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Store Opens The Robert Simpson Company, Limited Store Closes at 8.30 a.m. The Robert Simpson Company, Limited at 5.30 p.m.



Black Silks Predominate

Our Paris representative cables us that blacks are decided favorites in silk fabrics in that leading mart of fashion.

OUR CUSTOMERS CAN RELY ON EVERY PURCHASE. Among the season's newest black weaves are: Black Silk Crepe Broches, Black Silk Crepe Ripples, Silk Moire Velours, Satin Moire Brocades, Beautiful Shadow Moires, Charming Charmeuse Crepes, in plain and flowered effects; New Silk Bengaline, from Bonnet, in fine, medium and large cords; Black Suiting Silks and Satins.

NEW BLACK DRESS SATINS. Showing a "creped" effect, a special finishing process, now adapted by the "Fashion," with many exclusive novelties in black—on display Wed-

Black and Navy Serge Suitings

The popularity of the serge suit increases season after season. Never before has there been such a demand for these tailoring fabrics, and we have never had such a fine collection in every known weave and

Best of English serges, in fine, medium and heavy twills.

Mill finish West of England serges, in semi-cheviot finish. Cheviots in fine and medium twills.

English College serges, splendid wearing qualities.

Men's Cloth-finished serges, the best tailoring serges made, always Wide Wale and Diagonal Suitings, for dressy suits and separate coats.

NEW WHIPCORD SUITINGS. New Gabardine Suitings, in fine twill effects. New Bedford Cord Suitings, in light and dark navys and blacks. We are offering three special values of above at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 per yard. 54 to 58 inches wide. Guaranteed pure wool, fast blues and blacks, London shrunk and un-

The Secret of Good Shopping

It's the secret of quick thinking, is it not? When you see the daily list for the ensuing day's selling you must digest its message at once.

Here you have it without any confusing frills of needless description—a simple statement of facts which is backed by

Do your thinking quickly and be here early to select things the best suited to your needs.

Men's \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.00 Suits to Clear \$15.00

A Clearing Sale of Tweed and Worsted Suits. These are broken lines from our regular stock, and are made from splendid quality English tweeds and worsteds in greys, browns and fancy mixed patterns. The style is single-breasted three-button sacque of the newest design, perfect in every detail, and made by experienced tailors. The linings are fine twill mohair, that will give satisfaction. Sizes 36 to 44. Clear-

MEN'S TWEED AND WORSTED TROUSERS AT \$1.75. Made from extra quality English tweeds and worsteds, in greys and browns, in stripe designs. They are neatly tailored in good style, and will give splendid satisfaction. Special price 1.75 MEN'S BLUE WORSTED TROUSERS AT \$3.00.

Made from a choice blue worsted cloth in a medium twill, one that will give good BOYS' SMART DOUBLE-BREASTED SUITS.

Neatly designed in the new spring style, with full-cut bloomer pants. Made from a grey striped English tweed. Well tailored and lined with best-wearing twilled linings. Sizes 26 to 30, \$4.50. Sizes 31 to 34, \$5.00.

BOYS' GOLDEN BROWN AND BLUE CORDUROY SUITS. Sailor Russian and military Russian styles, with elastic-bottom bloomers. Made from English velvet corduroys, neatly designed, with sailor and military collars, belt, and fancy braid trimmings. Splendid-fitting suits. Sizes 21 to 26. Thursday 5.00

\$75.00 Muskrat-Lined Coats, Thursday \$46 Nine only Men's Fur-lined Coats, Persian lamb and otter collars, shells of fine black beaver, lined with choice Canadian spring muskrat skins, dark, full-furred and well matched. Thursday 46.00

Men's Winter Weight Combinations 135 Suits only of Men's English Natural Wool Combinations and Tiger brand elastic rib styles; an opportunity to buy underwear at less than cost price. Nothing wrong with the finish or the quality, but we need the space. Sizes in the lot 34 to 44.

Regularly \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Thursday, to clear 1.79 250 Men's Work Shirts, in pure wool flannels, tweed, military flannel, Ceylon flannel and striped cambrics. Not all sizes in any of these lines, but in the lot all sizes, 14 to 18. Regularly \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.79 and \$2.00. Thursday to clear, each .98

The February Sale of Furniture

is More Than Half Over Buffet, made of selected quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Has two short drawers, one lined for cutlery, long drawer and double door cup board. Regularly \$34.50. February Sale price 30.50

Buffet, made of selected quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Has double-door cupboard, long drawer and two short cutlery drawers, one lined. Has oval mirror at back. Regularly \$37.00. February Sale price 32.50 Combination Buffet and China Cabinet, made of quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Regularly \$47.00. February Sale price 40.00 Combination Buffet and China Cabinet, selected quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Regularly \$40.00. February Sale price 33.75 Combination Buffet and China Cabinet, in solid quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Regularly \$42.00. February Sale price 38.50

Dresser, in solid quarter-cut oak or mahogany finish, bright or dull Princess Dresser, in selected quarter-cut oak or mahogany finish and bright or dull. Has serpentine fronts and shaped top, large British bevel oval mirror. Regularly \$30.00. February Sale price 28.40

Dresser, in selected solid quarter-cut oak, golden finish. Has two long and two short drawers, with shaped triple mirror at back. Regularly \$46.50. February Sale price 39.50 "Duchess" Dresser, in selected quarter-cut oak or mahogany veneered, polished or dull finish. This dresser is quite new in design and is conveniently arranged, with long British bevel mirror. Regularly \$36.00.

Dresser, in selected quarter-cut oak or mahogany veneered, polished or dull finish. Has serpentine-shaped fronts, with large oval British bevel mirror. Regularly \$36.50. February Sale price 31.00 Dressing Table, in quarter-cut oak, golden finish, has serpentine-shaped front and eval mirror. Regularly \$13.75. February Sale

Dressing Table, in mahogany finish, polished or dull, has neatly shaped legs and top, with oval British bevel mirror. Regularly \$16.00. Dressing Table, in fumed oak; has shaped mirror and two short drawers. Regularly \$16.75. February Sale price 14.00

Chiffonier, in quarter-cut oak or genuine mahogany veneered, in Chiffenier, in quarter-cut oak or genuine manogany veneered, in polished or dull finish. Has four long and two short drawers, shaped mirror at back. Regularly \$21.50. February Sale price 16.95
Chiffenier, in mahogany veneered, in polished or dull finish. Has swell-shaped fronts, three long and two short drawers and cupboard, British bevel mirror at back. Regularly \$26.50. February Sale

Chiffonier, in quarter-cut oak, fumed finish. Has long square British bevel mirror, four long and two short drawers. Regularly \$23.50. February Sale price 19.85

Women's Tailored Suit for Spring

have deep collars of Chinese patterned silk crepe; some have kimono, others set-in sleeves. The gay colors of the collars are rested in the Oriental buttons. flaring tiered skirts give the fashfonable width to the hips; materials include walrus, pebble, diagonal cords, checks in fancy weaves and serges. Among the colors are mahogany, wine, bottle and sapphire green, Copenhagen, navy, black and tango. Pr \$18.50, \$22.50, \$25.00 to \$45.00. Pretty Taffeta Suits, from \$35.00

DRESSES FOR PARTY WEAR. A showing of new spring styles in crepe de chine, messaline, charmeuse silk and taffeta. Something new arrives every day. Inexpensive models showing the new Quaker collar, cuffs and soft vest of white chiffon, broad sash girdles. large bows at the back; other models showing trimmings of marabou or rosettes. Colors yellow, pink, mauve, blue and white. Prices \$12.75, \$15.00, \$17.50 to

WASH DRESSES. Those That Are Slightly Soiled Now Clearing at \$2.95. Suitable for present wear. A variety of styles in ratines, linens and Bedford cords, in tan; pink, blue, white and natural shades, Values \$4.50, \$5.00 to \$6.00. Thursday clearance 2.95

14-k Sunbursts

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300 long strings of pearls, genuino
Parisian fish scale pearls, 48 inches
iong. Thursday .90
(Main Floor.)

Girls' Sample Dresses Half Price

Sample dresses from a famous European maker. Hundreds of charming styles to choose from. Come tomorrow.

A Thursday sale of nearly 800 sample dresses for girls of ages 2 to 12 years, consisting of newest spring styles in colored voiles, serges, cashmeres, sateens, delaines, etc., also in white voiles, lawns and mulls, beautifully trimmed. Not more than 4 of any one style. Thursday, Half

CLEARING WOMEN'S BRASS-IERES.

Three Brassieres we are replacing with newer spring styles are marked down for quick selling Thursday. Fhone orders filled.

Women's Brassieres clearing 3 styles, "Hand W" and "Nature's Rival" makes. Deep ribbon run embroidery trim. Crossover or button back short boning in front sections. Sizes 32 to 46 bust measure. Regularly \$1,00 to \$2.00 each. Thursday, each

\$4.00 LA DIVA CORSETS FOR \$2.50 PAIR.

A charming new spring model of the famous "La Diva" Corsets, will be offered at a dollar and a half a pair less than its usual price. Consult Miss O'Connor, of New York, about La Diva Corsets.

A special offer of two hundred pairs of beautiful La Diva Corsets, in one of the newest spring models, fine brocaded white batiste, the new, very low bust, long skirt, with 6

Rush Prices on Heavy **Gum Rubber Boots**

We have too many Rubbers and Rubber Boots in some styles and will clear them to-morrow at less than factory cost price. Telephone orders

CHILDREN'S RUBBERS, 35c. Regulation and high storm front styles, every pair guaranteed to give satisfactory wear. Sizes 3 to 9.

MEN'S RUBBERS, 50c. Reinforced corrugated soles, medium weight, sizes 6 to 12. Regularly 75c. Thursday, rush price50

YOUTHS' RUBBERS, 40c. Bright finished, best quality, every pair perfect, sizes 11 to 13. Regularly 59c. Thursday, rush price .. .40 LEATHER TOP RUBBER BOOTS, \$1.95.

Men's best quality snag-proof rubber boots, with eight-inch leather tops, rolled edge soles, solid rubber heels. Leather laces with each pair. Sizes 6 to 13. Regularly \$3.35. Thursday, rush price 1.95 HEAVY GUM RUBBER BOOTS, \$1.85.

First grade Para gum rubber boots, strongly re-inforced rolled edge rubber soles, solid rubber heels, two buckle and three eyelet styles. For teamsters, railwaymen, motormen, etc. Sizes 6 to 12. Regularly \$3.35. Thursday, rush price 1.85 BOYS' LEATHER-LINED BOOTS, \$2.39.

Strong school boots for boys, made from strong box kip leather, in laced Blucher style on neat, full-fitting lasts, solid leather double soles. Sizes 1 to 5. Thurs-

China and Glass

102-PIECE ROYAL AUSTRIAN CHINA, \$22.50. Pretty maroon band and rose decoration, full 102-piece dinner service. Regular price \$31.50. Thursday THEODORE HAVILAND DINNER SERVICE, \$49.50. French Limoges china, from the potteries of the famous Theodore Haviland. Pretty fern decoration, with burnished gold handles. Regular price \$62.00. Thurs-

day, special 49.50 52-PIECE DINNER SET OF DISHES, \$3,29. Best English porcelain, pure white body, hard overglaze, Canton blue spray decoration with border of festoons. A pretty, useful set of 52 pieces. Specially priced for Thursday 3.29

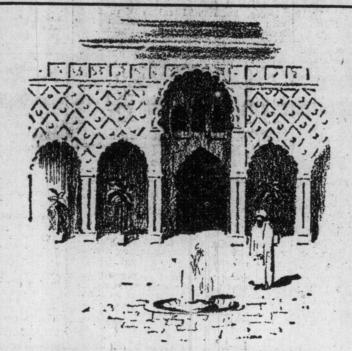
PINK BOSE DINNER SET. \$9.29. A pretty pattern and border of roses on best grade white English semi-porcelain, with brilliant, hard overglaze; 97 pieces. Regular price \$13.50. Thursday special at 9.29

BISHOP & STONIER DINNER SET, \$9.95. Best grade English porcelain, with border design of pale blue rope pattern; brilliant, beautiful white ware; 97-piece set. Regular price \$15.00. Thursday.... 9.95 BRIDAL ROSE DINNER SET, \$16,95.

Best Austrian china is this well-known design. It is a stock pattern and pieces may be replaced at any time. Thursday, special 16.95

CUT GLASS SPECIALS. Cut Glass Water Bottles, deep cutting on pure white blanks. Regular price \$4.00. Thursday 1.95 CUT GLASS WATER JUGS, \$3.95. TUMBLERS TO MATCH, HALF DOZEN, \$2.49.

Beautiful, heavy ware; deep cutting; handsome designs. Regularly \$5.00 for the jug. Tumblers to match. HALF DOZEN CUT GLASS TUMBLERS FOR \$1.50. First-rate quality and good design. Regularly \$4.50 per dozen. Thursday, the half dozen 1.50



Three Days Special Featuring of Fine Wilton Rugs In the February House Furnishing Sale

The largest assortment we have ever offered at reduced prices. Sizes for all rooms, halls, etc. Styles in Oriental, self-color, conventional, etc.

SPECIAL BARGAIN.

9.0 x 12.0 size, for dining-rooms, drawingrooms, living-rooms, etc., \$33.49, \$38.49, \$36.49, \$38.49, \$34.49, \$42.49, \$32.49, \$24.49, \$33.49. 11.3 x 12.0, \$39.75 and \$46.75.

In the 9.0 x 10.6 size, one of the most useful bargains at \$29.49, \$22.49, \$28.49, \$32.49,

6.9 x 10.6, \$18.29, \$19.29 and \$22.29. 6.0 x 9.0 and 6.9 x 9.0, \$12.79, \$18.79, \$15.49. \$16.79 and \$28.79.

ENGLISH AXMINSTER RUGS AT \$1.95 EACH.

Wonderful value is shown in these rugs, which come in a variety of Oriental designs and chintz styles, with fringed ends, size 27 x 54. February Sale price, each...... 1.95

Good quality Printed Linoleums, choice of lots of bright, new, clean goods, for kitchen, bath, sitting-rooms, etc. Special February value, square yard, 33c and 43c.

SIX ONLY IMPORTED SEAMLESS AX-MINSTER RUGS IN TWO DESIGNS ONLY FOR \$16.00 EACH.

This is the sixteenth day, \$16.00 specialone Oriental design, the other a floral chintz, 8.30 Thursday for six only, each..... 16.00 (Third Floor.)

The February Drapery and Curtain Sale

Free Making of Draperies Continues for This Week Only. Half-price on All Upholstering Work. This Offer Continues to Saturday.

FRENCH PRINTED REPPS, 78c YARD. A new shipment just arrived of richly colored French prints, finest quality, fast colors, 32 inches wide, affective hangings, slip covers and light upholstering. Sale price, yard ...

SCOTCH MADRAS MUSLIN. Dainty and serviceable, is never out of fashion for bedroom windows, spreads, etc., in cream and white shades, 40 to 54 inches wide. There are four tables very specially priced for this sale at 19c, 28c, 44c and 66c

25c AND 30c ART SATEENS, 19c YARD. For curtains, comforters, screen fillings, etc., pretty designs and color combinations. Sale price, yard .19 SWISS MUSLIN AND SILKOLINES, 14c YARD. Dainty silkolines and Swiss muslins, striped and floral effects, 26 inches wide, fast colors, for bedrooms. Sale price, yard

RICH BUNGALOW NETS, 14c YARD. Window nets, a large variety to select from, 36 inch to 44 inch wide, in Arabe, ivory and white shades, buy ENGLISH CRETONNES, 19c YARD.

Surprising value in fast colored chintzes and cretonnes, 32 inches wide, in light and dark colors, for bedroom and living-room uses. Sale price, yard..... 19
English cretonnes, a wonderful display at a wonder-designs, 50 inches wide, usual value 85c to \$1.00 yard. viceable quality, in dainty designs and pretty colorings.

Spring Tonics Paper Towels AND BLOOD PURIFIERS.

on Sale Paper Towels, guaranteed 200 towels to each roll. Per roll .35

Special Price for Quantities-10,000 Paper Towels. 15.50 Towel Fixtures, 50c

Basement Sale Items

The Robert Simpson Company, Limited

Warm Wool Blankets

Scotch Shetland grey blankets. These are all pure wool and thoroughly scoured and shrunk. Beautifully finished, with a close even nap. Weight 8 lbs. Size 68 x 88 inches. Regularly \$8.00. Special Thursday, a pair 6.45

10 YARDS OF BLEACHED COT-Bleached English longcloth, heavy quality, 36 inches wide. Special Thursday, 10 yards for 1.00

SEE THESE TABLE CLOTHS AT Beautiful all-linen new Irish and Scotch satin damask table cloths. In handsome designs, bordered all

round. Size 2 x 21/2 yards. Special Thursday 2.50 Horrockses flannelette, in a splendid range of stripes, width 33 inches. Special Thursday, yd. .15 Fancy printed chintz bed spreads. in pretty colorings and designs on white grounds. Large size 70 x 90 inches. Special Thursday .. 1.35

New crimped Japanese nainsook, soft fine finish, 30 inches wide, an ideal fabric for making ladies' and children's dainty undergarments. On sale cotton counter, per yd. .20

Stationery

Gage's Kid Finish Note, combined box, containing 24 sheets, high quality notelets, with envelopes to Lady's size, containing 24 sheets, with envelopes to match. Per box Gentleman's size, containing 24 sheets, with envelopes to match. King's Court Linen Note Paper, fashionable size, white, per pkt. of Envelopes to match, special cut flap, well gummed, per 100. . . 20 Queen's Court Initial Note Paper, 24 sheets, fine linen note. em-bossed in gold, with envelopes to match. A box19 Mayfair Initial Correspondence Cabinet, contains 24 high-grade correspondence cards, square corners, fashionable size, with envelopes to match. A box25

Groceries

(Main Floor.)

2.000 lbs. Dairy Butter, in prints, per lb.
Pinest Sugar-cured Hams, half or whole, per lb.
Edwardsburg or Beehive Syrup, 5-lb. pail 28
Salt, in 5-lb. bags, 3 bags 14
Grapenuts, 2 packages 25
Upton's Marmalade, 5-lb. pail 45
Canned Yellow Feaches, in heavy syrap, 2 tins 45
Choice Red Saimon, 2 tins 25
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Canned Stredded Pineapples, regularly 18c, 2 tins 25
California Prunes, 3 lbs. 25
Finest Pot Barley, 6 lbs. 25
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Fool. bbs. Fresh Gingersnaps, 3 lbs. 25
Choice White Beans, 5½ lbs. 25
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English Marrowfat Peas, 3 packages, 25
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Feanut Butter, in bulk, per lb. 20
Finest Featherstrip Cocoanut, per lb. 13 2.000 lbe. Dairy Butter, in prints,

35c ASSAM TEA FOR 28c. 1,000 lbs. Fine Rich Full-bodied Assam Tea of uniform quality and fine flavor. a "c tea anywhere, Thursday, per lb. .38