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Merry Christmas

Even in the rush and bustle of modern business there is one good old custom which we like to tollow-the extending at Christmastime of the "glad hand" to all of our friends and customers.

Times may change and many of the pleasant homely ways of our forefathers have, unfortunately, found their way into the discard, but so long as the world stands, long will Christmas remain the one great season of good will and good cheer.

So, we wish you, one and all, the merriest kind of a Christmas and a Good New Year that will make you wax large in prosperity

THE DEFICIT.

Allow me to make a correction in last week's communication. I stated that the electric light bonds were sold at I stated that ninety-eight when it should have been ninety-two, at which figure they were actually sold, I noticed that within a very few hours after THE ACADIAN appeared last week that men were busily engaged connecting the three lamps on Acadia St. to the switch. It pays to advertise in THE ACADIAN. I still notice that the street lights (those on the switch) burn for more than an hour after their light is of no use to pedestrians. Now it costs about fifty cents each day to sustain this waste and I am convinced that some reliable person should tend the switch for less than that.

Now since the weather and the state of my health have been much the same for the last week; I must confine my observations to the range of my periscope noticed our superintendent of streets with men and hose at work trying to clear out a defective bridge on Acadia Street on Saturday. The chairman of the street committee was there at the time and apparently concurred in the manner of procedure for he went away and the work proceeded as before. Now it is known to several that there is a as miners would say in this bridge and to try to wash that out with water does not appear much to the credit of a professor in engineering. The only caical way of making the bridge work able is to open up its entire length and lay a smooth bottom in it. But if he wants to know how to effect a temporary cure I will tell him. The same trouble was experienced with the bridge last year, when it stopped up and the water ran over, washing out the street several times. Earth of course had to be hauled to replace that washed away and so the waste proceeded and helped to swell the deficit. Now we thought when we elected a man to the council who was an engineer, that better directions would have been given to those in charge of carrying out instructions. Now I am not blaming the superintendent for this at all, the only fault about that officer is that his salary is too small. Now something effective should be done to these bridges on Acadia Street to prevent them from contin stopping up and ruining the good surface. C. M. G.

To Subscribers

In order in some measure to meet the greatly increased costs of production The Acadian must fall in line with the course adopted by nearly all papers throughout Canada by increasing its subscription price. The price of paper is a serious one, being today more than three times that of a year or two ago with no probability of any decrease for several years.

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L. DODGE Municipal Clerk

cent. on January 1st, over present prices. Leave your order with THE ACADIAN NOW for anything you may require in Don't forget that the price of THE ACADIAN will advance to \$2.00 on Jan. If you want some real nice Tally Cards save fifty cents

> ONE NIGHT ONLY DEC 31st.

Oddfellows' Night

OPERA HOUSE

THE PICTURE IS

MAY ALLISON

"WALK OFFS"

Five Big Acts of Vaudeville Between the Pictures

Mack Sennett Comedy

Orchestra Under the direction of DON CAMERON

Don't Forget the day, New Year's Eve Prices 35c. to all.

Tickets sold by members of Orpheus Lodge

GOOD THINGS FOR XMAS

Turkey Gerse Ducks

Chickens Fowls Steer Beef

Young Pork Lamb Sausage

Carrots **Potatoes** Squash **Parsnips** Cabbage Turnip Xmas

Stockings Cranberries

Moir's Bread. Moir's Sultana Cake. Moir's Plain Pound Cake

Candy 1

30 Different Mixtures, Animal Candy, Moir's Chocolates 80c lb., Pop Corn Balls, etc., etc.

Oranges

Navels, 50c to \$1.20 per dozen. Jamaicas, 60c. dezen Floridas, \$1.10 dozen.

Our Xmas goods must all go so if you are looking for snaps call around.

Now is the time to do your Christmas Cooking

New Raisins, Dates, Figs, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, Spices and Flavoring

Christmas Candies, Nuts and Fruits Iceing Sugar, Almond Paste

> Layer Table Raisins Fancy Biscuits and Grapes

Xmas orders taken now for Turkeys, Geese, Ducks and Poultry

Choice Beef, Lamb, Veal, Sausage, Pork, Hams and Bacon

PHONE 53.

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