



Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT: BILL CHANGED TOMORROW

Last chance tonight to see this week's good vaudeville programme at the Opera House...

INCREASED PAY FOR SOME CLASSES OF C.P.R. EMPLOYEES

An important change in the remuneration of certain classes of employees of the C. P. R. has been arranged...

ATTORNEY-GENERAL ORDERS INQUEST INTO DEATH AT FREDRICKTON JUNCTION

Fredrickton, N. B., May 25.—The attorney general has instructed Coroner John Murphy of Blissett to conduct an inquest in the case of Marvin Thomas...

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50c.

MARRIAGES

DEATHS

IN MEMORIAM

ECONOMY is an added argument just now in favor of the delightfully flavoured, nutritious health-food Grape-Nuts

GEM PROGRAMME IS AN EXCELLENT ONE

Alice Brady in "A Woman Alone," A Masterful Feature—Vaudeville Good

Try not speaking to anyone during the day for about a week if you can. Alice Brady in "A Woman Alone," a masterful feature...

TAKEN TO MONCTON

Chester C. Tremblin, a returned soldier, who was taken to Moncton, N. B., on Wednesday evening...

THEY ALL LOOK PROSPEROUS

Did it ever occur to you how well dressed that your friends were and how prosperous they looked?

AT RANOLDS CHARLOTTE ST.

Window shades, 88c.; window screens, 25c.; 28c.; 30c.; green cloth, 10c. yd.

C. P. R. SUBURBANS

On Saturday, May 26th, suburban trains will leave St. John at 1:10 p.m. Atlantic for Wolford, returning will leave Wolford 8:15 p.m.

MILLINERY

M. R. A. L. L. announces a week-end showing of spring and summer head-wear...

SUSPECTED OF ATTEMPTED ATTACK ON YOUNG WOMAN

Woodstock, May 25.—Douglas Walker, a young man, was arrested on suspicion of having attempted to attack a young woman last night on Grafton Bridge.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES

National League—Chicago at New York, cloudy, 8:30 p.m.; Cincinnati at Philadelphia, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.

CAPTURED STEAMERS HAD CARGOES FOR RUSSIA

Petrograd, May 25, via London.—Four Swedish steamers with cargoes of various character for Russia, have been captured by a German submarine...

TRouble in SHERBROOKE

Quebec, May 25.—Posters against conscription were posted all over the city of Sherbrooke today and an incident occurred when an English youth started tearing down the notices...

KEATING'S POWDER KILLS BUGS. Kills them all. Sold Everywhere. Tin only 10c., 25c., 35c. Made in England.

PERSONALS

Mrs. D. W. Dunham and Miss M. E. McAllister have taken apartments for the summer months at the W. Simpson house, Renforth Heights.

GUARANTEED

That is what we tell you and we live up to when you purchase a lady's or man's waterproof from us...

FLEETING SHADOWS

Turn your face toward the Lancaster Dairy Farm, where pasteurized milk is obtained and the shadows will fall behind you.

DAILY TRIP TO ST. MARTINS

There will be a daily trip to St. Martins and return by automobile, leaving at 10:15 p.m.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS' TWILIGHT RECITAL

Centenary church, tomorrow, 4 p. m. Silver collection.

BAMBOO POLES, LINES AND HOOPS—DUAL

They all look prosperous. Did it ever occur to you how well dressed that your friends were...

AT RANOLDS CHARLOTTE ST.

Window shades, 88c.; window screens, 25c.; 28c.; 30c.; green cloth, 10c. yd.

C. P. R. SUBURBANS

On Saturday, May 26th, suburban trains will leave St. John at 1:10 p.m. Atlantic for Wolford, returning will leave Wolford 8:15 p.m.

MILLINERY

M. R. A. L. L. announces a week-end showing of spring and summer head-wear...

LOCAL NEWS

M. R. A. advertisement, page 5. T.F. Read Hunt's sale news on page 14.

ARE YOU GAME?

To become the consumer of the purest, freshest milk on the market? All you have to do is to call up the Lancaster Dairy Farm...

GUARANTEED

That is what we tell you and we live up to when you purchase a lady's or man's waterproof from us...

FLEETING SHADOWS

Turn your face toward the Lancaster Dairy Farm, where pasteurized milk is obtained and the shadows will fall behind you.

DAILY TRIP TO ST. MARTINS

There will be a daily trip to St. Martins and return by automobile, leaving at 10:15 p.m.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS' TWILIGHT RECITAL

Centenary church, tomorrow, 4 p. m. Silver collection.

BAMBOO POLES, LINES AND HOOPS—DUAL

They all look prosperous. Did it ever occur to you how well dressed that your friends were...

AT RANOLDS CHARLOTTE ST.

Window shades, 88c.; window screens, 25c.; 28c.; 30c.; green cloth, 10c. yd.

C. P. R. SUBURBANS

On Saturday, May 26th, suburban trains will leave St. John at 1:10 p.m. Atlantic for Wolford, returning will leave Wolford 8:15 p.m.

MILLINERY

M. R. A. L. L. announces a week-end showing of spring and summer head-wear...

SUSPECTED OF ATTEMPTED ATTACK ON YOUNG WOMAN

Woodstock, May 25.—Douglas Walker, a young man, was arrested on suspicion of having attempted to attack a young woman last night on Grafton Bridge.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES

National League—Chicago at New York, cloudy, 8:30 p.m.; Cincinnati at Philadelphia, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.

CAPTURED STEAMERS HAD CARGOES FOR RUSSIA

Petrograd, May 25, via London.—Four Swedish steamers with cargoes of various character for Russia, have been captured by a German submarine...

TRouble in SHERBROOKE

Buy Your Furniture NOW! Our Present Display of Fine Furniture and Furnishings has never been so attractive...

J. MARCUS, 30 Dock St. Look for the Electric Sign

LOSES RIGHT LEG

Amputation Necessary to Save Life of James L. Kennedy—Now in English Hospital

WAS BORN IN ST. JOHN

Death of H. White Occurs in Tilbury, Ontario

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE LIBRARY

You only read the New Books once. Save money by renting them from us.

ROOM TO LET, 4 CHARLES ST.

FROM ST. JOHN TO WESTFIELD

The Lancaster Dairy Farm is prepared to supply all summer residents along the line from St. John to Westfield with pure, pasteurized milk...

MRS. R. A. BEGG DIED SUDDENLY IN THE WEST

Calgary News-Telegram.—The wife of R. A. Beggs, western representative of the Vancouver and Prince Rupert Mercantile Company, died suddenly in the general hospital on Thursday.

LOCAL NEWS

GREAT BARGAINS Bargains in children's dresses and middie at C. J. Bassen's, Union and Sydney.

EXCURSION WAS CANCELLED

The Allied Amusement Company desire to extend their apologies to the public for the failure of the proposed excursion of yesterday to materialize.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of W. H. Fowler took place this afternoon from his son's residence, 218 Germania street.

SAMPLE AND RECEIPE FOR FRUIT-OAT WAR BREAD

To the Editor Times-Star. Sir—I am sending you a sample of what I call fruit-oat war bread...

IN MEMORY OF CANADA AND OF CANADIANS

Ottawa, May 25.—A memorandum from the minister of military affairs...

MR. BALFOUR AND PARTY TO CANA

Washington, May 25.—The British work left Washington last evening Canada. The official announcement made today at the state department...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST CAKES. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

ROYAL YEAST. Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other...

# POOR DOCUMENT

# M C 2 0 3 5

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1917

**ONE HUNDRED PAIRS ONLY**  
OF  
**BOYS' SHORT PANTS**  
To Be Sold Saturday, May 26th  
— AT —  
**50 cts. Pair**  
**H. N. DeMILLE**  
199 to 201 Union Street - Opera House Block

**BROWN'S GROCERY CO.**  
86 Brussels Street  
Corner Richmond  
Phone Main 2370-21  
134 King St. West Phone West 166

98 lb. bag Purity Flour	\$7.90
24 lb. bag Purity or Five Roses	\$2.00
24 lb. bag Robin Hood	\$2.00
24 lb. bag Quaker or Royal House-	
hold	\$1.90
1 lb. Finest Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
Split Peas, with orders for	25c
as B. C. Salmon for	25c
Split Peas for	25c
2 cans Clams for	25c
4 lbs. New Bermuda Onions	25c
2 pks. Raisins for	25c
2 lbs. Prunes for	25c
6 cans Babbitt's Cleanser for	25c
Large 30 ounce bottle Pickles	30c
Horton's Pickles, per bottle only	25c
Eggs, Eggs, Eggs, Strictly Fresh, only	38c dozen
Choice Country Tub Butter, just ar-	
ived	45c
Goods Delivered All Over the City,	
Carleton and Fairville	5-27

**FAMINE THROUGH ROBBERY**  
(Toronto Star)  
With bread at 12 cents for a loaf of 1 1/2 pounds, the matter has reached a crisis which must force the government to act. Public opinion in regard to this and other increases is reaching a dangerous point. People will not be put off with the excuse that the war is responsible for the spectacular rise in food. They believe they are being robbed, and that somebody ought to be in jail for the robbery. If the war is the cause, how is it that a four-pound loaf is sold in England for 24 cents, the same as three pounds of bread in Canada? England does not grow enough wheat to feed its own people, and imports are seriously diminished by the submarines. Yet there, where we might expect something like famine prices, bread is only three-fourths the price that it is in the "granary of the empire." It is not necessary, but barefaced robbery, which the government ought to stop by the most drastic measures. Bakers say they are not to blame, and they are very wisely taking part in the agitation, instead of trying to quiet public opinion. The government should seize all the wheat in the country, and have it milled and the flour sold at moderate prices. If they do not take effective action, public patience will be exhausted and anger may show itself in something else than words. No doubt there is a shortage of wheat all over the world. No doubt we shall have to practise economy in bread, and

FOR PRICE AND QUALITY WE CANNOT BE SURPASSED  
Specials For Friday - Saturday  
— AT —  
**Parkinson's Cash Stores**  
East St. John Post Office  
Main 279-11.  
128 Adelaide Street  
Main 938-11.  
147 Victoria Street  
Main 77-21.

Granulated Sugar, 12 lbs. for a dollar with orders.  
Bulk Tea ..... 38c per lb.  
Fresh Ground Coffee ..... 10c can  
Red Cross Beans ..... 10c can  
Peas, Sweet Meadow ..... 10c can  
Corn ..... 10c can  
Tomatoes ..... 20c can  
King's Quality Flour, 98 lb. bag ..... \$7.50  
Royal Household, 24 lb. bag ..... \$1.95  
Industrial, 24 lb. bag ..... \$1.95  
Five Roses, 24 lb. bag ..... \$1.95  
Onions, choice, 10 cents, 3 lbs. for 25c  
White Flake Shortening ..... 24c lb.  
3 lbs, 5 lbs, 10 lbs, 20 lbs. ..... 25c  
Oranges ..... 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c doz.

**EXTRA GLASSES**  
An extra pair of glasses often proves a wise provision for the summer outing trip in case of loss or breakage.  
We can exactly duplicate your glasses whether made by us or not. The prescription is not necessary.  
**GIVE US A TRIAL.**  
You will get the best quality at the most reasonable price, as we are established Out of the High Rent District.  
**S GOLDFEATHER**  
Phone Main 3413-11, 625 MAIN ST.  
Out of the High Rent District.

**FIRST AID!**  
In case of severe toothache, rush your patient to one of our offices where instant relief may be obtained.  
We do work painlessly and well.  
**Boston Dental Parlors**  
HEAD OFFICE BRANCH OFFICE  
627 Main Street 35 Charlotte Street  
Phone 682 Phone 38  
Dr. J. D. Maher - Proprietor  
Open 9 a. m. Until 9 p. m.

**LET WASSON'S SEND FOR AND DELIVER YOUR FILMS**  
Phone Main 110  
**WASSON'S Cut Rate MAIN ST.**  
About the Newest Thing in Wall Paper IS THE READY TRIMMED  
We Have a Limited Stock. They Cost Very Little More. How About Looking Them Over?  
245 Waterloo Street, Corner Brindley Street. **CARLETON'S** Store Open Until 8 p. m.

**USE THE WANT AD. WAY**

other food. No doubt we must do all in our power to increase production. But the campaign for thrift and the campaign for production will suffer if extortion is allowed to go on. The people of Canada are willing to go on short rations for war purposes, but not to fill the pockets of greedy speculators. They are willing to produce for the use of the allies, but not to have the product stored away and held for a robber's price. The government should deal with the food question courageously, taking con-

**Babbitt's**  
5¢  
5¢  
Cleanser  
Contains Same Weight as 10c Packages  
Save the Coupons

**HORLICK'S Malted Milk for Infants**  
A safe milk diet, better than cow's milk alone. Contains rich milk and malted grain extract.

**For This Week Only**  
2 cans Evaporated Milk ..... 25c.  
Condensed Coffee ..... 25c. can  
Tomatoes ..... 20c. can  
Imperial Jelly ..... 3 for 25c.  
3 cans Lye ..... 25c.  
3 pks. Celluloid Starch ..... 25c.  
Large can Beans ..... 25c.  
Large bottle Fruit Syrup ..... 25c.  
11 lbs. Sugar ..... \$1.00

**WILSON BROS.**  
Corner Queen and Carleton  
Phone Main 3560  
Delivery to All Parts of City.  
West Side Delivery Thursday and Friday.

ed by the greed which is making it impossible for a poor man to buy enough to sustain life and strength.  
Spick and span after a thorough overhauling, the C. P. R. steamship Empress resumed her sailings between St. John and Digby yesterday morning, after having been laid off the route for several days while the necessary work was being done.

100 lb. bag Finest Granulated Sugar ..... \$8.75  
10 lb. bag ..... \$2.25  
11 lb. bag Royal Household Flour ..... \$1.00  
4 lbs. Rice ..... 25c.  
2 pks. Raisins ..... 25c.  
2 B. C. Salmon ..... 25c.  
5 Surprise or Gold Soap ..... 25c.  
3 Old Dutch ..... 25c.  
10 lb. tin Flake White Lard ..... \$1.20  
3 lb. tin Flake White Lard ..... 70c.  
3 lb. tin Crisco ..... 75c.  
1 1/2 lb. tin Crisco ..... 38c.  
Pure Lard ..... 28c. lb.  
Evaporated Apples and Peaches, 15c.  
Prunes ..... 2 lbs. for 25c.  
Heaton's Pickles ..... 30c. bottle  
Purity and Five Roses Flour Less Than Wholesale.

**HAROLD C. ROBERTSON**  
554 Main St.  
Opposite Fort Howe. Phone M 419

**OUR BLUE SUITS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN ARE THE BIGGEST VALUES IN TOWN**  
\$14.00, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$23.00 and \$25.00  
English cloths. Colors guaranteed. Plain sack, Pinck-back and Norfolk Models  
Coat, peak or regular lapels. Vest with or without collar. Pants, belt to match, with or without cuffs.  
**JUST RECEIVED**—Another shipment of Men's Tweed and Fancy Worsted Suits. Greys, browns, grey stripes and fancy checks.  
**THEY ARE SCARCE**—Men's Odd Coats and Vests. We have them both in blues and fancy Tweeds.  
**ODD VESTS** ..... \$1.25 up  
**ODD COATS** ..... \$4.50 up  
**SUGGESTIONS FOR CAMPING:**  
Underwear, Sport Shirts, Khaki Shirts and Trousers, Belts, Sneakers, Etc.

**Chas. Magnusson & Son**  
54-56-58 DOCK STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

**Will Prohibition Be Adopted As a War Measure?**  
An Investigation of the Results in Nineteen "Dry" States  
Nation-wide prohibition as a war measure would affect everybody in the United States. The good results of such a policy have been praised continuously in the press of the belligerent countries, and are cited in America by prohibition advocates to explain the great strides of the "dry" movement in the United States during the past two years.  
To get a true conception of what citizens of the "dry" States have experienced under prohibition law, THE LITERARY DIGEST made a strictly impartial inquiry in all the States that have had prohibition laws of one kind or another in operation for not less than one year. Two questions were asked of the representatives of public opinion in these commonwealths—the editors of the press: First: Whether in Their State Prohibition is a Success? Second: Whether They Would Recommend it to Other States? From nineteen States, 157 replies have been received.  
In THE LITERARY DIGEST for May 26th, the results of this nation-wide canvass is shown. This is the first non-partisan investigation of the kind ever made. The result is most illuminating, and will interest every one from brewers to bishops.  
Other articles of immediate interest in this number of THE DIGEST are:

**Food Gamblers The—Kaiser's Allies in America**

The Postage-Tax on the Press  
A Ghastly Charge Against Germany  
Effect of Russian Chaos on the War  
Let Us Have Real Coast Defenses  
Forty-eight Cities Made to Order  
Eat Corn and Save Money  
One Compensation for Reims  
Mr. Well's New Broom  
Wedded Priests After the War  
Striking Illustrations—Many of Them, Humorous and Educational

Our Triple Understanding  
How Dare Norway Protest to Germany!  
Volunteers for France  
A Study of Plant Society  
Save French Babies  
A Cedar Log Thirteen Centuries Old Without Decay  
Songs of the Modern Warriors  
France's Silent Enemy

**How the Motor-Truck Contributes to Patriotic Efficiency**  
24,000,000 horses consume the food produced on 120 million acres of land—land that is capable of supporting 40,000,000 human beings. The great war will be won or lost by our food supply, and Harry Wilkin Perry, in this number of THE DIGEST, shows how the use of the motor-truck will divert an enormous food-supply into channels where it will be most effective.  
THE LITERARY DIGEST appeals to, and is carefully read by, manufacturers, business executives, progressive retailers, everywhere throughout the nation, and this number will be of particular interest to them inasmuch as all varieties of commercial vehicles are pictured and described. Prospective buyers of motor-trucks are especially urged to buy THE DIGEST this week and read these interesting announcements.  
May 26th Number on Sale Today—All News-dealers—10 Cents  
**NEWS-DEALERS** may now obtain copies of "The Literary Digest" from our local agent in their town, or where there is no agent, direct from the Publishers.  
**The Literary Digest**  
FUNK & WAGNALLS COMPANY (Publishers of the Famous NEW Standard Dictionary), NEW YORK

**EXTRA SPECIALS At Robertson's**  
12 lbs. Finest Granulated Sugar, \$1.00  
10 lb. bag Lantic Sugar ..... 90c.  
100 lb. Finest Granulated Sugar, \$8.50  
16 lb. bag Royal Household Flour ..... \$2.65  
24 lb. bag Purity Flour ..... \$2.00  
24 lb. bag Star Flour ..... \$1.95  
Pure Lard—28c. per lb. \$5.40 per 100 lb.  
3 lbs. Bermuda Onions ..... 25c.  
6 cakes Gold Soap (with orders) ..... 25c.  
6 pks. Soap Powder ..... 25c.  
2 lbs. Prunes ..... 25c.  
3 pks. Cornflakes ..... 25c.  
3 tins Old Dutch ..... 25c.  
1 1/2 lb. tin Crisco ..... \$2.15  
Strictly Fresh Eggs ..... 38c.  
Choice Tub Butter ..... 45c.  
Orange Pekoe Tea ..... 45c.  
Oranges ..... 20c. and 25c. doz.

**E. Roy Robertson**  
599 Main Street Phone 2577

**Kirkpatrick & Cowan CASH SPECIALS**  
22 King Square (Next Imperial Theatre)  
PHONE M. 3158

2 pks. Lipton's Jelly ..... 24c.  
1 tin Maple Butter ..... 25c.  
2 cans B. C. Salmon ..... 25c.  
Flake White Lard ..... 25c. lb.  
Lipton's 50c. Tea ..... 45c.  
2 cans Blueberries ..... 25c.  
Large can of Pork and Beans ..... 18c.  
2 cans Blueberries ..... 25c.  
Oranges ..... 20c. a doz. up  
Evaporated Apples ..... 15c. lb.  
Choice Onions ..... 3c. 3 for 25c.  
Peaches ..... 20c. can  
Pears ..... 20c. can  
Fresh Ground Coffee ..... 35c. lb.  
Good Bulk Tea ..... 40c. lb.  
Extracts ..... 9c. each, 3 for 25c.  
Strictly Fresh Eggs ..... 38c. doz.  
Mixed Pickles, Sweet and Sour ..... 15c. and 25c.  
4 lbs. Rice ..... 15c. and 25c.  
**SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY WITH ORDERS**  
2 pks. Dates ..... 25c.  
2 cans B. C. Salmon ..... 23c.  
4 lbs. Rice ..... 25c.  
West Side Delivery Tuesday and Friday.

**FLOUR**  
Blue banner, High-grade Manitoba ..... \$1.25 bbl.  
Ivory, Pure Manitoba ..... \$1.00 bbl.  
Royal Household ..... \$1.50 bbl.  
Five Roses ..... \$1.50 bbl.  
Blue Banner—98 lb. bag, \$7.50  
Quaker—98 lb. bag ..... \$7.50  
Ivory—98 lb. bag ..... \$7.25  
Ivory—24 lb. bag ..... \$1.90  
Royal Household—24 lb. bag ..... \$1.90

**SUGAR**  
Fine Granulated—11 lb. bag, \$1  
Only \$8.50 per 100 lbs.

**Yerxa Grocery Co.**  
443 MAIN ST. Phone Main 2913

**OPEN FOR BUSINESS**  
At Our New Store, Cor. Main and Douglas Ave  
**SOME VERY SPECIAL PRICES**  
24 lb. bag Purity Flour ..... \$2.00  
24 lb. bag Royal Household ..... \$1.95  
10 lb. tin Crisco ..... \$2.15  
1 1/2 lb. tin Crisco ..... 36c.  
Heaton's Pickles ..... 30c.  
Evaporated Apples ..... 15c.  
2 lbs. Prunes ..... 25c.  
Strictly Fresh Eggs ..... 38c.  
Choice Roll Butter ..... 43c.  
Orange Pekoe Tea ..... 45c.  
Lipton's Tea (Old Price) ..... 40c.  
100 lb. bag Sugar ..... \$8.50  
10 lb. bag Lantic Sugar ..... 90c.  
16 lb. bag Household Flour ..... \$2.65  
Quality Pickles ..... 25c.  
Heaton's Pickles ..... 30c.  
**EXTRA SPECIALS WITH ORDERS**  
12 lbs. Finest Granulated Sugar, \$1.00  
6 cakes Gold Soap ..... 25c.  
6 pks. Soap Powder ..... 25c.  
3 lbs. Bermuda Onions ..... 25c.  
All Other Goods Equally as Cheap  
**E. R. & H. C. Robertson**  
Corner Main and Douglas Avenue Phone 886

**FIX UP YOUR HOME!**  
This is the month, while housecleaning and moving is going on, to fix up the home. Adding a new piece of furniture here and there makes the home always cheerful.  
**NEW HOMES FURNISHED COMPLETE**  
Oilcloths and Linoleums in Latest Patterns, Carpet Squares, Linoleums in Four Yard Widths.  
**Amland Bros., Limited**  
19 WATERLOO STREET

**VEAL AND BEEF AT LIVING PRICES**  
**GOOD NATIVE BEEF**  
Roasts ..... From 18c. per lb.  
Steak ..... From 22c. per lb.  
Stewing ..... 16c. per lb.  
Corned ..... 16c. and 18c. per lb.  
**VEAL**  
Roasts ..... From 13c. per lb.  
Forequarters ..... 12c. per lb.  
Hindquarters ..... 18c. per lb.  
Chops ..... 18c. per lb.  
Cueumbers ..... 10c. and 12c. each  
Ripe Tomatoes ..... 25c. per lb.

**LILLEY & CO.**  
695 Main St.  
Telephone No. M. 2745  
Store Open Every Evening Till 10 o'clock—Saturdays, 11.30

**THE 2 BARKERS LIMITED**  
100 PRINCES : 111 BRUNSWICK  
Goods Delivered to All Parts of City, Carleton and Fairville

FLOUR 50c to 75c less than wholesale.  
FIVE SHAMROCKS, CHARLOT, guaranteed equal to any Manitoba flour sold in St. John, only \$15.84.  
12 lbs. fine Granulated Sugar with orders ..... \$1.00  
NEW BERMUDA ONIONS, only 7c pound  
Sunkist Seedless Grape Fruit, 3 for ..... 25c  
California Oranges from 17c doz. up  
Lemons ..... 20c doz.  
CANNED GOODS less than wholesale price. Get your supply now for your summer home. Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, Wax Beans and Soups.  
1 lb. tin Lobster ..... 33c  
2 lb. tin Peas ..... 17c  
2 lb. tin Peaches ..... 16c  
2 lb. tin Plums ..... 15c  
2 lb. tin Blueberries ..... 12c  
Baked Beans ..... 7c tin up  
3 pks. Corn Flakes ..... 25c  
Vegetable and Flower Seeds, 4c pkgs. 7 for 25c

The Evening Times and Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 25, 1917.

The St. John Evening Times is printed at 27 and 29 Canterbury Street every evening, Sunday excepted by the St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co. Ltd., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

OPEN TREASON

LA. Col. Armand Lavergne preached rank treason in Quebec yesterday. His utterances should qualify him for an internment camp, and at once. What will the Borden government do about it? What will it do with the enemy within our gates?

Canada is today paying the price of Sir Robert Borden's surrender to the Nationalists in 1911. Had he possessed the courage of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and rejected an alliance it would not have been possible for representatives of the Nationalists to go to Ottawa and dictate to him the personnel of his cabinet.

The situation in Quebec is serious, and it is useless to attempt to disguise the fact that it may be much more serious, but the people of Canada must see it through. Much will depend upon the ability of the government to act with wisdom, firmness and promptitude.

The Win-the-War Convention has declared itself almost unanimously for conscription, and a real programme of national service. Events of national significance will now follow each other in rapid succession, for the agitation in Quebec must be met, and the call from the front for men and the absolute and urgent need of the complete mobilization of Canada on a war basis.

AN ALARMING OUTLOOK The latest bulletin of the International Institute of Agriculture confirms the gravity of the food situation in the world at large. The countries which have communicated to the Institute their estimates of their last crop, and they practically include all but the Central Powers, show an aggregate wheat yield of 749,922,000 quintals, compared with 1,285,737,000 quintals in 1915-16, and an average yield of 864,296,000 quintals for the past five years.

While there is a considerable quantity remaining from the previous crop, the supplies of Russia and Roumania are not available for export, and leaving them out the northern hemisphere shows a shortage of 37,000,000 quintals, which must be added to 26,000,000 quintals usually exported to tropical countries. The Bulletin adds: "To meet this deficiency of 63,000,000 quintals in the northern hemisphere we can find no more than 50,000,000 in the northern hemisphere. We ought to add that this deficiency seems all the more serious when it is remembered that a balance of supply and requirements was only approximately attained by dealing with a remainder of 100,000,000 quintals, the result of the extraordinarily plentiful crop of 1915 and 1916-17."

The situation in regard to rice is also so bad that, disregarding Russia and Roumania, the deficit taken together, the deficiency is greater than for wheat alone, for the reason that rice shows a deficiency of 7,000,000 quintals, to which must be added the usual net imports average reach 4,000,000 quintals. The deficiency in rice is more than one-fourth in comparison with last year and about one-sixth of the average." The Bulletin says further: "Bacon shows a deficiency of 8,000,000 quintals, which may, however, be counteracted to some extent by possible exports from sub-tropical countries."

"Maize presents the most unfavorable statement among the five cereals, since the year finishes with a deficiency of 92,000,000 quintals, in spite of the fact that the reserves from the previous great crop amounted to 32,000,000 quintals. Oats are the only cereal in the general statement that show an appreciable surplus. This reaches about 30,000,000 quintals, but it may be remarked that in order to strike this credit balance it has been necessary to make considerable drafts on the reserves of the past year, amounting to 54,000,000 quintals."

What shipbuilding does for a port is illustrated in the case of Bath, Maine. The Bangor Commercial says: "One city in Maine that is feeling the impetus of great business is the city of Bath. These are days of shipbuilding and Bath is very busy, especially since the coming of the Texas Co., which has several large iron vessels under way in the immense shipyards that it has purchased and to which, it is understood, there is intention of adding. The Texas Co. already employs more than 1,000 workmen in Bath and citizens of the Shipping City are looking ahead to a population of 15,000 or more in the immediate future. The city has not enough houses to accommodate the recent influx and buildings are springing up everywhere. It is a very prosperous outlook for Bath."

An obscure agitator in Montreal asserted that he had a letter from Sir Wilfrid Laurier stating that Sir Wilfrid would oppose conscription. Sir Wilfrid promptly denied that he had ever written such a letter. The Standard this morning heads the despatch containing Sir Wilfrid's denial with the query: "Who's a liar?" This is a suggestion that in the Standard's view the great Liberal statesman may be a liar. It also says in great headlines that the "Laurierites" were in a fight in Montreal. It knows perfectly well that the Nationalists are not Laurierites, but helped to defeat him and place Sir Robert Borden in power. The Standard is running true to form.

While denouncing the Liberals and making false insinuations concerning their attitude toward national service, the Standard has not yet set forth any great lengths its own views on the subject of conscription. It had none until Sir Robert Borden spoke, and as it does not know how far he will go it dare not even discuss the question freely or fully. But it can abuse the Liberals. It can always perform that service for the Borden-Nationalist party.

The enemy is getting more than he can well stand all along the west front. The pity at the moment is that Russia is not doing her share in the fighting. We have had, during the war, evidence of her capabilities for she has done excellent work against the foe. If only she were carrying on now, as before, the task of the Allies in Belgium and France and on the Austrian border would be appreciably easier and the double effective.

The people still await word of action by the Borden government that will bring some reduction in those food prices that have been boosted by speculation and manipulation.

The amateur playing the role of "The Man With the Hoe" may be the subject of good natured fun making, but he is helping along in the great work that must yet be done.

He Kept Smiling The cheerfulness of maimed and wounded soldiers is becoming a proverb. One evening recently an invalid Tommy was lying abed in a ward of a military hospital watching a nurse distributing hot water bottles, with the view to the prevention of cold feet. When the ministering angel approached his couch, he asked her with a smile: "How will you manage about mine, nurse, seeing I feel one in France and the other in London?"

The Reward for Efficiency Neville Chamberlain is a great believer in personal efficiency. His motto is: "If you can't do a thing properly, don't do it at all." He promised a gift of a motor car to his daughter, the Sporting Times says, on the condition that she could drive, clean it thoroughly, understand the mechanism, and do running repairs herself. Being an enterprising young woman, she soon learnt all this, and got her car. She has been driving motor-ambulances in France.

BOB LONG UNION MADE GLOVES OVERALLS. My Dad wears 'em. Known from Coast to Coast. R. G. LONG & CO. LIMITED TORONTO ONTARIO

McCORMACK IS TO SING AT THE METROPOLITAN

Irish Tenor Signs Contract With Gatti-Casazza for Five Performances Next Season.

John McCormack, famous tenor, with his manager, Charles Wagner, called at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, last week, after a series of conferences with Cleofonte Campanini of the Chicago Opera, and with Messrs. Gatti-Casazza and Otto H. Kahn of the New York organization. The result of the latest meeting was kept secret by all concerned, but it was admitted in other quarters that McCormack had signed for five performances next season in Broadway. His capture by the older house was regarded as a signal victory in the latest comic opera war.

SMITH-KILBURN

In the Portland church Methodist parsonage on May 24, Albert T. Smith, of Fredericton, and Miss Mac E. Kilburn, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Kilburn, also of Fredericton, were married. They will spend a few days on their honeymoon in this city and will then return to Fredericton, where they will reside. The ceremony was performed by Rev. N. McLaughlin.

A rich copious lather. produced from a half-inch of cream. in cold water as well as hot. —containing a moist to the end of the shave. —actually softening the beard without "rubbing in". —a better lather. —A better shave. —that's Mennen's.

MENNE'S SHAVING CREAM

FLOUR MADE IN ST. JOHN

LaTour Flour PURE MANITOBA AT WHOLESALE PRICES \$15.50 per barrel \$7.90 per half barrel \$7.65 per 1-2 bbl. bag \$1.95 per 24 lb. bag

OUTING SHOES FOR THE HOLIDAY

WOMEN'S WHITE LOW SHOES \$2.75 to \$4.50 WHITE PUMPS \$2.75 to \$4.50 WHITE LACE BOOTS \$3.50 to \$7.00

ATHLETIC SHOES YACHTING SHOES

McROBBIE FOOT FITTERS 50 KING STREET

Paint— As a Preservative. Painting is Economy Through Preservation. T. McAVITY & SONS, Ltd.

Warm Weather Means A "Refrigerator". Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

FREE A TALKING MACHINE. AMHERST PIANOS, Ltd. 7 MARKET SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B.

The Car's Daughters Since the beginning of the war two of the busiest girls in Russia have been the eldest daughters of the ex-Czar. The Grand Duchess Olga and the Grand Duchess Tatiana have worn nursing uniforms since the commencement of hostilities, and (according to the Daily Graphic) have had no other interests save those of helping their country. They have tended the rank and file of the Russian army, and the refugees who

Proper Shaped Boots for Boys, Girls, Children and the Baby. Francis & Vaughan 19 KING STREET

stocked to Petrograd have had occasion to bless the names of these two fearless war-workers. Rumor (matrimonially) has always been busy with their names. It is an open secret that the second daughter might permanently take up her residence in England. She is in her twentieth year, and is very beautiful. Her name is used by practically every Red Cross Society in Russia, the most famous war time charity being the Tatiana committee, which works in Petrograd.

A Peer's Romance Recalled Viscount Bolingbroke and St. John, the sixth holder of the title, whose

Special Prices For Tonight and Tomorrow. GHEVNE & CO., 166 UNION STREET—Tel. M. 803

Robinson's Delicious Slice Cakes. Distinctive and eminently correct for every social function.

COAL BEST QUALITY REASONABLE PRICES

R. P. & W. F. STARR, Limited Wholesale and Retail Dealers 40 SMYTHES, 159 UNION ST

Kindling by The Load And in Bundles. J. S. GIBBON & Co., Ltd. 1 Union St. 61-2 Charlotte St. Tel. M. 2636 5-28.

NATIONAL COAL. J. S. GIBBON & Co., Ltd. Tel. M. 2636—No. 1 Union St. Tel. M. 594—6 1/2 Charlotte St.

COLWELL'S COAL "Is Good Coal" All Kinds on Hand. J. FIRTH BRITAIN, Mgr.

Was Constable, Now is Mayor

When the voters of Jersey City at the municipal election last Tuesday voted out the republican and democratic machines, which have controlled their destinies for many years, they launched a brand new and somewhat picturesque figure on the political sea. His name is Frank Hague. He is forty-three years old. He was born in the old Horseneuss district of Jersey City, began life as a blacksmith's helper in the Erie Railroad yards, served as a constable and on Tuesday, May 15, will be named mayor of the city by the four commissioners who were elected with him.

Under the commission form of government Jersey City nominates ten members of each party at the primaries, who are voted for at the general election. The five men who receive the greatest number of votes are placed in charge of the city government for four years. The five offices they fill are mayor and director of public affairs, which includes control of the health department and the city hospital; director of public safety, with jurisdiction over the fire and police departments; director of revenue and finance; director of parks and public property and director of streets and public improvements.

The men elected on the ticket with Mr. Hague, who is at present director of public safety, are A. Harry Moore, Geo. E. Brennan, Michael J. Fagan, and Charles E. X. O'Brien. The sixth and seventh men were republicans, one of them being Mayor Fagan. The other five men were Willippen, democrats, they caused an independent, followed by three other republican choices. The result of the election showed that if the Hague republicans and Willippen democrats had made a coalition, as was urged, they would have won; but they didn't and the Hague faction triumphed.

Now the winners have to apportion the five city departments among themselves. At a conference held in Jersey City it was unanimously resolved that Mr. Hague will be mayor, although he was second man on the ticket. Mr. Moore leading him by approximately 600 votes. The salary of the mayor is \$3,500, while the salary of the other commissioners is \$2,000.

**RESOLVED**  
OUR BUSINESS IS BOOMING BECAUSE WE SELL "WINNIE WALKER" AND "DOROTHY DODD" SHOES FOR WOMEN, "ROMPER" MISSES AND CHILDREN, "W.R. SPECIAL" MEN, "OUTING" FOR SPORTS.

**BUSTER BROWN**  
LISTEN: HAVE YOU THE PROPER SHOES FOR THE SPORT YOU ARE GOING TO HAVE? WON'T YOU ENJOY YOURSELF MORE IF YOU HAVE? DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE, BUT COME NOW AND GET A PAIR OF OUR WHITE DUCK "OUTING" SHOES. THEY ARE JUST WHAT YOU WANT: DOUBLE-RUBBER SOLES, SNUG-FITTING, NEAT LOOKING AND PRICED RIGHT

**Waterbury & Rising, Limited**  
King Street Union Street Main Street

Limited Quantity SLACK for Steam Use  
Prompt Delivery Prices on Application  
**CONSUMERS' COAL**

A sub-sea magnet, invented in Japan, promises to be of great assistance in locating sunken vessels, to recover which salvage operations on a big scale are expected after the war. Tests on this magnet have recently resulted in bringing up thousands of Japanese shells, fired in practice at sea, and it is now understood that it will be used in extracting shell scraps from European battlefields. The value of the iron at present is huge.

**Victor Records**  
furnish every kind of music for everybody

The kind of music you like best anytime you feel you can enjoy it—which is all the time.

Add these selections to your Victor record collection

Ten-inch double-sided Victor Records 90 cents for the two selections

- Stomp Dance—Turkey Trot
- San-Fran-Pan-American—Two-Step
- Canadian Guns—Medley
- Value de Luxe—Victor Concert Orchestra
- Smile, Smile, Smile, Hamilton & Mixed Chorus
- Home Again—Alice Green and Lyric Q.

Twelve-inch double-sided Victor Record—\$1.50 for the two selections

- Gems from Pinafore—Part I
- Gems from Pinafore—Part II
- Two Delightful Red Seal Records
- Passing By (Contralto) Julia Culp 64550
- The Old Refrain (Violin) Kreisler 64529

Hear them at any "His Master's Voice" dealers

Write for free copy of our 450-page Musical Encyclopedia listing over 6000 Victor Records.

**Berliner Gram-o-phone Co. LIMITED**  
18 Lenoir St. Montreal

DEALERS IN EVERY TOWN AND CITY ONE PRICE FROM COAST TO COAST VICTOR RECORDS—MADE IN CANADA LOOK FOR "HIS MASTER'S VOICE" TRADE MARK

"His Master's Voice" St. John Dealers

- C. H. TOWNSEND PIANO CO., King St.
- JOHN FRODSHAM, Royal Hotel, King St.
- AMDUK & CO., King St., West St. John
- ALLAN'S PHARMACY, King Street, West St. John
- LANDRY & CO., Gormain St.
- J. & A. McMILLAN, Wholesale Distributors, Prince William St.

**St. John Men Are Home From Front**

Of the returned men from the hospital ship recently docked in Halifax, several returned to their homes yesterday. Among those who arrived in St. John were Privates J. Burns, Fred. McVitty and C. Scott, all of this city. Private Burns enlisted with the 8th and was transferred on his arrival in France. He was wounded at the battle of the Somme in the left arm, and although he cannot move the limb yet, he has hopes that in time the injury will be repaired to some extent. He has been in England since April 29 and remained there till the sailing of his ship. He thought that if the food in England were accessible there would be plenty to eat. He had a good harvest, but that speculators have forced up the prices.

Sergeant E. H. Parent returned also to his home in Fredericton and the following New Brunswick men: Private J. Cogswell, St. Mary's, Sydney street; E. Lewis, H. VanVoor, J. Russell and P. MacKenzie, all of Campbellton; Henry Winchester, of Dalhousie; Private H. Hanson, of Hillsboro; Private W. J. Watling, of Newcastle; Private Harry Sewall and Private G. A. Miller, of Moncton.

Sergeant C. B. Theall Returns.

Sergeant C. B. Theall, of Bloomfield Station, who went overseas attached to Donald's section, returned home on a furlough last week. After spending several months on active service in France, he received injuries during a heavy engagement, and was treated in hospitals in France and England. He speaks the highest terms of the medical officers and nursing sisters, also of the kindness of the English people and the Canadians. While at the Canadian discharge depot, Buxton, Sergeant Theall tells of the services held by Captain D. D. Macdonald, chaplain, and the great work he is doing among the soldiers.

Piper Robinson on Leave.

Piper Benson Robinson, of the 26th, is at his home, 84 Sydney street, on days' leave. He is a son of Charles Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Aid Commission.

**West Side Notes.**

The contagious hospital in Martello hotel will be shut down today, as all the patients are out. The hospital owes to a great extent responsible for the excellent work. The 62nd quarters on the West Side, under Major D. D. Macdonald, were given a thorough spring cleaning yesterday, and the whole place was sterilized throughout.

Fred W. McNichol, a St. John man, who rose to the rank of brigade bandmaster, arrived in the city yesterday evening from England, where he has been on duty with the 90th Battalion.

Corporal James D. D. Macdonald, Dumpley, of Fredericton, passed through the city on Wednesday evening on their way from the front on route to the home. Corporal Macdonald is a military medal man.

Word has been received in the city to the effect that Major Arthur Legere, who was second in command of the 16th Battalion, has been transferred to a forestry unit on the other side, and that he has retained his rank.

Friends of Sergeant C. H. Ramsay, of the machine gun section, called at his home on Tuesday evening, and presented to him a wrist watch. The presentation was made by William Williams.

**WRITERS OF OLD TIME SHIPBUILDING HERE**

Montreal Paper Has Article on Golden Age of Canadian Vessel Construction

Two pages in the Montreal Standard of May 6 were devoted to the golden age of Canadian shipbuilding with a review of famous Bluenose ships, and the old-time industry in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. The article was written by Frederic Yorston, himself a Nova Scotian, and was well illustrated. Of St. John shipyards, he says:

"There is a close connection between the shipbuilding activity in Pictou and that of St. John, N.B. The big wooden sailing ships were constructed at Courtenay Bay and disposed of to firms in the United Kingdom who used these new vessels in the China, East Indian and Australian trade. These vessels were fine clipper ships with good cargo carrying capacity and fast sailing qualities. As a matter of fact in the golden age of the maritime provinces, the sixties, it was practically impossible to visit a foreign port, without seeing the flags of Nova Scotia or New Brunswick flying aloft from some tapering spar."

"There was the far famed 'Marco Polo' built by James Smith at St. John. A dozen fine ships would be built at one time in the several yards. What scene of activity! The big ships getting fitted out for sea; having their masts stepped, spars and rigging completed. The cargo below decks was usually square ton timber, mostly birch, the rest of the cargo oak."

"Then there was the wood carving. Every ship had at her bow a handsome figurehead to represent a lady or an Indian chief. Some of these wood carvers were very expert. The decks of the ships would be loaded down until the decks almost touched the lower yard, and so they would put out to sea bound for Liverpool."

"One of the best known Canadian shipbuilders in the early days was John McDonald who constructed his vessels at Courtenay Bay, St. John, N.B. Mr. McDonald first began to build in the year 1822, and in the course of his career produced magnificent vessels which sailed the seas in every quarter of the globe. It is stated that he built as many as sixteen in the course of one year in his various yards."

"He started his first yard at a spot which will now be practically unknown except to the very oldest St. John residents. He began building on the little creek that ran to the rear of the old time cemetery and harbours two ships building on the stocks. His second yard was on a site across the creek. There was an old barn near here long ago. The second McDonald shipyard was close to the road. There was another yard close at hand known as the King yard. The shipyard on the Town side was run by Nevis and Fraser. The latter partner was John Fraser (moulder) who came from the East River of Pictou. He was also known as 'Eagle' because of the fact that a moul-

**HAVE GOOD HEALTH**

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Old, Reliable Spring Tonic.

Don't let the idea that you may feel better in a day or two prevent you from getting a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla today from any drug store and starting at once on the road to health and strength.

When your blood is impure and impoverished it lacks vitality, your digestion is imperfect, your appetite is poor, and all the functions of your body are impaired.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is a wonderful blood tonic. It will build you up quicker than any other medicine. It gives strength to do and power to endure. It is the old standard tried and true all-year-round blood purifier and enervator, tonic and appetizer. Nothing else acts like it, for nothing else has the same formula or ingredients. Be sure to ask for Hood's; insist on having it.

eagle had endeavored to bear him away and devour him in his very early youth.

"Another of the famous old St. John shipbuilding firms was Gass & Stewart. They built about four hundred yards from Nevis on the same creek. Mr. Stewart was a native of Scotland, Pictou county. It was in Mr. King's yard that the great clipper ship 'Marco Polo' was built—the ship that made the wonderful voyage to Australia. There is a most romantic story about the construction of this ship. It was dated with the owner had found a pot of gold somewhere near the Marsh road and this had helped him to finance the under-taking."

"The 'Tiptree', one of the best known McDonald ships, was one of the largest built at this period. She was a 2,000 tonner built of the best material, and the best workmanship. McDonald was never far from the building of his ships with both yards going full blast. The last two ships he built were abandoned at sea—the 'Thetis', 1,400 tons, and the 'Agamemnon', 1,780 tons. These two ships were lost within three weeks of one another."

**BABY'S OWN TABLETS USED TEN YEARS**

Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Carb, Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the last ten years and can highly recommend them for babyhood and childhood ailments. My baby boy was very delicate; in fact we never thought he would live but thanks to the Tablets he is now a fine healthy boy. Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in every home where there are small children. They regulate the bowels and stomach and never fail to cure the minor ills of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

He Knew.

A humane society had secured a show window and filled it with attractive pictures of wild animals in their native haunts or placed in the middle of the exhibit said:

"We were skinned to provide women with fashionable furs."

A man paused before the window and his harassed expression for a moment gave place to one of sympathy.

"I know just how you feel, old tops," he muttered. "So was I!"

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**

**Ideal Hammock Couches**

These Couch Hammocks are of superior construction, ornamental in appearance and provide perfect comfort on veranda or lawn. Fitted with twisted link fabric spring, 27 inches wide, 72 inches long, finished in black Japan, making it practically rustproof. They have a continuous one-piece wind shield and ends, and combination mattress upholstered in khaki-duck.

Price of this No. 1 Hammock with chains..... \$12.00  
Price of this No. 2 Hammock, has adjustable head piece, \$13.75  
Price of this No. 4 Hammock, has adjustable head piece with higher ends and windshield, with magazine pockets at each end and reversible felt filled mattress in khaki duck. Price with chains, \$20.00

The Stands are of steel, black finish and fold for shipment..... Price \$4.75  
The Canopies are of striped awning duck with scalloped edge..... Price \$6.00

FURNITURE DEPT.—MARKET SQUARE

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**

**LOCAL NEWS**

If you live in the West Side, did you ever ask yourself, why you do not deal with us. Those who have tried our service speak highly of our quality footwear and low prices.—Ideal Shoe Store, 108 Union street, W. E.

Our big display of spring overcoats in all styles and colors from \$12 to \$24. Call while the stock is complete.—Turner, out of the high-rent district, 440 Main street, W. E.

A large assortment of boys' suits, as well as men's at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street. T.F.

Wanted six first-class waitresses for Royal Hotel. Big money and board to right parties. T.F.

**FARMING CO-OPERATION**

(Conservation)

Co-operative selling and buying requires no argument today to sustain its advantages. The saving in cost of handling large orders instead of numerous small ones is recognized by every business house. The wholesale houses do business on this basis, and are consequently able to sell their goods at much lower prices. The retailer has to break bulk, has many packages to weigh out and parcel up, has many accounts to make out and many orders to record. Over and above these costs is the very serious matter in urban centres, but it is much more so in the country, for whether the dealer delivers them or the farmer drives in for his supplies, the cost is there.

In a recent rural survey by the commission of conservation, among 100 farmers in one township, it was found that 68 of them lived five miles or more from a shipping point. Of these 68 farmers, not one was either selling his produce or buying his supplies co-operatively. Each farmer was driving his ten miles (3 miles each way) to his market place, covering largely the same ground as his neighbors, using his team and wagon, his own time and energy. In many instances the great waste of time and energy and the monetary loss due to the smaller business transactions might be materially reduced by extension of the co-operative system.

**For Thin, Nervous MEN AND WOMEN**

nothing equals or compares with the rich food properties in

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

It makes other foods do good. It sharpens the appetite; stimulates the circulation and helps overcome catarrhal troubles. If you are rundown, anaemic or nervous, the benefits you will receive from Scott's Emulsion will surprise you.

Scott & Bowler, Toronto, Ont. 16-17

**Saturday Will Be a Big Day in Women's Ready-to-Wear Coats, Suits and Dresses**

**SATURDAY \$12.50 SUITS**  
Great opportunity to buy fine all wool serge suits at a very low Saturday price. Fine quality serge suits of new design, coats made with round or half belt, trimmed with braiding, broad binding or stitching, convertible collars, some deep wide effects. The skirts are genuine the bows and stomachs never fail to cure the minor ills of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**SATURDAY \$5 DRESS SKIRTS**  
For Saturday shoppers we have assembled together a number of new spring designs in dress skirts to be put in at one price as a special. They consist of fine quality serges or tweed effects, made according to the latest style ideas, some with pockets, others with side pleating on plain effects with full back. Colors navy, black or grey. Reg. \$5.75 to \$6.50. Saturday Cash Special, \$5.00 each

**BOYS' AND GIRLS' RAIN COATS**  
About 40 black rubber coats in sizes from 12 to 16 years, cheap fastening in front. Reg. \$3.00 value. Saturday Cash Special, \$3.48 each

**SATURDAY IN HOUSE FURNISHINGS**  
White high grade marquisette curtains, hemstitched. \$1.50 pair  
24 inch brass extension curtain rods, large ball ends. 82¢ each  
3 yard Nottingham lace curtains, neat design. \$1.29 pair  
Cushion forms, a limited quantity, size 22 by 22, slightly soiled to clear. 49¢ each  
Short lengths and remnants of marquisette and velvet curtain materials, cream, white and coral, 1 1/2 to 4 yard ends. At Bargain Prices.  
100 pairs of fine grade lace curtains, samples and odds.  
Saturday at Greatly Reduced Prices.

White bed spreads, good quality and large size. \$2.25 each  
Chintzes, a lot of the finer qualities, good patterns, discontinued numbers, reg. 60¢. Saturday, 39¢ yard.

**SATURDAY, \$10 COATS**  
A splendid choice of women's and misses' spring coats, come in tweeds, high color velvets, all new spring designs, most of them with large collar and all round belts. Reg. \$11.50 to \$12.90. Saturday Cash Special, \$10.00 ea.

**KIDDIES DRESSES—REMARKABLE AT SATURDAY PRICE**  
Pretty little summer dresses made of fine crepe cloth for kiddies of 2 to 4 years in pink and white, blue and white, helio and white, grey and white, trimmed with plain bands of contrasting color on neck, sleeves and belt. Saturday Cash Special, 63¢ each

Another line of Japanese crepe dresses in plain colors. Kiddies' sizes 2 to 4 years. Come in pink or sky, trimmed on square neck front, sleeves and belt with 1 1/2 inch band fancy pattern crepe to match. Saturday Cash Special, 83¢ each

**BRASSIERS**  
Fine cambric brassiers, good fitting style with removable steels in front, embroidery yoke, lace edging on neck and sleeves, sizes 36 to 42. Saturday Cash Special, 35¢ each.

**WHITEWEAR SPECIALS**  
SATURDAY  
Very serviceable white cambric pants with wide frill trimmed hemstitched tucks and hem. Saturday Cash Special, 23¢ pair  
Carset covers, lawn corset covers with embroidery yoke, lace heading on neck and sleeves. Quantity limited. Saturday, 2 Covers for 25¢.

Combinations, fine summer weight knit combinations with quarter or no sleeves, finished with heavy inch lace at knee, silk ribbon ties. Saturday Cash Special, 68¢ per suit

Boudoir caps, a clearing up of a number of different lines of fancy boudoir caps at a bargain price, many attractive designs of net, lace and chiffon finished lace trills and ribbon bows. Saturday Cash Special, 39¢

**SALE OF SUMMER WASH DRESSES**  
SATURDAY  
About 40 only summer dresses in voile, linen and crepe, practically all different designs, mostly one of a kind, light colors, fancy striped voile, etc. Sizes 16 to 42. Nothing whatever the matter with these dresses except that they have become slightly mussed on the racks. To be sold for from one third off to one-half price.

**WHITE WASH BLOUSE SILK**  
As a special offer on Saturday we place on sale several pieces of 36 inch white Japanese habutai silk suitable for blouses and summer dresses. This silk is really 68¢ value. Saturday Cash Special, 49¢ yd.

**IN STAPLE DEPARTMENT**  
White terry towels, soft finish, good size, 17 by 28 inches, hemmed ends. On Saturday, 35¢ per pair.  
Sheets, new line of fine white cotton sheets, 2 1/2 by 2 1/2 yards, 3 inch hem. \$1.25 each  
Bath towels, good large size, 22 by 46, cream color with red stripes. 45¢ each  
Pillow cases made up from strong white cotton in sizes 40 and 42 inch. Saturday, 15¢ each

**BARGAINS IN STAMPED GOODS**  
Saturday at Bargain-Prices.  
**HOSIERY**  
Ladies' black cotton hosiery, summer weight, seamless. 29¢ per pair.  
Children's cotton hose, black, tan or white, sizes 5 to 8 1/2. Saturday, 15¢ pair  
Hose supporters with patent rubber grips, reg. 25¢. Saturday, 18¢ pair

**HANDKERCHIEFS**  
Ladies' hemstitched null handkerchiefs with new fine embroidered corner. Saturday, 15¢ each  
Men's cambric handkerchiefs, good size, narrow hemstitched edges. Saturday, 3 for 25¢.

**HAND BAGS**  
Black leather hand bags, new popular shape, fitted coin purse and mirror, nickel trim. Saturday 74¢ each

**SWISS FLOUNCINGS**  
About fifty yards only fine Swiss embroidered flouncings, 18 inches wide, very neat fine patterns. Saturday, 25¢ yard.

**London House DANIEL Head of King Steert**



CLASSIFIED PAGES

THAN IN ANY OTHER PAPER IN EASTERN CANADA

One Cent a Word Single Insertion; Discount of 33-1-3 Per Cent. on Advs. Running One Week or More, if Paid in Advance--Minimum Charge 25 Cts.

Shops You Ought To Know!

Designed to Place Before Our Readers The Merit, Craftsmanship and Service Offered by Shops and Specialty-Stores.

ASHES REMOVED

EASTERN ASH CO., 9c PER BARREL; furniture moving and all kinds of general trucking. Phone 3040-1. 6014-5-81

BRASS PLATING

ELECTRIC LIGHT FIXTURES REFINISHED in all colors. Brass beds refinished and made as good as new. Ornamental goods repaired. Refinished in their original colors at Grondines the Plater. T.F.

BARGAINS

WE HAVE LOTS OF CHEAP HOSE in Cotton, Lisle and Cashmere. Corsets from 50c pair up. Wetmore's, Garden street. Open evenings.

DIRECT FROM THE MILL--DEALERS

spare ends, edgings. Phone 6150-11. 60228-5-36

OR OILCLOTHS AND WALL

papers, nice variety of patterns; curtain goods and blinds at Wetmore's, Garden street. Store open evenings.

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF

our new spring shirts, latest styles in all sizes. Big display of new neckwear, all styles and colors. J. Morgan & Co., 629-633 Main street.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS

W. H. ROWLEY, CARPENTER and builder, house raising and moving a specialty. Jobbing promptly attended to. Residence and shop, 44 Rodney street, West St. John, Telephone West 461-21.

COAL

OLD MINE SYDNEY COAL, SLAB wood and dry kindling. Phone 9380. 60465-6-6

IN PLACE OF HARD COAL TRY

Gibson & Co's special PILE COAL. Phone Main 2636 for sample. 60493-5-30.

NOW LANDING FRESH MINED

Sydney coals. James S. McGivern, 8 Mill street, Phone 42.

OLD MINE SYDNEY COAL ON

hand. Prompt delivery--La. W. Carleton, 18 Rodney street; Phone W. 82.

T. M. WISTED & CO., 142 ST. PATRICK

street, Scotch coal, American anthracite, all sizes. Springhill, Lykens Valley and Reserve Sydney soft coal also in stock. Delivery bags if required. Phone 2148-11. Ashes removed promptly. "Springhill coal" just arrived.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING AND LADIES tailoring done reasonably, at 49 Garden street. Right hand bell. 60488-5-26

DRINK AND DRUG CURES

THE GATTIN GUARANTEED CURE FOR LIQUOR, 3 to 5 days, DRUG, 15 days. Positively harmless. Administered privately if desired. Gattin Institute, 46 Crown street, M. 1084, Terms reasonable.

ENGINE REPAIRING

GASOLINE ENGINE REPAIRING--Joe La Pierre, Gilberts lane, next Emerson & Fisher's storehouse. 60391-5-30

ENGRAVERS

F. C. WESLEY & CO., ARTISTS AND engravers, 69 Water street, Telephone 982-6.

GOLD AND SILVER PLATING

TABLEWARE OF ALL KINDS REPAIRED and Plated. Knives, Forks, spoons, cake baskets, castors, teapots, etc. Mesh bags repaired and plated. All jewelry repaired and plated. Gold or silver, at Grondines, the Plater. T. F.

HATS BLOCKED

LADIES' STRAW, CHIFF, TAGLE and Panama hats blocked over in latest styles. Mrs. M. R. James, 280 Main street, opposite Adelaide.

HAND LAUNDRY

FIRST CLASS WORK, DONE promptly. Satisfaction guaranteed. Work called for and delivered. L. Hamm, 14 Coburg. Call Main 1492-21. 9-27

HAIRDRESSING

MISS McGRATH, N. Y. PARLORS, Imperial Theatre Building. Orders taken now for hair, coloring, hair work a specialty. Great manicuring. Floor 2, Phone M. 2695-81. New York graduate.

IRON FOUNDRIES

UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works, Limited, George H. Waring, manager, West St. John, N.B. Engineers and machinists, iron and brass foundry.

SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED--PERSONS TO GROW Mushrooms for us at home, from \$15 per week upwards can be made by using waste space in yards or gardens (start now!) illustrated booklet sent free. Address Montreal Supply Company, Montreal.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN ON CITY FREEHOLD. Straight loan or installment system. R. A. Davidson, Solicitor, 42 Princess street. 59925-6-7

MONEY TO LOAN ON APPROVED

freehold or leasehold property in the city. Pickett & Lewis, 65 Prince William. 59472-6-5

MARRIAGE LICENSES

WASSON'S ISSUE MARRIAGE LICENSES, any time, day or night--Wasson's Drug Store, 711 Main street.

MEATS AND GROCERIES

MEATS, GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS at lowest prices. We now sell soft coal, any quantity delivered--To Bros., 71 Erin street, M. 1746-31.

MEN'S CLOTHING

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS READY TO wear at moderate prices. W. J. Higgins & Co., Customs and Ready-to-wear Clothing, 185 Union street.

WE ARE SHOWING A LARGE

stock of spring overcoats and raincoats. A number of our customers call early while the stock is complete. You can select yours now--Turner, out-of-the-high-rent-district, 440 Main. T.F.

NICKEL PLATING

AUTOMOBILE PARTS RE-NICKEL-ED, made to look like new. Bicycle parts, sewing machine parts, stove fittings, bath-room fittings, etc., re-nickel-ED at Grondines the Plater. T.F.

PLUMBING, ETC.

ARTHUR DOYLE, PLUMBER AND Heater, 84 St. Patrick street; Phone M. 1830-12. 60867-5-27

PIANO MOVING

PIANO AND FURNITURE MOVING and general work. Tel. 2891-11. H. Schaeffer. 60415-6-28

PHOTOS ENLARGED

PHOTOS ENLARGED ON CUSHION Tops, handkerchiefs, fobs. Write Drawer 1411. Demonstration, etc. 60699-5-28

PHOTOS ENLARGED, SNAPSHOT

enlarged, 8 x 10, for 83c. Just send us the negative. Films developed, etc.--Wasson's, Main street.

ROOFING

HAVING PURCHASED ROOFING. Outfit of G. S. Fisher, and having a man with nineteen years experience in Gravel Roofing in charge of the work we are in a position to put on the very best kind of Gravel Roof at a moderate price. J. Joseph Mitchell, 204 Union street, opposite Opera House. 59108-5-30

SECOND-HAND GOODS

SECOND HAND STOVES BOUGHT, sold and repaired. C. H. McFadden, 728 Main street. 59332-6-10

FOR SALE AT HALF PRICE--NEW

plows and cultivators. We buy your old iron, metals, etc. John McGoldrick, 65 Smythe street, St. John, Phone 228.

HIGH CASH PRICE PAID FOR ALL

ladies' and gent's cast off clothing. 10 Waterloo street. M. 8466-21. T.F.

WANTED TO PURCHASE--GENT-

leman's cast off clothing, boots, musical instruments, jewelry, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Call or write L. Williams, 16 Dock street, St. John, N.B., Telephone 228-21.

WANTED TO PURCHASE--GENT-

leman's cast off clothing, fur coats, jewelry, diamonds, old gold and silver, musical instruments, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Best prices paid. Call or write H. Gilbert, 24 Mill street, Phone 2292-11.

STORAGE

FURNITURE, PIANOS, OR ANY class of goods stored. Warehouse clean and dry, electric elevator. Single load 80c a month, double load \$1 a month. Phone Main 558--D. Magee's Sons, 68 King street. 59945-6-18

STENO-MULTIGRAPHING

L. C. SMITH, TYPEWRITER AND Multigraph Office, opp. new Post Office. Phone 121. Expert work. T.F.

TYPEWRITER RENTALS

ALL VISIBLE HIGH GRADE MACHINES, rental up to three months allowed on purchase price--Soulis Typewriter Company, Ltd.

WOOD

KINDLING BY THE LOAD AND IN Bundles. Phone Gibson & Co., Main 2636. 60492-5-30

WE ARE NOW DELIVERING WEST

dred ends and spar ends. McNamara Bros., Phone 733. T.F.

WATCH REPAIRERS

WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING a specialty. Watches, rings and chains for sale. G. D. Perkins, 46 Princess street. T.F.

W. BAILEY, THE ENGLISH, AM-

erican and Swiss expert watch repair-

er, 188 Mill street (next to Hygienic Bakery). For reliable and lasting repairs come to me with your watches and clocks. Prompt attention and reasonable charges. Watches demagnetized.

FOR RELIABLE CLOCK AND watch repairs go to Huggard, 67 Peters street. (Seven years in Waltham Watch factory.) T.F.

CAUTION!

WARNING--THE COLLECTOR--Dust Sweeping Powder Co., who manufacture their goods under four different patents granted by the Canadian Patent Office, for the highest grade sweeping powder on the market, warns the public against worthless imitations. Ask your dealer for Collect-O-Dust, the sweeping powder that satisfies. 40 per cent discount. Dealers, suppliers, Logan, Agent, 22 Paddock street, Phone Main 2296-91. T.F.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST--ON MONDAY, OLD FASH- ioned bar pin, either in Cadleton or City. Finder please return to this office. 60460-5-26

LOST--MAY 18, CAMEO RING.

Phone Main 880-41. 60353-5-27

FOUND--SMALL BLACK AND

Tan Pup. Owner Phone 702. 60398-6-1

LOST--ON WEDNESDAY, GOLD

Necklace, between Marsh Bridge and foot of Colburn street. Finder please leave at Times Office. 60608-5-27

LOST--GREEN PRAYER-BOOK

Phone Main 1068-31. 60469-5-30

LOST--WATCH FOB, INITIALS "J. M."

Finder return to Times office. 60273-5-26

FOUND--A CARRIAGE RUG. AP-

ply 28 Peter street, right hand bell. 60248-5-26

MISCELLANEOUS

HUM YIEP HAS PURCHASED THE Laundry from Fred Lin, 9 St. Patrick street, who will leave on May 26th. 60423-5-30

INTELLIGENT MAN OR WOMAN

to travel and appoint local representatives. Nine months' contract representing expenses and \$15 a week. Winston Company, Toronto. N.A.--5-81

PROBATE COURT

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAINT JOHN: To the next of kin of CHRISTOPHER McDADE, late of the City of Saint John in the County of Saint John, Carriage Manufacturer, deceased, and all others whom it may concern.

The Administrator of the above deceased intestate having prayed that a license may be granted to him to sell the real estate of the said Christopher McDADE, deceased, to pay the debts of the said deceased, the City and County of Saint John at the Probate Court room, in the Pugsley Building, in the City of Saint John, on Monday the eighteenth day of June next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any, why a license to sell the real estate of the said Christopher McDADE, deceased, should not be granted to the said Administrator, as prayed for and as by law directed.

Given under my hand this twenty-seventh day of April, A. D. 1917. H. G. McENEREY, Judge of Probate.

STEPHEN B. BUSTIN, Registrar of Probate. MacRAE, SINCLAIR & MacRAE, Proctor for Administrator. 6-16

T. McAVITY & SONS, Limited

Water Street 5-26.

FOR SALE

Young Pigs

Write us at 87 Charlotte street, or Phone Main 3458. PACIFIC DAIRIES, LTD. 5-28.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N.B. Quotations furnished by private wire of New York, May 25.

Table of stock market quotations including Am Zinc, Am Car and Ptry, Am Locomotive, Am Beet Sugar, Am Can, Am Sugar, Am Steel Plates, Am Smelters X D, Am Tel & Tel, Am Woolens, Anconia Min, At. T and S Co, Brooklyn R T, Balt & Ohio, Baldwin Loco, Butte & Superior, Bethlehem Steel, Cent Leather, Chic & N West, Ches & Ohio, Erie, Erie 1st Pfd, Gen Electric, Gr Northern Pfd, Inspiration, Int Fuel Iron, Int Mar Com, Int Mar Pfd Cts, Indust Alcohol, Kennecott Copper, Midvale Steel, Maxell Motors, Miami, North Pacific, Nor and West, Nevada, N Y Air Brakes, N Y Central, Pennsylvania, Peoples Gas, Pressed Steel Car, Reading, Republic I and S, St. Paul, Sloss Sheffield, South Railway, South Pacific, Shattuck Arizona, Shubaker, U S Steel, U S Steel Pfd, United Fruit, U S Rubber, Utah Copper, Western Union, Westing Electric, Sales--Eleven stock, 509,700.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, members Montreal Stock Exchange.) (Up to 12 o'clock Montreal, May 25. Bank of Montreal--2 at 226. Brazil--50 at 40. C. G. E--25 at 106 1/2, 25 at 107. Canada Cat--10 at 71 1/2, 10 at 71 1/2. Civic Power--100 at 77 1/2, 10 at 77 1/2. Cement--145 at 62, 50 at 62 1/2. Dominion Steel--25 at 51 1/2, 175 at 51 1/2, 275 at 62, 350 at 61 1/2. Ship--125 at 87, 25 at 88 1/2. Penman--15 at 71 1/2. Scotia--25 at 83. Lyall--50 at 70. Shawinigan--40 at 122. Quebec--125 at 26, 125 at 25, 50 at 25 1/2. Brompton--50 at 50, 75 at 50 1/2. Steel Co--50 at 39 1/2, 500 at 60, 5 at 60 1/2, 25 at 60 1/2. H. Smith--10 at 71, 5 at 70, 236 at 74. Cement Pfd--15 at 92 1/2. Ships Pfd--25 at 87, 25 at 86 1/2. First War Loan--400 at 96 1/2. Second War Loan--100 at 95 1/2. Unlisted Stocks. Glass--25 at 54. Third War Loan--1,700 at 94 1/2.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Catarrh being generally induced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Off Till August.

Newcastle, May 23--The supreme court met here yesterday. Judge Chandler presiding, but immediately adjourned until August 14, leading council being ill.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of Cornwall and York Cotton Mills Company, Limited, for the reception of the Annual Report, the election of Directors, the transaction of general business, and to take into consideration and to approve by-laws and amendments to the by-laws of the Company, will be held at the Head Office of the Company, Wall Street, St. John, N. B., on Tuesday, the 29th May, at 3 p.m. By order of the board.

A BRUCE, Secretary-Treasurer. 6-28.

The Right Furnace

McClary's Sunshine Furnace is absolutely right--right in idea, in design, in construction, in price and in performance. It's a furnace made for your needs and is complete in every single detail. Write for free, descriptive booklet.

McClary's SUNSHINE FURNACE

LONDON TORONTO MONTREAL WINNIPEG VANCOUVER ST. JOHN, N.B. HAMILTON SASKATOON EDMONTON

For Sale by M. J. Sliney, Waterloo Street

Square Deal LESSER Says-- Good News for the Ladies

I have just received a shipment of 75 ladies suits of the latest up-to-the-minute in styles of which there is no two alike in tweeds, poplins, silks and serges, all colors and all sizes from 32 to 44 which I will sell for CASH OR CREDIT on my easy payment system of \$1.00 a WEEK and a Small Deposit

If you intend purchasing a suit, call and see our assortment as there is one to suit you. We treat all business with the utmost courtesy and treat all business transacted strictly confidential.

See OUR LINE OF MEN'S CLOTHING

Our Waterproofs are sold to You Guaranteed

THE PEOPLES CASH & CREDIT CO.

555 MAIN STREET Store Open Evenings Phone Main 2909

USE THE WANT AD. WAY

A Waterproof Coat is Like a Gun

When You Need One You Need it Badly

Recent showery days emphasized the need of a raincoat. Nowadays, when the cost of clothes is not any less, one should protect them from the weather and thus keep them shapely and more durable.

An umbrella is all right as far as it goes, but a raincoat is the only perfect protection, besides on a rainy day it is appropriate dress.

Many styles here at moderate prices. Cloth surface, black, gray and khaki paramatta, rubber surface.

Gilmour's 68 King St.

DO YOU ENJOY YOUR WORK?

No one can enjoy his work as he should if his vision is not perfect. A pair of our glasses will change labor that seemed a mere grind into pleasurable work.

K. W. Epstein & Co.

OPTOMETRISTS Open Evenings. 193 UNION ST. Phone 2/43-21.

CEDAR SHINGLES JUST ARRIVED

We are now unloading car Dry Cedar Whites. Get our prices. Phone MAIN 054

J. Roderick & Son

BRITAIN STREET



A SHOE FOR EVERYBODY!

The Usefulness of this Shoe Store is a good deal like a Public Service Corporation. It has become an absolute necessity to thousands of people because it offers Complete Shoe Satisfaction in every particular. We aim to please Everybody with Shoe Quality, Shoe Service and Shoe Prices. We want to make you comfortable while you are Buying your Shoes, while you are Wearing them, and when you are Paying for them.

SHOES FOR MEN, FOR WOMEN, FOR BOYS, FOR MISSES, FOR CHILDREN--SHOES FOR EVERYBODY

Shoes for Men . . . . \$3.85 to \$8.50 Shoes for Women . . . \$2.85 to \$8.50 Shoes for Boys . . . . \$1.85 to \$5.00 Shoes for Girls . . . . \$1.85 to \$3.35 Shoes for Misses . . . \$1.98 to \$3.00 Shoes for Children . . 95c. to \$2.85

This is a Splendid Shoe Home to tie to these days when Shoe Prices are up and there are so many uncertain Shoes being placed on the market.

WIEZEL'S CASH STORE

243-247 UNION STREET

# POOR DOCUMENT

# M C 2 0 3 5

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1917

**PARADIS**  
The newest and best of Talcums  
60c per bottle

**PARADIS PERFUME**  
\$1.00 per ounce

**The Ross Drug Co., Ltd**  
100 KING STREET

**SPECIAL PRICES**  
on  
**Hats**  
For the Holiday Wear Tonight

Store Open This Evening Until 10 O'clock

**MARR MILLINERY COMPANY, LIMITED**

**LADIES!**

Special reduction on Suits and Coats made of fine men's serges and whipcords in the very latest styles.

Call and See for Yourself at

**THE AMERICAN CLOAK MFG. CO.**  
Tel. Main 833 32 DOCK STREET

**Hats For Particular Men**

If you are particular about the Hat you wear, THIS IS YOUR SHOP. From our vast array of shapes and colors you will find the Hat you want. Canadian, English and Italian makers.

**A Hat to Suit Every Face**  
\$2.50 and \$3

**Italian Hats, \$4 and \$4.50**

**F. S. THOMAS**  
539 to 545 Main Street

**Morrell's Holiday Motor Trips**

**OUTINGS YOU'LL LIKE AND REMEMBER**

Pack your picnic basket, have ready your outing togs, and let us call for you tomorrow morning with our Luxurious Big Touring Car and wheel you away to the seaside, or to some lovely inland spot for a glorious day in the open.

Make Your Appointment Now, So You Won't be Disappointed.

**MORRELL'S**  
Office, Main 2957-11 PHONES House, Main 2053-21  
14 PEEL STREET

**Now for Your Fishing Trip**

The 24th of May marks the beginning of the angling season, and a look through your outfit will reveal to you just what is needed in the way of Flies, Lines, Hooks, Reels, etc., in

**Fishing Tackle**

We offer the largest and finest assortment hereabouts. Special features, including Forrest's Trout and Salmon Flies in all sized hooks, "John Bull," also "Karnt Break" Trout and Salmon Lines, Gut Hooks, Malloch Trout and Salmon Reels.

**Wood and Bristol Steel Fishing Rods**

Landing Nets, Dip Nets, Gaff Hooks, Fly Boxes, Fly Books, Fishing Baskets, etc.

SEE OUR ALUMINUM CAMP COOKING KIT OF SIX PIECES—VERY LIGHT AND COMPACT

Anglers' Section, Sporting Dept.—Second Floor

Market Square **W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.** King Street

**NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS!**

Throughout the summer months The Times will issue on Saturdays at 12 o'clock. Advertisers, in order to ensure prompt change of ads, should have their copy in this office not later than 4 p. m. on Fridays.

**CLASSIFIED ADS.**  
Ordinary Classified Ads. may be sent to this office up to 9 a. m. on Saturday.

**LOCAL NEWS**

**BEAVERS WIN**  
The Beavers' baseball team of the Boys' Club League defeated the all-star team from North End yesterday morning on the east end diamond by a score of 18 to 9, in a nine-inning game. The batteries were: All Stars—Gill, Carrigan and Friars; Beavers—Appley and Hilbert.

**LANGWORTHY WINS PROMOTION**  
Friends of Harry Langworthy of this city will be pleased to know that he was promoted to be quartermaster-sergeant of the 288th Infantry, U. S. Army, when he left St. John with a local battalion in June, 1915, as a private, and has been seen in action with Company Sergeant-Major Whitehouse, and Pte. Percy Hill, both of whom have since been killed. Langworthy himself has not yet received a scratch. He is "winning his spurs" in the genuine Roman fashion.

**BREATH OF THE HEATHER**  
The second issue of the "Breath of the Heather," the official monthly of the 288th Infantry, is off the press. It contains a farewell tribute to the people of Fredericton where the battalion has been located; a chronology of the history of the battalion; an article on "Our Medallists," by Lieut. H. S. Percett; a sketch of Sir Sam Hughes, whose picture is included as a supplement; sketches of some of the officers of the Infantry, and some of the pictures, illustrated with cuts, and considerable other interesting matter.

**ALONG THE RIVER**  
Capt. Flewelling and Purser Taylor of the steamer Oconee say that they carried much more wheat up river this spring than ever before. They say that everybody talks of increased production but that the scarcity of help is a great handicap for some of the farmers. So greatly disappointed were the excursionists who expected to go up river on the May Queen yesterday that sixty-nine of them rather than lose their trip, went on the Oconee to Westfield, and returned by the suburban.

The Oconee brought down a salmon and some shad from Craig's Point this morning. She also brought a quantity of pork and veal and other produce, including some chickens.

**THE MAN WITH THE HOE OBSERVES HOLIDAY**

By Getting a Blister and a Garden—Vegetation Very Backward Along the River

The Man With the Hoe set out on Wednesday afternoon to find the Happy Valley. The woman also went, and also the children. Of course they went up the St. John River. Also, of course, they went to Public Landing.

The Oconee had a full passenger list. In fact it was like a summer excursion party, although the weather was far from summer-like. How it did rain before the steamer left the wharf, and as she proceeded up the river. But she ran out of it long before she reached the Landing. The water in the river is still high, but all the stops were made, and at Day's Landing the boat from the shore was twice filled with passengers. At the Landing the wharf was easily made, and many passengers went ashore.

The Oconee had much freight as well as many passengers, and the odor of fertilizer went with the amateur gardeners to cheer them on their way. Ordinarily they would sniff at it, but in this year of increased production it is as the perfume of Araby the Blest.

It will be remembered that the Happy Valley of Rasseles was located on a lofty plateau, and so the Man with the Hoe climbed the Barker Hill. No gardening could be done that evening, but the woman emptied packing cases and cooked supper and made beds, and the children brought in trilliums and dog-tooth violets and white violets, and a solitary strawberry blossom. Not a tree was yet in leaf, but the red buds were out on the maples, and all the foliage was but waiting for the encouragement of a few sunny days.

Bedtime came with the darkness, but the aspect of the weather did not encourage early rising in the morning. It was heavily overcast, with a threat of rain. Before noon, however, the sun came out, and the afternoon was sunny and delightful. The ground was ready, and hoe and rake and fork and wheelbarrow were brought into service. Of course the Man tried to assert his authority, and direct the operations, but when a member of the Housewives' League says a thing she means it. Suffice it to say that long before supper-time there were long rows planted with lettuce, beets, carrots, parsnips, beans, peas and onions. Also there were hills of cabbages, and rows of cauliflower and turnips. There are still half a dozen kinds of seeds to be planted, but the Woman and the Children have had a taste of the joy of gardening, and they sent the Man to town this morning for more seeds.

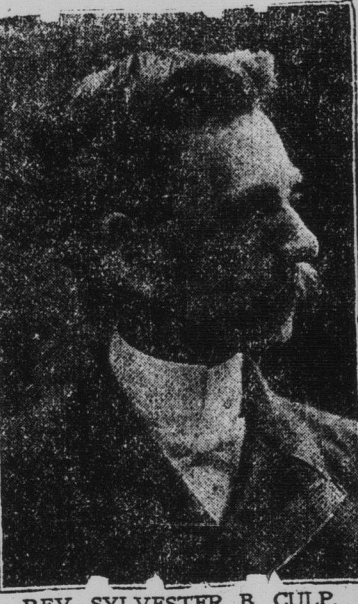
Who is the Man with the Hoe? There are scores of him, and he got more real satisfaction, whether at Public Landing or any suburban point, out of the 24th of May than he has experienced for years and years.

There were motor boats on the river yesterday, and one sailing yacht went past the Landing. The familiar tugs and rafts, passed down stream. The Champlain and Majestic had good passenger lists upward and the D. J. Purdy brought many down.

From this time forward the river traffic will take on new life, especially at week-ends. The Oconee brought down a large list this morning. She will begin her early Monday morning trips down a week from next Monday.

**NEW PASTOR HERE**

Rev. S. B. Culp Arrives to Assume Charge in Coburg Street Church



**REV. SYLVESTER B. CULP**  
The new pastor of Coburg street church.

Rev. Sylvester B. Culp, the new pastor of the Coburg street Christian church, has arrived in the city, accompanied by his wife and young son, and they are being warmly welcomed by the members of the congregation here. Although he has spent the greater part of his ministry in the United States, Rev. Mr. Culp is a native of Canada, having been born and brought up in Beamsville, Ont. He is a graduate of Garfield College, Hiram, Ohio, and since leaving college has filled pastorates in London, Ont.; Watertown, N. Y.; Williamsport, Pa.; Toledo, Ohio, and Edinburg, Pa. He came to St. John from Syracuse, N. Y., where he has been minister of the Pompey Christian church for the last two years.

In addition to his regular duties as a pastor, Mr. Culp has devoted much attention to revival work in which he has been successful in St. Louis, Detroit and other large cities of the states.

**BIG FIRMS TO CLOSE DOORS AT 5 P.M. FOR SUMMER MONTHS**

Four Dry Goods and One Carpet Business Put Early Closing into Effect

In view of the necessity of the times, and with the wish to forward in any way we possibly can the patriotic movement called for by our government for greater food production, we, the undersigned business firms, have decided to close our stores at 5 p. m. on the first four days of each week during the summer months, June, July and August. We believe that this will enable many of our highest grade producers to supply in a greater measure their own needs and thus decrease the general shortage in food products. We had looked for the federal enactment of "flight savings" before this date, but this was not likely to come in force in time for this season. We trust that our customers and the public generally will join us in viewing this from a patriotic standpoint and bear with any inconvenience that may be caused thereby.

(Signed)  
MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON, AL-  
LISON, LIMITED  
MACAULAY BROS. & CO.  
E. W. DANIEL & CO., LTD.  
A. DYKEMA & CO.  
A. O. SKINNER

**SOLDIERS IN COURT**

In the police court this morning considerable time was taken up with the charge against two soldiers, Ptes. Ernest Alexander and Edgar Butts, for being under the influence of liquor and fighting together in Charlotte street. The residence of Policemen Minty and Gibbs showed that Butts had been found in an alley way in Charlotte street drunk and bleeding. Alexander and Butts had been seen fighting by Policeman Minty, who said that he had been watching the two soldiers for some time.

Alexander was called to the stand by an officer of the regiment to which the soldiers belong. He denied being under the influence and said that he was perfectly able to look after himself. The police say that at the time of the arrest, with respect to the time of the arrest, Alexander was standing when arrested and what transpired after the arrest between Alexander and Policeman Gibbs. The result was that there may be a perjury charge against the soldier. The two soldiers were remanded until tomorrow morning.

The officer who appeared for the two soldiers, asked the court for another soldier, who, he said, had been in custody since last Saturday. The officer said that it was only courtesy on the part of the police to inform the Battalion to which the soldier is attached.

**OBTAINING MONEY BY FALSE PRETENCES CHARGED**

The charge of obtaining money under false pretences was read to John Jones in the police court this morning, following his arrest yesterday by Detectives Duncan and Briggs. The man did not enter a plea and was remanded to jail as a legitimate representative of a publication up to November, 1916, but was then discharged. Following his discharge, the police say, he continued to take subscriptions and received from Mrs. B. H. Cochrane, 19 Murray street, \$216 on March 1, being payment for a subscription. Other people, it is said, in the same house also gave money, with Jones promising to send the publication. As copies of the periodical failed to arrive, the head office was communicated with and it was learned that Jones had been dismissed. The police were notified and his arrest was the outcome.

Peter Petroff was also remanded on a charge of theft of bags from the Atlantic Super Grocery.

As yesterday was a holiday, the city court cases were taken up by Magistrate Ritchie this morning.

**MACAULAY BROS. & CO.** STORES OPEN 8.30 A. M. CLOSE 6 P. M. Saturday 10 p.m.

**All Day Saturday & After Supper Sale**

**ON SECOND FLOOR**

Eighty-nine cents each for ENGLISH PRINT HOUSE DRESSES, in light, medium and dark colors, 34 to 44 sizes.

One Dollar a pair COMFORTABLE EVERY DAY WHITE CORSETS—Long skirt front and back, low and medium bust, lace and embroidery trimmed. Made of superior cotton. They will be found extra special value at \$1.00 a pair; all sizes.

At Thirty-five cents a pair LADIES' LONG SKIRT FRONT AND BACK, low and medium bust, lace and embroidery trimmed. Made of superior cotton. They will be found extra special value at \$1.00 a pair; all sizes.

Great Bargains in a collection of WHITE UNDERSKIRTS, 68c. to \$3.50 each, lace or Hamburg trimmed, narrow and deep flounces, with tucks and beading headings.

Sixty-eight cents to Three Dollars and Ninety-eight cents — A grand lot has been put on sale-tables of LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES. All are in fine lawn or English longcloth, lace or Hamburg trimmed with tucks or fine beading headings.

**FIRST FLOOR—FRONT STORE**

Fifty cents a pair LADIES' SILK STOCKING, in white, black, taupe, putty and sand color, 8-12 to 10 in. sizes. All are with double heels and toes and strong garter tops.

At Thirty-five cents a pair LADIES' TAN EMBROIDERED LISLE THREAD STOCKINGS—Reg. 50c. quality. Now 35c.

At 35c. a pair WHITE LISLE THREAD STOCKINGS, BLACK LISLE THREAD STOCKINGS—Double feet, toes and heels. A very superior make; all sizes, 35c. a pair.

One Dollar a pair for ENGLISH MADE WASH CHAMOISETTE GLOVES, with two large pearl button fasteners. You can find all sizes in white, putty, lawn or black. They are the best Wash Gloves made.

**MACAULAY BROTHERS & CO.**

For a Cheap Two Burner Oil Stove

**The HOT BLAST**  
at \$1.25 Has No Equal!

The HOT BLAST has two large flat wicks that give an intense heat. No smoke or odor.

We also handle the NEW PERFECTION Wick, Blue Flame Oil Stove in one, two, and three burner styles. Price \$4.50 to \$21.50.

All Stoves Fully Guaranteed.

See Our Line of Copper Bottom Tea Kettles at \$1.50

**D. J. BARRETT** 155 Union Street  
St. John, N. B. Phone M. 1545

Stores Open Wednesday and Saturday Evenings

MAY 25, 1917

**SALE OF SILK DRESSES**  
Friday and Saturday  
**\$15.85**

An attractive lot of smart Spring Dresses, fashioned from fine quality Taffeta Silk, Messaline and Silk Poplin—dainty embroidered effects for trimming with crepe de chine and white satin collars.

Colors are Black, Navy, Brown, Rose, Green. Copen. Included in this sale are regular values to \$24.00

**Our Special Sale Price - - \$15.85**

No Approval  
Take Order to Third Floor

**OAK HALL - SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED**  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

**SPECIAL! SPECIAL!**

We have secured another lot of these Nature Chinese Baskets, which proved so popular a year ago, and will offer them for sale on Saturday, May 26, at 99c. each. These are exactly as illustrated, and their usefulness is too apparent to require any lengthy description here.

But any lady who sees the display in our window will realize how frequently such an article will come in handy. And they are well worth double the price we ask.

Remember the Day -- Saturday, May 26th

NOT BEFORE NOT AFTER

**A. Ernest Everett**  
THE HOUSE FURNISHER  
91 CHARLOTTE STREET

**Nature & Co., Exterior Decorators**

Each year with rains and sun, Nature cleanses the lawns, re-paints the flowers and decorates the trees.

Have You freshened up a bit? A new "Stetson"? A pair of Street Gloves? A Cap? If you have not, TODAY'S THE DAY!

HATS: \$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.00. CAPS: \$1.00 to \$2.50. GLOVES: \$1.50 to \$3.00

SMART HATS **D. MAGEE'S SONS, LIMITED** Cones Umbrellas Leather Goods  
63 King Street, St. John, N. B.



The Evening Times Star

PAGES NINE TO SIXTEEN

ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY MAY 25, 1917

SIXTEEN PAGES

PREVENTION OF SPECULATION IN FOOD DEMANDED

Congress Committee Told That Crisis May Lead to Social Upheaval in United States

Washington, May 22.—The fight in congress over placing in President Wilson's hands the authority to select Herbert C. Hoover as food administrator reached an acute stage when officials who have been attempting to grapple with the situation asserted solemnly that the country was approaching a crisis that might lead to social upheaval unless legislation was passed which would make it possible to take over the problem along constructive lines.



A LITTLE MORE PEP! THE WAY TO GET THERE IS TO GO THERE.

BOMBING HUNS FROM SKIFF TAKES PLACE OF TRENCH RAID

Boating to Battle a Novel Feature of Warfare on One Section of Western Front

With the Belgian Army in Flanders, May 1—Boating to battle is one of the novelties of fighting on this part of the western front, where the Belgian and German lines are separated by miles of flooded land. Trench raids are almost unheard of here. The only thing approximating them are bombing expeditions carried out from skiffs, which are paddled skilfully under cover of darkness to the enemy's lines.

Redpath SUGAR advertisement with images of sugar bags and text: 'comes to you in bags and cartons filled at the Refinery by automatic machinery. It is never touched or exposed, so you get it pure—and you get the genuine Redpath, for the name appears on every package.'

water is quite shallow. We creep toward the German lines. At any moment a star shell may give you away, and bullets spluttering up the water around you or whistling overhead, warn you that there is about in 'No Man's Sea' is not always a healthy game.

WHY CRANK YOUR FORD? INSTALL A REX TARTER advertisement for Ford cars with technical details and contact information.

The Great Going Out of Business Sale of Boots and Shoes is Rapidly Drawing to a Close

EVERYTHING MUST GO NOW!—Hundreds of people will now reap the benefit of this mighty price slaughter in Boots and Shoes. RECKLESS, STAGGERING PRICES WILL PREVAIL.

- LIKE FINDING MONEY Men's Solid Box Kip Boots—Reg. \$3.50. Good-bye Price, \$2.48. Men's Fine Dress Boots—Reg. \$3.00. Good-bye Price, \$1.98. Men's Tan Gun Metal Boots—Reg. \$3.50. Good-bye Price, \$2.48. Ladies' Patent Boots (Low Heel)—Reg. \$3.00. Good-bye Price, \$1.98. Ladies' Colored Cloth Top Boots—Reg. \$3.00. Good-bye Price, \$1.98. Ladies' G. M. (\$3.00 and \$4.00) Boots, Button. Good-bye Price, \$2.29. Ladies' High-grade Patent and G. M. in Goodyear welts—Reg. \$4.00. Good-bye Price, \$2.79. Ladies' Rubber Sole Pumps—Reg. \$3.50. Good-bye Price, \$1.98. Ladies' High-grade Check Cloth Top—Reg. \$4.50. Good-bye Price, \$2.98. Ladies' Tan Calf. Goodyear Welt, Button or Lace—Reg. \$3.50. Good-bye Price, \$2.39. Ladies' White Canvas Button Boots, in Low and High Heel—Reg. \$3.00. Good-bye Price, \$1.98. Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords—Reg. \$2.00. Good-bye Price, 98c. Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords—Reg. \$2.50. Good-bye Price, 98c. Ladies' Solid Boots—Reg. \$2.50. Good-bye Price, \$1.68. Girls' Patent Lace Boots—Reg. \$2.50. Good-bye Price, \$1.68. Girls' Box Calf Boots—Reg. \$2.85. Good-bye Price, \$1.68.

True-Fit Shoe Store advertisement with address: 339 Main Street, (Opposite Corner Douglas Avenue), Store Open Evenings Until 10 O'clock!



WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT advertisement with images of gum packs and text: 'Beneficial and sweet Delicious to meet. Sealed Tight - Kept Right! The Flavour Lasts'.

**This is the Buckle**

**PRESIDENT**

That Identifies Genuine Suspenders

Refuse Imitations.

**GERMAN SUBSTITUTES FOR RUBBER TIRES**

Rubber being scarce in Germany nowadays, a number of bicycle tires made of substitutes for rubber are reported to have appeared on the German market, says the June Popular Mechanics Magazine. First came a tire made of steel wire 3-16 in. thick, closely coiled, with ends welded together. This was followed by a tire made of wood, and then came three different types of wooden tires, the cheapest being made of a single piece of wood, while others are made of wooden sections. Another type of wood tire has the outer surface covered with a leather strip. Steel springs are used with all the wooden tires, either in forks or between tire and rim, which adds considerably to their cost. Tires covered with leather or with canvas, instead of rubber, are also on the market. But the best substitute for the rubber tire has an outer tube of prepared canvas, and a cloth-wound inner tube filled with a solid preparation resembling rubber, that is said to be quite elastic.

**Calls For The Bonusing of Wooden Ships**

Trenchant Arrangement by H. H. Blanchet for Government Inactivity in Meeting Demand for Merchant Marine—Steel Plate Cannot Now Be Secured

(Ottawa Citizen)

A trenchant arraignment of the government for its inactivity in providing merchant marine is made by H. H. Blanchet, of Toronto, who is in Ottawa on business today.

Mr. Blanchet is the man who started the International Steel Ship Building Corporation of Montreal, which now finds that it cannot secure the steel necessary. What Mr. Blanchet advocates is that the government should give a bonus for the building of wooden ships and says this alone will be a practical solution of the trouble. He has been trying, without success, for over a year, to get the government to make a move.

In conversation with The Citizen, Mr. Blanchet produced a newspaper report of Lloyd George's speech on May 8, in which he stated:

"The road to victory, the guarantee of victory, the absolute assurance of victory, is to be found in one word, ships in a second word, ships, and a third word, ships. (Cheers.) I see America fully realizes that, and today I observe that they have already made an arrangement to build one thousand 8,000-tonners for the Atlantic." (Cheers.)

**Steel Ship Building**

On May 9th, said Mr. Blanchet, Hon. Thomas White, according to the newspaper reports, was then in Washington to take up the question of steel shipbuilding in which big business was in prospect. The report stated that steel plate

"The Best goes Furthest"

**Lea & Perrins SAUCE**

The Original and Genuine WORCESTERSHIRE



THE DOOM OF THE OGRE OF EUROPE. —John Bull, London.

was essential and until the necessary mills could be built in Canada it was hoped that the United States Steel Corporation would be able to furnish the necessary supply.

"I have just returned from Pittsburgh, where I investigated the steel conditions," said Mr. Blanchet. "The United States Steel Corporation government or any individual firm in this country, in from 18 to 24 months unless already contracted for. This is an absolute fact, so we will have to forget everything in the way of steel ship building.

"As this is a life and death struggle, it is unparliamentary for the government of Canada, as well as for individuals, not to work day and night at doing what can be done and the remedy is build wooden ships.

"When Napoleon tried to escape from Elba, he looked out to sea and saw the British wooden ships. His remark was: 'Wherever the flag of England flies, the British ships will be there.'

"Now we are not particular as to the size and finish of vessels already contracted for. After three months' close investigation in the maritime provinces, I find the Dominion government is not building ships though the United States is building one thousand 8,000 ton wooden ships. We can't do that in the maritime provinces, but we ought to do all that is physically possible to help us. We have sent our men to win the war, we have sent a hundred million dollars' worth of munitions, but why stop there?

"Have we come to the end of the string? Is there nothing more we can do? I know we can, and the way, and only way, is to bonus wooden ship building in the maritime provinces, at least \$10 to \$20 per ton according to the class.

**Cites Example**

"Ruby McLeod, who won the Dominion government prize at Liverpool, N.S., being the greatest ship builder in Canada for forty years, but that now he has left the country and gone to Texas as he can no longer make it pay. He cannot afford to pay the higher wages demanded and the increased cost of materials unless the Dominion government gives a bonus.

"Any statement made by me can be borne out by actual facts, and will stand investigation. This is not an attack, Sir George Foster would say, on the government. I am not catering to party politics as in a case of the life and death struggle of the nation party politics ought not to receive consideration. I am doing this for patriotic motives, with no any pecuniary assistance or objects."

Mr. Blanchet will leave for the east this afternoon and will make further investigations in the hope that the government may be induced to take action.

**WOMEN IN KRUPP WORKS**

Great Plant at Essen Now Employing 20,000 of Them

How rapidly German women are taking men's places in industry and adapting themselves to the hardest kind of work as a result of the world war is brought out by data in an article on the Krupp works at Essen by Adolf Koster, printed in a recent issue of the Arbeiter Zeitung. The number of workers in the great arms plant is put at a minimum of 50,000, and of these one-fourth are women. In an article based on statements in the German press and printed in The New York Times on June 24, 1916, it was pointed out that the total number of employees in the Krupp works at Essen on April 1, 1916, was 68,575, of whom 18,023 were women. Consequently, while the number of male workers there has increased about 4,000 during the last year the number of their women comrades has risen some 7,000. When the war began there were only 1,214 women employed at Essen, compared with 36,580 men.

After having described the Krupp concern as "a kingdom of work" in time of peace which had become in time of war "the greatest private undertaking of the country which renders the most important service to Germany." Here Koster, as translated by the London Times, continued:

"This private undertaking represents today labor army of at least two corps-picked troops from Germany's home army, and is superior in quality to many armies of our enemies, and well proved in many victories on water and land. Krupp today is half-nationallized, like every large private undertaking. Under the standardizing pressure which weighs upon our economic life much that is individual has been lost, but much that is universal has been gained, and this tendency will not cease after the war.

"The number of Krupp workmen and

**OUT OF THE RUNNING AT 40 YEARS OLD**

Men at 40 should be doing their best work. This is impossible unless health is good. Many a man at 40 thinks he is getting old and out of the running, because his back aches, his joints are swollen and sore, or he is the victim of rheumatism.

We have records on file of men who felt just like this but who took Gin Pills and quickly regained the young spirit and energy that goes with good health.

So much depends on the kidneys, whose function is to carry away the poisons from the blood stream. If the kidneys are not working right, though a man is only 40, the poisons will make him feel old before his time. Don't delay if you have a sore back, cannot lift weights, limp with rheumatism, suffer from kidney or bladder trouble, lumbago, inflammation of the bladder, brick-dust deposits, or other urinary disorder. Try Gin Pills.

Gin Pills are noted, too, for their pleasant action as a laxative. If you are troubled with constipation, here is the remedy.

Try Gin Pills. We will refund your money if you fail to get results. All good druggists and dealers sell Gin Pills. Sample free upon request to the National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, Toronto.

officials has grown mightily since the autumn of 1914. In quality the workers and officials are necessarily different from what they once were. The field army with its claims has made a big inroad on personnel, especially at the beginning of the war. Today women constitute one-fourth of the whole personnel; a strong women's division helps to maintain the largest German private undertaking. The women work in the offices and in the workshops, many of them not far from the furnaces. The managers express high appreciation of their achievements—especially in the workshops."

**A Lecture on German Liberty**

Herr Professors Abuse President Wilson and Vaunt Ideals of Their Fatherland

Berlin, May 23.—Last night the first of a series of lectures on "Germany and America" was given in the grand hall of the Prussian Diet building. "German Liberty" was the subject exploited by Dr. Friedrich Meinecke, but Professor Doctor von Harnack preceded it with some very sarcastic remarks on "Wilson's American ideal of liberty." This pacifistic, democratic and plutocratic ideal in a universal uniform, in which they wanted Germany to masquerade, said Harnack, represented the man's interior and exterior liberty. The hostility of the United States against us is reducible to the inconceivable which accrued to America from German economic efficiency. The second reason is that America feared the loss of the enormous capital she had invested in the Entente from the latter would remain victorious. Now America is witnessing the chances of dashes in to save what is possible. America conducted a silent war against us before the declaration of war, and never was particular in choosing her means. Wilson and many Americans with him have undergone an ugly development from honest democratic-republicanism to belittling imperialism. In Harnack's opinion, Wilson distinguishes himself by his amazing ignorance about Germany. He is an intellectual moralist, but without any depth whatever."

Harnack then quoted extensively from Woodrow Wilson's book to show "what a startling political, judicial, ethical metamorphosis the president had passed through in changing his convictions like his trousers. Germany must decidedly decline this many-colored uniform of liberty which we can easily picture from Wilson's words and deeds. We don't want liberty, except of our own make and in accord with our history."

**Ideals High Over All**

Meinecke philosophized on the nature of liberty and finally came down to German liberty. "It has been said, Germany is not fit for political liberty. The German was too impressionable, too accessible to foreign influence, and too befuddled this contention, but he admitted that a super-sufficiency of political independence, which resulted in forming dozens of small states, robbed Germany of her unity, which was followed by loss of political liberty. "Our loved by powerful neighbors, did the rest. Then the Prussian military state grew as an antidote against destruction. The Napoleonic era finished five particularism, and powerless in foreign affairs. The Napoleonic era finished off all German development. It was more difficult for us to recover our national independence and unity than national independence and unity than to all other western European nations. In recompense we may rejoice in the fact that our political ideals tower higher than all others, and span heaven and earth."

There was more philosophy, Meinecke quoting Kant, Fichte, Nietzsche, Luther and Goethe. He finally came down to the demands of the hour, and said that while Junkerism had undoubtedly done great things in the service of Germany, and had given her Bismarck, it had, on the other hand, done great harm, too. "It's no use to conceal that Prussia no longer wishes to be governed by Junkers and jurists. Every remnant of Junkerism is an evil that must be rooted out. No one must be barred from rising from the ranks. But we must not follow slave-like in the footsteps of the Upper House should be made up of representatives of all elements of the people. What we want is social monarchy freed from all the reminders of the old police-ridden form of state, conciliatory, but strong in foreign affairs."

**Honest tea is the best policy**

**LIPTON'S TEA**

Largest sale in the world  
Your Grocer Sells It

**SEES GAIN FOR ZIONISM**

Chief Rabbi of London Says it Can Only Benefit by World War

In answer to an inquiry by the University Zionist Society as to the effect of the changed international situation following the granting of freedom to the Jews of Russia and the entrance of the United States into the war, Dr. Moses Gaster, Chief Rabbi in London, sent a reply to New York, in which he said: "I have not the slightest doubt that whatever the issue may be Zionism can only profit by the changed international situation. The fact that Zionism has now been envisaged by political leaders

among the nations is an immense step forward. It has now become an object of interest to earnest men of science and to thinkers, and this again is a valuable asset in the progress of Zionism. But one point must be kept steadily in view, that Zionism serves only and solely a Jewish purpose, and Zionism must not be allowed to become a pawn in the political game of any power. The Jewish interest is paramount, and it is for this alone that Zionists have to work."

Hub—During the time it took you to select that hat I went out and made \$100.  
Wife—I'm so glad, dear. You'll need

**Raw Sugar Direct from British West Indies**

The raw cane is brought direct to our refinery docks at Halifax where one of the most modern sugar plants in the world makes it ready for market.

**ROYAL ACADIA SUGAR**

"Every Grain Pure Cane"

The 100-pound bag was never a more advisable purchase than now because of economy and convenience. Royal Acadia Sugar is also obtainable in 2 and 5 pound cartons, 10, 20 and 100 pound bags, half barrels and barrels.

ACADIA SUGAR REFINING CO., Ltd.  
Halifax, N. S. Canada



**You choose wisely when You choose Mennen's**

FOR "just any kind of Talcum" is not good enough for baby's tender skin.

You use Talcum Powder in such generous quantities on the sensitive skin of your baby that the selection of a pure, safe powder is of great importance.

Mennen's Borated Talcum was the original—it has been the standard nursery powder for nearly forty years.

Doctors and Nurses and Mothers all the world over recommend it, because of its high standard of quality and purity.

Moreover the original Mennen formula has never been successfully duplicated.

So that whatever Talcum you choose to put on your own skin—you choose wisely when you insist on Mennen's Borated Talcum for Baby.

**MENNE'S BORATED TALCUM**

MENNE'S TALCUMS—all with the original borated formula that has never been bettered—include a variety to satisfy every need: Borated, Violet, Flesh Tint and Cream Tint, each charmingly perfumed; and the new Talcum for Men, a boon also shaving, with a neutral color that leaves the face free from the pallor of a pure white powder.

Made in Canada at Montreal by G. MENNE'S CHEMICAL CO.  
Sales Agents: HAROLD F. RITCHIE & CO., Ltd., Toronto.

Every day is PURITY- FLOUR-DAY with cooks who are satisfied with nothing less than the flakiest pastry and finest bread.

**PURITY FLOUR**

"MORE BREAD AND BETTER BREAD"

**GREX GRASS RUGS**

TRADE MARK REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

**Demand the Genuine Refuse Substitutes**

When buying, remember there are many Grass Rugs but only one genuine GREX— instantly identified by the name C-R-E-X woven in the edge of side binding—an identification-mark put there for your protection.

For every room in the home, the year round, GREX Rugs give service and comfort—a great porch rug as well.

Ask your dealer for color folder or write to us direct—We're FREE

**OREX CARPET COMPANY**  
212 FIFTH AVENUE - NEW YORK

**Suburbanites Beware of Your Milk Supply**

LET THE **Pacific Dairies, Ltd.**

Safeguard the HEALTH of yourselves and children by supplying you with our PERFECTLY PASTEURIZED and CLARIFIED MILK, CREAM and ICE CREAM.

It is our intention to establish a service which will be unimpaird during the entire season and which will cover so arranged that you will not have to move from your homes in order that you will always have a fresh supply of PERFECTLY PASTEURIZED MILK, CREAM, ICE CREAM, BUTTER, CHEESE and EGGS.

Our salesmen will constantly remain in the central part of the territory embraced. Our supply will be fresh every day. We ask your assistance in establishing an up-to-the-minute service by either writing us or phoning Main 3458.

Be sure you have the right number, as we have a few very unscrupulous competitors who will take your order, thereby deceiving you, not only with their conversations, but with the goods they supply you. We Can Prove Our Claims.

**PACIFIC DAIRIES, LIMITED**  
J. F. Tilley, Mgr.

**Minty's TOOTH PASTE**

PREVENTS DECAY

"It Cleans the Teeth and Sterilizes the Mouth and Brush"

**It's Unconditionally Guaranteed**

Each element in Minty's has an exact known scientific purpose. In combination they have been subjected to exhaustive analytical tests which prove that they destroy mouth germs.

**Minty's Tooth Paste**

has a positive bactericidal action on teeth, mouth and gums, and is an important aid to good health. You will like its pleasant taste—its satisfactory action—its lasting effect and our guarantee of money back if not satisfied.

Visit your dentist twice a year—use Minty's a twice a day and be assured of perfect teeth.

At all good druggists—25 cents a tube.

**Palmers Limited,**  
100 Latour Street,  
Montreal.



12

**WILSON'S GRIP ON FOOD PROBLEM**

President's Statement of Programme of Administration

**HIS POWERS VERY GREAT**

Inquiry into Stocks and Costs, Prevention of Unwarranted Hoarding, Establishing of Prices and Other Matters

President Wilson last week issued the following statement of the administration's food control programme:

It is very desirable, in order to prevent misunderstandings or alarms and to assure co-operation in a vital matter, that the country should understand exactly the scope and purpose of the very great powers which I have thought it necessary in the circumstances to ask congress to put in my hands with re-

**CAT'S PAW**

**CUSHION RUBBER HEELS**



It's like walking on a cushion when your shoes are fitted with "Cat's Paw" Heels.

**50¢ A PAIR PUT ON**

the like which may require regulation during the war will be placed in the hands of a commissioner of food administration, appointed by the president and directly responsible to him.

The objects sought to be served by the legislation asked for are: Full inquiry into the existing available stocks of foodstuffs and into the costs and practices of the various food producing and distributing trades; the prevention of all unwarranted hoarding of every kind and of the control of foodstuffs by persons who are not in any legitimate sense producers, dealers, or traders; the requisitioning when necessary for the public use of food supplies and of the equipment necessary for handling them properly; the licensing of wholesome and legitimate mixtures and milling percentages, and the prohibition of the unnecessary or wasteful use of foods.

Authority is asked also to establish prices, but not in order to limit the profits of the farmer, but only to guarantee that when necessary, a minimum price which will insure them a profit where they are asked to attempt new crops and to secure the consumer against hoarding and speculation, when they occur, by fixing temporarily a reasonable price at which middlemen must sell.

I have asked Herbert Hoover to undertake this all-important task of food administration. He has expressed his willingness to do so on condition that he is to receive no payment for his services and that the whole of the force under him, exclusive of clerical assistance, shall be employed, so far as possible, upon the same volunteer basis. He has expressed his confidence that this can be successfully accomplished through the voluntary co-operation and direction of legitimate distributors of foodstuffs and with the help of the women of the country.

Although it is absolutely necessary that unquestionable powers shall be placed in my hands, in order to insure the food supplies of the country, I am confident that the exercise of those powers will be necessary only in the few cases where some small and selfish nation's interests above personal advantage, have caused her to refuse to support Mr. Hoover's efforts by supplying the necessary volunteer agencies throughout the country for the intelligent control of food consumption and securing the co-operation of the most capable leaders of the very interests most directly affected, that the exercise of the powers deputed to him will rest very

**THE STRONG POINT**

Q A well known authority recently stated the trade mark of the known, established manufacturer is for your protection, as well as his.

Q In buying Good Shoes, your safeguard is the Invictus label; it is the maker's assurance that the shoes on which this label appears, have passed, before leaving the factory, the rigid inspection of workmanship and material.


Q Six Hundred Invictus Dealers, throughout Canada, endorse the high quality of Invictus Shoes by annually investing thousands of dollars, in order to carry a sufficiently wide range of styles and sizes to fit your feet and those of other wearers of good shoes.

Q You can depend on the Dealer who handles Invictus, and on Invictus Shoes themselves.

**'THE BEST GOOD SHOE'**

**INVICTUS**

AT ANY INVICTUS AGENCY



Invictus "LIBERTY" Oxford

**ART CLOTHES**

COOK BROS. & ALLEN LIMITED

**YOUR SPRING SUIT**

ought to be one of ours



Why? Primarily, for the manner in which the suit is made to suit your personality—the display of models and fabrics is vastly diversified and we're careful that you select the right one.

Secondarily, for the quality—

**ART CLOTHES**


cost you no more than others, but we're rather certain you'll find them finer.

But all this is really not convincing—you must wear one; you must have it tailored to your measure from one of the hundreds of fine fabrics and one of the many Spring models.

**A. GILMOUR**

68 King Street

**The Penalty of Corns**



No need now to waste time soaking your feet so often. Nor run the risk of paring.

Blue-jay plasters have ended millions of corns. This very night, thousands of people will say goodbye to painful corns forever. Touchy corns are needless, even foolish.

Blue-jay brings instant relief. And in 48 hours the average corn is gone. Only a few stubborn ones require a second or third treatment.

A Blue-jay plaster, with its healing wax, is applied in a jiffy. No scorching, no inconvenience. The pain is not temporarily eased, as with paring. There is no danger, as with harsh liquids.

Decide to join the happy crowd tonight which has won freedom the Blue-jay way.

**Blue-jay**

Stops Pain—Ends Corns Instantly

For Sale by All Druggists Also Hardware Stores

successfully upon the good-will and co-operation of the people themselves, and that the ordinary economic machinery of the country will be left substantially undisturbed.

The proposed food administration is intended, of course, only to meet a manifest emergency and to continue only while the war lasts. Since it will be composed, for the most part, of volunteers, there need be no fear of the possibility of a permanent bureaucracy arising out of it. All control of consumption will disappear when the emergency has passed. It is with that object in view that the administration considers it to be of pre-eminent importance that the existing associations of producers and distributors of foodstuffs should be mobilized and made use of on a volunteer basis. The successful conduct of administration of the food supply, and of its justified reliance upon the freedom of individual initiative. The last thing that any American could contemplate, with equanimity would be the introduction of anything resembling Prussian autocracy into the food control in this country.

It is of vital interest and importance to every man who produces food and to every man who takes part in its distribution that these things be liberally administered should succeed, and succeed together. It is only in that way that we can prove it to be absolutely unnecessary to resort to the rigorous and drastic measures which have proved to be necessary in some of the European countries.

The High Cost of Dentistry is a Thing of the Past At The

**MARITIME DENTAL PARLORS**

You can get Good, Safe, Reliable work, best of materials, and the services of expert Dentists for one half and even less than the ordinary charges.

Full Set Teeth	\$5.00	Best Set Teeth	\$8.00
----------------	--------	----------------	--------

No better made elsewhere no matter what you pay. A fit guaranteed. 22K Gold Crowns and Bridgework \$4 and \$5; Porcelain Crowns, \$4; Gold and Porcelain Fillings \$1 up; Silver and Cement Fillings 50 cents up. Teeth extracted without pain 25 cents.

Try our famous Nap-a-minut method for painless work. Special attention given to out-of-pain patients. Consultation Free. Lady attendant.

**MARITIME DENTAL PARLORS**

38 Charlotte Street, St. John

Hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Dr. A. J. McKnight, Proprietor.

**Doctors Tell Why They Prescribe Bon-Opto.**

**Explain How It Strengthens Eyesight Remarkably In a Week's Time In Many Instances.**




Dr. Beck, an eye specialist of nearly twenty years practice, says: "Two prominent eye specialists after a thorough examination of a young girl aged twelve, declared that to save the sight of her right eye the left must be removed. A friend advised her to try Bon-Opto before permitting the operation. Within three days the inflammation had subsided and all danger was past and the eye saved. I have prescribed Bon-Opto in a host of similar cases. When she began to use Bon-Opto she was in a fixed position. The conjunctival inflammation had disappeared. Her eyes had the dull, suffused appearance common to such cases. She was able to see clearly. Her distance vision improved. Her distance glasses and her headache disappeared. In this instance I should say her eyesight was improved 100 per cent. Dr. Judson says: "While in my general dispensary practice, I found oculists too prone to operate and opticians too willing to prescribe glasses, and both inclined to neglect the strengthening and development of the eyesight. The success of Bon-Opto in strengthening the eyesight will soon make eyeglasses old-fashioned. The Director of Medical Inspection of Boston Prescribes a report published February 25, 1917, states that only 14,616 pupils out of 48,716 examined need to wear glasses now, a marked decrease over the previous report. Bon-Opto is hastening the eyeglasses age in bespectacled Boston.

Dr. South, an oculist of wide experience, says: "I have treated in private practice a number of serious ocular diseases with Bon-Opto and am able to report ultimate recovery in both acute and chronic cases. Mr. C. came to my office suffering with an infected eye. The condition was so serious that an operation for removal seemed imperative. Before resorting to the operative method I prescribed Bon-Opto and in twenty-four hours the secretion had lessened, inflammation subsided, and the eye was healed. In seven days the eye was healed and retained its normal vision. In other cases of extreme convergent strabismus (cross eyes) I have used Bon-Opto. The tightened external muscles yielded to the soothing and anodyne effects of Bon-Opto. By clearing the lids of secretions and restoring the normal position of the eyelids, the number of cases of disordered vision" and Dr. Connor says: "My eyes were in bad condition owing to the severe strain arising from protracted microscopical research work. Bon-Opto used according to directions rendered a surprising result. I found my eyes remarkably strengthened, so much so I have put aside my glasses without inconvenience. Several of my colleagues have

"Bon-Opto is Hastening the Eyeglasses Age in Bespectacled Boston."

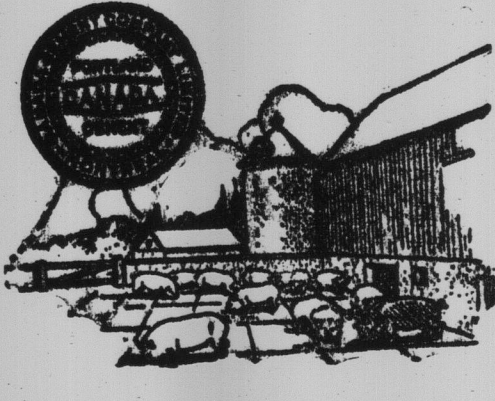
also used it and we are agreed as to its results. In a few days, under my observation, the eyes of an astigmatic case were so improved that glasses have been discarded by the patient.

Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by the use of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a quart of a glass of water and take it four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start, and inflammation and redness will quickly disappear. If your eyes bother you even a little it is your duty to take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have saved their sight if they had cared for their eyes in time.

NOTE—A city physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a remarkable eye remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to ophthalmologists and widely prescribed. I have used it very successfully in my own practice on patients whose eyes were in such a state of work as must glasses. I can safely recommend it in cases of work, writing, sewing, reading, driving, burning eyes, red lids, burning, smarting, itchy eyes, induced from exposure to the sun, dust or wind. If you are suffering from eye troubles I feel should be put on hand for regular use. In almost every family Bon-Opto is the most patient medicine or serum remedy. It is an efficient preservative of the human being, and the medicine. The manufacturer guarantees its effectiveness and its safety. It is a time-saving medicine. It is the only eye medicine of all good druggists in this city, including Mason's Drug Store."

**PORTLAND CEMENT!**

Lime, Plaster, Hair Bricks, Sand, Gravel Sewer Pipe, Lead Tile Wall Board, Roofings Plumber Supplies, Metal Lath, Corner Bead Fire Bricks and Clay.



Cars discharging daily direct from works give customers Portland Cement that can be relied on. This together with prompt deliveries has built up our extensive Cement Trade.

**GANDY & ALLISON**

LARGEST BUILDERS' SUPPLY HOUSE EAST OF MONTREAL

3 & 4 NORTH WHARF, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Italians Smash Austrian Line, Taking Nine Thousand Prisoners

London, May 24.—That the second phase of the Italian offensive begun yesterday, was meeting with remarkable success, was announced by General Maurice, director of operations of the British war office, today.

“Yet the Italian offensive,” he continued, “was only made possible by the thorough offensive work of the Anglo-French forces during the past few weeks. If we had not been keeping the Germans busy the Italians would not only have found an offensive impossible, but would actually have been faced by a great Austro-German attack.”

General Maurice also had high praise for the work of the French during the past week, which, he said, was far more important strategically than the map indicates.

“The British have been for the past week,” he said, “in the midst of one of those lulls which are necessary in the development of long-continued modern battles. The present lull is exactly like the lulls during the battle of the Somme. The enemy’s communications during the past week are interesting as indicating the loss of morale and the jumpiness of his troops, who repeatedly report the development of a British offensive in spots where we never made the slightest offensive move beyond the usual artillery work.”

Discussing the battle of Arras as a whole, General Maurice said: “Our best comparison is still with the battle of the Somme. Our losses this year continue fifty per cent. smaller, although larger forces are engaged. We already have gained four times as much ground as in the whole Somme battle, and have taken many more prisoners and guns.”

The British captured 21,000 Germans in the battle of Arras, while losing only 3,000 captured themselves, he said.

General Maurice attaches great significance to the continuance of the captures of Germans by the Entente forces on the Franco-Belgian front.

“The German army,” he commented, “has done everything to impress the men that they must not surrender. Von Hindenburg recently issued an order to every unit that ‘No commander should allow men to surrender under any circumstances; any soldier giving self up is committing an act of treachery for which he will be duly punished after the war. Any commander who surrenders ground will be held summarily to account.’”

GENERAL DEBILITY

General debility is a term used to describe a weak and run down condition of the system. Debility may come from a number of causes. The after-effects of acute illness, lack of nourishment due to poor digestion, overwork or worry, or anything that makes the blood thin, thereby preventing it from carrying nourishment and health to the tissues of the body.

Not alone were the Italians successful in capturing numerous positions of advantage, but more than 9,000 Austrian prisoners, including officers in excess of 900 were taken. The new advance of the Italians brings them appreciably nearer Trieste, which, from the lower part of the line, is less than ten miles away.

REPLACEMENT OF THE LOSSES CAUSED BY WAR

The importance of infant welfare work at this stage in the nation’s crisis is daily becoming more generally recognized by all classes of the community.

Are Your Upkeep Costs Too High?

Cut them down, then. You’d be surprised how easy it is to effect a big reduction in the cost of maintenance, if you get the right way about it. Why think of it, you can

Save 33 Per Cent. We’ll tell you how for the asking—glad to do it. Besides, we offer you our regular FREE TIRE INSPECTION SERVICE, which reveals small cuts, sand blisters and the many little things that make trouble if you let them grow.

CANADIAN RE-TREADING AND VULCANIZING CO. 109 1-2-113 Princess Street

Lieut. MacLaren Badly Wounded

J. J. Harding Killed in Action—Lieut. P. B. Gregg Seriously Ill—The Holiday Casualty List

A cablegram was received yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. MacLaren to the effect that their son, Lieut. D. Laurence MacLaren, a member of the original No. 7 Canadian Siege Battery, had been severely wounded by gunshot Monday and was in hospital in France.

The news that Lieut. P. B. Gregg is seriously ill in an English hospital, suffering from meningitis, has been received by his brother, Silas Gregg, of this city.

Mrs. Catherine Harding, 16 Long Wharf, received an official telegram yesterday with the sad news that her son, Lieut. J. J. Harding, previously reported wounded, had been killed in action on April 9, at the battle of Vimy Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Ingalls of Seal Cove (N. B.), recently received the sad news that their son Private Carl Ingalls had been killed in action while fighting for King and Country on the battlefields of France.

Mr. J. E. Gallant, Shediac (N. B.), received the sad news that his son, Lieut. P. D. Gregg, Mountaindale (N. B.), had been killed in action.

REPLACEMENT OF THE LOSSES CAUSED BY WAR

The importance of infant welfare work at this stage in the nation’s crisis is daily becoming more generally recognized by all classes of the community.

Are Your Upkeep Costs Too High?

Cut them down, then. You’d be surprised how easy it is to effect a big reduction in the cost of maintenance, if you get the right way about it. Why think of it, you can

Save 33 Per Cent. We’ll tell you how for the asking—glad to do it. Besides, we offer you our regular FREE TIRE INSPECTION SERVICE, which reveals small cuts, sand blisters and the many little things that make trouble if you let them grow.

CANADIAN RE-TREADING AND VULCANIZING CO. 109 1-2-113 Princess Street

You Who Plan On Buying A “Ready-Made” Suit or Overcoat

STOP And Ask Yourself?

“Is there no other way?—must I really accept an ‘approximate’ fit—a garment cut to standard size—instead of a garment cut to my own individual body dimensions?”

We must insist upon this point:—That no man need take a ready-made suit or overcoat as a matter of pocket-book necessity—you can have for \$15 a Spring Suit or Overcoat that is built to your body dimensions, created and designed to your every wish and dictation—and you can have it without paying any premium for it.



Ordering an English & Scotch Woollen Co. suit or overcoat is as easy as buying a ready-made, even easier, in fact. You can pick out the fabric and fashion of your heart’s desire from over 500 mostly exclusive British weaves.

Suit or Overcoat \$15 English and Scotch Woollen Co. NO MORE NO LESS

Made To Your Measure

IN asking for your “clothes-trade” we want it only on the promise that we can deliver to you a bigger value—a more thorough, a more complete, a more time-lasting value.

English & Scotch Woollen Co.

SIX CONVENIENTLY LOCATED MONTREAL STORES 201 St. Catherine West, Near Bleury 551 St. Catherine E., Cor. Maisonneuve 416 St. Catherine E., Near St. Hubert

18 GREAT TAILOR SHOPS IN CANADA Lachine, Quebec Sherbrooke, Three Rivers Amherst, N.S. Sydney, N.S. Halifax, N.S. St. John, N.B. Moncton, N.B. New Glasgow, N.S. Charlottetown, P.E.I. Fredericton, N.B.

Out-of-Town Men: Write for Free Samples, Fashion Plates, Self-Measure Form and Tape Line. Address: 416 St. Catherine Street East, Montreal.

26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.



WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

STAR THEATRE
BIG WESTERN PLAY TODAY
ANNA LITTLE and THOS. CHATTERTON
The Letter of "Submarine" Serial Fame, in the Western Drama
'WHEN THE LIGHT CAME'
You'll Be Delighted With This Feature. A Regular Old-timer. A Real Cowboy Story.
ALSO-
VIVIAN RICH in 'SWEET AND LOW'
BEN TURPIN
The Goo-goo Eyed Comedian, in
'THE LOST BOOKING'
Two Part Comedy.
Boys and Girls—See This Show Tomorrow Afternoon
Coming June 8th, 9th
Mrs. Vernon Castle in 'PATRIA'
The Best and Most Costly Serial Yet—Barring None.

VAUDEVILLE
Come Tonight or AND PICTURES 2.30; 7.15; 8.45
You'll Miss Great Bill
ALICE BRADY
Holiday Patrons Have High Praise for Her in Fine Five Reel World Ready Master Picture
'A WOMAN ALONE'
Vaudeville, Too, Caught Their Fancy
TOMMY WHITE
Character Comedian With Comic Songs and Droll Stories
BUO and JESSIE GREY
An Attractive Act, Singing, Fun and Sensational Cycle Riding
We Change Programme Every Wed. and Sat. 2.30
COMING TOMORROW—Gretchen Hartman and Alan Hale in 'THE LOVE THIEF'
GEM THEATRE WATERLOO STREET

MARY PICKFORD'S
LATEST TRIUMPH
'A Romance of The Redwoods' at Imperial Next Monday
Herewith enters Mary Pickford, actress. No longer does the queen of the unspoken drama rely on curls and pouts for effect, for in 'A Romance of The Redwoods' she actually acts and does it in such a manner as to land her points with surprising effectiveness. This Art-craft release is one that will be a success of the first line, for it is a combination of star and story that will not only please but delight the followers of Mary, and with it all Cecil B. DeMille has given the story a production that is a corker. But one must not overlook the credit that should go to Wilfred Buckland, the master of the art of lighting motion picture productions. In this feature he has outdone himself and there is more than one scene that will bring a murmur of admiration on this fact alone. 'A Romance of The Redwoods' was written by Mr. DeMille in collaboration with Jeanie MacPherson and the story proves that the authors know their Best Hectic very well indeed, and have not overlooked anything that might enhance the value of this story, which, by the by, smacks slightly of 'Salomy Jane' and a little of 'The Girl of the Golden West' at least in atmosphere, if nothing else. There are eight reels of 'A Romance of The Redwoods' and the actual running time of the picture is just about an hour and a half, so there is a possibility that the eight reels may be slightly short on footage. The first four reels are so full of action that they pass before one notices it, and there isn't the least suggestion of love interest until the picture is half way through, then things begin to move. Mary, of course, is the heroine, and the performance that Elliott Dexter gives as the bandit lover is very artistic. The scenes after the opening are all laid in the mining camps in California in the days of '49 and the atmosphere of the period is held to most effectively. Miss Pickford needs but one or two additional productions of this calibre to come entirely into her very own again and the picture production field can never get enough of features of this class, if for no other reason than to teach other producers how things can and should be done.
—Variety (N. Y.), May 20th.

IMPERIAL--THE WEEK-END
MARIE DORO
And Star Lasky Players in the Fetching Little Fiction
'CASTLES FOR TWO'
Exquisite Comedy-Drama
'THE SECRET KINGDOM'
Reaching Havana the Princess and Phillip are Again Confronted by Their Enemies
Chap. 12--'IN THE SHARK'S NEST'
Vitagraph Comedy--Footlights and Fakers'
BIG 8-REEL SHOW

EMPRESS
THE WEST SIDE HOUSE
EXTRA SPECIAL PROGRAMME FRI-SAT
Denmark's Most Beautiful Woman (Baroness Dewitt) Valkyrin, in a Pathe Five-Part Gold Rooster Photo-Play
'LOVE NEVER DIES'
The image maker of Thebes is thrown to the crocodiles when the Pharaoh wishes to prevent her marriage to his son. In Florida of today her modern counter-part meets and loves her prince. An absorbing story of re-incarnation and love.
PEARL WHITE in
'PEARL OF THE ARMY'
The Ninth Episode is Surely the Most Interesting so Far Screened
In Addition We Are Screening the First Episode (in Three Parts) of
'LIBERTY'
Featuring Eddie Polo and Marie Walcamp
DONT MISS THIS SPLENDID TEN-REEL SHOW!
KIDDIES' BUMPER MAT. SAT.

UNIQUE Tonight LYRIC
First of Black Cat Series praised by Overflowing Holiday Audiences Yesterday
'The Little Missionary'
Condensed Feature, minus Padding. Stories Selected from Popular Magazines
One Show Every Thur., Fri., Sat. For Ten Weeks
One of the Best Hand-to-Hand Fights Ever Seen, 'In the Spider's Web.' Second Last Adventure of the 'Blat'
Movements the Eye Misses Interesting Revelations
Clippings of Java—Scenic
Mon--'PATRIA.'
Wed-Thur--Charlie Chaslin in 'The Blat'
'The Silent Menace' Remains in the Foreground in the 11th Episode of
'PEARL OF THE ARMY'
As Mysterious and Sensational as Ever
THE MUTUAL WEEKLY
The News of the Hour
It's a Christie--It's Good!
'Practice What You Preach'
Mon-Tues-Wed
Little Mary Sunshine (Marie Osborne) in
'TWIN KIDDIES'
CESTIVA AND OTERITA
Society Dancers

ous parts of the country reported that the amateur oarsmen were foregoing rowing in favor of military activity, and that there was little if any demand for the regatta.
The cancellation of this fixture follows closely on the decision of the Schuylkill and Middle State Rowing Associations to drop the Schuylkill and People's regattas to have been held at Philadelphia on June 16 and July 4, respectively, and the Middle States regatta, set for Sept. 3 on a course unselected.
The decision of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, its division-

OPERA HOUSE
TONIGHT THE RANDALLS And 4 Other Good Vaudeville Acts
At 7.30 and 9 A Splendid Programme
TOMORROW Afternoon at 2 and 3.30 Evening at 7.30 and 9
MANON FOUR A High Class Singing Quartet
KENNEDY & ROONEY Singing and Dancing Skit
HAZEL MORAN Champion Lariat Swinger
MUSICAL IRVING Novelty Instrumental Act
BOSAN & GRANGER Comedy Singers, Talkers and Dancers
Last Chapter CRIMSON STAIN MYSTERY Who is Pierre La Rue?

Fri. PALACE THEATRE Sat.
Our New Series
'THE PERILS OF SECRET SERVICE'
In Two Stirring Acts
'STEEL HEARTS'
(Biopic)
Featuring MARIE WALCAMP
'THE TRAMP CHEF'
It's a Good One, Too
2 1/2 Shows a Night
ORCHESTRA MUSIC
MATINEE SATURDAY

Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
NEURALGIA RHEUMATISM BRISB'S DISEASE DIABETES
23 THE PRINCIPAL

BASEBALL
National League.
New York, May 24--After losing five straight games, Chicago defeated New York here today by a score of 4 to 3. The score:
Chicago.....020001001--4 8 0
New York.....001020000--3 7 2
Batteries--Douglas and Wilson; Benton, Middleton and McCarty.
Cardinals Win in Ninth.
Boston, May 24--St. Louis scored four runs in the ninth inning today and defeated Boston 9 to 7. The score:
R.H.E.
St. Louis.....020002014--9 13 1
Boston.....000100231--7 13 4
Batteries--Ames, Meadows and Gonsales; Barnes, Allen and Gowdy.
19 to 9; That's All.
Philadelphia, May 24--In the biggest scoring game of the major league season, Cincinnati defeated Philadelphia today, 19 to 9. The score:
R.H.E.
Cincinnati.....192140020--19 19 1
Philadelphia.....002020160--9 11 8
Batteries--Ring and Wingo, Clarke; Mayer, Oeschger, Filtrity and Adams; Kilfliter.
Dodgers Show Old-Time Form.
Brooklyn, May 24--Pfeffer pitched shut-out ball today and Brooklyn defeated Pittsburgh 6 to 0. The score:
R.H.E.
Pittsburg.....000000000--0 5 1
Brooklyn.....003110011--6 11 1
Batteries--Grimes, Mannaux and Fischer; Pfeffer and Miller.
American League.
Chicago, May 24--Dumont's wild pitch in the twelfth inning enabled Chicago to shut-out Washington today and win the second straight game, 1 to 0. The score:
R.H.E.
Washington.....000000000--0 11 1
Chicago.....000000001--1 0 1
Batteries--Dumont and Henry; Russell and Schalk.
Athletics Do Win Game.
Detroit, May 24--Philadelphia defeated Detroit in a game marked by listless playing 3 to 2. The score:
R.H.E.
Philadelphia.....201000000--3 7 0
Detroit.....010100000--2 6 3
Batteries--Noyes and Schang; Ehmke, Cunningham and Spencer.
Red Sox Win From Browns.
St. Louis, May 24--Ruth's triple, followed by Davenport's wild pitch in the seventh, enabling Boston to win from St. Louis today 4 to 3. The score:
R.H.E.
Boston.....100200100--4 11 1
St. Louis.....010200000--3 7 1
Batteries--Ruth and Thomas; Davenport, Plank and Severoid.
Indians Rump Home.
Cleveland, May 24--Cleveland opened

USE THE WANT AD. WAY

Men, Listen To This!--
Thousands of Straight
10c, 15c, and 2 for 25c Cigars
To go at 5 for 25c
Absolutely nothing the matter with them but the price. When stocking I simply way overbought with the result that they MUST be moved--and moved quick.
I figured it out that Cut Prices will sell Cheese and Clothes; Candy and Clocks--and why not necessities, Cigars?
So here goes for the greatest real bargains ever offered man.
A TIP! Lug home a couple of boxes and show to friend wife and let her see that you can show her cards and trumps when it comes to getting next to REAL bargains!
Here are a few of the Brands:
Van Horn, Earl of Minto, Spanish Queen, President, Sir William
These and other known brands, as familiar to you as your own coat, included in the lot. Better buy and buy quick, as when the lot is sold you'll never again get such bargains!
See Our Windows--Plugged full of Them
John De Angelis, King and Charlotte Streets

POOR DOCUMENT

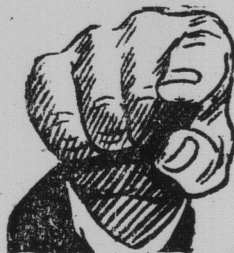
**M C 2 0 3 5**

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1917

16

**Now or Never**  
**S. W. McMACKIN'S**  
 RESERVED  
**Summer Stock**  
**On Sale Here**

**BASSEN'S**



**We Break Prices**  
**C. B. PIDGEON'S**  
 RESERVED  
**Season Stock**  
**On Sale Here**

**PRICE BREAKING SALE!**

**\$20,000 Worth of Our Own Stock**

**14-16-18 Charlotte St.** NO BRANCHES

**ECONOMY**  
**WILL**  
**HELP YOU**  
**ATTEND**  
**THIS SALE!**

Wake up, people, grasp the opportunity when you have a chance. The prices of every necessary thing is getting out of reaching price for you. It is too hard to bear, we know it. We can help you by helping yourself. In February we bought out the balance of C. B. Pidgeon's Stock, we give the benefit to the people. We also bought the balance of S. W. McMackin's Goods and now we are ready to give bargains to the public.

The Summer goods we received for this time, the right reason, for Spring and Summer goods and \$20,000 worth of our own stock to suit the people.

**SALE**  
**OPENS**  
**SATURDAY**  
**May 26th.**  
**10 a. m.**

**YOU SHOULD NOT MISS THIS CHANCE**  
**YOU KNOW THE HIGH COST OF COMMODITIES!**

We break prices---we smash the high prices. We could not mention every article separately, but will teach you the principles mostly felt by you.

Everybody in and outside town should not miss **Bassen's Breaking Price Sale!**

- DON'T MISS THIS BARGAIN!**
- 100 Dozen Ladies' and Children's Middies and Waists—American and Canadian ..... 50c. to \$1.98
  - 20 Dozen Children's Dresses and Middy Dresses in all Colors and Sizes ..... 25c. to \$1.98
- MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING**
- No need for you to pay such high prices for your clothing. You don't have to. Look at our prices!
- Men's Suits—Pidgeon's and our own stock. The best that tailoring can produce ..... From \$7.98 to \$15.00
  - Boy's Suits—Pidgeon's and our own ..... \$2.48 to \$6.48
  - 1,000 Boys' Wash Suits—American and Canadian make. 69c. to \$1.29 each
  - A Few Men's Spring Overcoats—Pidgeon's ..... \$9.98
  - Men's and Boys' Raincoats—American and English. From \$3.48 to \$12.48
  - 1,000 pairs Men's Working and Dress Pants—The best to wear. \$1.59, \$1.98, \$2.59 to \$3.48
  - 1,000 pairs Boys' Pants—Khaki Drill, Tweed Cloth and Corduroy. 39c. to \$1.59
  - Men's and Boys' Overalls—Black, Blue and Striped. From 69c. to \$1.48
  - Children's Overalls ..... 25c., 39c., 49c. pair
  - 50 Men's Odd Vests—Small Size Only ..... 48c. each
  - 100 Men's Pique and Fancy Striped Vests—Worth \$2.00. Sale Price, 59c. and 79c. each
  - 50 Men's Office Coats—Black and White, Grey and White and Black ..... 98c. and \$1.48
  - 200 Dozen Men's Penman's Porous Knit Underwear—Worth 75c. a garment. For 39c. garment ..... 5c. a piece
  - 25 Dozen Men's Linen Collars at ..... 15c. and 25c.
  - 100 Dozen Men's and Boys' Caps ..... 49c. to 98c.
  - 15 Dozen Men's Hard and Soft Hats—(Special) ..... 15c. a pair up
  - 100 Dozen Pairs Men's Sox ..... 15c. a pair up
  - 100 Dozen Pairs Men's and Boys' Braces ..... 15c. a pair up
  - Men's Khaki Pants ..... \$1.69 a pair
  - 100 Dozen Men's Working Shirts in All Colors ..... From 59c. up
  - 25 Dozen Men's Dress Shirts ..... From 59c. up
  - 20 Dozen Men's American Neckties ..... 3 for 50c.
  - 20 Dozen Wash Ties ..... 9c. each

- DRESS GOODS—WASH GOODS**
- These Have Advanced Greatly. We Know it. Economize. Look at Our Prices
- 1,000 Yards Mill End Feather Ticking—Worth 40c. and 50c. At 25c.
  - 1,000 Yards Overall Duck—Black, Blue or Striped. Present Price, 30c., 40c. Sale Prices, 20c., 25c., 30c.
  - 1,000 Yards Mill End Shaker—36 inches wide ..... At 14c. a yard
  - 500 Yards Black and White Striped Shirting—Reg. 25c. a yard, At 19c.
  - 500 Yards Art Sateen—Worth 25c. a yard ..... At 13c. a yard
  - 5 Pieces McMackin's Voile—Worth 70c. ..... At 29c. a yard
  - 20 Pieces of Curtain Scrim—Plain or Bordered, White or Ebru, 13c. to 16c. a yard
  - Black and White and Scotch Plaids ..... 29c. a yard up
  - Striped Linen for Middies and Dresses—Worth 35c. a yard, For 22c.
  - 10 Pieces Striped and Plain Crepes—Worth 25c. a yard. Sale Price, 16c. a yard
  - Table Linen—White and Unbleached ..... 49c. to 65c. a yard
- GENERAL DRY GOODS AND FURNISHINGS**
- There may be a combine on Flour, Sugar and Coal. We don't sell these commodities. Come and see what we sell and our prices.
- 200 Bedspreads—All Sizes ..... Sale prices, \$1.29 to \$2.25 each
  - Feather and Southern Wool Pillows ..... Sale Prices, 48 and 69c. each
  - 200 Door Mats with Fringe, in All Colors—Worth 50c. .... At 35c.
  - Floor Rugs—Large Sizes, Good Designs. Sale Prices, 89c., \$1.49, \$2.45 each
  - 25 Dozen Linoleum Mats—Worth 35c. .... Sale Price, 19c. each
  - 100 Pieces of Table Oilcloth—Dark or Light Patterns. Reg. Price, 25c. and 40c. Sale Price, 29c. yard
  - 200 Table Oilcloth Squares—Many Designs. .... 65c. and 75c. each
  - Linen Window Shades—Worth 75c. and \$1.00. Sale Prices, 50c. and 75c. each
  - 500 Yards Shelf Oilcloth ..... At 8c. a yard
  - 3 Sheets Shelf Paper ..... For 5c.
  - Brass Curtain Rods ..... 5c., 10c., 15c. each
  - 1,000 Pairs Lace Curtains—Worth Double the Money, 69c. to \$2.30 pr.
  - 1,500 Pairs Corsets—In All Sizes. From 49c., 65c., 85c., 98c. to \$1.69
  - Odd Sizes in McMackin's Corsets—Worth \$2.00 and \$3.00. For 50c. to \$1.00
  - 20 Dozen Hair, Clothes and Military Brushes ..... 15c. each
  - 25 Dozen Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas ..... 69c. to \$1.98
  - Ingersol Watches, Wrist Watches and Alarm Clocks at Reduced Prices

- BOOTS AND SHOES**
- Can you pay the big prices that is asked from you for your Footwear? No! Look at our prices. Now for bargains. An extra big break in prices.
- 300 Pairs of Misses' and Ladies' Tan Oxfords—Worth \$3.00 a pair. One Price, \$1.29
  - Ladies' Black Boots—Small sizes ..... One Price, \$1.98
  - One Lot Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps—Small sizes ..... \$1.69
  - One Lot of Ladies' and Children's Slightly Soiled White Canvas Boots and Slippers at Giving Away Prices.
  - 3,000 Pairs of Ladies', Misses', Children's, Men's and Boys' Boots and Shoes of all descriptions. Many broken lines, but at smashed and broken prices.
- LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHING**
- How Can You Pay \$30.00 for a Suit from Small Wages—Look at Our Prices
- Ladies' American Suits in Different Colors—Worth \$20.00 and \$30.00 ..... One Price Only, \$9.98
  - Misses' Suits—Worth \$15.00 and \$25.00 (Nobby). One Price Only, \$9.98
  - Ladies' Sport Coats—All Kinds and Colors. Absolutely the Latest. Worth from \$10.00 to \$20.00. Our Sale Prices \$4.98, \$5.98 to \$11.98
  - One Special Lot Sport Coats—American ..... Only \$2.98 and \$3.98
  - Children's Coats—Up to Size 12 ..... For \$1.98 to \$3.98
  - Ladies' and Misses' Dress Skirts—Black and White Check, Plain Blue, Black, Green and Grey ..... \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98 and \$3.48
  - Ladies' Black Lustre Long Coats—All Sizes ..... At \$4.98
  - Ladies' Raincoats—Black or Colored—All Sizes, From \$3.98 to \$10.98
  - Misses' Raincoats ..... \$1.98 up
  - Ladies' House Dresses—The best we ever had, suitable for house or street wear. Sizes 32 to 53 ..... 98c. to \$1.48
  - One Lot of Street and Party Dresses—Worth up to \$10.00. One Price Only, \$1.98
- BABIES' OUTFITTING**
- Baby Coats—White pique ..... \$1.48
  - Babies' Cashmere Coats ..... \$1.98 to \$2.48
  - Infants' Christening Coats ..... \$2.48 to \$2.98
  - Baby Bonnets ..... From 19c. to \$1.25
  - Hundreds of More Articles in These Lines at Break Prices.
  - 1,000 Children's Straw Hats ..... From 25c. to 50c.
  - 25 dozen Children's Rompers—American and Canadian. One Price Only, 49c.