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## WHY WORRY?

This is TRAPNELL'S list of things suitable for CHRISTMAS GIFTS. Read it over, make your notes, then call and see the goods. Quality good and prices reasonable.

- Gold Watches
- Gold Filled Watches
- Silver Watches
- Gunmetal Watches
- Nickel Watches
- Bracelet Watches
- Gold Alberts
- Gold F. Fobs
- Gold Mounted Silk Fobs
- Locketts
- Pendant Chains
- Brooches
- Brooches
- Bracelets
- Belt Buckles
- Grav Ring Links
- Signet Rings
- Guard Rings
- Chased Rings
- Birthstone Rings
- Large Pins
- Lorgnette Charms
- Necklets
- Pendant Chains
- Stick Pins
- Safety Pins
- Baby Pins
- Scarf Pins
- Blouse Pins
- Stock Pins
- Belt Pins
- Crosses
- Chatelains
- Fountain Pens
- Silver Pen Holders
- Silver Pencils
- Fancy Pens
- Gold Cuff Links
- Gold Filled Cuff Links
- Silver Cuff Links
- Labradorite Cuff Links
- Eyeglass Chains
- Automatic Eyeglass Holders
- Collage Pins
- Hair Pins
- Back Combs
- Key Rings
- Key Chains
- Shaving Sets
- Shaving Mirrors
- Silver Handled Razors
- Razor Straps
- Shaving Brushes
- Shaving Mugs
- Shaving Paper
- Soap Boxes
- Cigarette Cases
- Silver Cigar Cases
- Gunmetal Cigar Cases
- Leather Cigar Cases
- Cigar Cutters
- Ladies Silver Card Cases
- Ladies Leather Card Cases
- Silver Photo Frames
- Gilt Photo Frames
- Pungents
- Silver Backed Brushes
- Silver Backed Mirrors
- Silver Backed Combs
- Glove Stretchers
- Combs
- Shoe Horns
- Tooth Brushes
- Nail Files
- Tweezers
- Scissors
- Cold Cream Boxes
- Puff Boxes
- Tooth Powder Boxes
- Nail Polishers
- Parts Boxes
- Vaseline Boxes
- Ointment Boxes
- Glove Button Hooks
- Boot Button Hooks
- Toilet Bottles
- Perfume Sets
- Dressing Cases
- Darners
- Marmalade Jars
- Candle Sticks
- Pen Wipers
- Seals
- Napkin Rings
- Paper Knives
- Pencil Cases

And many other things. Don't put off making your selection till the big rush. DO IT NOW.

**TRAPNELL'S IS YOUR PLACE.**

**JUST RECEIVED:**  
**CUBE SUGAR, in 1-2 cwt. cases.**  
Granulated Sugar, in 2, 1 and 1-2 cwt. sax.  
**Rice, in 1 cwt., 2 cwt., 14 lb. bags.**  
**SAMSON CEMENT.**  
**LOWEST PRICES.**  
**A. H. MURRAY.**

**Fresh Fruit for Christmas**  
By recent arrivals:  
300 brls Choice Red Apples, 100 cases Valencia Oranges, 20 cases Large Lemons, 50 cases Fresh Eggs.  
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**Edwin Murray**  
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Merry Christmas to all.  
Big Farce Comedy Xmas Week.

Matinee Daily at 2 p.m. During the Holidays.

**CHRISTMAS DAY:**  
1st Show ..... 1.30  
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**NIGHT SHOWS:**  
1st Show ..... 6.30  
2nd Show ..... 8.00  
3rd Show ..... 9.30

Prices as usual.

Many a Xmas and a Healthy New Year from the **Prussian Oil Med. Co.**

You can't help being Merry and Happy with **Prussian Oil** in the house. This year, next year and every year use it and prove it. Sold everywhere.

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Fresh New York Turkeys,  
Fresh New York Chicken,  
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Scotch Beef Ham,  
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**Fresh Oysters.**

American Parsnips,  
American Carrots,  
Etruscan Sprouts,  
Fresh Tomatoes,  
New Celery,  
Sweet Potatoes.

**Kipperd Herring.**

Ripe Bananas,  
Dessert Apples,  
Pineapples,  
Red and Purple Grapes,  
Almeria Grapes,  
Bartlett Pears,  
Tangerine Oranges,  
Florida Oranges,  
Palermo Lemons.

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**POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.**

**Reduction of Fifty per cent to Great Britain.**

On and after January 1st, 1912, the Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs will transmit, subject to the conditions of acceptance, messages written in plain language at a reduction of 50 per cent. from the charges for an ordinary message.

The message must be written in French, or in the language of the country of origin, or in the language of the country of destination. The sender must declare which of these languages is used. The sender must write before the address and pay the charge on one word for the letters L, O, C, or L.C.D. according to his declaration. This is a stipulation of the European Governments, and of the Postmaster General of Great Britain.

The message must have an address and a text; a signature is optional with the sender, but we will not be able to make unpaid enquiries about the senders of unsigned messages.

The address may be visible address; house and street numbers may be expressed in figures.

The text must be written entirely in plain language without figures, commercial marks, groups of letters, abbreviations or mutilations. Numbers except in the address must be written in words. Genuine words, spelled according to established usage with not more than fifteen letters, will be charged as single words.

Messages written in the manner prescribed will be counted and charged according to the International Regulations.

The messages will not be subject to artificial delay in transmission or delivery; their transmission will only be delayed until full rate messages have been despatched, and not more than twenty-four hours.

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Registered addresses admitted and recommended.

Until further notice only messages for Great Britain and Ireland can be transmitted at the reduced rate, but it is hoped to announce extensions to other countries shortly.

**DAVID STOTT,** Superintendent.  
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FOR A GENTLEMAN.

**GILLETTE RAZORS,**

The one and only first class SAFETY RAZOR.

Standard, Nickel Plated case, Triple Plated Razor and 12 Blades, \$5.00.  
Pocket Metal Cases with Triple Plated Razor and 12 Blades, \$5.00 to \$5.50.  
Combination Set—Triple Plated Razor, Shaving Brush, Soap and 12 Blades, in Nickel Plated Box, \$6.50.  
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Feeds of all kinds, including OATS, are very high and likely to go higher. Why not save money and improve your animals at the same time by using

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It is by a long way the cheapest food on the market, used in England by all kinds of stock owners, from H. M. the King downwards. The General Omnibus Co., of London, has used 70,000 sacks of it. One Farmers Association has used no less than 20,000 sacks of it.

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