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F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

### REAL ESTATE

**FOR SALE—TWO FAMILY HOUSE** on Rotherham Ave., all modern improvements, \$8,000 down. Apply Box 2, 80, Times. 18398-1-10

**FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS.** Self-contained, 10 DeMouls street, West. All modern conveniences and completely equipped with storm doors and windows, also screen doors and windows. Lot 41 x 100, S. M. Wetmore, 31 Water street. 18414-1-12

**TO LET OR FOR SALE—BRAND NEW** two-story house, West St. John, five bedrooms, bath, living room, dining room, kitchen, roof cellar and yard. Every room bright and cheerful. Lovely view of harbor. Good neighborhood. Immediate possession. T. H. Bullock, 40 City Hall. 18414-1-12

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### FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD

**FOR SALE—MAHOAGANY BED-** room set, 5 Dining Chairs, good as new. Main 20-41. 18414-1-8

**FOR SALE—ROUND DINING** Table, Six Oak Chairs, 202 Waterloo, top floor. 18414-1-8

### FOR SALE—VULCAN GAS RANGE

Apply to Mrs. Vassie, 197 George St. 18397-1-10

**FOR SALE—EARLY ENGLISH** Couch, Hall Seat and Morris Chair, Spanish leather. Call 4613. 18404-1-8

**PRIVATE SALE, 170 QUEEN ST.** Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Dining Table, Parlor Table, Divan, Squares, Fur Coat. 18397-1-8

**FOR SALE—NEW PERFECTION** Oil Water Heater, 1 Kitchen Range. Telephone M 882. 18371-1-8

### FALLING PRICES

(Ottawa Journal.)

In connection with reports that housekeepers have found little or no reduction recently in prices of food a prominent wholesale firm of Toronto sends to the Globe a statement showing the prices charged by it on December 30 for staple groceries as compared with the prices it charged in July:

	July.	Present.
Sugar, per 100 lbs.	\$24.71	\$10.71
Rice, blue rice, lb.	18	1.10
Peanut oil, 5 gal.	2.00	1.47 1-2
Corn, doz.	1.80	1.40
Tomatoes, doz.	2.00	1.45
Syrup, 2 1/2 gal.	6.70	5.55
Soup, per 100 cans	10.00	8.50
Cornstarch, lb.	14	11 1-2
Canada, laundry, lb.	12 1-4	10 3-4
Tapioea, lb.	13	10 3-4
Sago, lb.	12	10 3-4
Shelled walnuts, lb.	65	45
Split peas, lb.	65	45 3-4
Rolls oats, bag.	6.25	5.70
Cornmeal, lb.	65 3-4	50 3-5
Pot barley, lb.	65	45
Pearl barley, lb.	65	45 1-2
Black pepper, lb.	40	25
Shelled almonds, lb.	65	45
Pekoe tea, lb.	40	25

"You will see from this," writes the Toronto wholesale firm, "that there has been a considerable decline in the price of staple groceries," but, remarks the Globe, "it is questionable whether housekeepers have received the full benefit of the decline. Consumers might satisfy themselves on this point by comparing the statement with the prices actually charged to them."

A drop in the wholesale price of any commodity is not always followed immediately by a drop in the retail price. Some time is requisite for the retailers to change a statement showing the price of something from a wholesaler may have considerable effect in remaining while the wholesale price is cut. The cut does not help the retailer; he still has to dispose of part of the goods bought at the previous higher wholesale price. This is the case with even the rapidly-selling goods of a grocer or fruiterer; it is far more the case with the goods of the departmental store or the retail clothier or hardware man or dealer in boots and shoes, and many other classes of retail business.

Timothy P. Smith, aged 86, of Berkeley, Cal., and his brother, Dr. Dwight Smith, aged 83, of New York city, are enjoying a reunion in Berkeley after a separation of 70 years. They ate Christmas dinner together for the first time since 1850, when in their boyhood home in Massachusetts. Early the following year Timothy set out for California with a "prairie schooner."

### FOR SALE—GENERAL

**FOR SALE—UPRIGHT PIANO** in good condition. Write Box 2, 46, Times. 18376-1-14

**FOR SALE—FIRST QUALITY** Loose Hay, Straw for bedding. Phone West 898-45. 18399-1-14

**FOR SALE—BABY CARRIAGE** used only few months. Phone Main 2706-11. 18320-1-10

**FOR SALE—25 CHAIRS** in good condition, suitable for public hall or residence. For full particulars address P. O. Box 100. 18393-1-13

**FOR SALE—BOSTON BULL PUPS**, 234 City Road. 18393-1-13

**FOR SALE—WICKER BABY CARRIAGE**, 299-11. 18392-1-8

**FOR SALE—CANARY BIRDS**, First Class Yorkshires, Yellow and Green, Gold and Cinnamon, and Hearts Mountain Songsters, 107 Simonds street. 18398-1-12

**FOR SALE—SARDINE WEIR**, Government License 33 yearly. Apply Oscar King, St. John West, N. B. 18321-1-11

**FOR SALE—NO. 1 TIMOTHY HAY** and Straw. Phone West 140-11. 18363-1-11

**FOR SALE—SOOT REMOVER**, Watts' Magic Soot Eater, wholesale from H. W. Cole, Ltd. Retail, Duval's, Wason's, all good stores. 18334-2-5

**FOR SALE—ALL UNCALLED FOR** Suits and Overcoats from our 30 branches throughout Canada will be sold at \$14.00 cash. Old vests, \$1.50. Old trousers, \$3.45. In many cases this price is less than 1-3 their actual value. Merchants buy these goods for re-sale to their customers. Wise men buy 2 or 3 suits and an overcoat at this price. For sale at 28 Charlotte street, English & Scotch Woollen Co. 18175-1-31

### AUTOS FOR SALE

**FOR SALE—WELL EQUIPPED** automobile repair business for sale; good location, reasonable rent. Y 96, Times. 18172-1-8

**ALWAYS A FEW GOOD USED** Cars which we sell at what they cost us after thorough overhauling. Payment one-half cash, balance spread over six months. Victory Garage & Supply Co., 92 Duke street. Phone Main 4100. 11-29 T.F.

### HORSES, ETC.

**FOR SALE—JUMP SEAT ASH** Pungs, Delivery Sleds, Winter Coaches, greatly reduced. Get prices. Edgcombe's, City Road. 18131-1-13

### BUSINESS DROPS ON WESTERN RAILROADS

December Loadings Poorest in Recent Months—Economies Advised by Chief Executives.

Chicago, Jan. 6. — Heavy losses in traffic necessitates economy in every branch of railroad operation, and this is being urged by leading traffic officials. There has been considerable retrenchment and more is expected. The Burlington and Pennsylvania Railroads continue to lay off men. In the Pullman shops 9,000 workers have been offered to accept 20 per cent reduction in wages so that car building may be stimulated, yet railroads are not buying cars to any extent. No trouble is experienced in securing all the help for shop and general repairs, and there is less disposition on the part of the railroads to rush new work. All kinds of freight cars are being returned by the railroads to reduce expenditures, and most of them are under construction, so that there is plenty of room or repair work were the roads disposed to reduce the percentage of bad vehicles. A majority of the roads this is about normal, and ranges from 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 per cent. All roads are getting an increased car mileage per day, and the latter is now the best within a year.

The heavy reduction in traffic has more than offset the increased freight rates granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission, decreasing 12 per cent, the Northwestern lost over 15 per cent, the Burlington almost 5 per cent, the Rock Island 7.5 per cent, and the Santa Fe 7 per cent. The St. Paul also shows a decrease.

On Christmas Day Miss Laura Gilbert of Pottstown, Penna., rounded out thirty-five years without having missed a single session of her Sunday school.

### AUCTIONS

**F. L. POTTS, Real Estate Broker, Appraiser and Auctioneer.**

If you have real estate for sale, consult us. Highest prices obtained for real estate. Office and Salesroom 96 Germain Street.

**WEBBER**

I am now prepared to accept any sales: Household furniture, stocks, real estate, etc. Consult me. Expert work guaranteed. If work not satisfactory no charge will be made. Phone Main 2307. I. WEBBER, Auctioneer T.F.

**WEBBER**

I am instructed to sell at Public Auction 123 Brunsell street, 10 DeMouls street, and Monday nights, Jan. 7, 8, 9, 10, at 7.30, large stock of dry goods consisting of ladies' silk underskirts, all colors; silks of all colors; ladies' flannel night gowns, underwear, ladies' and children's hosiery, all kinds; children's dresses, cloth dress goods, children's sets scarf and caps, shaker blankets, sweaters of all kinds, Infants-Delight Soap, men's and ladies' combinations, shaker flannel, white cotton print, curtains and goods of all kinds. I. WEBBER, Auctioneer. 18343-1-11

### FIRE HORSES

2 High Grade Heavy Horses, sold only on account of City changing to motor service. BY AUCTION.

I am instructed by John Thompson, Esq., Commissioner of Public Safety to sell by public auction on Market Square on Saturday morning the 8th inst., at 1 o'clock, 2 fine horses. This is an opportunity to persons requiring a horse to buy one of the best.

F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**POTTS**

I am instructed to sell at store No. 559 Main St., on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday evenings the 8th, 10th and 11th inst., at 7.30 o'clock the 3,000 stock of dry goods, ladies' and children's wear.

### TO PURCHASE

**WANTED—GOOD SECOND HAND** Flat Top Office Desk; also chair. Box 2, 26, Times. 18322-1-10

**WANTED—TO PURCHASE PAYING** Business in city, price from \$1,000 to \$4,000. Give situation and particulars. Apply Box 23, Times. 18322-1-10

**WANTED—TO PURCHASE EXTENSION** Ladder thirty feet long. 4469-21. 18343-1-8

**WANTED—MAIN STREET PROPERTY** I am looking to buy a store property on Main street, the lower end preferred. Apply Box 2, 23, Times. 18379-1-12

### ROOMS AND BOARDING

**WANTED—BOARDERS, PRIVATE** family, central. Box 2, 22, Times. 18408-1-10

**BOARDERS WANTED, 173 CHAR-** lotte. 18354-1-11

**WANTED—YOUNG MAN WOULD** like board, private family, piano. Box Y 94, Times. 18195-1-8

**WANTED—BOARDERS, 269 GER-** main street. 18138-1-8

**TO LET—BEDROOM AND SITTING** Room in beautifully situated house. Phone 4425-31. 18361-1-8

**\$10 REWARD TO ANY ONE WHO** can give information as to where a suitable furnished apartment could be obtained. Address Box 2, 23, Times.

**IF YOU WANT AN EXPERIENCED** Piano Teacher ring Main 1103-31. 18303-1-8

### OIL BURNING SHIPS

**FACE ADDED DANGER** (New York Evening Post)

That oil-burning vessels face the danger of running out of fuel while at sea, was demonstrated when the Kroonland of the Red Star Line arrived here last Thursday, three days late from Antwerp, with only about twenty-five tons of oil left in her tanks. This amount was so small that the captain of the ship requested by wireless that tugs be sent to meet him at the entrance of New York Bay to tow him to the pier.

From the time that she was 300 miles from the mouth of the English Channel the Kroonland encountered heavy winds and high head seas, the worst of which was met on December 27, when she made only 120 nautical miles. The next day the fuel situation became serious and captain had the choice of reducing speed and saving fuel so that he could make New York or running for Boston and refueling there. He decided on the former course.

At the office of the line it was said that an oil-burning ship was more likely to run out of fuel than a coal burner for several reasons. The chief of these is that when a ship leaves this country she cannot carry enough oil for the round trip. Before starting the return voyage only just enough oil is put on board to carry the ship to America, and it is about \$50 a ton more expensive in Europe than in the United States.

With a coal burner these considerations do not hold true.

### FURNISHED ROOMS

**FURNISHED ROOMS, 14 SYDNEY**, 18312-1-14

**TO LET—ROOMS, FURNISHED,** heated, West Side. Box 2, 34, Times. 18312-1-10

**TO LET—FURNISHED, HEATED** housekeeping rooms, 231 Union street. 18396-1-11

**TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE-** keeping rooms, 20 Water street, West. 18301-1-11

**TO LET—FURNISHED BEDROOM,** gentlemen, 72 Mecklenburg. 18300-1-14

**TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE-** keeping rooms, 20 Water street, West. 18301-1-10

**TO LET—FURNISHED BEDROOM,** gentlemen, 72 Mecklenburg. 18300-1-13

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS,** 161 Princess, most central. Main 1103-31. 18342-1-8

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM,** could be used for light housekeeping, central, 57 Orange street. 18344-1-11

**TO LET—THREE FURNISHED** rooms together or separate, 168 St. James. 18324-1-10

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM,** suitable for light housekeeping, bath and electric, 339 Union street, Main 1276. 18323-1-13

**TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT** Room, 82, No. 9 Elliot Row. 18407-1-8

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS,** private family, 118 St. James street. Phone 3549-41. 18343-1-12

**TO LET—FIVE ROOMS, PANTRY,** furnished or unfurnished. Apply 83 Crown street. 18408-1-8

**TO LET—ROOMS, INQUIRE AP-** partments, 22 Brussels street. 18343-1-11

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM,** gentleman, M. 124-41. 18357-1-11

**TO LET—LARGE AND SMALL** furnished rooms, 83 Sewell. 18324-1-11

**TO LET—TWO FURNISHED LIGHT** house keeping rooms. Phone Main 2672-21. 18313-1-11

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM,** Dorchester. Phone 2217-31. 18356-1-10

**FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET,** 50 King Square. Tel 2307. 18254-1-17

**TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, 75** Pitt. 18193-1-8

### FLATS TO LET

**TO LET—HEATED FLAT, WEST** Side. Phone West 381-31. 18307-1-11

**TO LET—HEATED FLAT, CENTRAL** Apply Box 2, 33, Times Office. 18350-1-12

**FLAT TO LET, 47 MAIN ST., 7** rooms and bath, electric, separate entrance. Furnished or unfurnished. 18315-1-10

**TO LET—FIVE ROOM FLAT, WITH** bath, &c. Fairly central, bright, cheerful. Rent \$22 month. Possession at once. Box 7, 33, care Times. 18317-1-13

**TO LET—AT ONCE, FLAT 637** Main street. Apply Kenneth A. Wilson, Barrister, Etc., 45 Canterbury street. 18470-1-11

**FLAT TO LET—38 BRUSSELS ST.** 18258-1-10

**TO LET—WARM, HIGH CLASS** Flat, Mount Pleasant, Main 1456. 11-23 T.F.

### HOUSES TO LET

**TO LET—HOUSE WITH NINE** rooms and bath, best locality and conditions, good hardwood floors, one flat. Box 2, 31, Times. 18305-1-10

**TO RENT—IMMEDIATELY, NEW** self-contained house, Mount Pleasant. Apply on premises. Fred Hazen, Phone 1616-11. 18198-1-8

### STORES AND BUILDINGS

**TO LET—GROCERY STORE, COR-** ner Leinster and Carmarthen streets. Two parts, suitable for meat and groceries. Abram Geuge. 18397-1-14

**TO RENT—EXCELLENT OFFICE** and Warehouse Space. Apply Canadian Milk Product Co., 81 Prince William street. 18359-1-13

**TO RENT—WAREHOUSE SPACE,** Water street. Apply to The Barrett Co., Ltd., 89 Water street. 18170-1-8

### TO RENT

**HEATED OFFICES AND HEATED** Apartments to rent, 64 Charlotte street. Enquire Geo. A. Cameron. 18499-1-13

**TO LET—LARGE STORE ROOM,** suitable for repair work. A. D. Land, corner of Golding and Rebecca. 18325-1-13

### WANTED—MALE HELP

**WANTED—SALESMAN TO SELL** fish as side line in city. Box 2, 37, Times. 18391-1-9

**BOOKKEEPER WANTED—EXPER-** ienced in general office work. Box 2, 27, Times. 18333-1-10

**WANTED—BLACKSMITH FOR** jobbing. Graham, Cunningham & Napping, Percival. 18309-1-13

**WANTED—AT ONCE, FOR UPHAM** Mill, Center and Tail Edgerman. Apply S. L. Moore, Grand Bay, Phone West 399-22. 18337-1-8

**WANTED—ENGINEER, CAPABLE** of running and setting up Portable Mill, 10 Good Woodmen to work on. Apply Fred B. Hazen. Phone 1616-11. 18340-1-10

**GOOD WAGES FOR HOME WORK.** We need you to make socks on the fast, easily learned Auto Knitter; experience unnecessary; distance immaterial; positively no canvassing; yarn supplied. Particulars 3c, stamp, Dept. 2 C Auto Knitter Co., Toronto. 1-15

**WANTED—BELL BOY, APPLY** Royal Hotel. 18480-1-12

**WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, APPLI-** cants must give full particulars regarding experience, references and present employment. Box 2, 14, Times. 18391-1-11

**WANTED—MILLINERY TRAVEL-** er. One acquainted with the New Brunswick millinery trade. J. M. Orkin Co., Ltd., 82 Germain street. 18340-1-12

**SALESMAN—A SELF-RESPECTING** Salesman, whose ambition is beyond his present occupation, might find more congenial employment with us, and at the same time double his income. We require a man of clean character, sound in mind and body, of strong personality, who will appreciate a life's position with a fast growing concern, where industry would be rewarded with far above average earnings. Married man preferred. Apply Mr. Mercer, second floor, 167 Prince William street. 11-1-1921

**EARN MONEY AT HOME—WE** will pay \$15 to \$50 weekly for your spare time writing show cards; no canvassing; we instruct you and supply you with work. Write Brennan Show Card System, Limited, 43 Currie Bldg., 269 College street, Toronto.

**RESIDENT SALESMAN FOR MAN-** ufacturer's line of ladies' popular priced "triumph" hats; 5 per cent commission; monthly settlements; submit references and territory. Write at West 234 Lafayette St., New York.

**ROOMS TO LET**

**IF YOU WANT GOOD COMFORT-** able rooms at reduced rates, call at 92 Princess. Breakfast if wanted, bath, electric and phone. 18305-1-14

**TO LET—TWO ROOMS, LIGHT** housekeeping, 80 City Road. 18308-1-13

**TO LET—ROOMS FOR LIGHT** housekeeping. 38 1/2 Peters street. 18303-1-11

### LOST AND FOUND

**LOST—WHITE SPITZ DOG, FIND-** er please phone Main 4539. 18318-1-14

**FOUND—GERMAN STREET BAPT-** ist Church, Gold cuff link initial "M." Finder see Mr. Oldford, Victoria School. 18317-1-13

**LOST—WEEK AGO THURSDAY,** pair of glasses in case, between Germain and Portland streets. Finder please phone Main 2951-21. 18399-1-11

**LOST—BETWEEN LEE'S BRICK** Yard and Haymarket Square via street railway, sum of \$10. Finder please phone Little River Post Office. Reward. 18394-1-7

**LOST—LADY'S WRIST WATCH** between Long Wharf and Paradise Row or on King and British car. Finder please leave at 3 Long Wharf. 18347-1-10

**LOST—FRIDAY EVENING, ON** Golden Grove Road, Black Martin Fur Store. Finder return Times Office. 18305-1-10

**LOST—GENTLEMAN'S MUSKRAI** Mit. Finder call M 1870-41. Reward. 18442-1-8

### SITUATIONS WANTED

**CAPABLE WOMAN WANTED WORK** of any kind for Friday and Saturday. Write Box 2, care Times Office. 18352-1-10

**WANTED—BY TRUSTWORTHY** English woman, position as Housekeeper or matron. Good family or institution. Best references. Box 2, 25, Times. 18444-1-11

**WANTED—MALE STENOGRAPH-** er desires situation. Good references. Apply Box 2, 16, Times. 18