDE, FULL 8 YARDS TO THE ROLL, LESS THAN USUAL COST PRICE TO-DAY.

A DELIGHT TO THE AESTHETIC EYE, a boon to the limited purse is the plain oatmeal wall paper, which, as you might expect, comes chiefly from Bonnie Scotland. As a truly artistic wall covering at an inexpensive price it cannot be excelled, being particularly happy for living-room, dining-room, hall or sitting-room use.

And here it is as one of the most tempting bargains in next week's Sale.

Moreover, the whole range of most desirable colors is available—three different tones of green, delft blue, maize, amber, brown, buff, golden tan, ruby red and plaster shade. Measuring 30 inches wide, it runs 8 yards to the roll.

Having been purchased in enormous quantities, it has been possible to feature this great offering of American and Scotch oatmeal papers at but a shade above the usual cost price at the mills to-day—17 cents per single roll.

Quantities in some of the colors being limited, early choice is strongly urged. —Fourth Floor, Queen St.

HAVE YOU BEEN PROMISING YOURSELF a new set of dining-room furniture—a set that will serve not only for convenience sake, but as an artistic acquisition to the room? If such be the case, you will be interested in the remarkable values featured for next week in conjunction with the great Brighten-the-Home Sale.

A magnificent set in massive Colonial design in dark rich mahogany of dull finish—ideal provision for some dining-room of generous proportions. The splendid sideboard, having a low mirror across the back, is priced for the Sale at the surprisingly moderate sum of \$87.50; the dinner wagon at \$22.00; the six chairs at \$50.00; the china cabinet at \$52.50; and the large round table at \$58.00.

Another Colonial set of dining-room pieces in rich, dull mahogany is similarly designed on a smaller scale, with the sideboard at \$54.00, the round table at \$34.00, the china cabinet at \$28.50, the dinner wagon at \$16.50, and the set of 6 chairs at \$36.00.

In dainty Iberian design in dark mahogany is another pleasing set for the small or medium-sized dining-room—the sideboard \$29.50, the cabinet \$18.50, the round table \$24.00, the set of chairs \$35.00, and the dinner wagon \$9.00.

Sure to prove an especial favorite is a Jacobean set in dune oak, with the usual rope turnings and antique handles, the long, dignified sideboard priced at \$22.50, the china cabinet at \$22.50, the dinner wagon at \$17.50, and the set of 6 chairs at \$37.50.

Wilton Rugs for Living-rooms and Dining-rooms Typical of the Amazing Price Attractions In the Special Selling of Floor Coverings BOTH LINES AT PRICES LOWER THAN THE COST PRICES AT THE MILLS TO-DAY.

ARE IS THE HOUSE which at this season of the year does not cry out for one new rug at least. And floor coverings loom large in the present effort for the "Brightening of the Home." For example:

For Monday the Rug Department is featuring Wilton Squares at prices that are actually lower than those at which they could be procured at the mills to-day. They are in Oriental, Chino and conventional designs in beautifully soft, mellow tones of those medium shades suitable for sitting-rooms, living-rooms and dining-rooms—greens, blues, deep pinks, tans and browns. Sizes and prices: 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. Special price \$27.50. 12 ft. x 12 ft. Special price \$31.50. 12 ft. x 14 ft. Special price \$39.50. 14 ft. x 16 ft. Special price \$47.50.

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PENITENTIARY ABUSES BLAMED UPON DOHERTY

Dr. Edwards Accuses Him of Bias Against Protestant Employes.

"DRYS" ARE CLAMOROUS Prohibition Issue Will Come Before House Again on Monday.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, March 24.—There was a touch of spring in the air today, and the house of commons began to hurry thru business to bring about an early prorogation. All the supply for the department of justice was voted to-night and considerable progress made with the estimates of the state and inland revenue departments. There was a long discussion of the Kingston penitentiary by Dr. Edwards of Frontenac. Hon. Chas. Marcell asked the government to set apart a day for a debate and vote upon the Stevens resolution, calling for nation-wide prohibition but received no definite assurance from the prime minister. The Stevens resolution, however, may come up on Monday in which event a substitute resolution will be proposed by R. B. Bennett of Calgary along the lines of the Doherty bill. There was some discussion at the opening of the house respecting the date of prorogation. After some discussion the Libera's agreed that house should be prorogued before Easter and the prime minister did not press his motion for morning sessions. He said, however, that government orders would take precedence on every day after next Monday. Hon. Charles Marcell protested that the prohibition debate had not been finished. Sir Robert Borden: "Hon. members can express their views on the subject of prohibition when the bill of the

minister of justice comes up for the second reading." Mr. Marcell protested that the country would like to have the sense of the house upon the Stevens resolution which calls for nation wide prohibition. Release of Convicts. The house went into supply on the estimates of the justice department. Hon. Frank Oliver complained that convicts were liberated from the penitentiaries on the condition that they went to the war. This Hon. C. J. Doherty denied. He said there had been less than 100 men all told released from the penitentiary for enlistment and five of these had some special reason such as previous military service. Edwards' Onslaught. Dr. Edwards (Frontenac) delivered a savage attack upon the management of the Kingston penitentiary. He denounced Dr. Phelan who was recently given a superannuation allowance of \$1,500 as a petty grafter. He also paid his respects to Inspector W. S. Hughes. Hughes, he said, had incited the attack upon the penitentiary management which had led to the famous investigations several years ago. Meanwhile Hughes was promoted from the position of accountant to that of inspector and laid down the member of Frontenac by refusing to tell what he knew on the witness stand. Dr. Edwards also charged cruelty to convicts, and favoritism. He said that W. W. Travers had enjoyed unusual privileges while a convict. He had fine meals served to him, smoked good cigars and had liquor shipped to him from Toronto. Protestant officials, the doctor said, were discriminated against by the minister of justice. He cited the case of two protestant guards who were discharged for accepting money from the relatives of convicts, yet two Roman Catholic chaplains, who committed similar offences went unpunished. He called upon Judge Doherty to purge himself of the charge of discriminating in favor of his own creed against Protestants. Doherty's Reply. Judge Doherty replied at length to Dr. Edwards, denying all charges of religious favoritism. As to the two Catholic chaplains he said that the charge against one was not sustained

KAISER AGAIN GUILTY ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Verdict Brought in at Inquest on Zeppelin Raid Victim.

LONDON, March 25.—The inquest on the sixty-second victim of the zeppelin raid, a young Staffordshire peelin raid, a young Staffordshire woman, who died from injuries caused by a bomb which also killed her lover, ended in a verdict of wilful murder against the Kaiser and the crown prince as accessories before the fact. The coroner said that he had no method of service against the Kaiser or the crown prince, nor was it possible to take proceedings against them. The foreman inquired if it would not have some weight at the end of the war.

MANY MEN ENLISTED AT SOCIAL IN LABOR TEMPLE

The 170th Battalion had a large attendance and big card of bouts at their stag social, held last night in the Labor Temple. Major W. O. Morris and Major McCarthy made a strong appeal for recruits, and met with a splendid response. About 35 men came forward and over 30 were attested. There was no soliciting, as the meeting was purely of a social nature, so the response to the brief appeals of the majors was extremely gratifying.

SOLDIER ARRESTED ON PERJURY CHARGE

Private John Allpeter, 804th Battalion, was arrested at 158 West Richmond street last night by Detective Cronin on a charge of perjury. He is alleged to have stated in signing his attestation papers for the 294th that he had never served with the colors before. The police say that he was discharged from another city unit some time ago.

TWO PROMINENT MEN IN ST. THOMAS DEAD

Welburne Atkins, East Elgin School Inspector, and Rev. Joseph Gundy.

HAD LAPSE OF MEMORY Malcolm P. Johnston Disappeared and Was Gone Twenty Months.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., March 24.—Welburne Atkins, inspector of public schools for East Elgin, died today from the effects of a paralytic stroke. He was born in Yarmouth Township 61 years ago and was a graduate of Hamilton Collegiate Institute and the Normal School, Toronto. He taught for a few years in St. Catharines and St. Thomas Collegiate Institutes and was appointed in 1884 school inspector for Elgin County, giving continuous service for over 32 years.

A widow, one son, W. G. Atkin, barrister, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and two daughters, Miss Edith Atkin, Toronto, and Mrs. F. A. Ball St. Thomas, survive.

Rev. Joseph Gundy, 78, one of the leading Methodist clergymen of Canada, and former pastor of Grace Church, St. Thomas, died at the home of his son, Charles Gundy today after twenty months' illness. The late Dr. Gundy was born in Ireland and came to Canada at an early age. After graduating from the Toronto University he entered the Methodist ministry and was an active member of that body for over fifty-one years. Dr. Gundy was one of those instrumental in bringing about the union of the different Methodist churches in Canada and was also a member of the committee working on the proposed union of Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches. He is survived by four sons, J. E.

How to Safely Peel Your Face

If you wear an aged, discolored or weather-beaten complexion, the most sensible thing to do is to remove it—rather than patch it over or "doctor" it with cosmetics. The only way to really remove the complexion—aside from resorting to an expensive and painful surgical operation—is by means of ordinary mercuric wash. Spread the wash over the face at night, as you would cold cream; wash it off in the morning. This gradually peels off the lifeless and half-dead outer skin, in minute particles—gradually the fresh young skin beneath peeps forth. Then you have a clear, healthy, healthy complexion such as you would desire. It is a simple, safe, and unobtrusive method, can be used by anyone, and is entirely harmless. It is a safe, safe, safe method. If you wear wrinkles or crow's feet, the best thing to do is to bathe your face in a harmless lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered naxolite in a half pint of water. Nothing else will so surely erase the unwelcome lines.

Recruiting Meeting and Patriotic Concert

WITH EXCELLENT TALENT Sunday Night, March 26th

Under the Auspices of the Irish Patriotic Association

HELP The 208th Irish Fusiliers

STRAND THEATRE

YONGE STREET His Worship Mayor Church will deliver the opening address. Col. T. H. Lennox, C. H. Muegrave, M.P.P., and other well-known speakers. DOORS OPEN 7 P.M.

NORWEGIAN SAILORS LOST WITH STEAMER

Blaakakken Torpedoed in North Sea—Only Four Survivors.

LONDON, March 25.—(12.38 a.m.)—The Norwegian steamer Blaakakken was torpedoed in the North Sea a week ago while on a voyage from England to Norway, according to Copenhagen despatches to the Exchange Telegraph Company. Four survivors were picked up half-conscious off the Dogger Bank by the Norwegian steamer Active, and were landed at Copenhagen today. The other members of the crew are believed to have perished.

The Blaakakken is a small vessel of 120 tons. She was built in 1914, and was owned in Bergen.