

YEAR END SALE!



Continues the Entire Week!

STOCK-TAKING brings to light many items that **escape our notice ordinarily.** Odds and Ends in every department 'll be found and Remnants galore. **Take a look in, during this SPECIAL SALE!** Many a-worth-while Saving awaits you. **GIFT GOODS** priced lower than ever. Perhaps there may be some one you have forgotten.

Mufflers! Job Line.
Great values await you in fine knit Silk Mufflers, all the leading shades, silk fringed ends, assorted widths; Ladies', Gent's, Girls' and Boys'. Mufflers for everyone underpriced for this Year End Sale. Special . . .
49c

James Baird
A NICE GLOVE for NEW YEAR'S DAY.
For the gentleman who is calling New Year's Day we have a nice line of Dark Tan and Grey Imitation Suede Gloves, a fabric resembling real Suede; wears better, warmer and more comfortable for the wearer; a line of Gloves we cannot possibly duplicate. Reg. 90c. Year End Sale Price **82c**

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS.
A variety of makes including fine Irish lawn, others in mercerized with hemstitched border and others again with silk embroidered Jack in one corner also hemstitched. Regular 15 cents. Year End Sale Price, each . . . **12c**

STUD SETS.
Neat designs in strong make, mostly gilt and pearl, 4 pieces to each set, a nice set for your dress shirt. Special for Year End Sale . . . **18c**

MEN'S LINEN COLLARS.
Popular shapes in assorted heights, best quality English four fold linen, reliable sizes. Ask for the "Baden Powell" Collar, it's a favourite. Special Year End Sale Price **15c**

APRON HOLLAND.
You have never purchased Apron Holland so cheaply before. This is an excellent make, 36 inches wide, white as the driven snow and will wear as good as a regular 20c. Holland. Special Year End Sale Price, per yard . . . **12c**

TABLE DAMASK.
60 inches wide, best quality English Damask, pure white. Start the New Year with a new Cloth bought here. Reg. 55c per yard. Special Year End Sale Price . . . **55c**

CONGOLEUM MATS.
A small shipment of these serviceable Mats just to hand, size 18 x 26; pretty centre design and harmonizing border. Brighten up for New Year's Day. Special for Year End **27c**



Special Lot of Ladies' Hose.
Another lot of our special 29c. line, showing fancy ribbed, others in plain with fleeced lining, full sizes; fast Black. Regular value for 35c. Year End Sale Price, **29c.**

SHIRTS! SHIRTS!!
Just in time a few dozen of Men's Top Shirts, showing very neat Vertical Stripe effect, soft bosom, and double French cuffs, generous sizes, lasting materials perfectly cut, all sizes. Reg. \$1.10. Year End Sale Price . . . **95c**

Bath Mats.
3 dozen of pretty little Bath Mats in heavy Terry Cloth, mostly Blue and White and Pink and White, stamped border and centre. Reg. 35c. Year End Sale Price . . .

Children's Gloves
Assorted sizes in plain shades of Saxe, Crimson, Brown and White, and a lot of others in fancy mixtures; a nice Wool Glove for cold weather wear. Reg. up to 35c. Year End Sale Price **27c**

Tapestry Table Covers, \$1.98
A new Table Cover will help you brighten up your dining room for New Year's Day. You can never tell who may be calling. We have a nice lot of good wearing Cloths in Crimson or Green mixtures, plain and fringed. Reg. price up to \$2.50. Year End Sale Price . . . **\$1.98**

Curtain Nets.
All pure White, 52 inches wide, new patterns in very lacy effects. If you are renewing your Curtains for New Year give us a call; best value here. Reg. 25c. per yard. Year End Sale Price **21c**

Men's Soft Felt Hats.
Smart London shapes in nice fine felt. Shades of Green, Grey and Brown, becoming styles for New Year's Day. Regular \$1.30. Year End Sale Price . . . **\$1.10**

Men's Sweater Coats.
Where is the man who would not appreciate a sensible gift like this. They come in sober shade of nice Dark Grey all over; others suitable for hockeyists in Marone and Grey, with deep collar. Reg. \$2.30. New Year Sale Price . . . **\$1.98**

FASHIONABLE NECKWEAR. 32c.
Our regular 40c. line cut down in price previous to stock taking. Lots of handsome mixtures in the leading shades; others showing fashionable stripe effects; wide end style. Reg. 40c. Year End Sale Price . . .

Showroom!
CORSETS.
Perfect fitting "D. & A." Corsets, in medium, short and long busts. The acme of comfort to the wearer with the shapeliness of figure assured; 4 suspenders attached; all sizes. Reg. \$1.40. Year End Sale Price . . . **1.28**

CORSET COVERS.
Warm, comfortable and snug fitting fine Jersey Ribbed Corset Covers, high neck and long sleeves, buttoned in front; sizes 36, 38 and 40. Reg. 40c. Year End Sale Price . . . **34c**

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR.
A line of heavy fleeced Jersey Underwear for children from 8 to 12 years. Vests with high necks and long sleeves; Pants to match, ankle length. Reg. up to 40c. Year End Sale Price, per garment . . . **29c**

LADIES' COLLARS.
A charming lot of Collars suitable for dress or coat in Medici, Rolled and Peter Pans; many here worth twice the price quoted. Special Year End Sale Price . . . **13c**

BLOUSES. 1.59
LOTS OF PRETTY BLOUSES FOR NEW YEAR'S DAY.
Our Regular \$2.20 for . . . **\$1.59**
Assorted makes in White Voile, Crepe and Lawn, high and low neck styles, long and 3/4 sleeves, buttoned in front, pearl button trimmings, embroidered and lace trimmed; also popular style Collars showing "Medici," "Peter Pans," semi-Military, etc. All our regular lines up to \$2.20. Year End Sale Price . . .

LADIES' SCARVES.
All the most asked for shades in stylish Silk Knitted Mufflers, with long fringed ends; for Ladies' and Misses' wear. Reg. 60c. Year End Sale Price . . . **49c**

APRONS.
4 dozen of all White Lawn Aprons, with embroidered body, frill around skirt; full sizes. Reg. 45c. Year End Sale Price . . . **39c**

A Case Lot of Ladies, Gentlemen's and Boys' Sample Underwear.
We would urge you to come early for these values; being samples, like sizes will be picked up quickly. Vests and Pants in assorted weights, every garment suitable for winter wear. A lot of Boys' Unshrinkable Wool Underpants came along with this lot also; mostly sizes for boys from 14 to 17 years. COME EARLY.

Tea Cloths.
A few dozen of these just come to light. Stock taking always unearths many items that get mislaid, notably a few dozen of these all White Damask Tea Cloths, finished with scalloped and braided edge; soft finish. Reg. 35c 40c. Year End Sale Price . . . **35c**

White Sheeting.
160 yards of ure White English Twilled Sheeting, 80 inches wide. Nothing better for family wear at anything near the price. Good value for 55c. Our regular 75c. lines. Year End Sale Price . . . **46c**

Cork Soles.
Just what you need now during the damp weather. We have Ladies' and Gent's sizes, both sides with felt covering and layer of cork between. Special Year End Sale Price, per pair . . . **4c**

New Caps.
A nice line of fashionable Caps in light and medium Tweed mixtures; correct shapes, all silk linings. Our regular 75c. lines. Year End Sale Price . . . **65c**



LADIES' MEN'S
A Rubber to suit the high heel boot, high cut storm; real Storm Rubbers; 1/2 nubby shape. Our best seller to-day. Special Year End Sale Price . . . **69c**

A dependable line of Men's High Cut Storm Rubbers; 1/2 sizes to pick from. Reg. 75c. Year End Sale Price . . . **69c**



HEARTH RUGS:
18 only of high grade Axminster Hearth Rugs. These are unusually heavy and show very rich colour blending; beautiful designs, fringed ends. Regular \$6.20. Year End Sale Price . . . **\$5.70**

A TIMELY OFFERING. Parlor Door Mats.
Clearing lines of nice Tapestry Door Mats. These just came in time for New Year's, brightening up a touch here and there. A new mat or two gives the place an improved look. 3 Special Prices:
Reg. 70c. . . **59c** Reg. 80c. . . **68c**
for . . . Reg. 90c. . . **78c**

Lt. Donnelly and B.I.S. Exchange Greetings.

On Christmas Eve the accompanying message was sent to Lieutenant James Donnelly from the Benevolent Irish Society of which he is a prominent member:
To Lieut. Jas. Donnelly,
First Nfld. Regiment,
St. Andrew's Malta.
"Congratulations fellow members Society."
(Sgd.) J. D. RYAN, President.
The winner of the Military Cross sent this reply:
B. I. S.,
St. John's, Nfld.
"Thanks, fellow members."
(Sgd.) DONNELLY.

In honour of the award conferred on this young officer by His Majesty the King, the members of the B. I. S. are holding a patriotic smoking concert and celebration at their Club Rooms to-night.

Capt Meikle Back.

Capt. Meikle and all the Nascope's crew, with the exception of Chief Engineer Ledingham and Second Engineer Black, returned to the city on Christmas Day. The ship is now under control of the Russian Government until June next. She left here early in November, codfish laden for Mediterranean ports. After discharging and going to Gibraltar for coal, she proceeded to Swansea where the crew were paid off. The ship was taken over by her owners, the Hudson Bay Company, and put into dock and overhauled. Since then the ship has been taken control of by the Russian Authorities. Capt. Meikle and crew crossed from the Old Country to St. John, N.B., on the Liner Pretorian on board of which were also over 300 wounded soldiers belonging to various Canadian Regiments, who were being invalided home. Some were minus an arm or a leg, others had serious bullet wounds in various parts of the body, but the Nascope's crew say that they never saw such a happy bunch of men, despite their physical ailments. Among the wounded soldiers were several Newfoundlanders.

Missing Schooner Turns Up

The schr. Ethel B. Clarke, which was caught out in the snow storm of a week ago while bound here from Springdale with a cargo of lumber and about which there were grave fears felt, as she was not reported anywhere, has arrived safely at Carbonary; word to that effect has been received by the Marine and Fisheries Department.

Slight Fire.

In response to a telephone call the Central and Eastern Companies were called to the Rectory of Rev. Dr. Jones, on King's Bridge Road, at eight o'clock this morning, where a slight fire in progress. The top blow off the chimney and sparks scattered about the roof, igniting the shingles. The firemen put out the fire before any damage was done.

Here and There.

AWAITING ORDERS.—The S. S. Bonaventure which went from here to the Mediterranean ports with a cargo of fish, is still at Gibraltar awaiting orders from the Russian Government.

CALENDARS.—We wish to thank Messrs. Harvey & Co., Ltd., and also C. A. C. Bruce, Esq., Agent for the Canada Life Assurance Co., for handsome wall calendars.

Neck Chalps make a very desirable Xmas Present for a lady. A new stock has just been opened at Trappell's. Prices from \$1.10 to \$3.00. dec13,1f

FOR OUR SOLDIERS.—Mr. D. M. Baird, Hon. Sec. of the Local Branch St. John Ambulance Brigade, is in receipt of a parcel containing several packages of playing cards for our sick and convalescent soldiers, forwarded by Miss Edith A. White of Bishop's Falls through the Daily News.

JOHN BULL'S PATRIOTIC PIERRETTES, New Year's Night
First appearance of Assistant Paymaster Pearse, R.N.R., in the thrilling melo-drama "The Burglar and the Girl." Tickets at Atlantic Bookstore. Book early. dec27,31

WEDDING ANNOUNCED.—The wedding of M. Suzor, the French Consul, to Mlle. Bidel, daughter of M. Edouard Bidel, formerly of St. Pierre, but now of this city, will take place shortly at Montreal. Mme. Suzor, the Consul's mother, who resides in Japan, is making the long journey to Montreal to be present at the wedding. To the prospective bride and groom the Telegram offers congratulations.

T. J. Edens

XMAS Stocking
and
LUCKY TUBS,
Just in from London, from 5c. each to \$1.50 each.

By S. S. Stephano, Monday, December 20th.

FRUIT!
CATAWBA GRAPES.
TANGERINES.
PEARS.
BANANAS.
GRAPE FRUIT.
CAL. NATEL ORANGES.
FLORIDA ORANGES.
GREEN GRAPES.
WINE SAPP APPLES.

Fresh VEGETABLES!
CELERY.
CUCUMBERS.
TOMATOES.

PRUNES,
1-lb. Carton,
10c.

CRYSTALIZED CHERRIES.
CHERRIES IN MARASQUINO.
SALTED ALMONDS.
ASPIC JELLY.
GROUND SWEET ALMONDS.
LEMON CURD.
OLIVES—Green and Stuffed, 15c. to 75c. btl.
OLIVES—Green, Imp. gall. btl. \$1.25.

Havana Cigars!
Direct from the factories.
BOCK, HY. CLAY, CABANAS.

MOIR'S CHOCOLATES and CAKES.
WALLACE'S CHOCOLATES, 1/2lb, 1 lb, 2 lb. boxes.
TOM SMITH'S FIREWORK CRACKERS.
PASCAL'S ENG. TOFFEE and BUTTER SCOTCH.
FRY'S MILK CHOCOLATE BISCUITS, 1/2 lb. box.
5 lb. box ACME MIXTURE, \$1.20
5 lb. box ROYAL CHOCOLATE Drops, \$1.20
5 lb. box SIGNET CHOCOLATE Drops, \$1.20.

Early Shoppers Get Best Selections.

50 sides IRISH BACON—Boned.
FIDELITY BACON and HAMS.
NEW YORK SAUSAGES.
NEW YORK CORNED BEEF.
ENG. OX TONGUES in Glass.
ASSTD. JELLIES, to make 1 pint, 6c.; 60c. doz.
BROAD FIGS, 10c. box to 50c. box.
STUFFED FIGS and DATES in Glass.
FRUIT SYRUPS, 15c. btl.
DRIED HERBS, in pkgs., 1c. and 2c. each.
CAMPBELL'S SOUPS, 12c. tin.
JAM, asstd. (tumbler), 13c. ea.
Marmalade, tumbler, 11c. ea.

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Duckworth St. and
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