

WEATHER FORECAST.
TORONTO, Noon.—Decreasing N.W. to W. winds; snow flurries, but mostly fair and a little colder to-day and on Thursday.

THE EVENING TELEGRAM.

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VOLUME XXXVII.

PRICE ONE CENT.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1915.

\$3.00 PER YEAR.

NUMBER 295.

REID-NEWFOUNDLAND CO.

Christmas and New Year Excursions.

Return Tickets will be issued between all Stations and Ports of Call at **One Way First Class Fare**, good going Dec. 23rd to 25th, and good returning up to Dec. 27th, also good going Dec. 30th to January 1st, and good returning January 3rd.

One Way and One Third First Class Fare—Good going from Dec. 21st to Jan. 1st, and good returning to Jan. 4th.

New Goods for XMAS!

Neilson's, Foss and Cadbury Chocolates.
McVitie & Price's Biscuits.
Luzenby's Ginger Chips.
Almond Nuts.
Walnuts.
Hazel Nuts.
Brazilian Nuts.
Almonds, Shelled.
Walnuts, Shelled.
TEZOR COCKTAILS,
always perfection and always uniform.

J. C. BAIRD.

Do It Now!

Ring up, write or send in instructions to call for your

Laundry

when next you require any work done.

EXPERT WORKERS.
LATEST MACHINERY.
PROMPT SERVICE.

Globe Steam Laundry Co., Limited.

Phone 148. P. O. Box 476.
ST. JOHN'S.

Xmas Stationery!

Any one who wishes to mix sense with sentiment in Christmas giving may very easily do so by selecting something in Stationery. No gift is more serviceable or acceptable than a good stylish box of Stationery.

We Have It

A large and well assorted stock of Christmas Stationery, made up in Holly and other fancy boxes. Prices:

25c, 27c, 35c, 55c, and up to \$1.50.

Come and See It.

GARRETT BYRNE,
Bookseller & Stationer.

NOTICE.

The Newfoundland Agricultural Board will be placing its orders for garden and field seeds, fertilizers, &c., early in January. Intending purchasers will therefore please notify the Board of their requirements as early as possible. The seeds imported by the Board will be of the highest quality and will be sold at cost.

NEWFOUNDLAND AGRICULTURAL BOARD.
dec17,15

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.



HERE'S THE KING OF CHRISTMAS

with our hearty greetings and good wishes. He wants to tell you that you cannot find

MEATS, POULTRY & GAME "fit for a king" anywhere but here.

Leave your orders with us, not only at Christmas time, but all the New Year around.

M. CONNOLLY.



THE FIREMEN may save your home and belongings from utter destruction by fire, but the smoke and water will create a great deal of havoc.

FIRE INSURANCE will make good your damaged property and supply you with sufficient ready funds to replace destroyed articles. Have me write you an insurance policy to-day.

PERCIE JOHNSON,
Insurance Agent.

Turkeys, Geese, etc.

Ex Stephano To-day.
P. E. I. TURKEYS.
P. E. I. GEESE.
P. E. I. FOWLS.
P. E. I. CHICKEN.
P. E. I. DUCKS.

All selected, good qualities.
JAMES R. KNIGHT.

J. J. ST. JOHN.

XMAS GROCERIES,

CHEAPER THAN EVER.

Everybody is doing it at ST. JOHN'S.

1800 lbs. Best Icing Sugar, 8c. lb.

50 cases Seeded Raisins, 1 lb., full weight.

1/2 ton Citron Peel, 21c lb
30 boxes Dessert Raisins
1/4 ton Lemon Peel, 17c. lb.

10 kegs Green Grapes.
Best Cream of Tartar in 1/4 lb. pkts.

50 cases Cleaned Currants.

900 lbs. Real Irish Butter. No better in the world . . . 45c. lb.

20 cs. No. 1 P.E.I. Eggs.

100 brls. Local Cabbage. (Very choice).

N.B.—Bring along your Coupons on and after Monday, 27th inst.

J. J. ST. JOHN,

Duckworth St. & LeMarchant Road.

A Beautiful Photograph POST CARD

Free with every package of Xmas Cards, from 15c. up. Come on and see our beautiful Xmas and New Year Cards. We are sure to suit the most fastidious.

- H. M. S. Star, 5 cards 7c.
- H. M. S. Amethyst, 8 cards 10c.
- H. M. S. Airadne, 10 cards 15c.
- H. M. S. Brilliant, 10 cards 20c.
- H. M. S. Britannica, 12 cards 25c.
- H. M. S. Colossos, 36 cards 25c.
- H. M. S. Challenge, 10 cards, 30c.
- H. M. S. Dasher, 12 cards, 40c.
- H. M. S. Diadem, 10 cards, 50c.
- H. M. S. Electra, 12 cards, 60c.
- H. M. S. Irresistable, 10 cards 75c.

Also a beautiful line of singly boxed cards from 5c. to \$1.50.

Single and Folding Cards, 2c. to 40c.

A very nice line of Xmas Post Cards.

Religious Folding Cards, 2c. to 40c.

Private Autograph Cards from 25c. to \$1.00 box.

A big assortment of Calendars from 5c. to \$1.00.

You will get a better assortment here than at any other store in town.

A beautiful photograph Post Card given free with every pkg. of Xmas and New Year Cards from 15c. up.

GARLAND'S

BOOKSTORES,
177 & 353 Water Street.

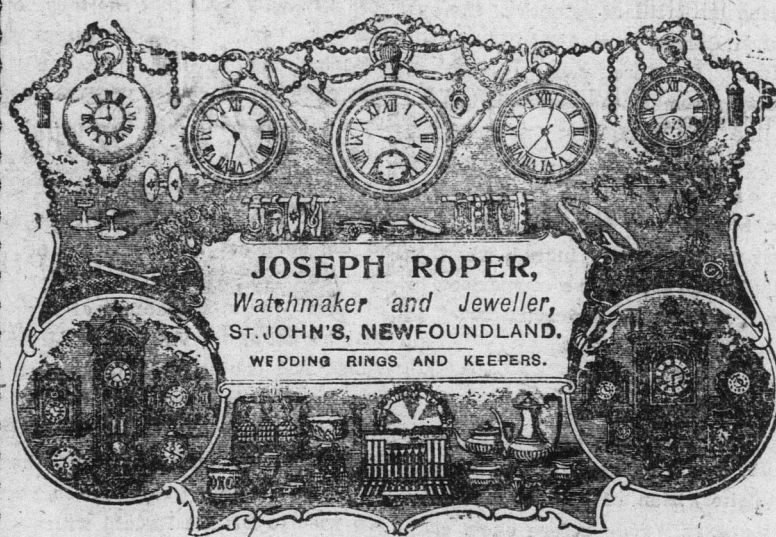
NOTICE!

The St. John's Gas Light Company is about to remove its Office from the Board of Trade Building to the Office recently occupied by P. N. R. Johnson, Esq., corner of Prescott and Duckworth Streets. The Showroom, Office and Basement at present occupied by the Company, in the Board of Trade Building, will be let immediately. For particulars apply to

W. H. RENNIE,
Board of Trade Building.
MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GAITER IN COWS.

GET READY FOR Christmas!

Wash Everything with Perfection Soap.



JOSEPH ROPER,
Watchmaker and Jeweller,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.
WEDDING RINGS AND KEEPSERS.

Repairs of every description Carefully and Skillfully Executed.

Christmas GIFTS, IN GREAT VARIETY—TO SUIT YOUNG AND OLD.

We will be pleased to show our stock to the general public. If they should see anything that would please them it will please us also. Call early to insure a good selection.

JOSEPH ROPER, Water Street.

XMAS FRUIT.

Just arrived and in stock:

400 brls. FINE XMAS APPLES—Kings, Wagners, Blenheims, Stacks, Pewankees, Snow Apples, Baldwins and Sweets.

HEAVYWEIGHT GREEN GRAPES in kegs.

VALENCIA ORANGES, CURRANTS, loose & in pkts.

LAYER TABLE RAISINS, SEEDED RAISINS.

BEST PRICES.

EDWIN MURRAY.

Your Xmas Gift!

Let us help you make your selection. We have a large and varied assortment of

Useful and Acceptable Presents for Ladies and Gents.

And our Toy Department is well stocked with Mechanical and other Toys for the little ones. An early call is solicited.

WILLIAM FREW.

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MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS.

We offer investors high class security. Conservative valuation. Interest payable semi-annually. Amounts of \$100.00 and up can be invested. The best and safest way to loan money known. Your interests expertly looked after. Titles properly searched, and property insured in a first class Company. The best security—a house and slice of the earth. Mortgage retired annually, if desired.

Fred. J. Roll & Co.,
REAL ESTATE,
SMALLWOOD BUILDING,
Duckworth St.



Having enjoyed the confidence of our Outport and City patients for many years, we beg to remind them that we are "doing business as usual" at the same old office, 203 Water Street.

Remember, Lehr's Teeth stand for durability and workmanship, combined with good fit.

Full Upper or Lower Sets \$12.00

Good Clean Extraction Without Pain 25c.

A. B. LEHR,

(The Senior Dentist)
s,tu,th,tf 203 WATER ST.

Mrs. Housekeeper,

YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE!

"Baked Pork and Beans" is a dish which the housewife is able to prepare only by a long and tedious process. The Pork and Beans must be selected with care, while long periods of soaking and baking are necessary to produce a thoroughly wholesome and tasty dish.

In Clark's Pork and Beans all this work has been done for the housewife and, because of special equipment impossible in the home kitchen, it has been done more thoroughly and uniformly. Only choice Canadian Pork combined with the highest grade Beans are used and the whole thoroughly baked by a special process which keeps the beans whole and retains in their entirety the full rich flavor and nutritive power.

"Clark's"

(At all Grocers.)

P. E. OUTERBRIDGE,

(Agent for Newfoundland)
180 WATER STREET.
(Phone 60.)

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NOTICE.

Tenders will be received up to and including Tuesday, December 21st, for that desirable Freshhold Business Premises known as Grace Building, and lately occupied by Hon. J. Anderson, situated at the corner of Water Street and O'Dwyer's Cove, corresponding with the new Bank of Nova Scotia Building. The vicinity is without doubt the finest business part of Water St. The highest or any other Tender may not be necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to

P. C. O'DRISCOLL,
Exchange Bldg.
nov23,eod,tf

NEYLE'S HARDWARE.

Skates!

Misses' and Ladies' Beauty Hockey, sizes 8 to 9 1/2, \$2.00.

Boys' & Men's Hockey, sizes 10 to 11 1/2. Reg. \$2.25 for \$1.50

Men's White Woodstock Skates.

Boys' and Men's Fiddlehead Reachers.

Men's Long Reachers, 18 in. To arrive:

Double Runner Sled Skates. Leather Heel Skates.

NEYLE'S HARDWARE.

St. John's Lodge,
No. 579, A. F. & A. M., R. E.

An Emergency Meeting of the above Lodge will be held in the Masonic Temple this Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

By order of W. M.

JOHN JEANS,
dec22,1i Secretary.

FOR SALE—1 New Dog

Sleigh and Harness, substantially built; regular cab stand style with panelled back; just the Xmas present for your children; apply at this office. dec22,31

FOR SALE—1 New Milch

Cow; good quality, between Jersey and Ayrshire; apply to J. J. TUCKER, Butcher, Brazil's Square. dec22,11

FOR SALE—That General

Purpose Bay Pony, "Bobby," 5 years old, 700 lbs.; good and kind; sold without a fault; apply to M. & E. KENNEDY, Renouf Bldg. dec22,eod,tf

OLD STAMPS—Wanted to

buy Old Newfoundland Stamps, issued from 1857 to date; used or unused; good price paid. M. BEDARD, 156 St. Andre Street, Montreal, Que. dec21,71

TO LET—Furnished House

on Military Road. For particulars apply to E. S. PINESENT, Solicitor, Law Chambers. dec22,m,w,tf

TO LET—Three Office

Rooms in Cabot Bldg., Water Street; immediate possession; apply W. V. DRAYTON. nov1,tf

WASHING WANTED—A

woman residing in the country is prepared to take washing. For further information apply to 37 Patrick St. dec22,11

STRAYED—From Witless

Bay, a Steel Grey Colt. Finder please notify MICHAEL WHITE, Witless Bay, Ferryland District. dec22,31

LOST—A Black Pointer

Dog, with brown legs. Finder please return to H. YABSLEY, Bowings' Retail-Store, and get reward. dec14,tf

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—At Once, a Baker; must be sober; apply L. BRUSHETT, Terra Nova Hotel, Water Street West. dec22,21

WANTED—A Steady Ex-

perienced Young Man for the Grocery Department; must have good reference; apply by letter only. GEO. KNOWLING. dec18,tf

WANTED—A Young Man

with a knowledge of the Book and Stationery Business; apply this office. dec16,tf

WANTED—A Capable Gen-

eral Grl, also Cook, for small family; apply this office, or address "H," this office. dec22,eod,tf