



Xmas Attractions!

Here are a few Special Xmas Offerings which may contain some helpful hints, but this list is merely suggestive of the beautiful and useful Gifts to be found in our stock.



Ladies' Gowns.

EIDERDOWN.

Nice and warm, in the following shades: Pink, Sky, Grey and Red.

Regular \$5.50. Now . . . \$4.50
Regular \$6.50. Now . . . \$5.50
Regular \$8.50. Now . . . \$7.50

Ladies' Voile Dresses.

Latest American style. You should see them.

Regular \$8.00. Now . . . \$6.50
Regular \$9.50. Now . . . \$7.00

Ladies' Gloves.

We have reduced our stock in order to make a speedy clearance.

WOOL GAUNTLETS.

Regular 33c. Now . . . 27c.
Regular 40c. Now . . . 33c.

CHAMOIS.

Regular 33c. Now . . . 27c.
Regular 50c. Now . . . 40c.

REAL NAPPA.

Regular \$1.10. Now . . . 90c.
Give us a call and judge for yourself the bargains we offer.

Ladies' Mufflers.

Knitted Mercerised finish.

Regular 35c. Now 25c.

Chalais Waists.

A Special Holiday Lot.

Various Stripes and Worked Dots, Tailor made with Soft Collar.

Regular \$1.80. Now . . . \$1.50

Ladies' Embroidery

Dresses.

Two very attractive lines and thoroughly up-to-date.

Regular \$3.50. Now . . . \$2.00
Regular \$5.50. Now . . . \$4.00

Ladies' Cold. Silk Waists.

In this line we find the assortment in sizes and shades are broken, and have decided to clear the lot regardless of cost.

Regular \$5.00. Now . . . \$3.70
Regular \$6.00. Now . . . \$4.50
Regular \$7.00. Now . . . \$5.00
Regular \$9.00. Now . . . \$6.20

No approbation.

Children's Lawn Ovealls.

You will certainly miss a bargain if you neglect taking advantage of this remarkable offer.

Regular prices 80c. to \$1.00. Now 50c.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Are like Pins, always being bought, yet never many on hand. You can stock up cheaply now.

LADIES' H. S. LAWN, 6 for . . . 12c.

LADIES' H. S. LAWN, 6 for . . . 20c.

LADIES' H. S. LAWN, 6 for . . . 25c.

LADIES' FANCY BORDER, 6 for . . . 20c.

CHILDREN'S MERCERISED, only . . . 7c. each

GENT'S H. S. LAWN, 4 for . . . 20c.

GENT'S H. S. LAWN, 3 for . . . 20c.

GENT'S MERCERISED, only . . . 7c. each

GENT'S MERCERISED (large), only . . . 9c. each

FANCY ONES! SERVICEABLE ONES!

Handkerchiefs for use or display.

Substantial Linen and Lawn.

Dainty ones with Lace Edges.

Silk, with Initial or Plain. Just suitable for Xmas Gift.

Ladies' Neckwear.

GEORGEIOUS

is the word that best describes our Nobby Neckwear.

They are worth 25 and 50 cents.

They are yours for 10 and 15 cts.

Ladies' Hand Bags.

Bags like these, at such reduced prices, will go fast. Better not wait. Come to-day. Now 45c. 70c. and 90c. each.

For Men's Wear.

FINE NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.

Mostly light stripes, with plain and pleated fronts.

Regular 85c. Now . . . 69c.

Regular \$1.20. Now . . . \$1.05

Regular \$1.50. Now . . . \$1.30

Soft Collars.

White and Colored, Light and Dark, Striped and Plain shades. All sizes, from 14 to 16.

Regular 15c. Now . . . 12c.

Regular 20c. Now . . . 15c.

We offer two special lines in

Neckwear for Men

Regular 25c. Now . . . 15c.

Regular 40c. Now . . . 30c.

We can please any whimsical person, and would advise you to get to the Neckwear Counter early.

The Good

Quality Hat.

Holds its color and shape and is a pleasure always. Ask to see them.

Regular \$2.00. Now . . . \$1.80

MARSHALL BROS.

Cable News.

Special to the Evening Telegram. WELLINGTON, N.Z., Dec. 13.

At a banquet in honour of Minister of Defence Allan, prior to leaving for England, Sir Robert Stout, acting Governor, said that it was folly to blink at the fact that British Naval Supremacy was threatened. Mr. Allan should inform England that New Zealand was prepared to defend herself and help the Motherland in case of need. Mr. Allan said the Government would be unable to declare its policy until he had ascertained the views of the Home Government. He declared an expeditionary force to be an essential part of Imperial defence, and that the Government hoped to complete the organization of such a force in a few months for the service of the Empire. The full burden of providing a Pacific fleet must ultimately fall upon the Dominions facing that ocean, with Africa and India. It was useless to build local navies for a local purpose. To make the fleet effective there must be co-ordination, uniformity and single control. Mr. Massey urged the desirability of more conferences, and that these should meet occasionally in the Dominions. New Zealand was doing its duty as regards internal defence, and would face its duty as to the Navy. He believed Mr. Allan would make such arrangements with the Home Government as the New Zealand Parliament would ratify.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13. Ambassador Bryce told the committee of the Centenary of Peace between the English speaking people at a dinner tonight, that nearly all the

wars had been due to human folly, or human passion. He dwelt on how much better it was to celebrate the wisdom which had ended war and avoided any subsequent conflicts, rather than the want of skill and wisdom which made wars possible. The Ambassador described his official stay in Washington, to remove the differences existing between the United States and Great Britain, and avoid any further differences. He reviewed the three arbitrations and several treaties leading to the settlement of the Canadian boundary dispute and the Newfoundland Fisheries question, the matter of the use of waters on the boundary and minor points long at issue. He continued that all these treaties furnished admirable demonstration of the dictum, once delivered by Mr. Root: "When two nations and governments desire to come to a fair agreement, it is always possible for them to do so. With good will, everything can be accomplished."

LONDON, Dec. 13. The slump which started on the Continent has spread over vague rumours of Austria, Germany and Russia's likely withdrawal of consent to the Ambassadorial meeting, reached London this afternoon, and prices fell. The Continental favourites, notably, suffered. From Berlin, Paris and Vienna weak markets are reported, but there is no confirmation of the rumours which caused these slump.

LONDON, Dec. 13. The Home Rule debate, yesterday, led to a little breeze, owing to the proposal to make it compulsory for the Union Jack to fly over the Irish Parliament buildings. Jeremiah MacVeigh, M.P. for South Down, spoke disparagingly of it. Balfour indignantly rebuked him. Redmond replied in a speech full of loyal expressions, saying that the Union Jack would be floating in a contented Ireland when Home Rule passed, adding that no doubt Ireland would have her own flag, but the two would have to be flown side by side. The proposal was defeated.

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LONDON, Dec. 13. The White Slave Traffic Bill has received the royal assent and becomes operative forthwith. A number of notorious procurers have fled from London. The bill empowers constables to take suspects into custody, without warrant. In addition to imprisonment, whipping may be inflicted. Men convicted of living on immoral earnings of women are brought under the Vagrancy Act of 1898, and if convicted a second time, shall be liable to be flogged.

LONDON, Dec. 13. Two convicts, aged 25 and 35 respectively, both of whom were serving sentences for murder, were found dead in one cell in the Maidstone prison, their throats cut with a rude knife which they had improvised out of a piece of iron whilst working in the jail tinsmith shop.

LONDON, Dec. 13. Whitelaw Reid, the United States Ambassador to Great Britain, is seriously ill. CURLERS MEETING.—Last night the Blue Division of the Curling Club met at their rooms and elected Mr. H. Duder as Captain for the coming season. Mr. J. R. Bennett had been proposed, but having previously been elected President of the Association had to refuse the honor. A meeting will be held next week to make the fixtures.

Here and There.

FOR HOSPITAL.—Miss Collins arrived by the shore train yesterday for hospital, suffering from lung trouble.

LOST \$35 DOLLARS.—Yesterday a Bay-de-Verde man now here on business lost his purse and its contents, \$35. He went with several friends on Water Street and did not miss the wallet until he was proceeding to his boarding house.

RECEIVED NASTY CUT.—Last evening a drunk passing near the Reid Mfd. Co's freight shed fell and his head coming in contact with a plank he received a nasty cut. He narrowly escaped striking a rig bolt and receiving dangerous if not fatal injury.

IN VANCOUVER.—Mr. Thomas O'Brien, formerly of Harbor Grace, is now at Vancouver, B.C., where he is engaged as a mineral expert. Since going there he has met several Newfoundlanders all of whom are doing well. Mr. O'Brien and wife, formerly Miss Agnes Borville of Blakhead, Bay-de-Verde, wishes to be remembered to all their old friends.

RINKS GETTING READY.—With the advent of the cold sport the Prince's Rink and Curling Rink are being put in readiness for lovers of the winter sports. Yesterday both places were kept flooded and this morning they presented smooth surfaces. If the weather continues both rinks will be open to the general public on Christmas Day and winter games will commence earlier than usual.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

Here and There.

DISEASE STAMPED OUT.—Diphtheria has disappeared again at Burin, the three patients who contracted it having recovered.

TAKE NOTICE.—Don't forget that Fridays and Saturdays are Bargain Days at the NATIONAL STORES. Discount on everything you buy.—dec10,tf

"The world which credits what is done is cold to all that might have been," and shall the great event of the season pass, without your benefitting by the genuine bargains at the absolutely bonafide December Sale of Roger's.

DANCE.—Green Sprig Athletic Club will hold a Dance in the British Hall, St. Stephen's Night. A good time for all. dec14,1f

THEIR SILVER WEDDING.—Mr. J. B. and Mrs. Foster of Grand Bank, yesterday celebrated the anniversary of their Silver Wedding. Both were the recipients of many messages of congratulation.

PROPOSED NUPTIAS.—A newly appointed Master Pilot has announced his intention of forsaking single blessedness with a certain lady in the West End and wedding bells will chime early in the New Year.

HOCKEY MATTERS.—The Hockey League meets next week to arrange the season's fixtures. It is expected that there will be some changes in the rules. All the various clubs have met so far and elected their teams.

Waves Washed Over Lighthouse

Portland, Ore., Dec. 9.—Some unusual damage done by waves during a storm were reported to-day by William Dalhrem, keeper of Tillamook Rock lighthouse south of the Columbia River.

A storm that swept the coast Oct. 18 and 19 carried away a large portion of the west end of the rock foundation, and waves invaded the top of the tall lighthouse, putting out the lights and filling the trumpet of the fog signal with rocks. The focal plane of the light 132 feet above high water was broken. The signal which was filled with rock is 114 feet above the high water mark. None of the lighthouse employes was injured.

THE WARTS DISAPPEAR

Mr. Kingshaw Found the Right Remedy.

It is certainly not for lack of so-called "Cures" that people put up with unsightly and uncomfortable warts. But somehow or other most of these "Cures" fail to work. Mr. J. S. Kingshaw, of Bent River, Ont., very sensibly tried Douglas' Egyptian Liniment on them, and found it was a real cure. He says: "I was greatly annoyed with warts on my hands and face, but after using Douglas' Egyptian Liniment for a short time they all disappeared as if by magic. I have found it an excellent remedy for cold sores, in fact it is a cure for every ill in our house. We would not be without it." Scarcely a week passes but Douglas' Egyptian Liniment would save some member of your family from pain and suffering if you had a bottle of it handy. And it's just as good for your stock. 67 25c. at all druggists. Free sample on request. Douglas & Co., Napawan, Ont.

Here and There

NASCOPIE REPORTED.—The S. S. Nascope was reported yesterday as having reached Naples on Tuesday. She will land the balance of her fish cargo at Tripoli and probably then will go to Glasgow.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. Your druggist will refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. oct12,8,tf

SANTA CLAUS SALE.—The Parry Mission Band of Wesley Church, will hold a Santa Claus Sale Thursday evening next when this good angel of the young folks will be seen in all his glory. A variety of useful articles for the Christmas season will be on sale.—adv.1f

Surveys and Reports on Mineral and Timber Areas; Surveys and Reports on Water Power facilities; Assays and Analysis. W. F. CANNING. Office 171 Water Street. Residence: Telephone 186.—nov11,1m

BIG XMAS SHIPMENT.—Last evening Croshaw & Co's premises was a sight to see. Freight for the Fogata came along so quickly that the gates had to be shut for awhile to enable the employees to handle the goods. Teams were for a long while ranged along Water Street with their loads and the premises by 5 p.m. was filled with freight. Men were employed all night loading the Fogata which will have more freight this trip than she can carry.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, ETC.

Your

Should receive

TURKEYS

Potato Fl

CALIFORNIA

Fresh supply of

viz.:

PEACHES—Sliced

PEARS, PLUMS,

CHERRIES—Red,

RASPBERRIES, S

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California Oranges

Florida Oranges,

Jamaica Oranges,

Valencia Oranges.

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Naples Walnuts

Brazil Nuts

Almond Nuts

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Shaving Pads,

Watches, Handker

Alarm Clocks, Caps,

Hats, Goggles, Sock

Braces, Pipes, Pock

Studs, Sleeve Links

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