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**Raisins, Currants.**  
**CLUSTER RAISINS** 6 Crown, 3-lb. and 22-lb. boxes.  
**VALENCIA RAISINS**—4 Crown Layers, 24-lb. boxes. Finest Off Stalk, 28-lb. boxes. Fine Off Stalk, 28-lb. boxes.  
**SEEDED RAISINS**—36-lb. boxes, 16 oz. packages.  
**CURRENTS**—56 1-lb. cartons, 56-lb. boxes, loose.  
**LOWEST PRICES—WHOLESALE.**  
**ON SPOT AND TO ARRIVE.**  
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**Evening Telegram**  
 W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor  
 W. F. LLOYD, - - - Editor  
 THURSDAY, Nov. 28, 1912.

**How It Affects The Homes.**  
 Editor Lawton in complaining of the lack on the part of the Government of any well defined agricultural policy declares: "What we need is a policy which can be brought into the homes of every family in the country."  
 This rule is an admirable one and can be used as a touchstone to try policies generally. For after all the value of a policy is its effect, directly or indirectly, on the life of a community, or in other words, Will it benefit the homes of the people generally?

For instance, it affords a means of testing the value of the policy pursued by the Tory Party during the period which has elapsed since Sir Edward Morris was called upon by Governor MacGregor to form an administration.

Those who had faith in Sir Edward's manifesto must have been grievously disappointed with the way his administration has carried out his pledges. For, be it remembered, he said: "Under the banner of the People's Party the whole of the industrial classes of the Colony—the Fishermen, the Farmers, the Mechanics, the Labourers, the Clerks, and all who work for a living will find a rallying point where all who wish to see their country advance may join together to work for the common good."

The Fisherman, the Farmer, the Mechanic, the Labourer, the Clerk and all who work for a living have had four years of it, and they and their wives know full well how the Morris policy is affecting their homes.

They hear of enormous sums being spent on railway building. They see extravagance everywhere. They read of new Government jobs being created, big contracts entered into, fat fees paid, picnics provided, willful waste is staring them in the face everywhere. Careful and economic expenditure is disappearing from the ken of public administration.

The homes of the people are suffering for it. It takes more to keep up the homes to-day than it ever did. The promise to reduce taxation and make the lives of the people easier has not been kept. There is a lot of talk of fighting consumption and yet the people find their own efforts handicapped by an extraordinary rise in the price of milk.

Sir Edward Morris promised to cheapen the price of coal, and to-day we have soft coal and hard coal at prices higher than have ever been known in the history of the Colony.

**Apples and Oranges.**  
 200 barrels Wagners.  
 100 barrels Kings.  
 20 barrels Jamaica Oranges.  
 Just landed.  
**GEO. NEAL.**  
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**Cable News.**  
 Special Evening Telegram. LONDON, Nov. 27.  
 Stumbling blocks in the way of an agreement being reached between the envoys of Turkey and Bulgaria, who are now discussing peace terms near the Tchatalja lines, remain very real. The Turks appear to show little disposition to submit to preposterous terms. Negotiations are likely to continue for several days. The French assertion that Austro-Hungary is inciting the Ottoman Government to prolong the war is described in a semi-official communication, issued at Vienna, as a malicious invention, circulated with the object of injuring Austro-Hungary in the eyes of the Balkan people.

**Special Evening Telegram.** BERLIN, Nov. 27.  
 Provision against the possibility of an outbreak of war will be made by the German Government, according to the Socialist paper, *Neue Zeitung*. Discussing the new budget, it points out that an amount of \$1,500,000, entered as for general financial administration is really intended to pay for the enormous reserve stocks of clothing and provisions for men and beast, which the Army and Navy have accumulated against a possible outbreak. If this conclusion is correct, it increases the war budget to \$45,750,000, instead of \$14,250,000, as previously announced.

**Special Evening Telegram.** MUSTAPHA PASHA, Nov. 27.  
 Fire, famine, and flood afflict the beleaguered forces at Adrianople, according to reports brought here by fugitives from that city. Those who have managed to escape through the lines of investment, which are being drawn closer every day, declare that the buildings in the vicinity of the Selim Mosque are on fire. In other districts the city is deeply inundated with water, by the rivers Maritza, Tunga and Arda, which have overflowed their banks. The civilian population is declared to be short of food, and among some classes a state approaching anarchy exists.

**Special Evening Telegram.** FRANKFORT-ON-THAINE, Nov. 27.  
 Austro-Hungarian subjects residing here, who belong to the Army Reserve, have all received orders to report to their regiments. Money has been sent to pay their railroad fares to the frontier. Similar orders have been received in the mining districts of the twin-Kingdom.

**Special Evening Telegram.** LONDON, Nov. 27.  
 The report is again circulating in Sofia, that Turkey desires to enter into the Balkan Federation. It is asserted that she has already made advances in this direction, in the way of proposals to the allied Balkan states.

**Marine Notes.**  
 The s.s. Durango is due here the latter part of the week from London. The schr. Anna Belle cleared from brigus yesterday for Gloucester with 538 qtls. of fish.  
 The s.s. Florence is now due here from Liverpool.  
 The s.s. Stephan will arrive here about 9 o'clock to-night.

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**Ayre's Bread**  
**SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.**  
**NO NEED TO LABEL IT.**

**Cable News.**  
 Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, To-day.  
 The danger of re-opening hostilities however, is still serious. Apparently only an informal armistice of forty eight hours has been agreed on. It is reported the Bulgarian forces are already moving closer to the Tchatalja lines and are entrenching themselves in readiness. The Turks have an army of more than 100,000 and soon will have 130,000 for the most part fresh picked troops behind the lines. It is certain they will give a good account of themselves, if fighting is resumed. Under these circumstances with Adrianople and Scutari still holding out, Turkey is likely to show a very unyielding attitude in peace negotiations. The report that the Servians have reached Durazzo appears to be premature. A wireless dispatch brings the interesting news that Albanian independence has been proclaimed there. The Turkish Governor is preparing to leave that town, accepting without opposition the new regime. To an autonomous Albanian the greatest weight will be attached by the diplomatic world. Britain and Germany are now acting in cordial co-operation on the basis of postponing all side issues until after the war settlement. A reassuring statement also comes from St. Petersburg that Russia and Austria do not desire to fight over a port in the Adriatic.

**LONDON, To-day.**  
 Sir Edward Henry, Chief Commissioner of London Metropolitan Police was shot and dangerously wounded last night by a taxicab driver, named Lowers, for an alleged grievance. Henry may recover.

**Court of Revision!**  
**VACANT LANDS, 1912.**  
 A Court of Revision will be held before the undersigned, who have been appointed by His Excellency the Governor in Council, to revise the Appraisement of Vacant Lands for St. John's, made under Section 122 of The St. John's Municipal Act, 1902, 'ap. 6, 2 Edward VII.  
 Such Court will be held in the Municipal Offices, City Hall, Duckworth Street, during all the month of December next, between the hours of 12.30 p.m. and 2 p.m. every lawful day.  
 C. O'N. CONROY,  
 JOHN R. BENNETT,  
 Appraisers.  
 November 27th, 1912. 61.

**Court of Revision!**  
**PRELIMINARY APPRAISEMENT, 1912.**  
 A Court of Revision will be held before the undersigned, who have been appointed by His Excellency the Governor in Council, to revise the Appraisement of Property for St. John's, made during the present year.  
 Such Court will be held in the Municipal Offices, City Hall, Duckworth Street, during all the month of December next, between the hours of 12.30 p.m. and 2 p.m. every lawful day.  
 C. O'N. CONROY,  
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**TO-DAY**  
**Fresh Partridge,**  
**Fresh Venison,**  
 In Abundance.  
 Both are in the pink of condition.  
**Prices Low.**  
  
**Telephone 191.**  
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 Nicholson's Files have, can and will stand satisfactory both in working and wearing.  
**STANLEY PLANES.**  
**Planes** WOOD, HAND, JACK, JOINTER.  
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**SLEEVE & RATCHET.**  
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**EVERYBODY'S Store.**  
 A STORE OF GOOD GOODS AND LOW PRICES.  
**Friday BARGAINS.**

We have selected a few especially desirable items for this week's Friday Bargains. We have marked these with prices which will bring every value-knowing customer here early Friday morning.

<b>CHILDREN'S COATS.</b> With Bonnets to Match. Colors Cardinal, Blue and Saxe. Prices \$3.00 to \$4.50.	<b>LADIES' COATS.</b> The balance of our lot we sold at \$4.50 and \$6.00, and now selling at \$3.79.	<b>MEN'S WOOLEN UNDERWEAR.</b> Regular \$1.20. Now . . . \$1.00 Regular \$1.40. Now . . . \$1.20
<b>WHITE BEAR COATS,</b> to fit 2 to 5 years old. Prices \$2.20 to \$3.00	<b>GIRLS' NAVY BLUE SAILOR DRESSES.</b> Prices 85c. to \$3.50.	<b>MEN'S SOFT COLLARS.</b> 3 for 50c.
<b>CHILDREN'S FLEECE RIBBED VESTS &amp; PANTS.</b> Winter weight garment; sizes 16 to 34. Prices starting at 17c. garment.	<b>GIRLS' NAVY BLUE PLEATED SKIRTS.</b> Prices 70c. to \$1.90.	<b>MEN'S MUFFLERS.</b> Phenix Shape. From 17c. to 60c.
<b>LADIES' WHITE FLEECE LINED VESTS &amp; PANTS.</b> Having struck another lot of Ladies' Underclothing, we have decided to give our customers the advantage of our lucky purchase. Regular 40c. Now . . . 30c. Regular 50c. Now . . . 40c. Regular 70c. Now . . . 60c. Regular 80c. Now . . . 69c.	<b>LADIES' WHITE FLEECE LINED VESTS &amp; PANTS.</b> Having struck another lot of Ladies' Underclothing, we have decided to give our customers the advantage of our lucky purchase. Regular 40c. Now . . . 30c. Regular 50c. Now . . . 40c. Regular 70c. Now . . . 60c. Regular 80c. Now . . . 69c.	<b>BOYS' FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR.</b> Sizes 20 to 34. Starting at 22c. garment.
<b>ENGLISH JOB ROOM PAPERS</b> . . . . . 6c. to 10c. a piece <b>AMERICAN JOB ROOM PAPERS</b> . . . . . 10c., 15c. and 20c. a piece <b>COTTON BLANKETS</b> . . . . . 39c. a pair <b>TABLE OIL CLOTH.</b> Reg. 25c. yard. Now . . . 18c. yard <b>FLOOR CANVAS.</b> Reg. 65c. for . . . . . 50c. yard	<b>MEN'S KNITTED TOP SHIRTS.</b> Regular 70c. Now . . . 55c.	<b>LADIES' JOB BACK COMBS.</b> Worth 20c. to 40c. each, for 10c. each. <b>SIDE COMBS.</b> Worth 15c. to 25c. set for 8c. set.

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 Royal Household Flour, Five Roses Flour, Windsor Patent Flour, Verbena Flour, Lakewood Flour, Ceres Flour, American Beauty Flour.  
 Ham Butt, Fat Back and Heavy Mess Pork, Boneless and Plate Beef.  
 Puncheons, Tierces and Brls. Molasses.  
 Cases and Brls. Kero Oil, Oats, Bran, Cattle Feed and Corn Meal.  
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 You can depend on it.  
 A large selection of Perfume and Toilet Soap. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday . . . . . 30c.  
 14 boxes of "Star" is a perfect toilet soap, highly perfumed. Reg. 70c. pair. Friday . . . . . 50c.  
 7 doz. of the elegant, delicately perfumed, "Lily" . . . . . 40c.  
 A useful emollient skin. Special, Friday . . . . . 25c.

**Interesting**  
 "Many a man's life is made up of many small things."  
**LADIES' GLOVES.**  
 240 pairs Ladies' Gloves, made in Sweden, 2 dome fastenings, Reg. 40c. pair. Friday . . . . . 30c.  
**CHILDREN'S CAPOTTES.**  
 A large assortment of more Gloves in all the latest colors, 2 dome fastenings, Reg. 25c. pair. Friday . . . . . 20c.  
**LADIES' APPAREL.**  
 15 doz. only White . . . . . 50c. each. Friday . . . . . 40c.  
**INFANTS' PINAFORE.**  
 A nice collection of Muslin Pinafores, some trimmed with frills, others Swiss. Length 18 to 22 ins. Reg. 30c. each. Friday . . . . . 25c.

**Unusual Walkers**  
 Here are some quoted in Reliable Footwear.  


**BEST QUALITY**  
 Good Silverpeel Onions 10 lbs. for . . . . .  
 Large bottles Syrup, flavoured, Reg. 25c. bottle for . . . . .  
 Rolled Oats, 7 lbs for . . . . .  
 Evaporated Peas and Beans, Reg. 15c. lb. for . . . . .  
 Bird's Crystal Jelly, Special, 2 packets for . . . . .  
 Durkee's Salad Dressing, Reg. 35c. bot. for . . . . .

**Words of Wisdom**  
 You will serve best by doing what is possible.

The Fogata left Musgrave Harbor at 3.25 p.m. yesterday.  
 The s.s. Euphrates left for Bell Island to-day with a full freight.  
 The schr. pinaway is loading fish at Monroe & Co's. for Oporto.