

Every Lady Should Visit Our Showroom Department

To See the New Stocks of Ladies' Wear We've Opened.



We have opened our new **BLOUSES**. Latest styles in **Smocks, Long & Short Sleeves**, in **White and all the Newest Colours**, in **Crepe de Chene, Georgettes, Crepe, Tricollette, Voiles & Shantung Silks, etc., etc.**

New Ribbons, in **Fancy Vest Ribbons, Fancy Sash Ribbons, Embossed Velvet Ribbons**
NEW DRESS TRIMMING, in **Rose, Bead, Silver and Gold**

New Evening Dresses, New Evening Scarves.

COLLARS, in all the **Newest Styles.**

UNDERWEAR, in **Silk Crepe de Chene, etc.**

New Silks, Georgettes, Crepe de Chenes and Ninons.

BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

Men's Wear Specials.

We offer to-day some extra Special Values in Men's Raincoats.

Lot 1—MEN'S TRENCH COATS.

In shades of Fawn, belted. Would be good value to-day for \$20.00. Specially Priced \$15.00.

Lot 2—MEN'S TRENCH COATS.

A limited quantity of this line, belted. Value for \$25.00. Specially Priced \$20.00.

Lot 3—MEN'S TRENCH COATS.

Two prices in this lot, best English makes; some with belts, some raglan effect. Specially Priced \$27.00 and \$38.00.

The above Raincoats are right up to the minute in style. An absolute necessity for Spring wear. Secure yours to-day whilst the styles, shades and sizes are complete.

Also showing New Range of

MEN'S SOFT FELT HATS from \$2.50 up.

MEN'S TWEED CAPS.

Big range in English and American; newest shapes, from \$1.50 up.

HENRY BLAIR.

20 Gross ASSORTED PURE GOLD ICINGS.

VEGETABLE SEEDS—

Cabbage, Turnips, Lettuce, Carrot, Beet, Celery, Peas, Beans.

FLOWER SEEDS—

Marigold, Nasturtiums, Hollyhock, Forget-Me-Nots, Morning Glory, Daisy, Aster, Pansy.

GONG SOUP TABLETS—Assorted.

COCOAS—

Van Houten's, Tibble's Vi-Cocoa, Cowan's, Fry's, Lowney's, Baker's.

Holland Rusks in pkgs. Colman's Mustard. Wilson's Root Beer Extract. Durkee's Salad Dressing. Heinz's Stuffed Olives. Heinz's Plain Olives.

AUSTRALIAN RABBIT, 1 lb. Tins.

C. P. EAGAN,

Duckworth Street & Queen's Road

Advertise in The "Telegram."

The Coal Problem.

THE GOVERNMENT'S FAILURE.

During last week there was practically no coal in the city and this week matters are no better. The only coal available now was landed on the Southside, midway out to the Lighthouse, consequently deliveries cannot be made with despatch. Why it was not landed in one of the empty sheds on this side, nobody but the Minister of Shipping knows. Around an uptown office yesterday, people were clamouring for coal orders, but were told "No orders taken to-day. We will take them Saturday. You will not get delivery before next Tuesday." Much indignation was expressed, and that some very dark brown words were used by the disappointed ones, needs hardly to be told. The Kyle, on her last trip, brought a cargo of coal, but it was taken back to Sydney. Complaints that people have no fuel to cook a meal with are heard on all sides. The Government's failure to handle the coal situation, the mail service and the profiteering is absolutely beyond challenge.

School of Nursing

Connected with the Medical, Chirurgical and Polyclinic Hospitals, under the management of the Graduate School of Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania.

Offers to ambitious young women the opportunity to qualify for an excellent paying and useful profession. Best possible preparation for women's special sphere, home-making and motherhood. Expert care given to students in case of illness. Training and board free. Homelike living. Recreation. Monthly allowance. One year of High School or equivalent required. For information address Directress of Nurses, Polyclinic Hospital, 1518 Lombard Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Successful Sale.

The Sociable and Sale by the St. Margaret's Guild at Canon Wood Hall on Wednesday was very successful the proceeds being well up to expectations. There was a very large attendance including Miss Armored Harris, patroness of the Guild, Rev. Dr. Jones and Rev. Mr. Moulton. Rev. (Capt.) Clayton acted as chairman at the concert with which the affair opened. The programme, consisting of solos by Misses Major, Mitchell, Dunfield and Rev. Moulton, dances by Misses Noseworthy and Wallace, selections by Misses Coaker and Cook, and Shadowland by the Dunfield boys was thoroughly enjoyed. Mrs. (Rev.) Clayton acted as the accompanist. Following the concert the sale was held and the fancy, jumble and candy stalls, etc. were quickly depleted of their stock. The few remaining articles at closing hour were auctioned by Mr. Reg. Dowden and fetched excellent prices.

A Kindly Cadi.

One of the strongest advocates of the children's court, Sir John Dickson, who is retiring from Bow Street, has long been regarded as London's most popular and humane magistrate. He is a great admirer of boys' brigades. "They prevent boys from slouching," he says. "A slouching boy develops a slouching mind." His favourite story concerns a constable who described a defendant as "violent and abusive." "And I suppose," said the magistrate, "you used drastic measures to arrest him?" "No, sir; I used my truncheon," replied the constable.

Obituary.

HENRY ANDREWS.

There passed peacefully away, at his home at Leading Tickle East, an old and respected citizen in the person of Mr. Henry Andrews, aged 75 years. Many far and near will be sad to hear of his passing away, as he was kind and good to all who had the pleasure of knowing him. Mr. Andrews was the son of the late Henry Andrews of Harbor Grace. One brother, Mr. James Andrews of Point Leamington, is the only survivor of the once large family. Mr. Andrews had been ailing for a number of years, and it is sweet to know that after toiling and suffering, his end was peaceful and he longed to be "With Christ, which is far better."

"Tis good to see Christ's weary ones Just put to sleep by him; But better still by faith to hear Their glorious Easter hymn. To know that they have found their Lord Though tears our eyes may dim. Mr. Andrews is sadly missed in his home, and our sympathy goes out to Mrs. Andrews in her loneliness in the eventide of life.

We miss thee in our home We feel thy absence much; And oh! what sorrows pierce the heart To see the vacant couch.

Mr. Andrews leaves to mourn a wife, one son, George, and one grandson, Alan, and one brother and a host of friends.

Silently the shades of evening Gather round their lonely door; Silently we bring before us Grandpa's face we'll see no more. E.L.M. H. G. Standard and Guardian please copy.

Would you rather have a good appetite than a bad one? If you do, take Brick's Tasteless.

Sikh's Sacred Emblems.

It was recently reported that General Dyer had been presented by the Sikhs with a sacred comb, the *quoit* and the dagger.

By being presented with these, General Dyer has received what is practically the greatest honour a Sikh can bestow upon any man not of his religion.

When the son of a Sikh himself becomes a Sikh, in other words, when he is admitted to the religion, he is given the comb, dagger and *quoit*, and from the day he receives them he guards his sacred possessions most jealously.

The *quoit*, of course, is the national weapon of the Sikhs. Men serving in Sikh regiments of the Indian Army wear a small *quoit*, about four inches in diameter, in front of their turban, but the actual weapon is much larger and heavier, and has a razor-like edge.

The Sikhs have a deadly aim. The *quoit* is thrown in much the same manner as was the *discus* in days of old—that is, the thrower gets a firm footing, flings his hand right back, and then brings it suddenly forward, releasing the weapon—and woe betide the unfortunate enemy whose neck gets in the way.

"FIVE THOUSAND."

Five Thousand more bottles of "Brick's Tasteless" Cod Liver Oil will arrive in a few days. The two thousand which arrived about two weeks ago is practically all sold. This certainly speaks well for the medicinal qualities of "Brick's Tasteless." The only fault is it makes you eat, and food is very high at present. "Brick's Tasteless" is a most palatable preparation containing the active principles of the purest Cod Liver Oil with all its unequalled tonic alternative reconstructive properties—combined with Phosphorous in the form of the Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites containing 1-100 gr. strychnine to each tablespoonful also, with the nutritious liquid extract of malt and the bronchial tonic and sedative fluid extract of wild cherry bark. Price \$1.80 bottle; postage 20c. extra. For sale by DR. F. STAFFORD & SON, Wholesale & Retail Druggists, St. John's, Newfoundland. Sole agents for Newfoundland. Write us for wholesale price.

Personal Mention.

Rev. J. H. Marks, of Herring Neck, is at present in the city.

Sir Patrick McGrath is reported to have left New York yesterday for home.

The Lord Bishop of Newfoundland does not contemplate leaving for England before June. He will not be accompanied by a Chaplain.

NOTE OF THANKS—Capt. Strong and family wish to thank the following for the beautiful wreaths which were sent to adorn the casket of their dear wife and mother:—Alan Goodridge & Sons, Employees of Alan Goodridge & Sons, Joseph Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Thornburn, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Cook, Misses Elsie, Nina, and Laura Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Cook, Mrs. L. Bonnell, Messrs. James and John Cook, Mrs. and Miss Camilla Coaker, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Chafe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guest, Mrs. Noonan and family, Miss Beattie Noonan, Mr. and Mrs. E. Arnott, Mr. and Mrs. A. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. F. Penney, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lester, Mr. and Mrs. J. Burt, Capt. J. Snow and V. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bulley, Little Florence Bulley, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Turner, Capt. and Mrs. Enon, Misses Lydia and Beattie Miller, and all those who so kindly called on them, and sent letters and telegrams of sympathy, and helped in many ways to relieve their great sorrow and loss.—adv.

MINARD'S LIMENT CURES BURNS, ETC.

Genuine Clearing Sale!

Having decided to discontinue our Boot and Shoe Department, we are offering the balance of our stock at very attractive prices.

- 4 pairs LADIES' PATENT OXFORDS, French Heel; sizes 3½ to 5. Price
- 21 pairs BLACK DONGOLA OXFORDS, Military Heel; sizes 3 to 7. Price \$6.50
- 21 prs. TAN KID OXFORDS, French Heel Price \$6.00
- 27 prs. TAN KID OXFORDS, Military Heel; sizes 3 to 7. Price \$6.00
- 22 pairs DARK BROWN, Military Heel; sizes 3 to 6½. Price \$6.50
- 16 pairs WHITE CANVAS SHOES, French Heel; sizes 3½ to 6½. Price \$3.60
- 13 pairs WHITE CANVAS SHOES, Medium Heel; sizes 3 to 7. Price \$3.80
- 59 pairs WHITE CANVAS SHOES, Rubber Sole and Heel; sizes 3 to 6½. Price \$2.25
- 38 pairs WHITE CANVAS BOOTS, Leather Sole, French Heel; sizes 2½ to 6. Price \$4.00
- 87 pairs WHITE CANVAS BOOTS, Rubber Sole and Heel; size 6. Price \$3.40

SPECIAL:

- 50 pairs MEN'S GUN METAL LACED BOOTS, size 10. Price \$3.30
- Also some LADIES' MISSES' and CHILDREN'S BOOTS of fine quality.

Templeton.

SKIRTS!

We have a Sample Lot of Ladies' fine Black and Blue Serge and Poplin Skirts, only 119 in the lot. Our Price. \$3.95 to \$5.95.

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W. R. GOOBIE

IS JUST OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

"Keatings."

One of the best stories told by Sir Ernest Shackleton, who is lecturing on his last Antarctic Expedition at the Philharmonic Hall in London, concerns a reporter who interviewed him while he was on a lecture tour in America. "Now, boss," the Pressman said to Sir Ernest, "I don't want any of the usual tosh. Just want to know about you. Now, what do you like?" "Poetry," was the reply. "I'm a bit of a poet myself." "And what poets do you prefer?" "Shelley, Burns, and Keats." "Half a moment. Let me get the name of 'Shelley, Burns, Keatings,' mumbled, as he wrote. And Keatings got the 'ad.'"