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Here is a list of some of my prices for this season's goods:

Men's Suits, sizes 37 to 44.	Price \$20.00 to \$50.00
Young Men's Suits, sizes 34 to 36.	" 16.00 to 25.00
Men's Spring Overcoats.	" 15.00 to 35.00
Boys' Suits, 5 to 12 year sizes.	" 5.00 to 14.00
Boys' Suits, sizes 31 to 37.	" 8.00 to 22.00
Boys' Cotton Pants.	" 1.25 to 1.75
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A New Lot of Hobberlin Samples Just Arrived

SLAUGHTER SALE

On and after May 18th, all goods in my store will be sold at a

25 Per Cent Discount, for Cash, Until June 1st.

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G. O. THIES
MERCHANT TAILOR

RALPH LANE, Manager

LOCAL DEATH ROLL
(See also Page Three)

MRS. EMMA SPROWL
A Clarence correspondent writes: The many friends and acquaintances in this community were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Emma Sprowl of heart failure at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Poole, Everett, Mass., on Saturday morning, May 7th, at 12.30 o'clock. The deceased was formerly Miss Emma, daughter of the late Joseph and Caroline Palmer, of Melvern Square. She was twice married, her first husband being the late Elijah Sprowl, of Clarence, by whom she had four children, Rosy, who died in infancy; Everett and Josie, of Clarence, and Mrs. W. A. Poole, Everett, Mass. Her second husband was the late William Sprowl, of N. B. Shortly after her marriage she united with the Clarence Baptist Church and remained a consistent member until her death. Early last autumn she went to reside with her daughter in the U. S.

The remains were brot home and laid to rest in the Paradise cemetery. Before leaving Everett, Rev. Hughes, Pastor of the Church in that city, conducted a short service at the home. An impressive service was held at her late home on Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Hadden Balcom, Text Judge 11.7. The large concourse of friends showed the esteem in which she was held. She leaves to mourn, besides her two sons and daughter, four step-daughters, two step-sons and nine grandchildren, one sister, two brothers and several nieces and nephews. The entire sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved ones. Undertaker Reid had charge of the burial service. Pall bearers were Deacon Henry Messenger, William Messenger, Charles Jackson, Vernon Leonard, Eldon Marshall and Fred Banks. Floral tributes:—Pillow, Everett and Joseph; Wreath, Laura; Wreath, sister Lena; Spray, Oscar and Ada; Spray, Roy; Spray, Aubrey and Pearl; Spray (waxed) M. Gleason; Wreath (waxed), Miss Clark; Wreath (waxed), Mr. Bishop; Cut flowers (Tulips), Eva and Carrie; Spray, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Balcom; Spray (violets), Irena and Jean.

MRS. MARIA NEWCOMB
Mrs. Maria, widow of the late I. Newcomb, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph W. Elliott, at Clarence, last Wednesday, aged 85 years. The deceased was formerly Maria Smith. She was a prominent member of the Lawrence-town Baptist Church and took a deep interest in Christian work. She leaves one son, Eugene, of St. Joseph, Missouri, and four daughters, Mrs. Ralph Vroom, Cloverdale, B.C.; Miss Ida Newcomb, a missionary in India; Mrs. Malcolm McKinnon, of Medicine Hat, Alta., and Mrs. Elliott, with whom she resided. The funeral took place last Friday afternoon, with interment in Fairview cemetery, Lawrence town. The services were conducted by the Rev. W. S. Smith, pastor of the Lawrence-town Baptist Church, the pall bearers being, C. P. Goucher, of Middleton; F. G. Palfrey, I. C. Archibald, and J. W. Elliott. The floral tributes were beautiful.

MRS. A. M. ROOP
The death of Elizabeth, wife of A. M. Roop, occurred at the Memorial Hospital, Middleton, on Thursday morning, May 13th, after an illness of about three months during which time hopes were entertained that an operation would be successful. However surgical aid was of no avail. She was a valued member of the Springfield Baptist Church and an active member of the W. M. A. S. A faithful helpmate, a loving mother, whose life was spent in doing for others. She left besides a husband, two sons, Ellis, of Montreal, and Everett, of Calgary, who helped care for his mother, and one daughter, Gertrude, at home. An aged mother, Mrs. Barteaux, of Mt. Hanley, and several brothers and sisters. The funeral was held on Sunday, May 15th, and was largely attended. The W.M.A.S. had an expressive service at the grave. The floral tributes were beautiful.

WILLIAM MITCHELL
The people of Hampton and vicinity were sorry to learn of the death of William Mitchell, which occurred at the Victoria General Hospital in Halifax last Wednesday, following an operation for appendicitis. The deceased who was 42 years of age, is survived by a widow and two small children. He also leaves his aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Mitchell, one brother, Freeman, of Hampton, and seven sisters: Mrs. Edgar Titus, Eborator; Mrs. Hamilton Shearer, Paradise; Mrs. Ernest Fash, Hampton; Mrs. Loran Elliott, and Mrs. Douglas McGowan, Everett, Mass.; Lizzie and Ella, also in Massachusetts. The funeral was held from his late home Thursday afternoon with interment in the Hampton cemetery, the funeral services, which were Rev. David W. Dixon, pastor of the largely attended, being conducted by

Baptist Church. The pall bearers were L. D. Brooks, Henry Allen, John Templeman and John Titus.

MISS HELEN QUIRK
Miss Helen Quirk passed peacefully away at her home on Queen St., Saturday night, at the advanced age of 88 years. Several years ago she lost her eyesight which caused her to lead a quiet and retired life. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Quirk, of Bridgetown, and is survived by two brothers, John and James, South St. Funeral look place Monday afternoon with interment in the Riverside cemetery, services being conducted by Rev. E. Underwood, rector of St. James' Church, the pall bearers being Karl Freeman, C. B. Longmire, E. N. Messinger and O. P. Covert. The floral tributes were beautiful. Among those from out of town who were present at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyt, of Sydney; Mr. Harry Hoyt, of Weymouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Miller, of Annapolis.

MRS. JAVARD CHUTE
Mrs. Henrietta L., wife of Mr. Jarvard Chute, passed away at her home in Bridgetown, Monday night, aged 72 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church, a prominent resident of the West End and her death is learned with much regret by a large circle of relatives and acquaintances. She is survived by a husband, three sons, Arthur, Burpee and Murray. She also leaves three sisters, Mrs. James Gilliat, Granville; Mrs. Ada Holmes, and Mrs. James Waugh, Granville Ferry. Funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 with interment in the Riverside cemetery. The services will be conducted by the Rev. M. S. Richardson, pastor of the Bridgetown Baptist Church.

MISS HARRIET BRUCE
Miss Harriet Bruce, of Centrelea, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser, Granville Centre, Saturday, May 14th, aged 79 years. The deceased had been ill for some time and was a great sufferer. She leaves two brothers, Edgar and Wallace Bruce, of Centrelea, and one sister, Mrs. Charlton Mullen, of Digby. Funeral took place Monday from her former home in Centrelea, with interment in the cemetery in that village, the services being conducted by Rev. M. S. Richardson, pastor of the Bridgetown Baptist church.

MRS. ISRAEL BANKS
The funeral of the late Mrs. Israel Banks, of Rossway, took place in Bear River, on Sunday afternoon, May 8th. Mrs. Banks, who was the daughter of John Frude, formerly resided on the Sisiboo road, Bear River, and was well known to all there. Interment was at Mount Hope cemetery, the pastor from Rossway officiating. She is survived by her husband, Israel Banks, a son John, resident in Bear River; Charles, now in business in Boston; Hallett, of Round Hill, and others. All join in sympathy to the family.

MRS. HIRAM JOHNSON
Mrs. Hiram Johnson died at her home in Port Lorne, Sunday, aged 71 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church and highly respected by a large circle of friends. She is survived by a husband and one son, William. The funeral takes place this morning. The services will be conducted by Rev. David W. Dixon, pastor of the Port Lorne Baptist Church.

MILFORD
Mr. and Mrs. Reid Orde spent Sunday at Greywood.
A sing was enjoyed at Mrs. Allison Wentzell's, Sunday evening.
Miss Beatrice and Jane Mallman spent a few days at Annapolis Royal, recently.
Mr. Frank and Ralph Orde, of Greywood, spent Sunday at Mrs. Chas. Sullivan's.
Phyllis Wood, of LeQuille, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gates.
Miss Minnie and Oda Gates returned home Tuesday, having spent a few days at West Springhill.

If all the world loves a lover it has a queer way of showing it at times.

BORN
HERBERTS—At Vancouver, B. C., April 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Herberts, a son, Mrs. Herberts, before her marriage, was Miss Helen Thorne, of Lower Granville.

MARRIED
KEDDY—MORSE—At Auburn, April 27th, by Rev. William Ryan, Harold K. Keddy of Greenwood, Kings Co., to Miss Myrtle E. Morse, of Bloomington, Annapolis Co.

RAWDING—VIDITO—At Bridgetown, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. Cranswick Jost, D. D., Mr. Willis Edwin Rawding and Miss Eva May Vidito, both of Kentville.

SEASONABLE GOODS AT THE BECKWITH STORE

8 only White Bedspreads. Linen and Mercer Tablelinen.

White Bath Towels. Cotton and Linen Towels, 45c, 60c, 65c and 75c, now 35c, 48c, 53c and 60c

Velveteen 21 inches wide now 98c, black and navy, brown and blue.

Boys' Overalls, \$1.95 going at \$1.25. Boys' Knickerbockers \$1.98 going at \$1.25 also Boys' Knickerbockers, \$4.25, \$3.70, \$2.75, greatly reduced.

Men's Working Pants \$6.25 now \$4.25

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Primrose Theatre
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THURSDAY, MAY 19th
"RUTH OF THE ROCKIES", Episode 12, "The Secret Order." Pathe Review, Pathe News and Comedy.

FRIDAY, MAY 20th
Famous-Lasky presents Billie Burke in "AWAY GOES PRUDENCE", and Paramount Magazine.

SATURDAY, MAY 21st
Famous-Lasky present Charles Ray in "HOMER COMES HOME" and a Mack Sennet Comedy "LET HER GO"

MONDAY, MAY 23rd
Select Pictures Present Elsie Janis in "REGULAR GIRL"

TUESDAY, MAY 24th
Pathe presents Harold Lloyd in one of his latest comedies "HIS ROYAL SLYNESS" also TWO REEL DRAMA and NEWS REEL.

Two Shows Thursday, Saturday and Tuesday, first at 7.30. One Show Friday and Monday at 8.00.

SUMMER HATS FOR SUMMER WEAR

First Showing of Summer Millinery, Saturday, May 21st
Milans, Leghorns, Knox Sailors, Sport Hats and large graceful Dress Hats in Georgette, Mohair, and transparent effects.

A. B. TROOP LOCKETT BLOCK

SPECIAL THIS WEEK

We are offering the balance of our stock of BANANA FIGS and CALIFORNIA LAYER FIGS at a very low price to clear before warmer weather.

2 packages Banana Figs \$.25
10 " " " 1.00
California Layer Figs 18 cents per lb.
5 lbs. for 75 cents, 10 lb box for \$1.65

A. J. BURNS

Every Added Subscription Helps to Make This paper better For everybody

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AUTO ACCIDENT AT BE...

A Commercial Train the Bridge at the T...

(Digby) An accident which proved very serious Mr. MacFarlane, a travelling fraternalist in St. John, a wholesale Grocery little sensation in of Bear River on Friday while coming round Tide his automobile (way) by some one was backed over taking away with it ing that served as that part of the distance of about 1 its sudden descent ersult. Fortunately Farlane, who was and who was the tide was fairly high he escaped without bad shaking up. He with his unexpected The automobile, at up from out of the by its own power to the owner was stat after his thrilling c his clothes were bel the great surprise of the car again to wonderful automobile into Digby that ear der its own power, experience who wor ing a Ford Car on a day of the month, must have been wit friend after escapin accident without pra to show.

SPRING WORK IN GARDEN

(Experimental) No doubt most ga cleaned up by this ti nothing has yet been parts of Canada.

The covering is oft too long in the spri suit that a disease d in and the plants ar It is desirable to g roses dry as soon as even if the covering altogether it should loosened up, so that through, and in our better to uncover w than to leave it until Among the first t the garden are tho pea, and the sooner now the better, man them this year earl object of planting e the roots getting do subsoil before the h in, as the sweet pea for best results. In in a trench as is oft sowed seed on the let two inches deep an so that seed will get ture.

Among other bar seed of which can early in the open ar Candytat, Cosmos, Lupine, Zinnia, Sunn Phlox Drummondii, L ia, Forget-Me-Not, P flower.

The mistake is sowing flower seeds of the above seeds more than half an for most of them o is often too much, too deeply the young reach the surface, ar is often unjustly bla Although the ab plants are among t will be time almost sow any other seeds frost after seedlings a be over and the gro warmed up soon. W as important for som vention of injury fro tain seeds will not g soil and if it is moil instead.

There is often a te plants which have b the house outside as are a few fine, wa it will not hurt to s on such days, if the at night, the plants set in the open grou week of May or earl often plants which h