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CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR THE MEN FOLK

It's hard to know what to give a man. There are scores of things to give a woman. But a man? Well, something to wear. The tendency strengthens—and each December finds the selling of Men's Furnishing Goods growing greater. Our stock is large and varied; you can find what you want in a very short time and at prices you cannot duplicate anywhere.

A WONDERFUL SHOWING OF EXCLUSIVE NECKWEAR FOR MEN

Neckwear has become a Christmas joke, because so many people plunge in and buy Neckwear without discrimination. Nothing will please a man more than a tie **Rightly chosen**, an exclusive bit of silk, of texture and make that bespeaks good taste, and how easy to choose right — if you come to OAK HALL. Here is a stock chosen from the best makers home and abroad. A gift box free with every purchase no matter what the price. 25c. to $1.50

JEWELRY FOR MEN
Put Up in Very Attractive Boxes

Cuff Links ..... 25c. to $2.50
Cuff Links and Stick Pins to match ..... 50c., 75c. per set
Stick Pins and Tie Holder to match ..... 75c.
Fobs ..... 50c., 75c. to $2.50
Dress Shirt Studs ..... 35c. to $1.00 per sett
Vest Buttons ..... Per sett $1.50
Vest Setts and Stick Pins to match ..... $1.50 to $2.50

A FEW SUGGESTIONS
For Men to Give Their Lady Friends

Umbrellas ..... $2.50 to $7.00
Motor Silk Scarfs ..... $2.50 to $6.00
Manicure Setts ..... $3.50 to $4.50
Travelling Leather Goods
Kid Gloves $1.00
Coat Sweaters $2.50, $3.00
Mufflers and Ties ..... $1.00 to $2.50
Hand Bags ..... $1.50 to $8.00
Fancy Neckwear ..... 75c. to $1.50

FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT

Smoking Setts .....$1.00 to $5.50
Cigar Cases .....75c. to $2.00
Cigarette Cases .....$1.50 to $3.50
Asli Trays .....50c. to $3.50
Pipe Racks .....$1.75 to $2.50
Tobacco Pouches .....$2.00 to $3.50
Antique Smoking Setts on high stand .....$2.50 to $8.00
Tobacco Jars .....$2.00 to $5.00
Playing Cards with Case.75c. to $2.00
Traveling Rolls .....$2.00 to $3.50
Desk Setts .....$1.25 to $2.50

MEN'S CLOTHING SECTION

Evening Dress Vests ..... $1.50 to $6.00
Tuxedo Vests ..... $4.50 to $5.00
House Coats ..... $5.00 to $13.50
Bath Robes ..... $3.50 to $5.75
Dressing Gowns ..... $10.00 to $18.00
Fancy Vests ..... $2.50 to $5.00
Fur Collars ..... $3.50 to $15.00
Overcoats ..... $6.00 to $28.00
Suits ..... $5.00 to $30.00
Reefers ..... $4.25 to $10.00
Waterproof Coats ..... $4.50 to $20.00
Trousers ..... $1.00 to $6.00
Fur Overcoats ..... $15.00 to $100.00
Fur-Lined Overcoats ..... $30.00 to $90.00
Trunks ..... $1.50 to $35.00
Hat Boxes ..... $6.75 to $7.50

BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Two-Piece Suits ..... $3.00 to $13.50
Boys' Three-Piece Suits ..... $3.50 to $10.00
Boys' Russian Suits ..... $3.00 to $7.50
Sailor Suits ..... $1.50 to $7.50
Boys' Reefers ..... $2.75 to $8.50
Boys Overcoats ..... $5.00 to $11.00
GIRLS' WINTER COATS ..... $8.00 to $13.50
Boys' Russian Overcoats ..... $3.85 to $10.00
Knitted Tuques, all colors ..... 40c., 45c.
Hockey Caps ..... 35c., 40c.
Boys' Silk Ties ..... 25c.
Boys' Stockings ..... 25c. to 80c.
Boys' Overstockings ..... 40c. to 55c.
Boys' Pyjama Suits ..... $1.00 to $2.00
Boys' Gloves and Mitts
Boys' Play Suits ..... $1.50 to $2.25
Dressing Gowns in velour $3.50, $4.50
Hewson Coat Sweaters $1.75, $2.00
Girls' Coat Sweaters $2.00
KNITTED JERSEY SUITS direct from London. The very newest novelty for small boys, consisting of Jersey and Pants of fine knitted wool in red, white, navy and brown. $2.00 to $2.80 per suit
NEW YORK NOVELTY FOR GIRLS—Just opened a lot of Middy Blouses for girls 6 to 16 years of fine white drill with light blue or navy collar and cuffs. ..... $1.50 to $2.75

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

All Wool Sweaters....$1.00 to $2.00
Silk Motor Scarfs.....$2.00 to $7.00
Dr. Jaeger Pure Wool Motor Scarfs $1.00 to $1.50
Stiff Bosom Shirts .... $1.00 to $2.00
Negligee Shirts ..... 75c to $3.00
Flannel Shirts ..... $1.00 to $4.50
Pyjamas ..... $1.50 to $8.00
Night Shirts ..... $1.00 to $1.50
Unlined Gloves ..... $1.00 to $3.00
Wool lined Gloves .. $1.00 to $3.75
Fur Lined Gloves.....$2.50 to $5.00
Wool Lined Gloves..... 50c to $1.25
Silk Handkerchiefs (Initial) 25c to 50c
Silk Handkerchiefs (Plain) 25c to $1.00
Linen Handkerchiefs, 15c. to 50c.
Lawn Handkerchiefs, 5c. 10c., 15c.
"Arrow" Brand Collars, $2.00 per dozen.
Cashmere Hose, Black and Fancy, 25c. to 75c.
Silk Hose, Black and Fancy, 50c., 75c., $1.00.
Umbrellas, $1.00 to $8.00.
Black Quilted Mufflers, 50c. to $1.50.
Phoenix Mufflers, 50c.
Silk and Wool English Mufflers, 50c., 75c.
Fancy Suspenders, 25c. to $2.00.
Fancy Armlets, 25c. to $1.00.
All kinds of underwear, large range of prices.
Caps in Fancy Boxes, 50c. to $1.50.
Soft and Stiff Felt Hats, $2.00 to $4.00.
Fur Caps, $2.50 to $10.50.

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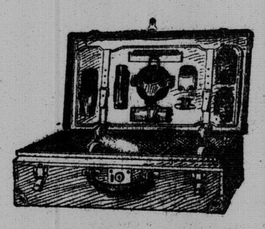
All sorts of things in Leather Goods from the tiny overnight grip to a completely fitted bag having everything necessary to the toilet and traveling.



Fitted Suit Cases.....$19.00 to $25.00
Fitted Club Bags.....$15.00 to $22.00
Dressing Cases .....$1.50 to $10.00
Crush Collar Bags .....75c. to $1.50
Club Bags .....$1.50 to $20.00
English Kit Bags.....$10.00 to $16.00
Traveling Rolls .....$1.50 to $3.25
Pocket Books and Bill Rolls, 50c. to $2.50
Shaving Setts .....$2.50 to $6.50
Shaving Mirrors .....75c. to $5.50
Manicure Setts .....$2.00 to $4.50
Cigar Cases .....50c. to $2.50

Military Brushes (Real Ebony Backs) $1.00 to $5.00 per pair

OAK HALL - - SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED ST. JOHN, N. B.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS TO BE GUESTS OF BOARD OF TRADE

The board of trade extends an invitation to every commercial traveler who will be in St. John on Wednesday evening, December 28, to attend a smoker at Keith's Assembly Rooms on that evening. It will be free and easy. An orchestra will be in attendance. The musical programme will be in charge of a joint committee. Three bright and very brief speeches keyed on St. John will be delivered during the evening. As the board has not a complete list of the travelers' names and addresses, all are invited to accept this invitation to what, it is believed, will be one of the most enjoyable smokers ever given in St. John.

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New Ties, New Mufflers, New Braces, New Shirts, New Coat Sweaters, New Hats. New Caps, New Gloves—all at the Lowest Prices.

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MORNING LOCALS

Edmund S. Ritchie, the assignee of J. Everett Watters, druggist, West End, has further postponed the sale of stock, etc., a proposition satisfactory to the inspectors having been made yesterday.

A neat and attractive Christmas card is being sent out by the Royal Bank of Canada in the name of the manager and staff. The card, which is in the form of a folder, bears on the cover the crest of the institution, embossed in purple and gold. It is a most artistic example of the printers' art.

The secretary-treasurer of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society begs to acknowledge the receipt of the following subscriptions: Tag day committee, $2,599; Lend a Hand Circle of the King's Daughters, $153.90; James White, G. S. Mayes, Mrs. J. L. McAvity, $5 each; C. H. Ferguson, G. H. Evans, $2 each, and T. O'Brien, W. E. Foster, H. H. Pickett, W. Brodie, W. McIntyre, L. W. Barker, F. Fraser, T. Gorman, I. H. Northrup, J. Sealy, A. Malcolm, Dr. Walker, Judge McKeown, E. L. Rising, Dr. Bentley, Mrs. J .H. Frink, Dr. Wetmore, Dr. Warwick, Mrs. Warwick, Mrs. T. Bullock, Dr. Kenney, Dr. Skinner, Mrs. D. McLellan, Miss W. S. Smith and Miss H. S. Smith, $1 each.

The lease held by James T. Carpenter, meat dealer, Mill street, has been transferred to the C. P. R., the deed being recorded in the registry office yesterday afternoon. This is the fourth lease in those held from the Hazen estate, which has passed into the control of the C. P. R. The others were for the buildings held by Joseph B. Stentiford, A. E. Hamilton and Henry Bond.

A stop cock blew out of a water pipe yesterday afternoon in Prince Wm. Street and a stream of water jutted from the opening and soared almost to the roof of the Bank of New Brunswick. A new stop cock was placed.

The third degree was exemplified last evening for several members of Peerless Lodge No. 9, I. O. O. F., Dr. A. D. Smith, grand master, and G. R. Bain, of Moncton, gave addresses.

Jacob S. Brown, employed with John E. Wilson Co., Ltd., was seventy years of age on Monday and his fellow employes reminded him of the fact by presenting to him a handsome Morris chair, and the firm by giving him a valuable safety razor outfit. An address accompanied the gifts.

A proclamation issued today in the Royal Gazette, declares Monday, Dec. 26, and Monday, Jan. 2, provincial public holidays for the celebration of Christmas and New Years. All licensed saloons must be closed on these days.

For nearly two weeks the water supply in Lancaster has been very poor, and the residents are indignant. In some places there is no water whatever, while in other houses there is but a small supply.

At the meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon the president, Mrs. C. H. Dearborn, announced that she had received from an unknown donor, $125 and the ladies of the order decided to devote it to relief work during the winter.

The Y. M. A. of Germain street Baptist church are to have a literary evening on Tuesday, December 27, at 8 o'clock Miss M. Evelyn Schwartz, of Acadia Seminary, will give an elocution recital, assisted by local talent.

The four children of J. R. Dannett, asst. overseer of Newchurch, Isle of Wight, have attended the local school for an aggregate of 32 years and one month without missing a single attendance. The record is as follows; Harry Dannett, five years and five months; Charlie, 10 years and five months; Nellie, seven years and 10 months, and Ada, eight years and five months. The school is about two miles from the family's residence, and the distance travelled by the quartette in journeying to and from school exceeds 30,000 miles.

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Those who know the comfort and perfect fit of "Ceetee" Underclothing will wear no other.

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	A.M.		P.M.
Sun Rises	8.07	Sun Sets	4.38
High Tide	3.22	Low Tide	9.55

The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived Yesterday

Stmr Almora, 2825, Rankine from Glasgow, Robert Reford Co. general cargo, 17 days.

Sailed Yesterday

Stmr Manchester Shipper, Perry, for Savannah, Wm. Thomson & Co.

Schr Silver Heels, 103, Cooper, from St. Martins for Vineyard Haven, for orders with lumber was in for a harbor.

Schr Annie W. Parker, 397, Duffy, for Los Palmas for orders.

Schr Greta, 146, Cole for Pawtucket, Dalhousie Lumber Co 1,709,000 cedar shingles.

Schr George W. Anderson, 169, Lunn, for Lynn, Mass.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, N S, Dec 20—Ard stmr Rappahannock, from London.

Sld—Stmr Oruro, for Bermuda and West Indies.

BRITISH PORTS.

London, Dec 19—Ard stmr Mount Temple, from St John and Halifax.

Sharpness, Dec 18—Ardstmr Coaling, from Campbellton (N B.)

Liverpool, Dec 19—Ard stmr Menomin, from Pugwash.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, Dec 20—Ard schr Violet Courtney, from Gloucester.

Sld—Schrs Gertrude, for Fortune Bay (Nfld); Otis Miller, for Parrsboro (N S); Georgia Pearl, for St John; Princess of Avon, for Yarmouth (N S.)

City Island, N Y, Dec 20—Bound south, schr Harry Miller, St John via Stamford (Conn), for Port Johnson.

Vineyard Haven, Mass, Dec 20—Ard schr Loyal, from Elizabethport for Halifax.

New York, Dec 20—Ard stmr Delaware, for Charlottetown (P E I.)

MARINE NOTES.

Boston, Dec. 20—(Special)—The schooner Luella, of Chatham (N. B.), which left New York Dec. 7, for St. John, and was feared lost, arrived in Portland today for shelter. She had a severe experience and was blown off the coast.

Bark Emma R. Smith, bound for this port with a cargo of hard pine for J. A. Likely, and consigned to A. W. Adams' office, arrived at Key West (Fla.), on Saturday, with sails torn and yards broken. It is not anticipated that any time will be lost in making repairs.

Barge Uo. 12 of the Consolidated Coal Company which broke away from the tug Cumberland in Friday's blizzard, off Cape Cod, has been given up as lost.

The Norwegian barkentine Petra bound to Halifax with salt from the Mediterranean, became a total wreck on Monday night one mile from Pennant, N. S. Some of the crew of sixteen men were washed ashore the remainder who were lashed to the masts were rescued by boats from the shore.

The men of the schooner Preference, which was abandoned at sea as told in the Times-Star yesterday, had a hard time before being rescued by a Boston schooner. Those on the Preference were:

Boston, Dec. 20—The three-masted schooner Preference, for Elizabethport for St. John with coal was dismasted and abandoned on Sunday off Georges Bank. The crew were rescued by a fishing schooner and landed here today.

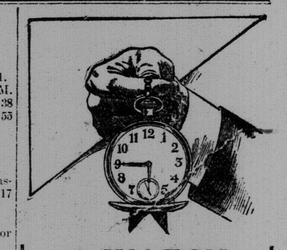
The names of the rescued men are:

George E. Gale, of St. John; commander and part owner of lost craft.

Mate, William B. Sprague, of Springfield (N. B.)

Steward, Wilson Matthews, of Newfoundland.

Seamen, Rodney McVickar, of Glace Bay (C. B.); Henry P. Peacock, of Springfield (N. B.); W. H. Hubley, of Bridgewater (N. B.), and Frank Dahlen, of Sweden.



A WATCH
For a Christmas Present

Is welcome both for its beauty and usefulness, besides being a constant reminder of the giver, and we offer, this year, a splendid variety of Watches at all prices:

For Gentlemen, from $3.00 to $35.00
or Ladies, ... from 3.00 to 50.00
For Boys, ... from 1.25 to 15.00

A fine line of Bracelet Watches, at $3.50 each

Also a complete stock of

SEASONABLE JEWELRY
at exceptionally attractive prices

A. POYAS
Watchmaker and Jeweler
16 Mill Street

Court La Tour

Court La Tour, I. O. F. at a meeting in the Forester's hall last evening elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

Chief ranger—E. O. McQuoid.
Past chief ranger—J. A. Stephenson.
Vice-chief ranger—J. W. Brittain.
Financial secretary—E. J. Todd.
Financial secretary—G. W. Currie.
Treasurer—Dr. James Manning.
Orator—C. W. Greenslade.
Junior W.—A. Thomas.
Senior W.—A. R. Covey.
J. B.—G. W. Andrews.
Court Physician—Dr. L. A. McAlpine.
Trustees—W. J. Thomas, L. S. Peters.
Finance committee—A. A. Wilson, M. E. Grass.
Central committee—J. M. Scovil, Jr., J. A. Stephenson, E. O. McQuoid, O. R. Crawford, J. W. McKenzie.

Inventors are constantly adding improvements to the typewriter, but none of them has been able to turn out a machine that will spell correctly.

A MAN'S BOOK

A PRIVATE TREATISE, WITH CHARTS AND ILLUSTRATIONS, RELATING TO DEBILITY, ITS CAUSE, EFFECT AND HOME CURE.

Let Me Send It to You FREE!

Here is a little volume of cheer and helpfulness which all men, young or old, can read with great profit; it contains much valuable information of a private nature, is fully illustrated, and represents the practical knowledge I have gained from forty years of actual experience in giving help to upwards of 100,000 enfeebled, nervous discouraged men. Just a postal card with your name and address, and the book will be forwarded free, sealed, by return mail, and with it, as well, I will enclose a full description of my new 1905 model Electric

Health Belt

If you need new strength, this wonderful appliance must appeal to you. It generates a pleasant, exhilarating current instantly felt, though it can be made any degree of strength from mild to strong by simply turning the needle of the current regulator; worn nights while you are sleeping, it pours quantities of health-giving, soothing electricity into your sick, weak nerves; you get up mornings feeling bright, strong, full of courage and ambition; it takes all the weakness and pain out of your back; it is a great remedy for your kidneys, bladder, stomach, liver and other vital organs; it cures rheumatism in all parts of the body; it is a courage-giver of the highest order; it brings new strength where weakness exists; it will restore you to vigorous manhood and life manhood as sure as night follows day; it makes you feel young and look young; you will live longer for its use; you can throw away all drugs and commence to live as Nature intended you should—a man among men, healthy, happy and vigorous. I can send you thousands of testimonials if you care to see them. Here is a simple Case:

"Your Health Belt cured me of Nervous Debility, and general prostration of the whole system after all else failed."

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Sea View, St. John, N.B.

In all instances I concentrate the full positive current at small of back; it thus enters the system at the nerve and vital centre.

centre, passing thence through the different weakened organs, giving them new life and force. You can get the Belt

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or for cash at a discount, just whichever you wish. Send your address on postal or fill in coupon; or call at my office, if you live in or near this city. Advice concerning your case will be cheerfully given without charge or obligation.

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FAMOUS GEMS OF PROSE

ROBERT BURNS
By William Cullen Bryant

Closing lines of an address at the Burns birthday centennial festival, Astor House, New York, January 25, 1859.

WELL has our great poet deserved this universal commemoration, for who has written like him? What poem descriptive of rural manners and virtues, rural life in its simplicity and dignity—yet without a single false outline or touch of false coloring—clings to our memories and lives in our bosoms like his "Cotter's Saturday Night?" What humorous narrative in verse can be compared with his "Tam O'Shanter?" From the fall of Adam to his time, I believe, there was nothing written in the vein of his "Mountain Daisy;" others have caught his spirit from that poem, but who among them all excelled him? Of all the convivial songs I have ever seen in any language, there is none so overflowing with the spirit of conviviality, so joyous, so contagious, as his song of "Willie Brewed a Peck o' Maut." What love songs are sweeter and tenderer than those of Burns? What song addresses itself so movingly to our love of old friends and our pleasant recollection of old days as his 'Auld Lang Syne," or to the domestic affections so powerfully as his "John Anderson?"

If Burns was thus great among poets, it was not because he stood higher than they by any pre-eminence of a creative and fertile imagination. Original, affluent and active his imagination certainly was, and it was always kept under the guidance of a masculine and vigorous understanding; but it is the feeling which lives in his poems that gives them their supreme mastery over the minds of men. Burns was thus great, because whatever may have been the errors of his after life, when he came from the hand that former him—I say it with the profoundest reverence—God breathed into him, in larger measure than into other men, the spirit of that love which constitutes his own essence and made him more than other men—a living soul.

Burns was great by the greatness of his sympathies—sympathies acute and delicate, yet large, comprehensive, boundless. They were warmest and strongest toward those of his own kin, yet they overflowed upon all sentient beings; upon the animals in his stall; upon the "wee, sleekit, cowerin', tim'rous beastie' dislodged from her autumnal covert; upon the hare wounded by the sportsman; upon the very field flower, overturned by his share and crushed among the stubble. And, in all this we feel that there is nothing strained or exaggerated, nothing affected or put on, nothing childish or silly, but that all is true, genuine, manly, noble; we honor, we venerate the poet while we read; we take the expression of these sympathies to our hearts and fold it in our memory forever.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

The Presbytery of Halifax voted yesterday in favor of union, the standing being 29 to 3.

By a majority of one vote, the city of North Adams, Mass., voted yesterday for no license. The city had long been in the wet column. A recount will probably be asked.

The Bankers' Association has decided to wind up the affairs of the Farmers' Bank and G. T. Clarkson, of Toronto, has been appointed official assignee.

Newfoundland is in the grip of a blizzard declared to be the worst in years.

Chihuahua, Mex., Dec. 20—Forty-two wounded government soldiers were brought in today, thus confirming reports that the troop train which left here Saturday was shot to pieces in the mountain trap known as Malpaso, a few miles east of Pedernales, and about 120 miles west of here.

THE EMPIRE MAGAZINE.

This month's issue of the Empire Magazine is a bright and attractive one. Max Pemberton, the famous writer of fiction, contributes an interesting article showing how the novelists with the British Empire as an inspiration, can do sound Imperial work.

Percival Hislam, the naval expert, preaches a little sermon on the moral of the Big Gun, showing how the safety of the Empire may be dependent on a decimal point.

Sir George Reid, the Commonwealth's High Commissioner in London, sends an appreciated greeting on behalf of Australia, while on the lighter side of things, J. C. X MacKenna asks paradoxically enough whether Australians are gloomy.

Frank Fox continues his story on Australia, while the two competitions, one for bringing some citizen of Empire to England at Coronation time, and the other to transplant some deserving emigrant and his family to Canada, are apparently proving popular.

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the same as babies. Babies can't take care of themselves, nor can nerves.

Babies cry for attention—so do nerves. Probably both are half-starved for proper nourishment.

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LADIES' COATS, - - - - - - From 5.00 to 18.00
LADIES' SKIRTS, - - - - - - From 1.98 to 8.50

LADIES' HATS, worth from $3.50 to $10.00, To Clear, From $1.50 to $3.00

On our Ground Floor we have a full line of Christmas Goods to please the whole family

Dock Street **WILCOX'S,** Market Square