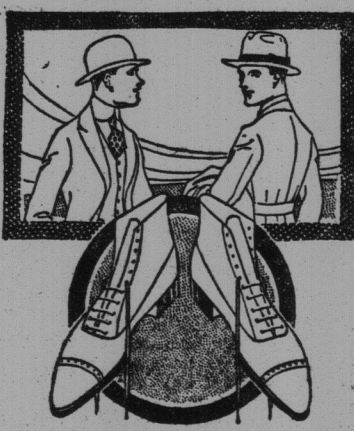


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## A FEW SUGGESTIONS IN TABLE CUTLERY

Table Cutlery has ever held an honored place in the list of Christmas offerings, combining most happily beauty with usefulness.

In our Cutlery section, this season, we have gathered an unusually large and well assorted range of the nicer patterns from leading makers, both in sets and single pieces.

Our Table Cutlery exhibit embraces Richly Cased Carving Sets of three and five pieces, with handles of pearl, silver and celluloid. Also Fish Servers with silver, pearl or celluloid handles, suitable for presentation.

Dessert Sets in Cases are also featured, these being shown with pearl and silver handles. Also Dessert Knives and Dessert Forks in both Sterling and Plated Ware.

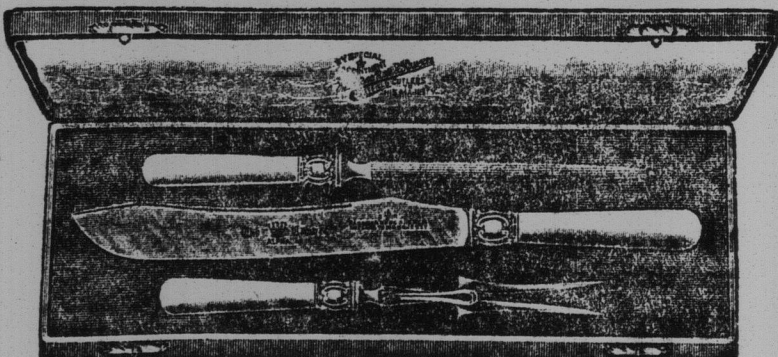
Pocket Knives, with pearl, celluloid and stag-horn handles; also Hunting Knives in leather cases.

Razors of every description are also prominently featured, including Gillette, Auto-Strop, Gem and Star. Also a complete line of Razor Stroppers and Lather Brushes.

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### "THE DEVIL'S TATTOO"

A Musical Piece by the "Little German Band." The "Devil's Tattoo" will be sung by the choir, accompanied by Kaiser—the Champion Lyre. The following is what His Satanic Majesty will say to the Pirate King Kaiser when he arrives down in his dominions on his Piratical Submarine to plough the lurid waves of the Lake of Fire and Brimstone:

In 16 Lobster-Can-toes; we won't count de-feet.  
When "Old Nick" cannot find  
Any mischief to do,  
He amuses himself  
With the "Devil's Tattoo."

When the Kaiser gets down  
With his Pirate Crew,  
Won't there be down in Hades  
A hell-a-baloo?

The devil will feed them  
On skully-garoo,  
And make them all dance  
To the "Devil's Tattoo."

With "Jersey-Chain Lightning"  
They will have a fine "brew,"  
And a hot stake for supper  
With a devil-fish stew.

When he asks Kaiser Bill—  
"How he likes his hotel,"  
He'll reply: "It's all right  
It's a model hot-hell."

"I now with much pleasure,  
Introduce unto you  
Robbie-Speare, Captain Kidd,  
And "Shylock the Jew."

"When I asked Jude Iscariot  
If he'd like to retire,  
He replied: "With such butchers  
Je decline parley-vous."

"Now my friend, Kaiser Bill,  
If you'd like to retire,  
There's a bed of hot coals  
Which I hope you'll admire."

"In the Chamber of Horrors"  
You can lie down and rest  
On a bed of hot sin-ders  
Which my Scorpions infest."

"If the babies you hatched  
Appear in your sleep,  
Please remember, friend Kaiser,  
What you sow, you must reap."

"Would you like for your breakfast  
Some gunpowder tea?"  
"Had enough of gunpowder;  
Not any for me."

"If you've a small scrap of paper  
I would much like to write  
A note to friend Wilson  
Declining to fight."

Dear "Old Nick" would you mind  
Sending in right away

## NOTED MUSICIAN OF MONTREAL

Advices the Use of "FRUIT-A-TIVES,"  
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April 20th, 1915.

"In my opinion, no other medicine in the world is so curative for Constipation and Indigestion as 'Fruit-a-tives.' I was a sufferer from these complaints for five years, and my sedentary occupation, Music, brought about a kind of Intestinal Paralysis—with nasty Head-ache, belching gas, drowsiness after eating, and Pain in the Back. I tried pills and medicines of physicians, but nothing helped me. Then I was induced to try 'Fruit-a-tives,' and now for six months I have been entirely well. I advise any one who suffers from that horrible trouble—Chronic Constipation with the resultant indigestion, to try 'Fruit-a-tives,' and you will be agreeably surprised at the great benefit you will receive." A. ROSENBERG.  
\$300. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. (At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.)

A jug of cold water,  
My thirst to allay?

"Friend Kaiser, I'm sorry  
We've none here on tap,  
So I think that without it  
You should take a nap."

"Gott strafe the British,  
They spoiled my game;  
I was sure of winning  
Before they came."

"Against the other  
I was fully matched,  
But I counted my chickens  
Before they hatched."  
J. S. KNOWLES.  
St. John, N.B.

### LOOKING FOR HOSPITALS

Sussex Record—Major Hall Fairweather, who endeavored to go to the front with the 150th battalion, is now connected with the Canadian Hospital commission, and has been engaged for weeks in locating buildings suitable for hospital purposes. His search has taken him all over Canada, east of the great Lakes and he has succeeded in getting many fine questions for the men. Last week he was in St. John, and examined the old school house, the Main street Baptist church, Masonic Hall, etc., with a view to having them utilized for hospital purposes and this information will be placed before headquarters.

NO MORE BOXING THERE.  
Chatham World—Major C. R. Mercer, captain and Captain the Rev. W. S. Godfrey have been called down by the managing committee of the Fredericton Y. M. C. A. for having "public dancing and boxing bouts" in the Y. M. C. A. building. It appears that, in the course of entertainments which the public attended, the Kilbys gave sparring exhibitions and the Highland Fling was danced. The Kilbys will look for recreation rooms elsewhere.

"What about your case?" demanded the judge, who couldn't quite make out what the prisoner was trying to say. "Please, your honor, the district attorney said it was to be nole prostrated."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## GET RID OF Pimples



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## Diamonds

As Christmas Gifts

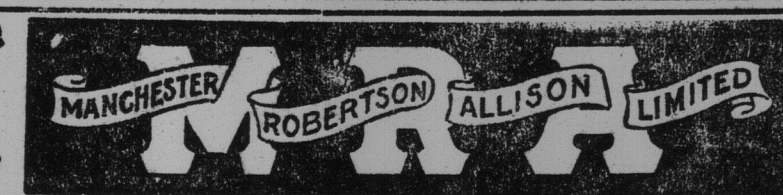
Looking beyond the alluring beauty of the Diamond, and the joyous welcome that invariably awaits it on Christmas morning, it is, after all a very sensible remembrance owing to its rapidly increasing value for the Diamond is becoming more costly every year.

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We are confident that the garments shown by us at the values we quote will give perfect satisfaction.

From Semi-Form-Fitting to the loose Slip-on. We have them in Tweeds, Naps, Whitneys, Combed Fleece and Milton Cloths, in many shades of Grey and Browns, as well as Fancy Mixtures.

Included are our Society Brand Coats . . . \$10.00 to \$28.00

For the Smaller Boys we have a variety of styles to choose from, including Russian, Military and Naval Greatcoats. Plaid backs and half and full belt effects in the new cloths and colorings . . . \$4.00 to \$10.50

For the Larger Boys, a range of coats closely following the lines and being similar in material to those worn by the men, \$6.50 to \$16.50

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT



## GOOD QUALITY Handkerchiefs

Are Always An Acceptable Gift For a Man

Our Handkerchiefs were purchased months ago, long before the late advances. But we will continue selling them at the old prices as long as they last. These Handkerchiefs are therefore much better value than others recently purchased and soon to arrive.

PURE IRISH HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS—14, 12 and 1 inch hem, 12 dozens in pretty boxes, \$1.10 to \$3.00 per box  
INITIAL LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched, hand-embroidered initial, 25c, 35c, 50c, each. Special prices by the 12 dozen.  
INITIAL SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched . . . 35c, 50c, 75c, each  
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Plain and twilled, hemstitched, 1-2 inch and 1 inch hems, 35c to \$1.00 each  
FANCY BORDERED SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched . . . 50c, 75c, each  
WHITE MEROERIZED HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched, in attractive box . . . 3 for 45c.

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New, Fresh Boneless Codfish . . . 15c. lb.  
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Gazelle Brand Baked Beans . . . 2 lb. tins, 18c.  
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California Navel Oranges . . . 40c. doz.  
Jumbo Size Florida Grapefruit . . . 12c. each  
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Cape Cod Cranberries . . . 12c. qt.  
Florida Tomatoes . . . 25c. lb.

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## JURY RECOMMENDS BETTER INSPECTION OF SIDINGS

The inquest into the death of James F. Richardson, a C. P. R. brakeman who was killed by being crushed between a freight car and the platform at the siding of the Maritime Rail Works was held last evening in the court house before Dr. W. F. Roberts, coroner. The hearing was concluded in the one session, after many witnesses had been examined, but it was nearly 1 o'clock this morning before the verdict had been returned. The jury consisted of L. H. Thorne, foreman; Charles Haines, T. E. Robinson, Chas. McConnell, Roy Giggley, A. McArthur and Robert Butler. The verdict was as follows:

"We, the jury, empanelled to inquire into the death of James F. Richardson, and that deceased met his death by being crushed between a flat car loaded with wire and the irregular projection of said siding while in the discharge of his duty as a brakeman in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

"We, the jury, do recommend a more

rigid inspection of sidings in the future." Evidence was given by Samuel S. Earle, teamster for the Maritime Rail Works; Murray McCutcheon, assistant to the manager of the rail works; David H. Ryan, assistant superintendent of the C. P. R.; Dr. Dunlap, G. H. Brown, the engineer on the freight train; William N. Campbell, fireman on the train, and William A. Hipwell, head brakeman on the train.

## DR. MARGARET PARKS AND MISS DOMVILLE RETURN

Two heroic New Brunswick ladies arrived in the city last night after serving for nearly two years on the western front—Nursing Sister Grace Domville, of Rothesay, daughter of Senator James Domville, and Nursing Sister (Dr.) Margaret Parks, of this city.

The ladies went overseas in company with the first Canadian contingent and reached France in November of 1914. They were attached to No. 1 Canadian General Hospital, of which Colonel Murray MacLaren of this city was then officer commanding.

Nursing Sisters Domville and Parks

arrived in Canada a week ago and yesterday came to the city, where they were greeted by a multitude of friends who have been following their activities with great interest since going overseas.

## To Ward Off Winter Complexion Ills

To keep the face smooth, white and beautiful all winter, there's nothing quite so good as ordinary mercurized wax. Rough, chapped or discolored skin, inevitable in this weather, is gently absorbed by the wax and replaced by the newer, fresher skin beneath. The face exhibits no trace of the wax, the latter being applied at bedtime and washed off morning. Creams, powders and rouges on the other hand, are apt to appear conspicuous at this season, because of alternating expansion and contraction of the skin, due to changing temperatures. You are advised to try this simple treatment. Get an ounce of mercurized wax at any drugstore and use like cold cream. This will help any skin at once, and in a week or so the complexion will look remarkably youthful and healthy. Winds and flying dust often cause skin itching and other contortions which make wrinkles. You can quickly get rid of every wrinkle, however produced, by using a harmless face bath made by dissolving one ounce powdered salicylic in one-half pint witch hazel.



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