

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

Our advice to you is to Secure What You May Require and Avoid Advances Later.

Mens Overcoats at 20 p. c. reduction.
Boys Suits at 1-2 what you will pay later.
Mens Oxford Pants, very heavy, \$1.98 pr.
Blankets \$1.19, 1.65 and \$1.75 pr.
Overalls, wear well kind, \$1.00 and 1.25.
Mens Underwear 50c, 75c and \$1.00.
Boys Rock Maple Hose 25c.
Mens Sheep Skin Lined Coats \$4.50, 5.00.
Special Line Cotton 12 yds for \$1.00.
36 inch Flannelette " " " \$1.00.
5 yds Wide Flouncings for \$1.00.
Boys Sweaters \$1.00, 1.25 and \$1.50.
Special Corset 2 pr for \$1.00.

Peter Farrell & Co.

CLEAVERS' SOAPS

A big assortment just received. Unscented, Magnolia, Glycerine and Cucumber, Cold Cream and Oatmeal, etc.

Ryan's Drug Store
THE PENSLAR STORE

- FLOUR -

Flour has fallen in price. Buy now.

The price is likely to go up again soon.

BLUE BANNER (a pure Manitoba) . . . \$7.40 bbl
QUAKER (1/2 bbl. bags) . . . \$3.60

CORN	PURE LARD
Cracked Corn and Cornmeal \$1.75 bag.	20 lb. Pails \$3.00 18c. in bulk.
PEACHES	PRUNES
California Dried Peaches 9c., 3 lbs. 25c.	California Prune 9c 3 lbs. 25c.
CANNED GOODS	FISH
We are selling lots of Canned Goods. Quality brings our customers back. Tomatoes 10c can Corn 9c can Peas 9c can	Fresh Frozen Herring 18c doz. Good Canned Salmon . . . 13c 2 for 25c.
CORN SYRUP.	BAKER'S COCOA
Use more Corn Syrup—molasses is so high. 5 lb. Pail 28c 2 lb. Can 13c., 2 for 25c.	Baker's Cocoa in bulk 35c lb. 1/2 lb. Cans 24c 3/4 lb. Cans 13c 1-5 lb. Cans 10c Baker's Chocolate 10 and 12c. cake.
PICKLES	ORANGES.
1 gal Pails Mixed Pickles 75 cents	A new lot of nice juicy Florida and California Navels coming this week. Very low by the dozen or case.

A FEW QUARTER BARGAINS

6 lbs Baking Soda 25c	3 lbs Soda Biscuits 25c
3 pkgs Jello 25c	1 Good Broom 25c
3 pkgs McLaren's Jelly Pdr 25c	3 lbs Tapioca 25c
7 cakes Yerxa's Soap 25c	6 lbs Rolled Oats 25c
6 cakes Sunlight Soap 25c	2 bottles White Liniment 25c
6 pkgs Welcome Soap Pdr 25c	7 lbs. Buckwheat Flour . . . 25c
3 lbs. Prunes 25c	4 rolls Toilet Paper 25c
3 lbs. Evaporated Peaches 25c	3 pkgs Lux 25c

Yerxa's

REPORT OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSOC.

Good Work Accomplished in the Way
Of Further Beautifying
The City.

Following is the report of the Local Improvement Association for last year:

Fredericton, N.B.,
March 6, 1916.

Report of the President of the Local Improvement Association for the year ending 29th February, 1915:

Owing to the war, the Association thought it inadvisable to ask subscriptions from the citizens to supplement the grant from the city, consequently last year no appeal for membership subscriptions was made.

The moneys voted by the city were mainly spent in cutting the grass and weeds from streets and sidewalks and cutting grass on public lawns. In all the sum of \$355.30 was so spent, covering the city from Forest Hill Cemetery to the Hermitage. Included in this amount was the cost of cutting grass, viz., Fenety avenue from Boat House to Shore street, the grounds on the lower side of the Hospital and on Smythe street.

A concrete carriage was installed for one of the cannons on the river front opposite the Parliament Buildings, at a cost of \$65—one-third of the cost being for the form enclosing the concrete. On the completion of this concrete work, the job was considered so satisfactory that the city paid for a like carriage for the cannon on the lower side of the Boat House.

About fifty trees obtained from the gardens in the city, were planted and nursery near the Hospital and from those set out previously were cared for and protected.

The settees were repaired and set out early in the season. Five new ones were bought.

I am glad to be able to report that in the coming summer it is the intention of the Intercolonial authorities to beautify and improve the grounds of their railway station in this city in accordance with a plan and recommendation made by this Association.

The following is the financial statement:

Receipts.
Balance on hand from 1914 . . \$ 85.61
Grant from city 400.00

Payments. \$485.61
Cutting grass and weeds from sidewalks, trees and planting and cutting public lawns . . \$355.30
Settees 30.03
Concrete carriage for cannon . . 65.00
Trucking 9.50
Small bills 7.27
Balance on hand 18.51

In conclusion, let me say, in these times of stress and trouble, when our energies are strongly bent in upholding the old flag both financially and otherwise, I trust some way is open whereby we may continue our work as in the past so that tourists and others, in coming to Fredericton will still continue to call it the "Celestial City."

T. G. LOGGIE,
President Local Improvement Asso.

STOCK MARKET

New York.	Montreal.
Air Brake 143	Bridge 210
Smelters 98 1/2	Iron 45 1/4
C. P. R. 166 3/4	Detroit 88
Crucible 82	Power 221
Mexican Petroleum 103	Scotia 96 1/2
Reading 82 1/2	Penman's 62 7/8
Studebaker 140 1/4	Shaw 130
Sugar 112	
Union 131 1/2	
U. S. Steel 82 3/4	

U. S. WILL NOW ADMIT CANADIAN POTATOES

Washington, March 6.—An order authorizing permits for the importation of potatoes from Canada, subject to new regulations, which have been

GRAND CONCERT

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C. E. F.,

OPERA HOUSE
Friday, March 10th.

Under the Patronage of
Lieut. Gov. Wood.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT MEETING HERE TODAY

Premier Clarke Will Not Return From
Clifton Springs in Time For
House Opening.

The rumour of the provincial government, consisting of Acting Premier Murray, Hon. Dr. Landry, who should have been acting premier, and Hon. Mr. Baxter, who feels that he should be premier, held a meeting last night. The latest pronouncement on the Valley Railway was discussed and the acting premier was authorized to make a statement modifying some of the reports set on foot by the subsidized press. Word was received from Premier Clarke to the effect that he was still at Clifton Springs and would not be present for the opening of the House on Thursday. There was no word from an other absentee, Hon. John Morrissey, but it is understood that he will be on hand later in the week, probably about the time Commissioner Teed hands in his report on the Blair investigation.

Preparations are now fairly well advanced for the formal opening of the legislature on Thursday afternoon by Lieut. Governor Wood. Dr. Price of Moncton, and Mr. Weitzel of Gloucester, will move the address in reply to the speech from the throne. There will be the usual state dinner at the Queen Hotel in the evening.

The government is in session today, preparing the legislative program.

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT FOR SOLDIERS' RELIEF

A successful entertainment was held last evening in the Church Hall Gibson, by the Belgian and Soldier Relief Society of St. Mary's and Gibson.

Solos were rendered by Miss Edna Belyea, Miss Mildred Matthews and Miss Grace Machum.

There was a duet by the Misses Lint.

The Arion Quartet, Messrs. Staples, Burpee, Bailey and McLean, rendered suitable selections.

Readings were given by Miss Eunice Peters and Miss Marguerite Fradsham.

Messrs. A. J. McEvoy, Whitman Haines, Walter Harrison and Miss Thelma Kenney assisted by putting on tableaux.

The sum of thirty dollars was made which will be used by the society in carrying on its work.

CODERRE'S SENTENCE COMMUTED TO LIFE

Ottawa, March 6.—Lieut. Coderre, who left Canada with a French-Canadian overseas regiment and who was convicted of killing a sergeant in England, has had his sentence of death commuted to imprisonment for life. The news reached the department of justice this morning.

THOSE AMHERST STORIES.

A gentleman from Amherst who was here recently, stated that the stories in circulation concerning a New Brunswick officer connected with the internment camp, were undoubtedly greatly exaggerated. He admitted, however, that the officer had had some trouble but it was attributed to his peculiar methods of financing. His troubles were largely due to the fact that he lived beyond his income. He had established a reputation as a borrower but as a payer his record was not so good. The story about his having assisted German prisoners to escape from the camp however, was not correct, so far as the public know. The motion made in the Senate last week for papers in connection with the escape from the Amherst Camp has revived the sensational stories heard here a few weeks ago.

ARRANGEMENTS

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tenant Governor on the floor of the House.

His Honor and Mrs. Wood will arrive from Sackville tonight. The customary reception will be held at the Queen Hotel following the opening of the House. The first state dinner will be held at the Queen on Thursday night.

accepted by the Canadian government, was announced today by the Department of Agriculture. Canada having agreed that all potatoes offered for export to the United States must be free from injurious diseases and insect pests, imports from the Dominion would be exempted from the requirement of inspection and certification before shipment. They will be subject to the usual inspection on arrival.

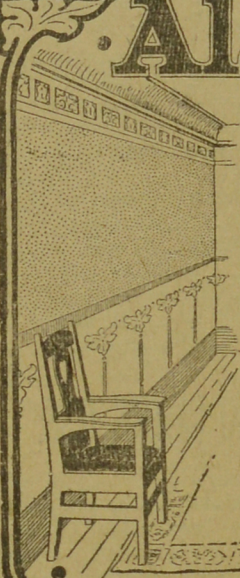
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The three styles of Furniture that are very popular just now are Jacobean, William and Mary and Colonial.

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