

### MONTANA GETS MANY CATTLE FROM CANADA

Border Customs Collections Show Largest Month in Many Years.

The customs office for the Montana and Idaho district did a larger business during September than any month in many years, according to J. W. Roberts, collector of customs.

There were two reasons for the great increase of business for the month over those of former times, according to Roberts. The impending tariff sent shippers hurrying to the border to beat the increased rates and also the dry season in the Alberta cattle country has sent large numbers south as feeders and for the market.

The receipts for the month are in excess of \$57,000, Roberts reported. This is much larger than the ordinary customs receipts of this district and were never exceeded unless perhaps it might have been many years ago, when the coal shipments over the border were much heavier.

**Many Trains of Stock**  
The collections were virtually all on cattle. Not only were many trainloads brought over the line, but also there were many large herds driven over at points where there are no railway connections, such as at Malta, Glasgow and other points. The district worst hit by a dry season was the cattle regions north of Calgary, although there was some lack of feed south of that point. Learning a lesson from the conditions resulting in Montana in the dry season of 1919, when many ranchers made the mistake of holding cattle through the winter and spent as much as they were worth for feed, the Canadians have not been backward in sending their cattle south.

The result was that, even though the new tariff had not been passed, the number of cattle coming south would have been large, although it would have been spread over a much longer shipping season, probably four or five weeks longer. Even with the increased custom rates, there will continue to be some cattle shipped south, Roberts said. An estimate on the number that had been shipped already could not be made.

**Mostly Feeders**  
"Although some of these shipments are to the market," Roberts reported, "the greater part of them are to Montana ranches as feeder stock. I believe that this is going to work to great benefit of the state. It will mean that this year, when we have lots of hay and a stock business that was greatly depleted, due to the hard times, will be built up much more rapidly than would otherwise be the case and a much steadier market offered for hay and fodder."

"Along the border has been felt the influx of the Canadian cattle. I believe that this movement is to greater advantage of the Canadian stockmen also, since to carry their stock through the winter without hay supplies would result in great losses."

### Sweetgrass Bank Enters Denial to C. B. Roberts Suit

A general denial of the allegations set forth in a \$114,000 damage suit filed in the district court here against her by C. B. Roberts against the First International bank of Sweetgrass was filed in an answer to the complaint by attorneys for the bank in district court Saturday.

It was alleged by Roberts in his complaint that the bank transferred certain property to him in Toole county which the bank did not hold the proper title to, which caused him a great deal of financial inconvenience.

Roberts is represented by the law firm of Norris, Hurd & Rhoades and the bank by Cooper, Stephenson & Hoover.

### County Asks Bids for Two Roads in Cascade County

Bids are being received by the board of county commissioners on two road construction jobs this week, to be opened Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Two miles of new county road are to be constructed southwest of Simms to connect the Simms road with the Lewis and Clark county road at the county line. Bridge work in this road will be done by the county.

Other road work open to public bid consists of about a mile and a half of grading and filling and installation of culverts on the Birdtail road, between Simms and Cascade.

### MARRIAGES LICENSES

Newton E. Congdon, 24, and Dorothy A. Stone, 22, both of Butte.  
Jesse J. Laraway, 39, and Mabel Titman, 26, both of Great Falls.

### B. P. O. E. NO. 214

Regular meeting and business of importance, Monday, Oct. 2, at 8 p. m. Visiting brothers fraternally welcome.  
CHAS. W. GREGG, E. R. CHAS. WEGNER, Sec'y.

### BIG DANCE!

Saturday night at Monarch.  
GOAL - ALL KINDS - GOAL  
City Coal Company, Phone 6922.  
FOR CHICK'S TAXI CALL 6161  
Instead of 4250.

### WHEAT SACKS

New 2-bushel regulation sacks. Phone 4135, Graham & Ross.

<b>Table Damask</b> —All pure linen table damask, heavy satin finish. New floral designs. 70 inches wide. Special, <b>\$2.95</b> yard.	<b>Pattern Cloth</b> —Irish linen grass bleached table cloth. Plain center and border. 72x72 ..... <b>\$9.00</b> 72x90 ..... <b>\$11.00</b> —22x22 napkins to match.	<b>Lunch Cloth</b> —Pure Irish linen damask lunch cloths. Hemstitched on four sides. 45x45 square. \$6.00 value. <b>\$4.75</b> Each.	<b>Linen Towels</b> —"Old bleach" towels. The sun and grass makes them beautifully smooth and absorbent. 20x36. Special, <b>\$1.48</b> Yard.	<b>Art Linen</b> —Bleached, all pure round thread linen for lunch cloth sets. 45 inches wide. \$2.50 value. <b>\$1.95</b> Yard.	<b>Asbestos Mats</b> —Flannel covered asbestos mats for hot dishes. Best quality. 6-inch, round, <b>18¢</b> 7-inch, round, <b>22¢</b> 9-inch, round, <b>25¢</b>	<b>Madeira Doilies</b> —Real hand embroidered Madeira doilies, all pure linen. 6-inch round scalloped. <b>25¢</b> Special, ea.	<b>Linen Sets</b> —Hemstitched lunch cloth. Pure linen damask, plain center and border. Sizes 45x45, 15x15, 1/2 doz. <b>\$9.75</b> napkins.	<b>Lunch Napkins</b> —Old bleached plain linen hemstitched lunch napkins. Round thread for embroidery work. Size 14x14 half dozen, <b>\$2.95</b> dozen.	<b>Glass Toweling</b> —All linen check glass toweling. Very absorbent. Will not lint. 18-inch. Special, <b>35¢</b> yard.
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## Scoring Another Ready-to-Wear Deal Introducing Fashionable Suits, Coats, Dresses

# \$55

Import copies from exclusive makers at much less than they usually would bring. Only the better materials and distinctive modes offered and every model is a real gem, **\$55** worthy of your consideration.

### You May Feel Sure of the Wisdom of Investing Now!

—It took a special effort on our part to get garments of this quality at a cost that would make possible this sale price.

—This sale will appeal to every woman who aspires to be exclusive, who treasures high quality garments at this popular price.

—Every new color, every new style theme is presented in each group.

—Not having space for adequate description, we assure you that each and every model would sell in a regular way from \$69.50 to \$75.00.

—There are a number of Princess tailored suits included. Most suits and coats are lavishly treated with fine furs.

—The dresses are lovely adaptations of noted costumers. Sizes in each group are up to 50.

**The Dress Goods Counter Presents Your Fall and Winter Wardrobe by the Yard.**

### Wool Canton Crepe

—Has proven to be one of the most popular weaves of the season. For dresses, blouses or skirts, either for children's wear or women's wear. 38 inches wide. May be had in brown, tan, henna, wall flower, jade, light gray, dark gray, green, tomato, wine, scarlet. Yard, **\$2.50**



**Plan to Be Here Monday in Anticipation of Unusual Values in Beautiful Weaves**

### Boulevard Corduroys

—36 inches wide. Splendid for children's wear as well as kimonos, robes, knickers, skirts, etc. Our stock is complete and you may select from brown, white, navy, beaver, gray, rose, purple, fuchsia, American Beauty, green, scarlet, tomato, Copen, sapphire, Pekin. Special, yard, **\$1.25**

## Our Big October Sale of Fine Silks and Woolens

The Annual Sale That Is Looked Upon as the Chief Autumn Event by the People of this Vicinity

—In this exhibition and sale the autumn fabrics shine in full splendor. Half their glory is in the colors and charm of texture, and the other half is in the exceptional values that are presented by this store. Every woman should plan her "new wardrobe" now and save big money.

—It's an incentive to make your own garments when it's a matter of economy to say nothing of the real joy of self made clothes.

—The merchandise offered in this sale is identical with that found in the most exclusive ready-to-wear.

### Silks Of Very Unusual Charm

—\$2.25 silk crepes in big color range. Special, yard, **\$1.79**

—\$3.50 crepe satin, highly lustrous. 40-inch. Special, yard, **\$2.20**

—\$5.50 Canton crepes. Brown, navy and white. Special, yard, **\$3.95**

—Crepe Romaine, for your better frock. Navy, black. Special, yard, **\$3.95**

—\$4.50 satins. Brown, black, navy, taupe. Special, yard, **\$2.25**

—Canton crepe in a dozen shades. Special, yard, **\$2.95**

—\$4.95 Paisley bordered crepes. Heavy silk and wool fabric. Yard, **\$3.85**

**\$3.75 Satin Francais, Yard, \$2.65**

—To the women who want strictly an all silk satin we offer satin Francais, the satin that will not rough. Has a beautiful luster. White, navy, Hague blue, maroon, myrtle, green, taupe, sapphire, coral, jadeite, seal brown and midnite.

### Mallinson's Silks

—Pussy willow taffeta. Midnite, tan, brown. Special, yard, **\$2.55**

—Molly-O crepe, satin faced quality. Navy, black. Special, yard, **\$5.50**

—Drapella. A beautiful soft crepe, trect or faille weave. Special, yard, **\$6.50**

—Molly o' Moiret. Lovley moiret Canton crepe satin. Black, navy. **\$6.50**

—Pussy willow. Shown in all pastel shades. Special, yard, **\$3.50**

—Checked chinchilla satin, wool krinkly crepe. Satin faced. Special, yard, **\$5.50**

—Thisldu. Pretty novelty silk and wool fabric. Special, yard, **\$5.50**

**Canton Satin, Yard \$3.75**

—A handsome crepe with a dull lustre on one side. The most popular weave of the season. A 39-inch silk priced reasonably. Your choice of black, dark brown, navy, midnite, oxheart, toast, fog and myrtle green.

### Richest Fall Woolens

—Acknowledged to be the most exclusive weaves, used in the distinctive suits, coats and dresses.

—"F. & H." striped cordine. For the woman who likes her formal tailored suit with a touch of individuality, striped cordine provides something correct and yet different. The chalk-line is just right in depth and spacings. Men's blue only. Per yard, **\$7.45**

—"F. & H." cordine. When one wants a wardrobe with its trim, clear-shorn surface and its suggestion of tailored smartness, no other type of fabric will satisfactorily take its place. Shown in men's only at, per yard, **\$7.45**

—"F. & H." piquette. A firm, supple material for the softer kind of tailored suit or dress. Has richness of a silk-drapes and shirts like Chinese crepe. In black, men's blue and brown at, per yard, **\$8.00**

—"F. & H." siltex, milanette. Thin firm, with unusual draping qualities. This fabric is the essence of fineness, the ultimate in workwear. Has a markedly silk effect. Shown in men's blue only at, per yard, **\$9.45**

—"F. & H." marvella. A most beautiful coating fabric. Short nap, close weave and a rich bloom. For the well-furred coat or suit of youthful type nothing can quite take its place. In black, navy, brown Sorrento blue at, per yard, **\$12.50**

### Woolens In Handsome Textures

—54-inch heather tweeds, in rich soft brown shade. Special, yard, **\$1.49**

—54-inch basket tweeds in oxford gray mixture. Special, yard, **\$1.49**

—54-inch brown suiting. A splendid quality worsted. Special, yard, **\$1.49**

—56-inch French serge. All wool. Brown, navy and black. Special, yard, **\$1.95**

—54-inch plaid back coating. Regular value, \$4.50. Special, yard, **\$2.95**

—54-inch duvet-de-laine, that soft, velvety like fabric. Special, yard, **\$3.50**

—54-inch moussyenne, the leading suit and coat fabric. Special, yard, **\$4.95**

**'Araby' the New Skirting**

—Something entirely different and good looking. Can be used not only as a skirt material, but in combination with the heavier type of silks like Canton crepe, etc. It is made in plaids, checks, stripes and combinations of all three. 54 inches wide, at **\$4.45** UP

### Handsome Coatings

—In short lengths from 2 yards to 3 1/4 yards each. These lengths consist only of the higher type of woolens, such as you find in ready made coats that sell from around \$65.00 and up to about \$175.00. If you want a good coat it will surely pay you to look these over.

**\$2.45 TO \$7.45**

