

LABOR MEN HONOR
SAMUEL GROMPERS

New York, Jan. 29.—Labor leaders from all parts of the country, and a number from Canada, gave a dinner last night to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to commemorate his fiftieth anniversary of activity in labor circles, his sixty-seventh birthday and his golden wedding anniversary. Twenty-seven of Mr. Gompers' relatives were present, including his wife and father, Saul Gompers, who is 92 years of age and blind.

When Mr. Gompers entered the banquet hall the diners rose and sang "Our Grand Old Man," which was specially written for the occasion.

A huge sign over all the guest tables bore the words in red, white and blue electric letters a foot high, "Fifty years' service to humanity."

HUNS CLAIM A SUCCESS.

Belin, Jan. 29.—After a strong artillery preparation on Hartman's Wellerkopf, storming detachments of Wurtemberg landwehr infantry regiment No. 124 entered the French trenches and returned with 35 prisoners and a machine gun.

Your Child's Cough

Is it nothing? Is it to be neglected until it leads to that terrible scourge consumption? Peps stand between winter coughs and colds, and serious consequences. Peps are tablets made up of Pine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes and not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not ailing.

Try a 5c. box of Peps for your cold, your cough, bronchitis or asthma. All druggists and stores or Peps Co., Toronto, will supply.

Peps

WAR VOTE WILL BE
HALF A MILLION

Sir Robert Borden Gives Notice of a Resolution in the House of Commons.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—Canada's war vote for the coming fiscal year is to be \$500,000,000, or just double the amount voted at the last session of parliament.

Sir Robert Borden has given notice of a resolution providing for a vote of \$500,000,000 for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1918, towards defraying the cost of "the defence and security of Canada; the conduct of naval or military operations in or beyond Canada; promoting the continuance of our trade, industry and business communications, whether by means of insurance or indemnity against war risks, or indemnity against war risks, or otherwise, and payment on these accounts of items not met by the war appropriation of 1916."

Authority will also be given to the government to use any portion of the vote towards financing imperial government war orders in Canada. The vote will be taken up in the Commons during the coming week and will be put through by the House unanimously. Sir Thomas White has given notice of a borrowing bill to enable the government to raise money for the general purposes of the Dominion, apart from the war, during the coming fiscal year. The amount named in the bill is \$100,000,000, or \$25,000,000 more than authorized by the borrowing bill put through last session. It is unlikely that there will be any long discussion of the bill, which will be put through both houses before Sir Robert Borden leaves for the London conference.

ANOTHER R. C. CHURCH
BURNED IN QUEBEC

Sherbrooke, Jan. 29.—St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church, Lennoxville, was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday afternoon. The flames spread rapidly and in two hours the building was burned to the ground.

The cause of the fire was a short

MOTHER! GIVE CHILD
"SYRUP OF FIGS" IF
TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Clean Little Liver and Bowels.

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, the stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

NEW NAVAL RADIO
STATION OPENED

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 29.—The new naval radio station at Chollas Heights, near here, which was formally opened Friday, gave a demonstration of its power yesterday, when the operators on duty talked with the Arlington Station 2,500 miles, with Darien, Panama, 3,000 miles; Nome, Alaska, 2,500 miles and with Honolulu, 2,300 miles; overheard French operators at work on the island of Papeete, South Pacific, 3,000 miles, and ended by exchanging the time of day with operators at a radio station near Melbourne, Australia, 6,000 miles away.

No attempt will be made to flash a message to Europe until the various new instruments have been broken in.

The loss of the church and contents, including some beautiful statuary, represents \$30,000.

DISSOLUTION SALE

OF

Dry Goods and Ready-to-Wear Garments

Greatest Sale of the Season, Commencing

FEBRUARY 1st, 1917

Continuing to and including Saturday, February 17th.
Under the direction of the new firm

Wm. R. FRASER & CO.
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GREY COTTON

Special Bengal Grey Cotton, full yard wide, nice fine quality. Special sale price, 10 yds. for 85c.

Only 10 yards to each customer.

TABLE LINEN

Bleached and unbleached Table Linens in the good old qualities in all widths, ranging in price from 30c. up to \$1.50 yd.

The above prices subject to 10 p. c. discount and free hemming.

BED COMFORTERS

A nice large size Bed Comforter, 72x72, extra good quality and pretty floral design. Regular \$3 and \$3.50. Special sale price \$2.69.

EMBROIDERIES

Narrow Swiss Embroidery and Insertion, good quality and nice neat patterns, at 5c., 6c., 7c. and 8c. yard.

White Cambric Embroidery, Swiss Embroidery, Beading and Insertion, in a splendid range of patterns, 9c., 10c., 12c. and 14c. yard.

Better qualities in Beading Insertions and Edging at 15c., 18c. and 20c. yard. The above prices subject to 10 per cent. discount.

SHEETING.

Bleached and Unbleached Sheeting in good quality and at the old prices, in 72, 81 and 90 inches wide, ranging prices 25 cents per yd. up to 48c. yard, the above prices subject to 10 p. c. discount and free hemming.

FLANNELETTE SHEETS

Grey Flannelette Sheets with pink, blue and grey striped border, exceptionally good quality. size 54x74.

Special sale price, 49c. each or 95c. pair.

BED COMFORTERS

Another lot of Bed Comforters in nice large size, worth from \$2.65 to \$3.00. Sale price \$2.39.

CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES.

Corset Cover Embroideries in nice fine quality and nice neat patterns. Regular 25c. yard. Sale price 19c. yard.

BIBS

Terry Cloth Bibs marked "Good Girl" and "Good Boy," 15c. each or 2 for 25c.

GLOVES.

Ladies' and Children's Wool Gloves from 25c. up to 65c. a pair.

READY MADE SHEETS.

Ready made Sheets in beautiful old Cotton, hemmed and ready for use.

Size 90x72 at \$1.25

Size 90x81 at 1.35

Size 90x90 at 1.50

The above prices subject to 10 p. c. discount.

DRESS GOODS.

Black and Colored Dress Goods, also Tweds, Serges, Silks, Linings and Corduroys, all subject to 10 per cent. discount during this sale.

CORSETS.

A few odd lines of Corsets to clear, \$1.35 for 95c.; \$1.50 for \$1.00, \$2.75 for \$1.75.

Also 3 pairs Nemo, 2 pairs of size 20, and 1 pair of size 35, to clear at \$1.98 pair.

REMNANTS.

Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, Linings, Cottons, Table Linens, Table Oilcloth and all short ends of Cotton Goods, to be cleared regardless of cost.

TOWELS.

Bleached Huckabuck Towels, extra good quality and a good large size. Special sale price 15c. each or 25c. pair.

Other Towels not advertised subject to 10 p. c. discount.

EIDERDOWN

Good heavy quality Eiderdown in White, Grey and Red, 56 in. wide, regular \$1.50 per yard. Special sale price \$1.00 yard.

DISH CLOTHS.

The handy Dish Cloth in a nice fine honeycomb cloth, good size, at 10c. each or 3 for 25 cents.

UMBRELLAS AND WATER-PROOFS.

Ladies' and Children's Umbrellas and Waterproofs. A large variety to choose from. All subject to 10 p. c. discount during the sale.

WOOL VEILING

Wool Veiling or heavy storm Veiling, worth up to 25c. yard. Sale price 15c. yard or 2 yards for 25c.

REMNANTS

Remnants of Ribbons, Laces, Edgings and Veilings at about half price.

WINTER COATS.

Balance of Our Ladies' Winter Coats selling regardless of cost.

TOWELLING.

Pure Linen Roller Towelling 16 inches wide, regular 12c. yard, special sale price, 5 yards for 50c.

ANDERSON'S GINGHAMS

A nice lot of Anderson's Gingham in checks and stripes in the good old quality and fast colors, worth 18c. and 20c. yd. Sale price 15c. per yard.

BED SPREADS.

White and Colored Bedspreads in good large size and nice heavy quality, extra good value. Special sale price 98c. each.

KID GLOVES

Ladies' Long Kid Gloves, assorted sizes, regular \$1.75. Sale price 79c.

LINEN COLLARS.

Ladies' Linen Collars in plain and fancy, assorted sizes, ranging up to 25c. each. Sale price 10c. each, 3 for 25c.

SUITS.

Balance of our Ladies' Suits selling at very low prices.

Special discount on Ladies' Blouses, Skirts, Kimonos, Underskirts, Sweaters and White-wear.

Special 10 per cent. discount on Ladies' Silk and Serge Dresses and Children's Dresses.

Special 10 per cent. discount on Wool Blankets.

Special 10 per cent. discount on Down Puffs.

Special 10 per cent. discount on Ladies' Raincoats.

Ladies' House Dresses, special at \$1.35 and \$1.58.

BATH SETS

Bathroom Sets consisting of 1 large bath mat, 2 wash cloths and four towels, exceptionally good quality, in pink and blue, reg. \$6.50 a set. Sale price only \$4.25.

PILLOW SLIPS

Good quality Cotton Pillow Slips, all sizes at 25c. each.

PIANO DRAPERIES

Silk Piano and Mantel Draperies in Yellow only. Regular \$1.90. Sale price \$1.35.

CARRIAGE COVERS.

White Fancy Linen Baby Carriage Covers in good quality. Regular 50c. each. Sale price 42c.

TABLE CLOTHS AND NAPKINS

Linen Table Cloths and Napkins in the old quality linens, ranging in price from \$1.50 up to \$7.00. All subject to 10 p. c. discount.

PILLOW COTTONS

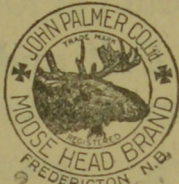
Bleached Circular Pillow Cottons from 40 to 48 inches wide in nice fine quality, at 25 cents a yard, subject to 10 p. c. discount and free hemming.

10 PER CENT DISCOUNT on all Dress Goods, Silks and all other goods not advertised.

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The manufacture of Oil Tanned Waterproof Shoe Packs, Moccasins, Sporting and Trench Boots is our one and only line of business. This specialization is the surest guarantee of quality. We must stand or fall accordingly as our product maintains its reputation and popularity. Unsolicited testimonials and repeat orders from officers and men at the front substantiate what we claim—unsurpassable excellence for real service. Insist on goods of our manufacture.

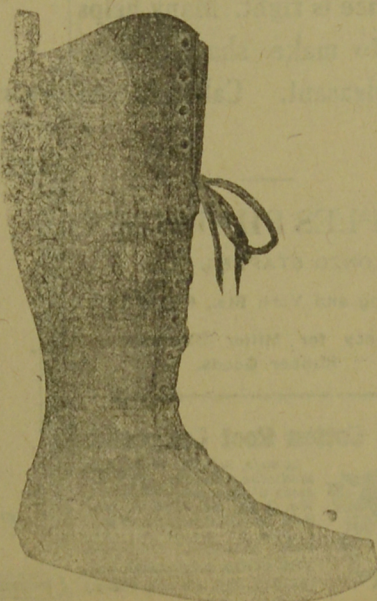
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