

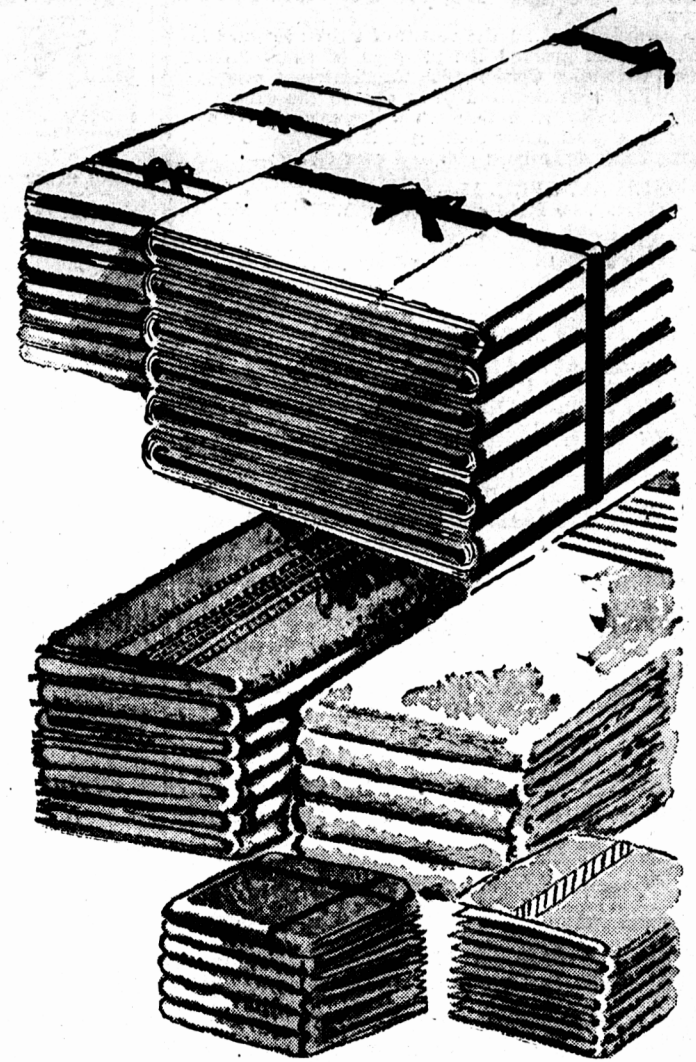
BIG 3 DAY SALE

3rd FLOOR

THURSDAY - FRIDAY - SATURDAY

\$20,000.00

Worth of substandard and factory clearing lines in Sheets - Sheeting - Pillow Cases - remnant Sheeting - Towels - Towelling etc. We also have wonderful special values in House Furnishings and Yard Goods Dept. all on the Third Floor.



REMNANTS

Factory Clearing

Unbleached sheeting, medium to best qualities, 54" to 95" wide — 1 to 6 yard lengths — very special values at prices according to quality.

Factory clearing remnants of white and colored broadcloth — best qualities — ranging at approximately, per yard **38c**

Factory remnants of printed poplin — polka dot pattern in background colors of blue, red, green, black and navy — worth 75c per yard at today's prices — Special for this sale — Clearing at approximately, yard **39c**

- Substandard Sheets — good sturdy quality, finished with hemstitched hems in colors mauve, pink and blue. — sizes 81 x 100 — Reg. \$12.95 — **8.59**
Special Sale price, pair
- Sheeting — firmly woven bleached snowy white, 77" wide — A real bargain at per yard **1.19**
- American Sheets — made from fine superior quality bleached cotton — plain hems — size 81" x 99" — **5.95**
Sale price, pair
- Sheeting — good quality bleached cotton medium weight 77" wide — **89c**
Special Sale price, yard
- Substandard Pillow Cases — colored borders in colors mauve, pink and blue — Regular size 42"x36" — **1.69**
Special at 2 for
- Substandard Hemstitched Pillow Cases — good quality — Sizes 42" x 33" — **1.49**
Sale price, pair

- Substandard Snowy White — Cotton Pillow Cases, firmly sewn seams and plain hems — **89c**
Size 42" x 33" — Special, pair
- Bath Towels — mill runs of good quality, sturdy cotton terry. Solid colors in colors green, gold and blue. **2.19**
Sizes 22" x 42" —
Sale Price, pair
- Bath Towels — mill runs in Jacquard weave — very absorbent cotton terry, colored borders of green, rose and blue. **1.98**
Sizes 22" x 42" —
Sale Price, pair
- Bath Towels — mill runs of serviceable quality white cotton terry — striped in colors gold and green. **1.49**
Sizes 22" x 42" —
Sale Price, pair
- Terry Towels — mill runs, light weight with background with multi-colored stripes. **50c**
Size 15" x 23" —
Sale Price, pair
- Terry Towelling — absorbent cotton terry in colorful stripes on fawn background. **1.00**
15 inches wide —
Sale Price, 4 yards for

- Tea Towels — made from pure "IRISH LINEN" — these towels are long wearing and highly absorbent — white background with blue checks. **49c**
Size 20" x 28" —
Special Sale Price, each
- Linen Towelling — high grade, firmly woven bright colored borders of red, green and blue — **59c**
17" width — 21" width —
yard — yard
- Table Cloths — a hard wearing quality that promises long service for everyday use — figured patterns on backgrounds of grey, red and chocolate. **1.98**
Size 54" x 54" — Reg. \$2.98 each —
Special Sale Price, each
- Table Cloths — size 54" x 72" — colors wine, chocolate, flamingo, grey and green. **2.69**
Reg. \$3.95 — wonderful value at this
Special Sale Price, each
- Table Cloth Material — heavy quality smoothly finished linen, floral designs — **1.39**
52 inch width —
Special Sale Price, yard

House Furnishings Department

Third Floor

- Cretonne Remnants — 1 to 5 yard lengths — good quality, heavy weight coverings in a wide choice of designs and colors. Reg. \$1.98 to \$2.98 — **1.00**
Special Clearing Price, yard
- Chintz Drapery, light weight, 36 inch width — suitable for light weight drapes, cushions and comfort covers — rose, green, blue and sand backgrounds — **49c**
Sale Price, yard
- Sailed curtains — 50 pair only — used for display purposes — one pair of each pattern — frilled and lace — Special clearing at **1-2 price**

- Marquette Curtains — 40 inch width — white with colored dots of blue or red. **39c**
Reg. 65c yard —
Special Clearing Price, yard
- Jute Mats — size 20" x 40" fringed ends in rose, green or red — border and centre designs in blue and green, each **1.79**
- Cottage Sets — broken lines, kitchen and bathroom sets, colors red, blue and green in both scrim and marquette. Reg. \$2.25 per set — **1.00**
Special Sale Price, pair

Yard Goods Department

Third Floor

- Broken lines of Dress Linens in 7 nice shades — toast, oyster, rust, brown, navy and brown — 36 inches wide — **79c**
Regular \$1.19 —
Sale Price
- Spotted Rayon Crepe — 42 inch width — white background with colored dots of red, navy, green or brown. **1.29**
Reg. \$1.75 yard —
Special Sale Price, yard
- Rayon Jersey — beautiful floral designs — 36 inch width — **98c**
Regular \$1.95 —
Special at, yard

- Slendercord in colors yellow, rose and blue — 42 inches wide. Regular \$1.75 — **1.25**
Special at, yard
- Rayon Printed Crepe—15 different colors—39 inches wide. Regular \$1.95 — **1.25**
Special Sale Price
- Printed Crepe — beautiful colors in 38 inch width — Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 — **1.50**
Now going at this sale for, yard
- Printed Floral Crepe — a host of nice patterns and colors— 42 inches wide — Regular \$2.95 values — **1.95**
Specially priced for this sale at, yard

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Egg & Poultry Prices

Egg prices on March 30 this year and previous years: The prices quoted below are for Grade A Large. At Montreal and Toronto the prices are those at which graded shipments are selling to wholesalers. At other points quotations are prices to shippers for ungraded eggs.

	1951	1950	1949
Montreal	53 1/4-54 40 1/4-41 45 1/4-46		
Toronto	51	38-39	43
Winnipeg	42	31	38
Vancouver	50	38	40
Edmonton	40	31	37
Regina	42	32	36
Ch'town	44	33	36 1/2

Weight of Live and Dressed Poultry at Registered Stations:

Province	Mar. 17	Mar. 10	Mar. 3
B. C.	82,276	58,269	97,483
Alta.	19,459	11,513	24,057
Sask.	5,273	1,018	1,499
Man.	2,321	1,878	6,925
Ont.	448,969	344,002	323,203
Que.	184,086	152,009	173,704
N. B.	372	6,693	813
N. S.	7,801	11,680	10,510
P. E. I.	664	1,611	2,890

2. Annette Blaquiere; 3. Lillian Pineau.
Grade IX.—1. Guelda Gallant; 2. Vaunda Gallant; 3. Carmelita Blaquiere.
Grade VIII.—Bernardine Gauthier; 2. Albinus Gauthier; 3. Annette LeClair.
Grade VII.—(Girls)—1. Patricia Gauthier and Hazel Dolron; 2. Theima Gallant; 3. Frances Dolron, Veida Blaquiere.
Grade VII.—(Boys)—1. Linus Dolron; 2. Robert Gallant and James Gallant; 3. Vernon Peters and Arliss Peters.
Grade VI.—1. Anita Johnston; 2. Rose Marie LeClair; 3. Phyllis Gallant.
Grade V.—1. Donald Gallant; 2. Norman Gallant; 3. Regis Peters.
Grade IV.—1. Lionel Gaudin; 2. Lionel Dolron; 3. Anne Gauthier.
Grade III.—1. Deborah Gallant, Frances Rose Gallant; 2. Amy Johnston; 3. Lloyd Buote.
Grade II.—1. Bonita Gallant; 2. Gloria Gallant and Aeneas Gallant; 3. Eileen Gauthier.

BUDGET FIGURES

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tion, trade, incomes and prices, and the unprecedented collections for the fiscal activity during 1950, which began to accelerate in April and May, and moved upward much more rapidly after the outbreak of hostilities in Korea." Direct taxes, including personal and corporate income taxes and succession duties, yielded \$267,000,000 more than in 1949-50. Indirect taxes, including all customs and excise, yielded \$201,000,000 more than in the previous year.

A record yield of \$800,000,000 from corporation income tax reflected in part the increase in corporate profits and in part the higher rates of tax imposed at the special session last September.

He recalled that in September he had estimated that Canada would spend in the fiscal year \$100,000,000 out of \$300,000,000 voted by Parliament to supply military equipment for Canada's own needs and for her North Atlantic allies.

"We now expect that when the accounts for the year are closed, they will show that we have made defence equipment, valued at \$198,000,000, available to our North Atlantic friends," said Mr. Abbott.

"In all, our defence expenditures increased by \$338,000,000 to a total of \$773,000,000. This

amount is more than double the total defence outlay for the preceding year and represents more than a quarter of all our expenditures for 1950-51."

Korean Situation

An end to the war in Korea is not yet in sight, said Mr. Abbott. "Indeed there are indications that the United Nations forces may shortly be facing a most severe test of strength," he added.

"The Korean situation is significant of even greater dangers. It indicates that Russia is prepared to take steps involving the risk of a general war. While the strength of the West is increasing, so also is Russian strength.

"In the months that lie ahead, perhaps indeed for several years, we shall face a test of nerves, of our readiness to sacrifice immediate interests for future security."

Mr. Abbott said he was basing his budgetary proposals on the assumption that the gross national product in 1951 will reach about \$200,000,000, an increase of about 12 per cent over 1950.

The gross national product is the value at market prices of all the goods and services produced in a year by Canadians. It has been climbing steadily since 1939 when it stood at a mere \$5,598,000,000.

He referred to the employment situation and said latest available statistics indicate there are

about 130,000 more persons employed than at the corresponding time a year ago. There are about 115,000 fewer persons seeking work.

"A manpower problem is likely to develop during the coming year," said Mr. Abbott. "It is not likely to take the form of a serious over-all labor shortage, but there is already a scarcity developing in certain types of skilled labor, and it seems probable that these shortages of particular kinds of skill will become widespread as defence production gathers momentum."

Foreign Trade

Turning to trade, he said that during 1950 there were a number of important changes in the pattern of Canada's foreign trade.

"Exports from Canada increased by about four per cent to a peacetime record of \$3,157,000,000," he said. "Since the price of our exports averaged about five per cent higher than in 1949 there was probably no increase in the volume of goods sold abroad.

"Imports on the other hand increased sharply in both volume and value. The total value of all merchandise imports in 1950 was \$3,174,000,000 or an increase of 15 per cent over 1949. It will be seen from these figures that we imported \$17,000,000 more than we exported. This, however, does not take account of our exports of \$162,000,000 of gold which are not included in our regular mer-

chandise trade statistics.

"Estimates of our balance of payments for 1950 indicate that we had a deficit on current account of about \$300,000,000 and a surplus on capital account of about \$900,000,000, yielding a net increase of about \$600,000,000 in our gold and United States dollar reserves."

The gold and dollar reserves totalled \$1,653,000,000 at March 31 compared with \$1,192,000,000 on the corresponding date of 1950.

Mr. Abbott reviewed the steps taken by the government and the Bank of Canada to combat inflation. The government's non-defence expenditures for 1951-52 would be about \$35,000,000 lower than last year despite an increase of more than 10 per cent in salary and wage levels, higher materials and construction costs and increases in such things as Family Allowances.

He reiterated the Government's view that direct controls would not be effective at this time in halting inflation.

"If we reach a point where we believe a much wider range of direct controls would be in the national interest we shall use them, but we are not prepared to embark on a premature program which under present conditions would, in our judgment, create more confusion than stability," he said.

Urges Economy

He called on provincial and

municipal governments to curtail non-essential capital and construction expenditures.

"Of the public at large, consumers and producers, farmers and merchants, businessmen and labor, I ask for restraint and good sense in all economic matter," said Mr. Abbott.

There was urgent need for a higher volume of new savings, to cover the increase in capital investment which is in prospect, inflation and the successful program to restrain the rising trend

in consumer spending.

"This is certainly one of the best ways of reducing the intensity of competition for the use of labor and materials, and so reducing the upward pressure on prices," he said.

"It is to the interest of every Canadian to make the maximum effort to save, or to increase the level of his saving, as a direct contribution to the avoidance of inflation and the successful prosecution of the defence program."

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