

A Remarkable Spring Sale

OF

Clothing and Furnishings

For Men and Boys

FOR TWO WEEKS, AND TWO WEEKS ONLY

Starts Friday Morning, April 16

And Ends Saturday, May 1

If You Work Hard for the Dollars That You Earn
This Sale Means a Lot to You, So Read This
Advertisement to the Last Word



On March 25 our buyer while in Montreal put through a deal whereby a large quantity of goods comes to us at a remarkable saving in price. These are the goods that are going on sale commencing Friday morning, along with some broken lines taken from our regular stock.

Thousands of dollars worth of new and up-to-the minute clothing and furnishings of the highest character to be sold in the next two weeks.

Positively the Biggest Bargains We Will Offer This Year

You can now lay in a supply of Clothing to meet
your future needs and save from 20 to 50
per cent. on your purchases

Bargains Galore in Men's Furnishings

Underwear

Men's Soft Merino Shirts and Drawers, Regular 50c. Sale price 38c.
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits, in White and Natural Shades, Regular \$1.00. Sale price 55c. a suit.

Shirts

Soft Front Colored Shirts, Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale price 76c.
Some odd sizes in Men's Colored Shirts, Regular \$1.00 to \$1.50. While they last, 49c.
Light Grey Flannel Outing Shirts, Reversible Collar, Regular \$1.25. Sale price, 79c.
Some Odds and Ends of Stiff White Shirts, Regular up to \$1.25. To Clear, 35c., 3 for \$1.00.
Good Quality Duck Working Shirts, also Railroad Shirts, Regular 50c. to 75c. Sale price, 39c.
Heavy "Khaki" Duck Military Shirts, Regular \$1.35. Sale price, 88c.

Gloves

Special Real Cheverette Gloves in Tan with Black Marking on Back, Very Popular, Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00. Sale price, \$1.15.
Men's Heavy Grey Suede Street Gloves, Regular \$1.50. Sale price, 98c. pair.

Leather Working Gloves and Mitts

Regular 65c. to 75c. Sale price, 45c.

Men's Hosiery

Men's Black Heavy Cotton Socks. Sale price, 2 pairs for 25c.
Men's Very Fine English Cashmere Socks, Regular 35c. and 40c. Sale price, 23c.
Regular 50c. Silk Socks in Black, Tan, White, Grey, etc. Half price, 25c. pair.
Heavy Grey Merino Socks, Regular 25c. Sale price, 18c.
"The Famous Jason" Black Cashmere Socks, Regular 50c. Sale price, 35c. pair.
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Caps

A Lot of Regular \$1.00 Caps. On Sale at 88c.

Braces

Good Strong Police Braces, also Pulley Braces, Regular 25c. Sale price, 18c.

Neckties

A Great Bargain in Men's Regular 50c. Pure Silk Ties in the Newest Color Ideas. Sale price, 25c. each.
Knitted Ties, See Them in the Window, Regular 25c. Sale price 14c.

Suit Cases

Strong "Leatherette" Suit Cases, Well Finished, in 24 and 26 inch sizes, Regular \$1.50. Sale price, 98c.

Tremendous Suit Bargains

Regular \$ 8.50 Tweed Suits. Sale price, \$ 5.75
Regular 9.00 Tweed Suits. Sale price, 6.95
Regular 10.00 Tweed Suits. Sale price, 7.25
Regular 12.00 Tweed Suits. Sale price, 8.00
Regular \$15.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits. Sale price, 10.50
Regular 18.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits. Sale price, 12.50
Regular 20.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits. Sale price, 15.50
Regular 22.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits. Sale price, 18.50
"The Celebrated College Brand" Blue Serge Suits, Guaranteed Fast Color and Up-to-date in Every Way, Regular \$15.00. Sale price, \$11.85.
Broken Sizes in Men's Black and Blue Serge and Cheviot Suits, Regular \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00. To Clear, \$7.75.

Read About These Spring Overcoats!

25 Top Coats for Men in Size 34, 35 and 36. Mostly 3/4 length. Made of Whipcord and Covert Cloth, Regular \$10.00 to \$15.00. Your Choice, \$5.00
A Table of Spring Overcoats for Men, in Black, Light and Medium Greys, etc. Regular prices \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$22.00. Sale price, \$9.50

Men's Raincoats at Big Reductions

Men's Tweed Raincoats, Raglan Style in a Nice Shade of Olive, Guaranteed Waterproof, Regular \$12.00. Sale price, \$8.50
Wool Paramatta Raincoats, in Fawn and Olive Shades, Motor and Raglan Shoulders, Regular \$15.00. Sale price, \$10.50

"A Trouser Sale Worth While"

Regular \$2.00 Tweed Pants. Sale price, \$1.39
Regular 2.25 Tweed Pants. Sale price, \$1.59
Regular 2.50 Tweed Pants. Sale price, 1.79
Regular 3.50 Worsted Pants. Sale price, 2.69

Boys' Bloomer Pants

Regular \$1.00 Bloomers. Sale price, 68c.
Regular 1.25 Bloomers. Sale price, 88c.
Regular 1.50 Bloomers. Sale price, \$1.18

Men's Overalls

Men's Heavy Drill Overalls, in Navy with White Stripes, a strong, well made garment, Regular \$1.00. Sale price, 63c.

"By All Means See the Great Bargains in Boys' Suits"

Regular \$3.50 Norfolk Suits. Sale price, \$2.89
Regular 4.50 Norfolk Suits. Sale price, 3.49
Regular 5.00 Norfolk Suits. Sale price, 3.89
Regular 6.00 Norfolk Suits. Sale price, 4.49

WHOLE STOCK OF SMALL BOYS' SPRING OVERCOATS AND REEFERS AT REDUCED PRICES.

The above items typify exactly what you can expect in rare value giving, and you'll find many unadvertised bargains of equal importance from the point of true saving.

MAKE THESE SALE DAYS COUNT MUCH FOR YOU. Come in see for yourself just how far a dollar will go in this great event—both in the amount you can buy and the unusual value you can get.

There will be plenty of competent salespeople to see that you are properly waited upon, no matter how great the crowds.

NOTE—We will pay your Railroad Fare to St. John and home again if you live within 40 miles and Buy \$25.00 Worth or more.

Store Closed on Thursday. — No Goods on Approval During the Sale

DONALDSON HUNT

17-19 Charlotte Street

St. John, N. B.

"LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN"

SPORTING EVENTS

JOHNSON'S TRAINERS CLAIM BIG FIGHT WAS FIXED

Samuel McVey, the Senegambian slammer from Oxford, Cal., and his trainer Dave Mills, who both served as pacemakers in the late John Arthur Johnson in the recent triumph of the noble white race at Havana, and who have been lost in an extremely dark reverie the past couple of days as they rolled up through the South, got to telling just what they think about that Willard-Johnson matter.

They think that so far as Johnson was concerned it was like the train schedule of the Atlantic Coast Line, which is to say all wrong.

What Sam and Dave told they will probably repeat all over the country, but it must be remembered that they are both colored boxers, and it is not likely that the colored men of their craft are going to give Willard any more credit than they have to it. It should further be borne in mind that Sam McVey has engaged in several conflicts himself that were not wholly commendable.

George Lawrence, an Austrian, who manages McVey, seems to think pretty much the same as Sam and Dave. He says he had 500 pounds bet on Johnson in Australia, but managed to call it off at the last minute.

"Jack never did train like a man who was getting ready for a hard fight," says Sam, with Dave nodding assent to every sentence. "He didn't do any road work. He just took a walk every day. His gymnasium stuff didn't amount to anything. He started out all right when he landed there, but after the first week he wasn't so brisk. I think something had happened. I wouldn't have thought so much about it if the fight had been for 20 or 25 rounds, but I says to him one day, 'Jack, I says, '45 rounds is a long ways from home, man,' and he just looked at me, and says, 'You think so?' But he didn't do no different."

"When the fight was about to begin I had his gloves, but he wouldn't put 'em on right away. 'You hold them until I sign a paper,' he says, and he waited right there in his corner until he had signed the agreement that gave him 50 per cent. of the pictures and the management of the return rights."

"That fellow Willard walked into him mighty confident for a man who had never met a big fighter, it seemed to me. I thought Jack ought to have been able to do more to him than he did for awhile, even if he had gone back. Anybody would think Willard would have the same notion, but he never seemed to be scared about anything Jack might do. When Jack was walking back to his corner after the knock-out he winked at me, and Bob Armstrong says, 'There, you see what money will do.'"

"Jack never seemed to be worried about anything before the fight and was just as happy afterwards as ever. When he got home his wife was crying around, and he says: 'Don't cry, I've got something to tell you,' and then they went into a room together, and in a few minutes she came out laughing."

"Between the rounds Jack never said a word to us about how he felt. He never said he was tired or anything like that. He just asked the number of the rounds. He didn't fight Willard like he knew anything about fighting at all, because that Willard cannot fight. Leaving out all us black fellows I can name four white men who can lick him, and it looked to me like Johnson could have done better."

Promised McVey 10 Rounds.

"I tried to get a fight with Johnson," says McVey, and he promised me a match, but said it would be only for 10 rounds, and that it would have to be fixed. Yet he insisted on boxing Willard 45 rounds. If it had been 20 or 25 I could understand it, but where did an old man like him have a right to think he could go 45?"

"What was the title to him any more?" concluded Sam. "He said himself you couldn't get anything on a title if you was hungry and there wouldn't have been no one for him to fight."

"Boss, it didn't look good to me." McVey's statement does not coincide, however, with his description of his boxing exhibition with Johnson a few days before the fight. He said of that:

"My manager told me to cut loose and live up the show a bit, but I wasn't do it or I would have made Jack Johnson look bad."

Now there was no reason for Johnson not making a showing against McVey, so the fact that he failed to do so is the surest proof in the world that he was through when he faced Willard. It is possible that he realized this long before the fight. It is possible that when he started to train he found he could not get into condition and decided not to tax himself in the effort.

His last minute hold-up of the management means nothing, because he did the same thing at Reno and crossed himself. The fight there was to have been on a basis of seventy-five and twenty-five, but Jack called on Tex Rickards at the 11th hour and forced a split of fifty-fifty, thus losing a chunk of money. It would be highly characteristic of Johnson not to tell even his wife the truth about himself.

There is therefore, nothing in what McVey and Mills say that can be taken as proof of a "cook-up" in Havana. But it is interesting as showing the attitude of Johnson's own camp followers. Apparently they seem to feel that they were somehow double-crossed. McVey names as the four men that he thinks can beat Willard, Frank Moran, Georges Carpentier, Jim Coffey and Gunboat Smith, but of that quartette it is doubtful if more than one really has a chance against big Jess.

A famous old-time sporting man, who saw the Havana fight, and who listened to the McVeyian voice of suspicion today, summed matters up very tersely when he said:

"I don't believe there was anything the matter with that affair, but," and here he stroked his chin, "I have seen so many things happen in the prize ring that I wouldn't ever be surprised at anything that ever does happen."

New York, April 13.—That boxing managers of this city are opposed to any change in the boxing laws of this State and that the public will have to stand the added tax of seven and one-half per cent. if the proposed law, now in Albany, is passed, was the gist of a statement given out last night by Charles J. Harvey, secretary of the State Boxing Commission.

Managers of boxing clubs at a meeting recently protested against any change, says Mr. Harvey. They argue he says, that boxing is cleanly conducted now and that the law has served as an example for other States. The added tax proposed will, he asserts, have to be paid by the public, since few clubs are making both ends meet at present. The proposition to limit expenses and guarantees will mean inferior bouts throughout the States.

McGowan ... 81 75 92 248 82 2-3
O'Neill ... 71 79 70 220 73 2-3
McGovern ... 69 80 84 243 81
Cleary ... 107 84 78 269 89 2-3
437 402 405 1244

Two-Men League
No. 2 team and No. 6 team played an interesting game last night which was watched by a crowd of interested spectators. Following is the line-up and result of the game:

No. 2 Team
Wright—81 90 84 95 73 423 84 3-5
Anthony—80 79 84 78 80 401 80 1-5
161 169 168 173 153 824

No. 6 Team
Hill—81 79 91 94 83 428 85 3-5
Stevens—82 93 96 98 95 464 92 4-5
163 173 167 192 175 892

McLaren ... 109 74 81 264 88

RESULTS IN THE BIG LEAGUES

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Newark 3; Baltimore 1.
Baltimore, April 13.—Chief Bender made his debut as a Federal leaguer here this afternoon, and finished second best in a pitching duel with George Mullin, another former American leaguer, Baltimore losing the third straight game to Newark, 3 to 1. The score:
Newark ... 010010100—3 7 1
Baltimore ... 000001000—1 7 1
Batteries—Mullin and Huhn; Bender and Owens.

Buffalo 5; Brooklyn 4.

Brooklyn, April 13.—Buffalo won the last game of the opening series with Brooklyn today, 5 to 4. Schultz held the locals to three hits, and was invincible after the third inning, when Myers, pinch-hitting for Cooper, doubled with the bases full. The visitors played a strong uphill game, scoring the winning run in the seventh, when Engel sent two men home with a double. The score:
Buffalo ... 100200200—5 8 1
Brooklyn ... 040000000—4 3 1
Batteries—Schultz and Allen; Bill Jacket, Seaton and Land.

St. Louis 3; Kansas City 0.

Kansas City, April 13.—Hennings pitching for Kansas City, was unsteady, and St. Louis won the first game of the series from the locals here today, 3 to 0. St. Louis scored one run in the first inning without a hit. The score:
St. Louis ... 100010100—3 9 3
Kansas City ... 000000000—0 5 1
Batteries—Groom and Hartley; Hennings and Easterly.

Chicago 6; Pittsburgh 5.

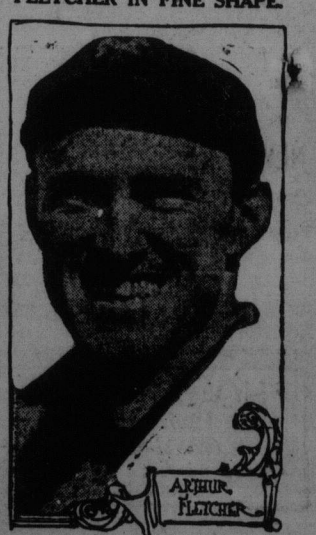
Chicago, April 13.—Pittsburg, the first of the eastern clubs to make a Chicago appearance this season, was defeated by the locals today, 6 to 5. McConnell, who trained with Chicago Nationals, and who refused to report to Kansas City when released to that club, made his debut as a Federal leaguer when he replaced Johnson. The score:
Pittsburg ... 000012020—5 9 3
Chicago ... 000004110—6 5 1
Batteries—Allen, Leclair, Camnitz and O'Connor; Johnson, McConnell and Wilson, Fischer.

MAJOR LEAGUES OPENING

New York, April 13.—The call of "Play" will sound tomorrow for the two major leagues of organized baseball, National and American Leagues. Despite the war among nations abroad and the continuation of strife between divergent baseball interests at home, big league magnates tonight expressed belief that the coming season would be a successful one for the game.

At Washington.
Washington, April 13.—President Wilson plans to open the baseball season here tomorrow, attending the first game between the Washington and New York American League teams, and tossing out the first ball. He has accepted an annual pass for the season here.

FLETCHER IN FINE SHAPE



Arthur Fletcher, the peppery short-stop of the Glens, is going in great shape and promises to have a great year with McGraw's old champions. Arthur is fielding in sensational style and with the stick is hitting like a house afire.

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The Ten Cent Cigar
Big, Mild, Satisfying—
"The smoke with a smile."