

# TEN DAY SILK SALE!

Silks of every description. Endless variety of yard Silks very much lower priced than it will be possible to sell New Goods to arrive next Season.

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**ALL OUR SILK CAMISOLES SILK VESTS SILK CHEMISES SILK UNDERSKIRTS**

**All our Silk Gloves and Silk Hosiery**  
We invite you to inspect these goods and form your own opinions. Values can not be equalled, nor are they likely to be for at least two seasons yet.  
Women who know values will have their fondest expectations surpassed in the unusually drastic price-concessions offered in this event. Prices have been cut deeper than ever before, and cut on merchandise of most timely value.

**BISHOP, SONS & COMPANY, Limited—SHOWROOM.**

## Mistaken for Burglar.

### A HOUSEHOLDER'S DARING.

Last night a householder of the West End was awakened by a noise coming from the direction of his front door. He immediately jumped out of bed and arming himself with a "mat frame, proceeded downstairs in net too happy a mood. As the knocking continued he decided that the best course of action would be to secrete himself behind the door, open it slowly, and break the head of the intruder as he entered the house. This arrangement proceeded, according to plan, that is, all except the last part, for when the door opened, in trotted a large dog. It was ultimately discovered that the dog belonged to a neighbor and having been accidentally locked out for the night had decided to seek a lodging next door.

**NEXT MONDAY.**—What about a horse race? The pond is o.k.; we have the best horses in our history; we want something to sweeten our cup; no sugar in our tea long enough. Start the ball rolling.—Horseman.

## Fashion Plates.

### A VERY ATTRACTIVE CALLING COSTUME.



Comprising Ladies Waist Pattern 3459 and Ladies Skirt Pattern 3446. The Waist Pattern is cut in 7 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. The Skirt in 7 sizes: 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches waist measure. To make the costume for a medium size will require 3 yards of plain material and 4 of plaid or checked, 36 inches wide.

Combinations of material are attractive for this design. Velvet and satin, or serge and checked or plaid woolen or dusty and crepe. The width of the skirt at the foot is 1 1/2 yard.

### A SIMPLE FROCK FOR THE LITTLE GIRL.



Pattern 3458 is portrayed in this design. It is cut in 5 sizes: 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 years. Size 4 will require 3 1/2 yards of 27 inch material. Poplin, repp, gingham, percale, chambray, linen, serge, gabardine, velveteen and pongee are good for this style.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 15c. in silver or stamps.

NOTE.—Owing to the continual advance in price of paper, wages, etc., we are compelled to advance the price of patterns to 15c. each.

Mingre's Linalment Cures Diphtheria.

## Horses in Banquet Halls.

The bizarre proposition to make war the honored guest at a banquet to celebrate his recent victory on the turf, recalls the stories which created a great sensation at the time.

given by the Royal Hunt at the White Hart Hotel, at Aylesbury, after an exciting steeplechase participated in by some of the finest steeds in Britain. A beautiful grey mare, owned by Charles Symonds, of Oxford, had especially distinguished herself by her great leaps and high hurdling, and the stewards of the club unanimously decided to have her present at the banquet.

The animal shortly announced her progress by a loud clattering on the old oak staircase, up which she was led to the banquet hall. In a few minutes she was gazing on the assembled company and, amid the cheers of the participants, the owner led her around the table.

The champagne glasses rattled, the plates quivered, the candlesticks shook, but nothing was displaced, and back again went the mare, clearing everything at a bound.

Then a Mr. Manning, of Wexford, volunteered to ride the horse back over the table, without even a bridle.

Leading the intelligent animal to the end of the hall, Mr. Manning vaulted on her back and drove her straight at the table and, amid a wild applause, cleared the entire three candlesticks and landed on the floor on the other side as cleanly as though taking a hurdle on the turf.

Then the celebrated gentleman Jockey, Captain Barlow, mounted the mare and essayed a repetition of the feat, but this time the mare made a smash of one table, but on the return jump cleared the other table and, amid vociferous shouts of applause, snuffed the light of one of the candles without even shaking it from the candlestick.

# ENGINE OWNERS!

Why not have your Engine thoroughly overhauled this winter; it means added years to its life of service. Our Repair Department can handle any kind of engine, marine or stationary, gasoline or crude oil.

All work done thoroughly by a staff of mechanics every one of whom are specialists in repairing and installing engines. No job too big, no job too small. Our reputation for good work should be an inducement to "call" us when you have engine trouble.

**JOB'S STORES, Ltd.**  
Marine Department.

# Our Stock-taking Sale!

As we are soon to take stock preparatory to closing our books, Jan. 31st, we are desirous of having our stock as low as possible and are making an effort to reduce same and are offering the following reductions.

- BEDSTEADS. Worth \$12.00. Now ..... \$9.50
- WOVEN WIRE SPRINGS, 3 ft. .... \$2.95
- WOVEN WIRE SPRINGS, 4 ft. .... \$4.95
- COPPER WIRE SPRINGS, 4 ft. .... \$5.95
- MATRESSES at all prices.
- COUCHES ..... \$10.50, \$12.50 and \$14.50
- BUREAUS ..... \$15.50 to \$45.00
- WASHSTANDS ..... \$7.50 to \$15.50
- UPHOLSTERED CHAIRS ..... \$19.50 up
- PARLOUR SUITES, 3 Pieces ..... \$55.00
- PARLOUR SUITES, 5 Pieces ..... \$65.00
- DINING SUITES, 6 Pieces ..... \$45.00
- MISSION SUITES, 4 Pieces ..... \$85.00

And our Celebrated KITCHEN CHAIR will be on sale again next week at the old price, \$1.55.

**The C. L. March Co., Ltd.**  
Corner Water and Springdale Streets, St. John's.

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- Ex "Canadian Sapper."
- 1 Carload--475 Bags
- Mixed Oats---4 Bush. each
- 3 Carloads--739 Bales
- Prime Timothy Hay
- Ex "Rosalind."
- Fancy Silverpeel Onions
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