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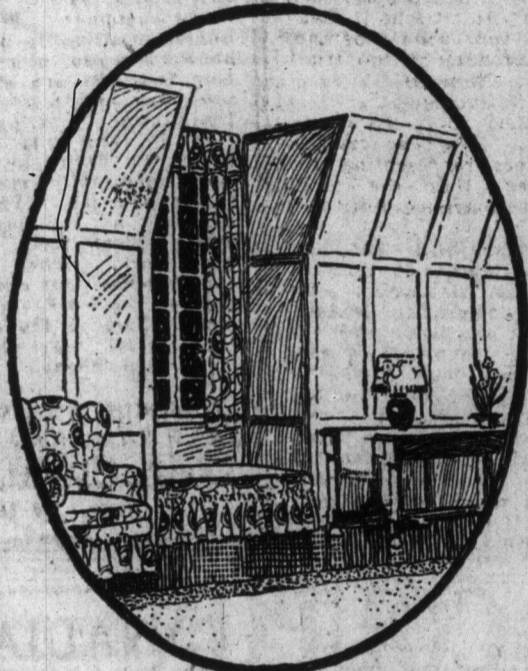
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Do You Know About Neponset Wall-Board?

An Artistic Boon to You if There's an Unfinished Attic or Basement Room That You Want to Decorate—Or a Partition to Put Up

"NEPONSET"—'tis the answer to all your worry when an unfinished attic must be set into order as a bedroom, nursery or studio, or a basement converted into a billiard-room or boys' playroom.

It is a wall-board that represents a very triumph in make and achievement—easy to apply to either plastered or unplastered walls, durable in wear, and artistic in appearance. For club dressing-rooms or millinery or dressmaking fitting-rooms it is admirable.



Neponset is about one-quarter of an inch thick, and may be had in sheets from 6 to 10 feet long and 32 inches wide—in white, cream white or quartered oak finish, and it may be left in its natural color or painted in any soft tone you wish. It is waterproof and light, easily cut with a sharp knife, and easily applied with a hammer and nails.

Besides its ordinary household use it may be employed with great success for offices, summer cottages, garages, window displays, clothes cupboards, ceilings, playhouses, workshops, quickly-made and light-weight chests and boxes.

In "white" finish—in reality a soft, grey cream—it may be had in 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12-foot lengths, and 32 and 48-inch widths at the price of \$40.00 per 1,000 square feet.

In "cream-white" finish—a warm cream color—it comes in the same sizes as the "white," and is priced at \$37.50 per 1,000 square feet.

While in "quartered-oak" finish, strongly resembling seasoned oak panelling, and excellent for wainscoting, it comes in 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10-foot lengths, 32 inches wide only. Price, \$42.50 per 1,000 square feet.

—Fourth Floor, Queen Street.

Three Specials in Cut Glass

VASES, berry bowls, water and lemonade sets—these useful pieces are prominent in this great special offering of fine cut-glass. Here are a few desirable pieces:

Richly Cut-Glass Berry Bowls, 8 inches in diameter, in combination buzz and star design, notched and scalloped edges, deeply cut on clear heavy blanks. Extra special, today, each 3.95

Richly Cut Flower Vases, trumpet shape, 10 inches high, beautifully designed and cut in a combination of buzz and hobnail pattern, have scalloped and notched edges and cut star bottom. Special, each 3.50

Cut-Glass Water or Lemonade Sets—two shapes to choose from. One is a tall tankard shape jug, with combination colonial and light floral cutting with star bottom. The other is cut in a floral design. With each jug is a choice of four shaped tumblers. One style, optic lemonade glass, cut star bottom, tall optic water glass, low optic water glass, and tall water glass, with star bottom. Extra special, today, 7-piece set 4.35

—Basement.

The "Hamilton" is Famous Among Watches

Enjoys an Envyable Reputation for Beauty of Mechanism and Accurate Timekeeping—Adjusted to Difference in Temperature and Change of Position in Carrying

ARE YOU TURNING OVER IN YOUR MIND the purchase of a watch—one that will serve as faithful friend in your own waistcoat pocket, or that will play the part of a handsome gift to somebody else?

If you are, then the "Hamilton" claims your attention, for, measured with all the fine watches on the market, it looms up large as one of the finest. It is justly noted from one end of the American continent to the other for the excellence of its mechanism and the accuracy of its timekeeping. It is adjusted to variability of temperature and change of position (makes no difference whether it is lying flat on the bedside table or upright on the end of its chain). It is conveniently thin in design.

The splendid selection of "Hamiltons" in the Watch Department on the Main Floor includes the following models:

Men's Hamilton watch—number 12 size—open-faced, gold-filled case and 17-jewel movement. Price 40.00

Similar watch in the larger number 16 size, with open-faced, gold-filled case and 17-jewel movement. Price 34.50

Hamilton watch, number 16 size, in open-faced, gold-filled case, with 19-jewel movement. Price 42.00

Watch of similar style, with 21-jewel movement. Price 45.50

Men's Hamilton watch, in number 12 size, with 14-karat gold, open-faced case and 17-jewel movement. Price 72.00

—Main Floor, Yonge St.



Centres and Doylies of Madeira Linen

Daintiness Itself, and so Durable

HAND-MADE Madeira linen sets of fine, firm linen, exquisitely embroidered in eyelet work, and having scalloped edges. The set consists of a 24-inch round centerpiece, a half-dozen 6-inch doilies and a half-dozen 9-inch doilies. Specially priced at \$5.00 a set.

Of Irish linen, in satin damask finish, are delightful table cloths. They have graceful border designs, and floral or conventional centres, and are woven in a firm, medium weight. Their price is surprisingly low, considering present market conditions. Size 2 x 2 1/2 yards. Price 6.00

—Second Floor, James St.

Davenport Beds and Divanettes

DAVENPORTS, with frames of fumed oak, or mahogany finish—are upholstered with floral tapestry. Price, complete with mattress 49.00

Divanettes with fumed or golden oak frames, covered with artificial leather. Price, complete with mattress 38.50

Davenport beds, of fumed oak, with mattress. Price 37.50

—Furniture Building, James and Albert Streets.

Silk Jersey

Fine of Weave, Lustrous, and Obtainable in Very Pretty Shades, Price \$3.00

ITS POPULARITY grows with use, so when silk jersey can be obtained at this moderate price it is a thing to do more than make a mental note of.

It is so fine that it falls into the most delightful folds, and is charming for the fashioning of the modish smocks or dresses. The colors, too, are lovely—those rather brilliant hues that are known as "sports shades." They include emerald, gold, peacock blue, rose, grey, pink and white. The width is 42 inches. Price, per yard 3.00

—Second Floor, Albert St.

Make Your Rooms Fresh and Lovely With Cumberland Prints

Beauteous Chintzes in Soft or Radiant Colorings and Good Old English Designs

A PLEASANT TASK, isn't it, this choosing of fresh chintzes for your winter-worn rooms?

The decorative possibilities of these flowery fabrics are so great. They transform a room from a barracks to a bower. And in the Drapery Department there is such a joyous medley of color effects that no matter what your choice it can scarcely fail to be a happy one.

Possessing a most unique charm are the well-known "Cumberland prints"—patterned all over in their velvety hand-blocked designs. The softness and subtlety of their colors and the beauty of their patterns are such that it would seem impossible to excel them.

Their variety this spring is delightful—delicate, fantastic patterns in high-keyed color schemes of green, rose, yellow and blue, to rich, substantial patterns of fruits and leaves, in tans, terra cottas and deep blue-greens.

For example:

A delightful pattern is one of full-blown roses, in a soft moonlit grey pink, with glistening white petal edges, on a black background.



Another design has sprawly flowering branches and gay birds of paradise all across it. It may be had in several color schemes of greens, roses and clear, soft blues, on white or black grounds.

Chinese pagodas peer over the tree-tops of another chintz in gay, soft tones of blue, yellow, lavender and green, while still others have huge overflowing baskets of flowers, pheasants and sundry brightly-plumaged birds, and fruit in leafy branches in a host of colors, for every room in almost every house. 32 inches wide. Their prices run from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per yard.

Interesting, too, are imported chintzes, 50 inches wide, and splendidly adapted for summer slip covers and hangings. One pattern is of great, wide-open roses, and leaves scattered so closely over a white ground that only glimpses of white show through. In predominating tones of rose, tan or soft mulberry. Its price is \$1.25 a yard.

Another pattern is of small, neat roses and rhododendrons, with thick foliage in soft rose, fawn and green on a black ground. Its price is likewise \$1.25 a yard.

—Fourth Floor, Albert St.

Three Big Specials in the Drapery Department, Today

Panne Finished Velours at \$1.75 Yard

BEAUTIFUL LUSTROUS panne finish velours, in bright glossy weave—so favored as a rich overdrapery or soft hanging portieres, and at this price, offers a value almost too good to be true, for this material is becoming exceedingly difficult to obtain. It is 50 inches wide, and in a collection of rich new colorings, such as green, brown, rose, tan, blue, mulberry and gold. Special, yard 1.75

Exceedingly Popular as a Curtain Material is Madras muslin—and here it is, today, at an unusually low price. It is in many pretty and effective floral and conventional patterns, with some dainty trellis effects. White and light ecru, width 34 and 36 inches. Special price, per yard25

Nottingham Sash Nets, in an assortment of attractive patterns, on a strong wearing net, show floral and medalion centres, with borders to match. These borders are scalloped and overlapped, insuring durability. White only, 30 inches wide. Reduced price, per yard15

Also These Other Good Values

English Art Chintz, 31" wide, in a pleasing range of new designs, including lattice, trellis, tapestry, small and large rose effects in color combinations of rose, green, blue, pink, tan, brown, yellow, etc. Extra well printed on a good firm cloth, on light and dark grounds. Suitable material for over-curtains, slip covers, cushions or light upholstery. Per yard50

Nottingham Lace, Fish Net, Scrim and Marquisette Curtains, one to three pairs in the lot. The lace curtains, 45" to 64" wide by 2 1/2 and 3 yards long. Colors white and ivory, showing borders with plain and figured centres. The scrim are of mercerized cotton, showing the newest effects in lace edging and insertion to match. Per pair 2.35

Brunswick Carpet Sweepers, in oak or mahogany finish. A strong bristle brush for picking up the dirt. All metal parts heavy japanned, wheels rubber tired and furniture band. Complete with handle. Each 2.75

Window Shades, in cream or green. Good quality opaque mounted on a reliable roller. Size 37 x 70 inches. Complete with ring pull, brackets and nails. Each49

—Fourth Floor.

MEN AT THE FRONT LIVE CLEAN LIVES

Rev. John Neil Brings Back Reassuring Message From Overseas.

Back from the very front line of Canadian trenches, where he went to convey to the members of the C.E.F. the greetings of the Presbyterian Church, Rev. John Neil D.D., moderator, told the representatives of the press yesterday his impressions of France and the Canadian boys overseas.

"The men at the front live clean lives," said Dr. Neil, referring to the rumors of misconduct which have come across the water of late. "None have resisted temptation better than our men have done. Some speak a great deal about drunkenness. I must say I did not see much among our Canadians. I was at Witley, Bram-

shot, other camps in England, and several camps in France, and saw very few Canadians drunk.

"I purposely, without any intention of spying, went for a week to a hotel where Canadians come on leave, and I saw drinking, but very little drunkenness. There are others who have other reports, but I am convinced that many are exaggerated. I met our boys and looked into their faces, and if I can judge from their clear eyes and open faces, they are men who are living clean lives. Everyone says that there are no troops who stand up better than our men have done."

Visited Grave of Gen. Mercer. Dr. Neil paid a tribute to the high standard of the medical and sanitation service overseas. "If this war had occurred 15 years ago, it would have been a very much more dreadful thing," he said. He referred to the experience of the South African war, that disease was more fatal than bullets; but in this war typhoid and epidemics were not heard of. While in France, Dr. Neil visited the grave of Gen. Mercer, whose wooden cross is planted near Ypres. "I never saw," he said, "cemeteries kept in better condition than those where our Canadian soldiers are buried, both in Belgium and in France. I was delighted to see them kept with such good care."

WILLS PROBATED

Alexander Norris, who died in Toronto January 16, leaving an estate valued at \$17,827, left a life interest in his estate to his widow, Mrs. Sarah Ann Norris, 211 Kenilworth avenue. The estate includes \$127 cash; \$150 household goods; \$1,950 mortgage 193-197 Augusta avenue, inventoried at \$8,400; 48 Beverley street, \$3,000; and \$2-64 Grange avenue, \$4,200. On the death of Mrs. Norris the testator's daughter, Mrs. Letitia Winder will receive a piano, sewing machine and the houses on Augusta avenue.

Douglas P. B. Glass, a former branch manager of the Bank of Montreal, who died suddenly at his home, 597 Spadina avenue, March 8, left an estate valued at \$23,261, and Mrs. Barbara Barker Glass, sole beneficiary and executrix, has applied for probate of the will. The estate consists of \$225 in household goods and personal effects, \$6,912 in the bank \$1,132 in a mortgage, \$8,000 in war bonds, \$4,000 in insurance and twenty shares Canadian Mortgage Investment Co., \$2,000.

POPE'S INCOME \$1,400,000.

The Pope's income is \$1,400,000 a year, one-seventh of which is guaranteed by the Emperor of Austria; another seventh comes from vested interests, and the remainder is derived from Peter's Pence.

SHOULD BE NO APPEAL TO COURTS, SAYS MAYOR

Civic Officials Dissatisfied With Results of T.S.R. and School Board Legislation

Mayor Church is very much peeved at Queen's park and all that is therein. "It is unfortunate that there is no election next June," he said yesterday when he picked up the morning papers and read what the legislature had done to his bill to secure control of the expenditures of the board of education. "Mr. Irish seems to be the chief sponsor for the board of education," said the mayor. "His statement to the supreme court from the judgment of the railway board, the mayor said: 'The legislature appointed the railway board and yet has not enough confidence in it to accept its rulings. If it took six years to get our case thru the board, heaven only knows how long it will take us to get the appeal thru.'"

"It is simply another scrap of paper

added to the mass of documents disobeyed by the railway company as fast as they are produced."

Veterans' Reunion May Take Place on St. Julien Day

It is probable that the anniversary of St. Julien, April 22, will be chosen as the date for the grand re-union of the first contingent men who are coming home on furlough. Although no definite plans have been made, those in charge of the arrangements think that it should take the form of a huge outdoor demonstration and picnic. Mayor Church suggests Riverdale park or Exhibition park. The soldiers and their families can make a picnic of it, and can have bands to play while the sports go on," said the mayor yesterday. He will endeavor to arrange for a half holiday on that day. Sergeant William Turley of the G.W.V.A. favors a demonstration in Queen's park.

MEETINGS IN PROVINCE. P. O. Pratt, assistant provincial secretary of the G. W. V. A., will visit Bowmanville on Friday next and on the following Wednesday will visit Brampton. W. E. Turley is holding a large organization meet there, and between them they hope to get results of some magnitude. The meetings held at Niagara Falls and St. Catharines last week, proved successful.

RINKS HAD GOOD SEASON.

"A most successful season," said the parks department, referring to the winter sports season in Toronto's parks. The rinks opened on Decem-

ber 2 and closed on February 23 and enjoyed cold snappy weather practically all the time. There were 28 public skating rinks, 24 hockey rinks and 10 military rinks open.

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