

Spring Opening

PARTICULARIZING HOME NEEDS

Our Store--a real help-meet for renewing time.

500 Yards TABLE DAMASKS

Pure White, 58 inches wide, its a real value, only found at Baldr's.

64c

YOU WILL FIND IT SO.

At the present moment our New Housefurnishing Section unmistakably proclaims genuinely good values to housewives.

It particularly stresses those very things that Spring-cleaning clearly reveals the need of, and their prices--Baird Prices--always moderate.

Madras Muslins

42 inch Cream Curtain Madras Muslins, they always look good where drapes or hangings are needed. Reg. 55c. Friday, Saturday and Monday.

49c

See the New Things that Help to make the 'Home'

IN OUR HOUSE FURNISHING DEPT.

Ladies' Jersey DRESSES

LADIES' JERSEY DRESSES—In pretty straight line effects, 3/4 sleeves, round neck, girde at waist; becoming shades Peacock and Putty, Beaver and Putty, Navy and Cherry, White and Lemon, Sage and White, etc. Special Friday, Saturday & Tuesday .. **\$13.98**

GIRLS' KNICKERS—Fine Pink Jersey Underpants, with elastic at knee; assorted sizes; a very special value. Friday, Saturday & Tuesday .. **27c.**

FEEDERS—In fancy Turkish Feeders, in plain White and Pink and White. Reg. 40c. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **23c.**

DRESSING JACKETS—Paisley Dressing Jackets, shirred at waist roll collar, short sleeves, sizes to 44 inch. Reg. \$1.00. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **89c.**

UNDERSKIRTS—Ladies' Moissette Underskirts, showing plaided trim in shades of Rose, Sage, Purple, Grey and Black. \$1.40 value. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **\$1.18**

DUST CAPS—Ladies' striped and checked Cotton Dust Caps, 3 1/2 inch season for them. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **18c.**

BRASSIERES—Pink brocaded Brassieres, fastened at back, tape shoulder straps, sizes 34 to 44. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday Special .. **22c.**

IMPRESSION MAKING VALUES

from our up-to-date HOUSE FURNISHING SECTION



FLOOR COVERINGS

LINOLEUMS—An elegant display of double width Linoleums, suitable for Halls, Dining Rooms or Bedrooms; painted back, soft, pliable finish. Special Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, the yard .. **\$2.39**

FLOOR CANVAS—Double Width Floor Canvas and real good looking patterns to select from. Painted back, brand new. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, Special .. **\$1.29**

FELTOL—Double width Floor Coverings, lively looking patterns, suitable for any room in the house. Special Friday and Tuesday .. **\$1.13**

WOOL SLIP-OVERS

Cream Wool Slip-overs, camisole around neck, elastic at wrist. Reg. \$1.00. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **90c.**

NEW BUCKLES—The newest, mottled Celluloid dress and coat buckles, in shades of Navy, Fawn, Brown, Grey and Black. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday each .. **29c.**

MAIDS' SETTS—Hemstitched white linen Collar and Cuff Setts, very dainty looking. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, The Set .. **47c.**

HAT STRAWS—In ten yard pieces, shades of Henna, Fawn, Peacock, Navy, Taupe, Jade, Champagne and Black, one inch width. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, 10 yard .. **69c.**

WOOL JUMPERS—Knitted Wool Jumpers, in very fashionable shades, all two tone effects, knitted, shirred and scalloped skirt. Spec. **\$2.80**

GIRDLES—In pretty fancy mixtures to harmonize with art materials of all kinds, tassel ends. Friday, Saturday & Tuesday .. **45c.**

WASTE PAPER HOLDERS—Fancy silvered paper baskets for waste paper ornamental, each .. **15c.**

Not for years have we offered such really good values in GLOVES

WASHABLE GLOVES—Ladies' Formal fabric Gloves, of wonderful durability, in White and Chamote, you can wash them, scrub them, rub them and they'll stand it. Special Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **55c.**

FABRIC GLOVES—Gloves that particularly suit the present season, not too heavy and just the weight and shades that are popular. Friday, Saturday and Monday .. **18c.**

KNITTED GLOVES—In Natural Chamote shades, closed wrist, sizes 6 to 7 1/2, washable and always presentable. Special 15c. pair .. **25c.**

LISLE GLOVES—Ladies' exquisite mercerized Lisle Gloves, very special quality. 2 Dome wrist, shades of Greys, Tans, Fawns, and Champagnes, etc. Special .. **49c.**

DRESS CREPES—38 inch Dress shades of Rose, Hello, Sand and Crepes of superior appearance; Cream, ideally suited for summer togs. Friday, Saturday & Tuesday .. **49c.**

FANCY MUSLINS—These bring you beautiful materials in crossbarred, fancy stripes and very fine checks; all White, 34 inches wide. Special Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **49c.**

SHOPPING BAGS—Plaited Reed Bags; very strong and serviceable. **19c.**

CASTORIA—Fletcher's Genuine. **35c.**

"COLOBITE"—The favorite Hat Dye, Navy and Black. **29c.**

MENTHOL INHALER—Brings relief from colds, asthma, headache, etc. **12c.**

HEARTH RUGS Underpriced

HEARTH RUGS—All New Hearth Rugs, specially selected for this week's selling event and every value a Special Value. 10 only of medium size Hearth Rugs; nice for bedroom or dining room. Reg. \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **\$3.15**

24 large size Hearth Rugs, showing a pretty mottled centre and two-tone stripe border; looks well. Reg. \$8.00. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **\$7.49**

DOOR MATS—Cocoanut Door Mats in Natural and Green and Natural and Marone borders; sensible Mats. Reg. 85c. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **47c.**

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STAIR CANVAS—18 inch painted back Stair Canvas; the patterns are good, the quality up to the standard. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **42c.**

STAIR DRUGGET—18 inch reversible Striped Stair Drugget, good wearing quality. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, the yard .. **47c.**

CUSHION COVERS—Reversible Cushion Slipovers, in all fancy designs; many color combinations, cord edge. Special Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **89c.**

MADRAS MUSLINS—44 inch, White, very pretty patterns, and for serviceability they are unsurpassed. They wash splendidly. Reg. 60c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **54c.**

ECRU CURTAIN LACE—50 inch Ecrú Lace Curtains, pretty all over patterns, soft limp finish; new ones. Reg. 50c. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **45c.**

FANCY SCRIM—In all White, with fancy self pattern all-over; uncommon looking. With these we have some nice filmy Cream Scrims, just like lace. Reg. 60c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **49c.**

KASO CASEMENTS—The latest in Case-ment Cloths, fine lace edge and wide insertion border of lace uncommon looking. Reg. 60c. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday .. **55c.**

Flags for St. George's Day

Union Jacks in assorted sizes. Just opened a shipment of English all Wool Bunting Flags; well made flags, strongly stitched, canvas bound, roped and toggled; all sizes. 3 yard Red Ensigns, in all Wool Bunting, **\$3.75** bound, roped and toggled. Special .. **\$5.25** 2 1/2 yard size. Special .. **\$5.25**



The Resourceful Store

Just Folks.

By EDGAR A. GUEST.

CHILDLESS.
The day her little baby died
The neighbours came and softly cried
And sought to comfort her who wept
On tiptoe round the room they stepped
And whispered to themselves the things
Which to our lips death always
brings,
The muttered wonderings, sweet and
low,
Of why God hurts his people so.
And one there whose face was fair
Among the kindly people there,
Whose hands were soft and very
white
Such as a little baby might
Delight to play with, and her breast
Just fashioned for a baby's rest,
And this she said: "No child have I,
I've been afraid that it might die."

"Hark to the mother weeping there!
Such grief as that I couldn't bear.
Oh, how I envy them to-day
Who watch their little one at play,
Yet always I have been afraid
If in my arms a babe were laid
The Lord might come again some day
And take my precious one away."
Richer and happier was she
Whose grief seemed pitiful to see,
For she had known her baby's smile
If only for a little while.
And spite of hurt and all her tears,
Sweet memories would grace her years
And at the last at Heaven's gate
For her a lovely child would wait.



NOTICE

Electoral District of St. John's Western Division. To Wit.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral Division aforesaid, that in obedience to His Majesty's Writ to me directed and bearing date, the ninth day of April 1923, I require the presence of the said electors at the Twine Factory, Hamilton Street in the district of the St. John's Western Division on the 23rd day of the month of April from 10 a.m. until 2 of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating persons to represent them in the General Assembly of Newfoundland; and that in case a poll be demanded and allowed in the manner of law prescribed, such poll will be opened on the 3rd day of the month of May, in the year 1923, from the hours of eight in the morning until eight of the clock in the afternoon, in such of the polling districts fixed by the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, dated the 7th day of the month of April in the year 1923.

And further, that at the Twine Factory, Hamilton Street, I shall open the ballot boxes, count the votes given for the several candidates and return as elected, the persons having the majority of votes, of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at St. John's, the 14th day of April, in the year 1923.

F. J. DOYLE,

apr 16, 1923. Returning Officer.



NOTICE

Electoral District of St. John's Eastern Division. To Wit.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral Division aforesaid, that in obedience to His Majesty's Writ to me directed and bearing date, the twelfth day of April 1923, I require the presence of the said electors at the Mechanics Hall, Water Street, in the district of the St. John's Eastern Division on the 23rd day of the month of April from 10 a.m. until 2 of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating persons to represent them in the General Assembly of Newfoundland; and that in case a poll be demanded and allowed in the manner of law prescribed, such poll will be opened on the 3rd day of the month of May, in the year 1923, from the hours of eight in the morning until eight of the clock in the afternoon, in such of the polling districts fixed by the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, dated the 7th day of the month of April in the year 1923.

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Given under my hand at St. John's, the 16th day of April, in the year 1923.

JOHN B. WADLAND,

apr 16, 1923. Returning Officer.

Reception Bay Afflame With the Sentiment.

FOR OF BENNETT AND BETTER TIMES.

In St. John's to-day the sentiment is in favor of Bennett and better times so pronounced that the six majorities in their favor, Reception Bay to-day is afflame with the same pronounced sentiment. There is no doubt of the strength of the sentiment aroused on behalf of the incoming Government that will replace the departed Squires, and all that the electors desire for now, is the opening of the polls on the 3rd of May to record their votes and copper-taste the Harbor Grace district. Mr. Squires has been much impressed by the outstanding ability and promise of the new Prime Minister, whose installation now the counting of the ballots, and the election there are naturally well known to the occupant of this district. They are also delighted to see his associates two such able men as Mr. Hickman, the great industrial enterpriser, whose activities means considerable welfare of the fishermen and their families; and Mr. Archibald, a surprising manufacturer who as an earnest and active producer everything that will tend to the Grace district to its old prosperity and to give greater impetus also. It is fortunate indeed that Mr. Squires has three such capable representatives, who in the new Government, for if they say men who have the necessary qualifications to hasten the development of the conditions essential thereto, as Bennett, Hickman and Archibald. It is no wonder that the electors of the district opposed to them are somewhat nervous; but the people naturally take the view that they were forced out against their will, and that they are safe in the belief that the Government will not undo what they have done, and that their supporters think as a political failure and that it is better for his own sake to let his little business. Mr. Squires would rather now abandon his business than see it hopeless, so that it may safely be assumed that the Bennett Government will not be opposed at all. The district of St. John's is so certain for the Bennett Government, that the electors there have set in word that they do not expect any kind of a contest, and that they will vote for Mr. Squires and Mr. Carbonear, Port de Grave and St. John's. Mr. Squires is equally strongly in favor of the popular policy of the Bennett Government. A week ago Mr. Carbonear was elected but this opinion does not hold for the majority of the electors, who are most anxious also to get on with the rest of the electors of the district, and not desirous of going on with the old Government of Mr. Carbonear. The ever popular Mr. Carbonear has from the day of his election to the City on Saturday, an acknowledged beaten Mr. Squires. The main of course stands in the dejection of Mr. Carbonear, but more so, by many hundreds, the sentiment there is now in favor of the Bennett Government, which has been approved of by the Government, brings into its ranks the men who with six men from St. John's, two from Ferryland, and two from Placentia and St. Mary's, when the North and the South are taken into account, which means a big majority in the House of Assembly, and in the new Government and the beginning of the happy days of the new Government will be well established.

Best Wishes to the Bennett Party.

My friends around here to drop you a few lines to express their wishes to the Bennett Party. We are all ready to vote for the Bennett Government. The hundred Government money, or to put some of our money plundered by rotten politicians the past year is not going to buy our votes. We don't thank them in the least for the money they have given back to us a portion of our money. De they think we are enough now to sell our votes for a few dollars when we know that the Squires-Coaker crowd will get us into extra taxes the next year. Not by a hundred will we do that gang, so mark up Mr. Squires as in favour of Bennett's Government.

SOUTH SHORE MAN, April 18th, 1923.

Charlie Yang captivated all Dog Drummond will get you. Casino Theatre.