

Reduction Sale OF Boots and Shoes

We have on hand a lot of broken lines of Men's, Women's, Boy's, Misses' and Children's Boots and Shoes and Slippers which we will clear out at cost to make room for spring stock.

Also a job lot of Women's Laced and Button Boots in sizes 3, 3½ and 4 at half A) for cash only.

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Thousands have had this when they caught cold. Thousands have neglected to cure the cold. Thousands have filled a Consumption grave through neglect. Never neglect a cough or cold. It can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected.

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It has stood the test for many years, and is now more generally used than ever. It contains all the lung healing virtues of the pine tree combined with Wild Cherry Bark and other powerful remedies. It stimulates the weakened bronchial organs, allays irritation and subsides inflammation, soothes and heals the irritated parts, loosens the phlegm and mucus, and aids nature to easily dislodge the morbid accumulations. Don't be humbugged into accepting an imitation of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and price 25 cts.

Mr. Julian J. LeBlanc, Belle Cote, N.S., writes: "I was troubled with a bad cold and severe cough, which assumed such an attitude as to keep me confined to my house. I tried several remedies advertised but they were of no avail. As a last resort I tried Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and one bottle cured me completely."

MR. JOHNSON DESCRIBES VISIT

To Mexico Where He Inspected the Obispo Rubber Plantation.

R. M. Johnson, who has just returned from Mexico, gives The Guardian the following report of his trip and inspection of the Obispo Rubber Plantation. It will be remembered that Mr. Johnson left Charlottetown on Feb. 12th, as official fifth annual inspector of the Obispo Rubber Plantation of which Mitchell, Schiller & Barnes, 29 Broadway, New York, are the fiscal agents, represented in this city by J. A. Webster. The annual inspection is elected by a majority vote of all the shareholders in this company and out of the 2138 shareholders Mr. Johnson had a majority vote of 27.

In describing his trip Mr. Johnson states that leaving here on the 12th of February the journey began surrounded by every evidence of a Canadian winter. But in a few days the scene was changed, and the delightful temperature of Southern Mexico was encountered. Mr. Johnson reached the Obispo Plantation on the 4th of March, having travelled by way of New York, Havana, (where he saw O. A. Hornsby and Mr. Wood, formerly of the Royal Bank here) Progresso, and Vera Cruz. From the latter place a Railway journey of sixty-two miles and a mule back ride of five miles transports the traveller to the Obispo rubber plantation at Taxtepec. Here Mr. Johnson found everything as represented, by the previous reports from the manager of the property, Mr. Riddle and the literature issued by the Head Office. He was very much surprised with the wonderful growth and expanse of cultivated rubber trees varying in age from 3 months to 5 years, the six month trees being about 4 feet high and increasing in size up to the 5 year old ones, which average about 25 feet and are from 15 to 20 inches in circumference. In all acreage planted there were no vacant spaces and by actual personal count on different acres of various ages of trees the number was 410 trees per acre all of which are in a most healthy and vigorous condition. It was a magnificent sight to see acres after acres of these tall slender trees all so uniform in size according to age. The trees are planted about 9 feet apart, so it was an easy matter to see if any had been missed in planting as he rode along. Corn, Beans and Rice, as short crop are also grown in abundance, especially corn and rice which are the most profitable; the estimate of this year's crop of rice is 600 tons, which is estimated will yield \$20,000 gold. Corn is also grown in immense quantities partially as a shade for the young trees. About 25 bushels a day are consumed on the plantation, and 1000 acres will be planted this year. The growth is very rapid; corn planted last November was 12 feet high and in ear. There is also a large garden on the plantation in which were growing oranges, lemons, grape-fruit, papayas, bananas, pineapples, tomatoes, carrots, cabbages, beets, turnips, sweet potatoes, yuca, water melon, chalyotes, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, peas, cauliflower, strawberries, cantaloupe, cucumbers, onions, mangoes, and alligator pears. The proceeds from the sale of all these short crops go to make up the annual dividend which is paid to the shareholders until the rubber trees are of sufficient age (8 years) to produce rubber. There are also a number of horses, mules, oxen, milch cows, turkeys, chickens, ducks and pigs on the plantation.

In conclusion Mr. Johnson says that after spending several days on the plantation, and having inspected every crop and the work done, he has every confidence in Mr. Riddle and the work being done under his management, and he sees no reason why the estimates made in the prospectus issued by the Obispo Rubber Plantation Co. should not be realized.

The fifth annual report which Mr. Johnson furnished the Head Office will be issued to all interested in a few days, and is without doubt the best report of this investment, rendered to date.

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FOR YOUR STOMACH.

When you eat your dinner tonight, take a thought about your little stomach. First you fill it with soups, then fish, meats, salads, a dozen and one other things, and wind up with ice cream, coffee and perhaps wine. You see you are pretty hard on your stomach to make it bear all these cultivated tastes of yours, eat and drinking, morning, noon and night. Is it any wonder that it is sore, tired, painful and tired? How can it help burning, painless, giving off fermented gases? Why don't you try Hutch tablets? Get them at any drug store and give your stomach some assistance. Take it a day or two and you will have to confess that Hutch is the greatest preparation for pains in the stomach you ever came across in your life. Don't forget! Take one after each meal. This makes Hutch do the most good. A big bottle \$2.00 for \$1.00—For sale by all Druggists.

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This great sale positively ends April 15th
Until then TREMENDOUS SACRIFICES will be made
in order to clear out the entire remaining stock.



- EMBROIDERY SILKS—Belting best quality; a big variety of colors in Floss, twisted, romans, etc., 2 skeins for 5c, or per dozen 25c
- DRESS VOILES—Four dress lengths in brown, grey, biscuit and fawn, nice quality, formerly 55c, to clear now at 25c
- SPOTTER DRESS NETS—Elegant net for evening dresses, beautiful quality, good black, formerly \$1.55 for 85c
- GRENADE—A very pretty black and white stripe grenadine, 6 yard length, formerly \$1.40 for \$5
- FLANNELS—Stripes, dress and waist patterns, excellent values at former prices, 12c and 14c yd., now to clear at 8c
- COTTON HOSE—A big basketful of children's size cotton hose, worth 13c to 15c, now 7c
- SHOE COMBS—Clasp and back combs, etc., in a big tray, worth 10c to 20c, your choice at 3c
- NEEDLES—All sizes coarse and fine, 5c needles now 2 for 5c; another lot all sizes, 4 papers for 5c
- COLLAR FORMS—Black only, but best quality, formerly 10c each, now 3c

VEILINGS—20c yd

We've quite a nice stock of veilings in spots, netts, gossamers, etc. All the standard patterns and quite a few of the latest Worth up to 60c the yd. Now your choice at 20c

WIDOW'S VEILING bordered, full forty inches wide, beautiful quality, worth \$2.25, now \$1.20

BLACK CHIFFON—We've two pieces, of fine black chiffon, wide width, formerly 72c yard, now 45c

Perrin's Gloves.

Except in one line of black undressed gloves—"Perrin's"—our stock is limited to sizes 5½ and 5¾. These we have in black, grey, mode, white. We've made one price for all qualities up to \$1.40, the price is 49c

FANCY BUTTONS for dress trimmings extremely pretty effects, all colors and shades including steel worth 50c to 90c doz. now 25c

KNITTING NEEDLES sets of four needles encased in wood holder. All sizes, were 4c each now 3 for 5c

PEARL BUTTONS clearing all pearl buttons. Worth to 35c doz. now for 22c. Large sizes. Worth to \$1.10 doz now for 22c

TURKEY RED embroidery on spoons, all sizes for outlining, etc., 2c each or per doz 20c

GILT ANCHOR BUTTONS for trimming children's suits and dresses. Worth 15c to 20c doz now 10c

FANCY BUTTONS another lot of fancy trimming buttons. Worth up to 40c doz go at 15c

PRETTY RIBBONS, all widths, sizes and colors, silk and satins, greatly reduced. We've grouped to different qualities in lots at 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c and 10c

LACES of all sorts and widths, white and cream. Worth to 20c yd now 7c

STYLISH HATS AT TREMENDOUS DISCOUNTS



"STRETSON HATS"—Only a few that first comers will secure, always \$5 and worth it, now \$3.60

"HAWLEY" HATS—the most popular and satisfactory hat ever worn by Charlottetown men, stylish shapes, stiff and soft, black, brown, grey, always \$3 everywhere, now \$1.95

"TRESS" HATS—Reliable English fine felt hats and good styles, stiff and soft, \$3.00 for \$1.95; \$2.00 quality now \$1.20

"Special Grade" Hats at former prices \$1.20, we sold big lots of this grade, good wearers, good shapes, note present price 69c



COLLAR STUDS of bone—a doz on a card good and long. Worth 10c for 4c

HAIRPIN CABINETS formerly 4c are now 3c. Boxes of assorted hairpins, best quality. Worth 3c are now 3 for 5c

CHINA BUTTONS white and colored. All sizes Bone pant buttons, white and black in all sizes. Worth 4c doz now per doz 1c

HAT PINS a dozen on a card, white and black heads. Worth 10c the card now 2c

HOOKS AND EYES, medium and large sizes, patent spring hooks and eyes, strong English make. Worth 5c card now 2c

CHILDREN'S CAPES of white cashmere, richly embroidered in silk and lace trim. med \$3.35 for \$1.68, \$3.85 for \$1.95, \$4.45 for \$2.23, \$5.20 for \$2.60

DRESS LININGS all go at half price. Foulard linings 7c a yard for 3c. Linenette lining 14c for 7c. Percale linings 18c for 9c. Cotton taffetas 24c for 12c

HOUSEMAIDS CAPS, one box only, made of muslin prettily trimmed, formerly 12c now 6c

Snaps— Men's Goods

MEN'S CAPS—At the front of the store we've filled a big table with men's and boys' caps of every sort. Worth to 90c, now 30c

WHITE SHIRTS—Laundried, sizes 14, 14½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, 18, Tooke's best make, 60c for 38c, 85c for 48c, \$1.00 for 65c

"BOSTON GARTERS" of best elastic, all colors to the best fasteners, worth 32c, now only 16c

FLANNEL SHIRTS, blue and black, sizes 14, 14½, 15½, worth to \$1.90, now 69c

UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS of best quality cotton, linen fronts, sizes 14, 14½ only, 75c for 45c, 60c for 35c

WHITE KID GLOVES, clean and in perfect condition, all sizes and half price, 60c for 30c, 90c for 45c

UNDRESSED GLOVES of Deerskin, good wearers, English make, all sizes. Formerly \$1.25, now 73c

STOCKNETTE LEGGING, still a good supply in all sizes of fine cashmere and heavy worsted Stanfields make. 46c for 30c, 38c for 23c, 30c for 18c, 25c for 14c, 20c for 12c

PAPER BLINDS on spring rollers, complete with fixings and pull. Worth 20c now 8c

HARVEST MITTS of strong sheep skin, with one finger, splendid hand protectors. Worth 32c 15c

DRESS LACE. Beautiful black dress lace, some 27 inches, some 45 inches in width; makes elegant all over lace by cutting off the edge. Worth up to \$1.50 yd now 20c and 50c

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS plain and initial, best China Silk. Worth 38c now 19c

CHILDREN'S HOODS of silk, some of muslin. Silk Hoods formerly worth to \$2.10 now 50c; muslin hoods worth to \$1.25 now only 25c

ELEGANT APPLIQUES. Some of the most beautiful appliques ever shown in town. Worth from 20c to \$1.35 now 10c to \$1.18



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