After Fifty-Eight Years. AN OLD NEWFOUNDLANDER BE-TURNS TO NATIVE LAND.

(H. F. SHORTIS.)

By the "Silvia" yesterday there arrived to the land of his birth, Mr. Thomas A. Powers, after an absence of fifty-eight years. Mr. Powers is a asident of Los Angeles, California, I.S.A. He will be remembered by many of the older portion of our citigens, as well as by the few remainschoolmates who received their education under the tuition of Mr. Henry Simms and Major Renouf. Mr. powers' father (Pierce Powers), kept clothing store, nearly opposite Mc-Bride & Ker's, afterwards Goodfellow Co.'s. In the same block of buildings at that time. lived Kitchen at the orner, Blackwood the barber. Mr. powers' grandfather (Edward Moran), who had two stores, one a fruit store and the other rented. Cahill the tailor, Blundon the tailor, Captain Campbell, and Mr. Powers' two houses (one a grocery and the other a clothing store). Mr. Powers was born St. John's (Water Street) in December, 1846, the year of the great fre of 9th June in that year, and first saw the light of day in a shed which was temporarily erected immediately after the great conflagration. On the 1st of October, 1864, Mr. powers, with between twenty and thirty emigrants left St. John's for Boston in one of John Woods' vessels, of which Captain Byford was master, and his step-son mate. Amongst the passengers was Tobias Nolan who was a carpenter. His daughter married Michael Mitchell, a son of Chief of Police Mitchell, The marriage took place in Boston. Mr. Powers joined the Federal Army during the great Civil War, and served with distinction until peace was proclaimed. He is a member of the Grand Army of the Republic. and in receipt of a very substantial pension. Mr. owers fought in the battles of Fort Fisher, Wilmington and several other battles and skirmishes during the war, under General Abbott. Amongst his brigade the Connecticut Regiment were Patrick Parker or Garrison Hill (I presume a relative of Mr. James Parker the Boot and Shoe man), Maurice Cashin, whose father kept a clothing store on Water Street, near Reardon's (father of the late Rt. Rev. Mons. Reardon of Placentia), and some other Newfoundlanders. Of course, the very large majority of our countrymen out of the 2.000 were to be found in the Navy. They were trained for the sea at the icefields and on Labrador, and were always to. be found in the place of danger. Many of them rose to positions of eminence and responsibility, and were eagerly sought after by the Naval Department, on account of their agility, competency and contempt for danger. After peace was declared, Mr. Powers went to California, remained there fteen years, and then moved to Chicago and subsequently to New York, where he married Miss Wright. About fifteen years ago he returned to California, and has resided there up to this time. His son, Pierce Powers, is Manager of the great firm of the Schmidt Lithograph Company of San Francisco, which has branches in Portland. Oregon, Los Angeles. Fresno, Salt Lake City, and scores of other cities, as well as in Honolulu. and gives employment to several thousand people. His two daughters are married, one to Mr. Crocker and the other to Mr. Lloyd, both of whom occupy good positions. His son, John, has not been heard from for 17 years. and possibly he may come across this issue of the Evening Telegram, and will be pleased to know that his father, brother and sisters are in good health, and would be glad to hear of or from him. A step-sister (deceased) of Mr. Powers married Mr. Wm. Prideaux, the genial ex-Superintendent of the Poor Asylum, and an uncle of his had a business opposite the Long Bridge (where J. Healey has his grocery store); and Hutching's Street of to-day, was known to all old-timers as Phil Powers' Hill. Mr. Powers will return to the United States (Los Angeles) by the S.S. Silvia to-morrow, where he is interested in the oil business. At present he is busily employed in visiting the scenes of his childhood and in having a chat with any of the old-time friends who remember him, and he pronounces himself delighted with the many improvements that have taken place in his native town Since he emigrated from our shores -fifty-eight years ago. I omitted to mention that Michael Warren (a native of St. John's) is employed in the Schmidt Lithograph Company, and asked Mr. Powers to ascertain the whereabouts of Thomas Stapleton of

Motor Car Service to Bay Bulls and Witless Bay, Sunday, Oct. 8th. . The Mack Bus will run to Bay Bulls and Witless Bay on Sunday afternoon leaving the railway station at 2.30, if sufficient passengers offer. Seats booked in advance. \$2.00 sufficient Return. Phone 1308, MAR-SHALL'S GARAGE,—oct6,21

March Hill, if living. We wish Mr.

Powers a safe return to the land of

his adoption, and hope that he may

be spared to make another visit to

the land of his birth.

# Profitable Days for You Extraordinary Bargain Opportunities

—at the Royal Stores—

Read these Typical Friday and Saturday Offers

Keen shoppers, those who appreciate real bargains, will revel in the attractive opportunities ruling here Friday and Saturday. The success of our Fall importations has exceeded our most optimistic expectations and we are—as usual—maintaining the wide-spread public interest by offering, week after week, new seasonable merchandise at substantially reduced prices.

# Special Sale of Skirts

As Stylish as they are Practical

Heavy Serge and Cloth. In Black and Navy. Regular \$5.25 each for ...

Seasonable

Hosiery

The new Fall Hosiery is distinguish-

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the latest novelties as well as the re-liable Blacks. The following are

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Women's Cashmere. Hose.

Plain, in shades of Grey, Dove,

Fawn and Brown; soft finish; English

In assorted Heather mixtures; full

fashioned; wide tops; sizes 91/2 and 10 in Brown mixtures only; soft finish;

Reg. \$1.25 pair for ...... \$1.13

Strong Worsted Stockings in Brown

Heather mixtures; with fancy colored

tops; 41 ribbed; spliced feet; sizes 3

Sizes 3, 4 and 5 95c. values for ... 83c. Sizes 6 to 8 \$1.15 values for ... ... \$1.00 Children's Worsted Hose.

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wear; 41 ribbed; spliced feet; garter

wear; 41 ridden; spilot Reg. 54c.

All-Wool

Jersey Suits

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for the

Kiddies

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Size 24 in. Reg. \$5.50

Suit for ....\$4.88 Size 26 in. Reg. \$5.75 Suit for ....\$5.20

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To fit girls from 11 to 12 years;

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dle at waist; short sleeves. \$4.50 Reg. \$5.25 each for .....

Made of good quality White Flan-nelette to fit children of 14 years; niely trimmed with Pink and Blue

galon trimming, Reg. \$2.10 95c.

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Wool lined; sizes 7½ to 9; colors Tan and Slate; one dome fastener. Reg. \$5.00 pair for Men's Fabric Gloves.

Perfect fitting Gloves; in light and dark Grey shades; unlined; one dome fastener; all sizes. Reg. \$1.10 98c.

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Men's Suede Gloves.

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Misses' Gloves.

Size 20 in. Reg. \$4.85 Suit for ... \$4.20 Size 22 in. Reg. \$5.20

In the following (

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Regular \$11.20 each for ...

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In assorted colors, round neck half

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Beautiful new models with round

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Reg. \$26.50 each for ....\$24.30

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Vests and Pants.

Mercerised Silk Smocks.

All Wool Jumpers.

### In contrasting colors; narrow and wide. Reg. \$1.75 each for .. \$1.50 **Blouses**

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Close fitting styles; all Silk mesh and as-

for .. .. .. .. .. .. .. ..

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All Wool Swater Coats with Tuxedo Flannelette Blouses. collar; large pockets and neat girdle; in colors of Saxe, Grey, Rose, Beaver, Of exceptional value; neat Shirt-waist style; in Light and Dark Paon, Jade and Nigger \$4.20 Brown. Reg. \$5.00 each for patterns; finished

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Velour Hats.

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set for .. .. .. .. .. .. ..

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A fine assortment of beautiful Knitted Ties in a variety of new patterns. Reg. 45c. each 40c.

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# New Designs in

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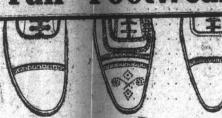
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