

# Tomorrow and Saturday LAST DAY OF Clearance Sale!

Which no one who wishes anything in the way of Dry Goods should miss. Only a few weeks till stock-taking. Merchandise on hand must be greatly reduced. Come and see the goods we offer at this stock reducing sale and compare the prices with other stores.

## Extra Specials For Last Two Days!

**FLANNELETTE KIMONOS**  
One-Third Of Regular  
69c. Short Kimonos.....Sale 39c. each  
89c. Short Kimonos.....Sale 59c. each  
\$1.00 Long Kimonos.....Sale 69c. each  
\$1.39 Long Kimonos.....Sale 89c. each

**WHITE QUILTS**  
Value \$1.25.....Sale 89c. each  
Single and three-quarter bed size, English make. Your last chance to buy at the above low price.

**MERCERIZED CURTAINETTE**  
Values to 30c. yd. Sale Only 12 1/2c. yd.  
To clear, 250 yards of Eern Curtainette, 25 and 36 inches wide. Wide insertion and lace edge.

**WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES**  
Values to \$1.50.....Sale 89c. each  
One-hundred Women's House Dresses to be cleared at less than wholesale. Made up in light and dark prints. All sizes.

**COVERALL APRONS**  
Values 69c. each.....Sale 45c. each  
Made of fast color English Prints, full length, with front pocket and strap to button across back. This apron covers the entire dress and can be slipped on and off in a second. Fifteen different patterns to select from, in light and dark colors.

**DENT'S CAPE GLOVES**  
Value \$1.25.....Sale \$1.00 pair  
Ladies' Heavy Tan Kid Gloves for Fall and Winter wear. Sizes 5 3/4 to 7.

**LADIES' FLEECE AND PLUSH VESTS AND DRAWERS**  
Extra Heavy Weight. Value 69c. Sale 45c. garment

**TURKISH TOWELS, 12 1/2c. EACH**  
Twenty dozen Bleached Turkish Towels, good, large size. Special at 12 1/2c. each

**WOMEN'S EXTRA LARGE FALL AND WINTER VESTS**  
Value 50c. each.....Sale 39c. each  
Great Value—Vests Only.

**SMALL CHILDREN'S WOOL HOSE**  
Value 23c. pair.....Sale 15c. pair  
Sizes 5, 5 1/2 and 6 inch only

**SALE OF BED COMFORTERS**  
English Make  
\$2.00 Reversible Comforters.....\$1.69 each  
\$3.00 Reversible Comforters.....\$2.39 each  
Made of Turkey Red Chintz and printed Silkoline; full size, 60x72 inches.

**BOYS' HEAVY WOOL HOSE**  
Value 35 pair.....Sale 25c. pair  
Sizes 6 1/2 to 10 inch

**MEN'S AND BOYS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS**  
Values to 75c. each. Sale 59c. each  
Negligee Shirts in white grounds, with fancy and plain stripes; all this season's patterns; good fitting and excellent wearing shirts. Sizes 12 1/2 to 16 inch.

**MEN'S UNSHRINKABLE UNDERWEAR**  
Tiger Brand—Sizes 34 to 44  
Sale price, 75c. garment

**BOYS' HEAVY FLEECE UNDERWEAR**  
Value 40c.....Sale 29c. each  
CORSET SALE  
47c.....Pair  
Made of fine Jean, steel lined, four garters and nicely trimmed. Sizes 19 to 30 in.

**FINE WHITE CANADIAN COTTONS—MILL PRICES**  
12c. Value.....Sale 9c. yard

**ASTONISHING VALUES IN RIBBONS**  
Five and Seven Inch Taffeta, All-Silk  
Half Price Only, 15c. yard  
Even if you don't need them now, you will later. Buy now at this money-saving price.

**BRASSIERES**  
50c. Value.....Sale 35c. each  
Made of strong Cotton, reinforced under arm, hook front, trimmed with embroidery. Sizes 34 to 40.

**WOMEN'S NIGHTGOWNS**  
Value 89c. each.....Sale 69c. each  
Made of good quality Flannelette, white only, trimmed with embroidery, finished with self frill.

**CLEARANCE SALE OF FURS—LESS THAN COST**  
As We Are Dropping This Line  
\$15.00 Squirrel Ties.....Sale \$7.50 each  
8.50 Blue Goat Stoles.....Sale 4.50 each  
13.00 Japan Mink Stoles.....Sale 6.50 each  
10.00 Mink Marmot Stoles.....Sale 5.00 each  
5.00 Chinchilla Stoles.....Sale 1.50 each  
9.50 Black Astrachan Stoles.....Sale 4.50 each  
5.00 Imitation Persian Lamb Sets.....Sale 3.25—Set  
10.50 Black Astrachan Stoles.....Sale 5.98 each

**CHRISTMAS GIFT LINENS**  
Manufacturers' Samples — To Clear at Half Price  
Some of them are slightly soiled—Bureau Scarfs, Table Covers, Runners, Pillow Shams, Table Centres, D'Oyleys, Tray Cloths, Cushion Covers and Five O'clock Tea Cloths. They are all perfect goods, at prices ranging from 10c. to 89c. each.

**CORDUROY VELVETS**  
Value 75c.....Sale 59c. yard  
Balance of our Corduroy stock to be cleared at the above low price. Only a few boxes left. Colors: Crimson, Cherry, Grenat, Navy, Electric, Sapphire and Gun Metal. Width 23 and 27 inches.

**HIGH-GRADE COSTUME VELVETEEN**  
Value 85c. yard. Sale 59c. yard  
Chiffon finish, suitable for Fall Costumes, Skirts, Children's Wear, etc. The shades we offer at the above bargain price are black, navy, saxe, sapphire, tan, mid, and dark brown, grey, cardinal, purple, hunters' green and laurel. Width 23 inches.

**BLACK AND WHITE CHECK DRESS GOODS**  
25c, 30c, 45c, 69c, and 75c. yard

**SALE OF TABLE LINENS**  
Bargains Now—Stock Too Heavy  
Linen have advanced 20 per cent. We are cutting deeply on last season's prices, because of our large stock on hand.  
35c. Bleached Damask.....25c. yard  
50c. Bleached Damask.....35c. yard  
75c. Bleached Damask.....55c. yard  
40c. Unbleached Damask.....29c. yard  
50c. Unbleached Damask.....40c. yard

**LADIES' PEN-ANGLE CASHMERE HOSE**  
Value 35c.....Sale 25c. pair  
Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 inch.

**SALE OF GREY FLANNEL**  
Twilled and plain, light and dark grey.  
25c. Grey Flannel.....Sale 18c. yard  
30c. Grey Flannel.....Sale 25c. yard  
38c. Grey Flannel.....Sale 32c. yard

**HEAVY WHITE FLANNELETTE**  
Value 16c. yard.....Sale 12 1/2c. yard  
Extra value, 31 inches wide—500 yards in lot, 12 1/2c. yard.

**STRIPED FLANNELETTE**  
Value 14c.....Sale 10c. yard  
Ten pieces 33 inch heavy striped Flannelette, suitable for underwear, linings, etc. To be sold at 10c. yard.

Compare Our Prices With Other Stores and See What You Save.

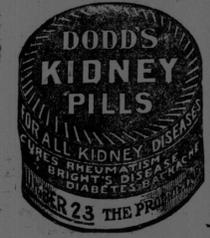
# I. Chester Brown

32 and 36 King Sq. - Next Imperial Theatre

HAS PAID \$376 IN INTEREST ON LOAN; PRINCIPAL ONLY \$15

Astounding Conditions Revealed in Boston City Hall—Mayor Wants Action

Boston, Dec. 9.—A report by George A. Flynn, assistant corporation clerk, to Mayor Curley, in regard to loan sharks



and their dealings with city employees, disclosed such a startling condition of affairs that the mayor, directly after reading it, sent a request to Mr. Flynn that he make complaint to the supervisor of loan agencies against two lenders mentioned in the report, for violations of the Small Loans Act and the rules and regulations of the Supervisor of Loan Agencies under the provisions thereof.

Mr. Flynn, in his report, cites several examples, one of the most astonishing of which was the case of a city employe who fourteen years ago borrowed \$10 and still owes it to the money lender, although he has paid him out in interest the sum of \$374.82.

Another man, three years ago, borrowed \$10, still owes it, although \$80.54 of his wages have gone into the pockets of the money lender.

The report says that in every case the difficulty began with a loan of \$10, on which a charge of \$2.18 a month was made until about a year ago when the Supervisor of Small Loans fixed the maximum charge at \$1.50 a month.

One employe has paid these rates of interest on a \$10 loan every month for the last eight years and still owes the \$10. In almost every instance the initial loan was obtained to meet some emergency, usually sickness, either of the employe or of a member of his family.

Mrs. John B. Robinson.

The death occurred last night of Mrs. John B. Robinson, at her residence, 180 Wright street. The deceased had been ill only for a few days, and her death

was unexpected. Before her marriage she was Miss Bridget Foster, daughter of the late Michael and Bridget Foster, of Fredericton.

The late Frank H. Foster was a brother, and she is the last of her family. She is survived by her husband, who is a retired I. C. B. employe, and one son James, who is employed as a machinist at the St. John Iron Works.

**GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK, THICK, GLOSSY**

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle for about 80 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.

**SPECIAL PRICES ON STANDARD GROCERIES**

Purity Flour.....\$7.25 bbl., 95c. bag  
Royal Household Flour, \$7.15 bbl., 90c. bag  
Star Flour.....\$7.10 bbl., 90c. bag  
Forest King (Manitoba Blend Flour).....\$6.65 bbl., 85c. bag  
7 lbs. Oatmeal.....For 25c.  
6 lbs. Grey Buckwheat.....For 25c.  
6 lbs. Graham Flour.....For 25c.  
New Minicemat.....7c. pkgs.  
15 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar, \$1.00  
3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar.....25c.  
New Seeded Raisins.....10c. pkgs.  
New Evaporated Peaches, 3 lbs. 25c.  
New Prunes.....3 lbs. 25c.  
1 lb. can Coleman's Baking Powder.....Only 22c.  
3 bottles Karmon Water.....25c.  
2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat Biscuits.....For 22c.  
Extra Large Can of Peaches, 3 cans of Clams.....Only 22c. tin  
8 cakes Happy Home Soap.....25c.  
3 pkgs. Lux.....25c.  
3 tins Old Dutch.....25c.

**E. Roy Robertson**  
599 Main St.  
Phone 2877

**FINANCIAL**

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET  
Quotations furnished by private wire of J. E. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N.B. Thursday, Dec. 9, 1915.

Am Car & Fdry	187	187	187
Am Locomotive	83	83	83
Am Beet Sugar	72	71 1/2	71 1/2
Studebaker	170 1/2	170	169 1/2
Am Sugar	117 1/2	117	117
Am Steel Fdrics	68 1/2	68	68
Am Smelters	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Am Tel and Tel	129	129	129
Anaconda Mining	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
At, T and C Fe	107	106 1/2	106 1/2
Repchill Iron	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Balt and Ohio	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Canadian Pacific	188 1/2	188	188
Central Leather	183	183	183
Crucible Steel	74	74	74
Chino Copper	53	54 1/2	53 1/2
Chester and Ohio	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Col Fuel Iron	81 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Con Gas	142 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	470	470	470
Inspiration	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Distillers Securities	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Erle	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Gen Electric	175 1/2	175 1/2	175 1/2
Gt Northern Pfd	128	128 1/2	128 1/2
Hide & Leather Pfd	92	92	92
Illinois Central	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Lehigh Valley	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Missouri Pacific	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
National Lead	65	64 1/2	64 1/2
Nevada	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
N Y Central	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Northern Pacific	117	116 1/2	116 1/2
Nor and Western	120	120	120
Pacific Mail	10	10	10
Pennsylvania	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Reading	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Republic Iron & S	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Rock Island Old	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2

Exquisitely Beautiful  
**NECKLETS AND PENDANTS**

We were able to buy at a very Low Price an exceptional variety of Necklets and Pendants in all the most popular effects, which we are in a position to offer the public at Unusually Low Prices Even for a Sale.

In Solid Gold, 10c. or 14c. set with pearls, rubies, olivines, amethysts and garnets. A truly bewildering array of beauty.

Pendants in Solid Gold, from \$4.00 up.

Necklets, from \$7.00 up.

These figures mean a great reduction.

Ladies' Wrist Watches in gold, gold-filled or silver.

Men's Wrist Watches, in gold-filled, silver and nickel.

ASK to See Our Watches and Prices Before Buying Elsewhere.

Store Open Evenings!  
**A. POYAS**  
16 Mill St.

Captain Santa Clara piloted his cargo into our store without meeting warships, submarines, or aeroplanes.

Here's a new cargo of practical presents for men and boys. A Shirt at \$1.50 makes a gift all men like.

Neckwear, 50c. and 75c.; not a mistake in the whole lot.

Mufflers, the newest, \$1.50, \$2 and up.

**CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT RIGHT PRICES**

**Gilmour's**  
68 King Street

**LILLEY & CO.**  
Game, Season Closed

Only a few days to dispose of the stock we have on hand, which must be sold regardless of cost.

Deer Hindquarters.....10c. lb.  
Deer Forequarters.....7c. lb.  
Deer Roasts.....10c. and 12c. lb.  
Deer Steaks.....15c. and 18c. lb.  
Moose Steaks.....10c. to 14c. lb.  
Moose Steaks.....15c. and 18c. lb.

**EXTRA LOW PRICES ON BEEF AND LAMB**

Lamb Hindquarters.....15c. lb.  
Lamb Forequarters.....12c. lb.  
Beef Roasts.....10c. to 14c. lb.  
Beef Stewing.....6c. and 8c. lb.  
Beef Cuts.....6c. and 10c. lb.

Sausages.....2 lbs. for 25c.  
Hamburg Steaks.....10c. lb.  
New Minicemat.....2 lbs. for 25c.  
Bonanza Beef for Minicemat.....12c. lb.  
Chopped Suet.....12c. lb.

**FOR THE BOYS AT THE FRONT**  
Small Hams cooked to order and specially packed in canvas bags, hermetically sealed with confecturers' wax. These are practically airtight and will keep good at least one month. Call and see a sample at our store.

Choice Dairy Butter, Strictly Fresh Eggs, Pure Lard, Cheese, Spiced Rolled Bacon, English Breakfast Bacon, Choice Small Hams, etc.

**LILLEY & CO.**  
Up-to-Date Provision Store  
695 MAIN STREET  
Phone Main 2745  
Three Minutes Walk from the Railway Station.  
Store Open Evenings Till 10 O'clock

**An Ideal Xmas Gift!**

Christmas is a time when we all feel young again. Glasses specially ground will make the "Old Folks" see young again.

Glasses will immediately restore their falling vision and enable them to read and sew in comfort. Glasses are the most useful and acceptable gift for Old Folks.

We are specializing on glasses this Xmas and have a scheme whereby they can be suitably presented at a gift.

**K. W. EPSTEIN & CO.**  
Optometrists and Opticians  
Open Evenings  
193 Union St.

**For Anaemia**

Take WINGARNIS three times a day. You will feel the beneficial effect with the first wineglassful.

**WINGARNIS**  
The Famous English Tonic

is a Tonic, a Restorative, a Blood-maker and a Nerve Food—all combined in one delicious life-giving beverage.

ASK YOUR DOCTOR

**This is what you need**

**To Cure Nerves, Stomach, & Kidneys.**

Dr. Cassell's Tablets are a genuine remedy for all forms of nerve, stomach, and kidney trouble in old or young. They are composed of carefully chosen ingredients, each one of which has definite restorative action on the nerve centres controlling the various processes of life; and thus they give new activity to the body organs, and new vitality to the entire system.

Dr. Ramsay Colles, J.P. of the City of Dublin, a man of high eminence in the scientific world, says:—"I have great pleasure in expressing my satisfaction as to the curative effect of Dr. Cassell's Tablets in cases of nerve troubles. From several cases which have lately come under my notice I am able to form the opinion that Dr. Cassell's Tablets constitute a safe and reliable family remedy, and appear to be specially effective for nerve and bodily weakness."

Dr. Cassell's Tablets are Nutritive, Restorative, Alternative and Anti-Spasmodic, and of great Therapeutic value in all derangements of the Nerve and Functional Systems in old or young. They are the recognised modern home remedy for Nervous Breakdown, Nerve and Spinal Paralysis, Infantile Paralysis, Rickets, St. Vitus' Dance, Anæmia, Sleeplessness, Kidney Disease, Dyspepsia, Stomach Catarrh, Brain Fag, Headache, Palpitation, Wasting Diseases, Vital Exhaustion, Loss of Flesh, and Premature Decay. Specially valuable for Nursing Mothers and during the Critical Periods of Life.

Druggists and Dealers throughout Canada sell Dr. Cassell's Tablets. If not procurable in your city send to the sole agents, Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Ltd., 10, McCaul Street, Toronto; one tube 50 cents, six tubes for the price of five. War Tax Extra, 2 cents per tube.

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Britain's Greatest Remedy

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