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TAN RUBBER BOOTS

—For Children—



This season everything has a distinctly military style, even the rubber boots for children. We are now showing a range of Tan Rubber Boots for children and young girls that will surely be popular. They are of a rich brown color with a military shaped leg. This is just the kind of weather for them.

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King St. Union St.
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Molasses Cream Chewing Bar, Turkish Delight, Chicken Bones, Cocoa Comfits, Horehound Twist, Fruit Drops and many others now in stock. Just the right goods to brighten a dull season.

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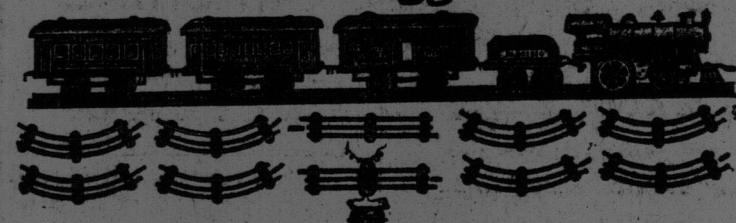
Santa Claus Land



A Vast Wealth of Play-time Novelties to Amuse and Instruct the Younger Ones. Toys, Dolls, Games in Almost Endless Variety

The Christmas spirit pervades every nook and corner of our Toy Department, in which we have assembled the largest and most widely varied array of Playthings we have ever shown, neither time nor effort having been spared to secure the latest and most popular novelties. But we can offer here only

A Few Suggestions



Miniature Railway System

Perfect masterpieces of the Toy-makers' art, operated by clockwork and electrical power, the various sets including Hills, Tunnels, Bridges, etc.

Clockwork Trains, including Engine, Tender, Baggage and Passenger Cars, at.....\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.25, \$5.50, \$6.75, \$8.50 and \$9.00

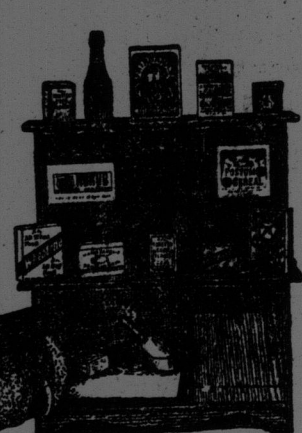
Electric Trains, at.....\$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.25, \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00

Hill Climbing and Tunnel Trains at.....\$5.00

Separate Bridges—Complete with tracks.....\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.50

Kiddies' Kitchen Cabinet

Exact reproductions of modern Kitchen Cabinet, beautifully finished in natural wood and fully equipped, at \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.00.



Children's Desks

These are strongly built and nicely finished in polished oak, white enamel and pine, many having chair to correspond.

Prices \$3.00, \$3.75, \$4.75, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

Games

In these we offer an almost limitless variety embracing the most recent productions of leading makers, the display including the famous Horse Race Game "MINORU"

Also—
Mechanical Toys, Rocking Horses, Toy Stores, Children's Dishes and Painting Boxes, Soldier Sets, Electric Motors, Traction Toys, Etc.

SEE OUR LOWER KING STREET WINDOW

W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd.
Market Square - King Street

MERCHANT FELT SURE STORE WAS ROBBED

He Got up, Dressed and Found \$3,100 Stolen—Cellar Window Bars Sawed—Job With "Can-opener" Followed

New York, Dec. 8.—Obeying an impulse prompted by a feeling that something was wrong in his store at No. 124 Lennox avenue, Andrew Geller, proprietor of a chain of shoe stores, got out of bed and went there early today. Entering he found that the safe had been broken open and \$3,100 in cash and a quantity of jewelry stolen.

With the exception of a "can opener" and a few other burglars' tools there was no clew on the premises to the burglars.

As Geller went inside the store he noticed that the safe, which usually stood near the door, was not in its place. Turning on all the lights he made a thorough search of the place and found the open safe in the rear, its broken door lying on the floor.

The cash drawer which had contained the money when the store was closed was lying on the floor empty. A further search led to the finding of a diamond ring, valued at about \$800 lying on the top of the safe. It is presumed that the burglars left it in their excitement at finding the money in the cash drawer.

CLEANSE THE BLOOD AND AVOID DISEASE

When your blood is impure, weak, thin and debilitated, your system becomes susceptible to any or all diseases. Put your blood in good condition. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts directly and peculiarly on the blood—it purifies, enriches and revitalizes it and builds up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has stood the test of forty years. Get it today. It is sure to help you.

finding the money in the cash drawer. The door in the cellar was swinging wide open, and this led to the discovery that the burglars had entered the premises by sawing their way through the iron bars outside a cellar window, entering the cellar and forcing open the door from the cellar to the store.

Running out of the store Geller found Patrolman Finnegan of West 124th Street and told him of the robbery. Finnegan communicated with his station and with the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau. Within a short while a half dozen detectives were on the scene, examining the safe and the tool in an effort to get finger prints or any other possible clew to the identity of the thieves.

The Reason:
"How is it one never forgets a love affair?"
"Because that is something one learns by heart."



Both Happy

No other gift so combines the temporary thrill of appreciation and long future years of useful service. And no other watch combines accuracy, beauty and value as does the Waltham.

There are Waltham Watches so exquisite that they are justified merely as jewelry—and there are others so strong and sturdy that Canadian soldiers are wearing them in the trenches. There are sizes, shapes and prices for everyone.

The word Waltham absolutely guarantees a watch—the word Christmas is of the highest import, and so we feel justified in saying in large type.

Waltham Watches for Christmas

Write for our booklet "Concerning a Time Piece."

Waltham Watch Company
Canada Life Bldg., St. James St., Montreal

Waltham Watches

We keep in stock at all times a complete line of the above watches, including the Ladies' Convertible Wrist Watch.

Ferguson & Page
King Street

Gundry's is Head-Quarters For Waltham Watches in St. John.

Christmas Gifts In Gold and Silver

From the many Gift Pieces contained in our sumptuous stock, you will find it easy to make selections that will ensure "Lasting Appreciation" from the recipients.

We have assembled an especially attractive showing for this season of all that goes to make up "A First-class Stock of Fine Gift Jewelry" and Silver Novelties, including Table and Toilet Silverware, and a long list of seasonable articles too numerous to mention.

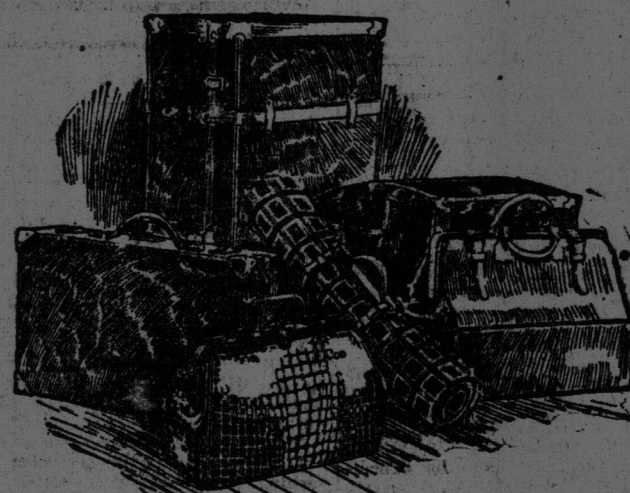
Early Selections Will be Cheerfully Reserved for Later Delivery.

Ferguson & Page
Diamond Importers and Jewelers - - King Street

Stores Open 8.30, Close 6 O'clock; Saturdays 10 p. m.

High-Grade Luggage FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

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HAND BAGS—The latest and most popular shapes in the newest grains of leather and provided with single or double handles.

SPLIT LEATHER HAND BAGS—Sizes 12 to 16.....Each \$1.50 to \$2.50

REAL GRAIN LEATHER HAND BAGS—Sizes 14 to 18.....Each \$4.00 to \$24.25

FANCY GRAIN LEATHER HAND BAGS—Sizes 14 to 20.....Each \$6.25 to \$21.50

SUIT CASES—Our Suit Cases are unsurpassed for convenience and service, and are shown in a great array of popular kinds.

LEATHERETTE SUIT CASES—Very like leather. Sizes 12 to 26.....Prices \$9.00 to \$34.00

ARTIFICIAL LEATHER SUIT CASES—Equal in appearance to real leather. Sizes 12 to 26 inches.....Prices \$10.00 to \$35.50

JAPANESE MATTING SUIT CASES—Light, neat and inexpensive. Sizes 22 to 36.....Prices \$3.00 to \$8.50

REAL LEATHER SUIT CASES—With or without outside straps. Sizes 18 to 26.....Prices \$4.25 to \$30.50

FITTED SUIT CASES AND HAND BAGS—With removable fittings for either lady or gentleman. Many styles and different leathers.....Prices \$18.50 to \$33.00

FITTED PADS for men or women's Suit Cases or Hand Bags.....Prices \$7.75 to \$10.00

ENGLISH FITTED ROLLS AND CASES are shown in great variety

LADIES' TOILET AND MANICURE CASES.....Prices \$1.50 to \$16.50

MEN'S SHAVING OR TOILET CASES, or both combined.....Prices \$2.50 to \$21.50

HAT TRUNKS AND CASES—Several sizes and grades for both men and women.....Prices \$6.25 to \$12.25

TRUNKS—These Trunks are made in St. John of the very best of materials by expert workmen, and are the best values in Canada.....Prices \$5.25 to \$20.00

STEAMER SIZES—32 to 40 inches.....Prices \$3.90 to \$23.75

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SIMPLIFIED INNOVATION WARDROBE TRUNKS—The most scientifically made and durable trunks ever constructed.....Prices \$33.00 to \$35.00

MOTOR TRAVELLING COMFORTS—Consisting of Tire Trunks, Suit Case Trunk, Robe Rail Bag, Fitted Lunch Baskets and Cases, Thermos Bottles, Drinking Cups, Goggles, Gloves, etc.

WOOL RUGS—In best imported makes, with fringed ends; plain colors, fancy plaids and real tartans. Prices \$1.75 to \$14.50

WATERPROOF RUGS.....Prices \$2.50 to \$10.75

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT

New Printed Marquisesettes and Voiles

These materials are in demand and would be very suitable for the making of Christmas Dresses, Blouses, Waists, etc. They are offered in all-white with Dresden figures; in mauve, light blue, Copenhagen and pink grounds with Dresden figures; also in daintily striped white grounds with mauve, blue and pink Dresden patterns; 36 inches wide.....Per yard 80c.

SILK DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

New Jordan Almonds

JUST RECEIVED—NEW JORDAN SHELLED ALMONDS

These are exceptionally large and of fine quality.....70c. pound
NEW BLANCHED ALMONDS.....70c. pound
NEW PISTACHIO NUTS.....\$1.25 pound

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Great Reductions On Thirty-Five Excellent Fall Costumes

TO CLEAR BEFORE XMAS.

The present mild weather is really costume weather but still we do not wish to carry any of these garments over.

A costume you buy now will only cost you a portion of what you would ordinarily pay.

We intend to dispose of about thirty-five of our best costumes at the following reductions in price:

An opportunity to secure fine tailored garments for Christmas gifts.

Russian Green Gaberdine—Sizes 36, 38. Price \$37.50.....Sale \$24.50
Black Hairline—Sizes 36, 38. Price \$37.50.....Sale \$24.50
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Green Poplin—Sizes 34, 38. Price \$32.50.....Sale \$19.50
Navy Broadcloth—Sizes 18, 36. Price \$37.50.....Sale \$24.50
Plum Broad, Fur Trimmed—Size 36. Price \$60.00.....Sale \$35.00
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Black and White Worsteds—Size 34. Price \$35.00.....Sale \$22.50
Navy Gaberdine—Sizes 16, 18. Price \$35.00.....Sale \$22.50
Brown Poplin—Size 16. Price \$25.00.....Sale \$15.00
Grey Worsteds—Sizes 36, 38. Price \$23.50.....Sale \$14.00
Navy Broadcloth—Sizes 36, 38. Price \$30.00.....Sale \$19.50
Navy Serge—Sizes 16, 34. Price \$20.00.....Sale \$12.90
Heather Tweeds—Sizes 36, 40. Price \$23.50.....Sale \$13.90
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