

10 Mile Race.

SPORTS BIG SPORTING AT TRACTION.

OF CANADA VS. BELL OF NEWFOUNDLAND.



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WITH MEN IN THE PINK.

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THE CHALLENGE. Bell, Newfoundland's Hope. Bell will be competing in the 10 mile race against Jackson. The race will be held on the ice at the St. John's rink. The race will be a very close one, as Bell is a very fast skater.

NO SMOKING. The committee in charge are determined that no smoking will be tolerated in the building. The committee in charge are determined that no smoking will be tolerated in the building.

A Vast Array of Christmas Merchandise

Ready for Instant Choosing

Let Up Help You With Your Problems

This store welcomes you in its glad Christmas Dress. The holiday decorations are all in place, the holiday goods are all ready for choosing—and prices were seldom so advantageous, nor offerings so desirable as now.

It is not too early to begin Christmas shopping—in fact, this is just the time when the greatest advantages are to be had—while the assortments are at their best.



This Page is a reliable guide for Gift Buying

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

High Grade Perfumes

You will find the choicest selections of fine Perfumes and Toilet requisites at this store. Gift goods that have a universal appeal.

Perfumes in Fancy Bottles. Eau de Cologne, Lavender Water, Lily of the Valley, Jacky Club, White Rose, Heliotrope, etc.

Prices . . . 40c, 55c, 70c, 85c and up to \$4.20

Flower Extracts. In fancy bottles and vials, including such odors as Cashmere Bouquet, Eclat, Las Fleurs, etc.

Prices . . . 55c, 85c, \$1.10, \$1.50, \$2.00

PERFUME SETS. 4 and 5 Miniature bottles in set; assorted odors.

Prices 80c, 85c, 90c, \$2.00 and up to \$4.20 set

Christmas and New Year Cards

IN CHOICE ASSORTMENTS. Xmas and New Year Cards, boxes, assorted with envelopes.

Prices, per box . . . 20, 30, 40, 60, 80c.

Xmas and New Year Cards, packets, assorted.

Prices, per packet . . . 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c.

Xmas Auto Stationery, per pkt. . . 25, 35, 45c.

Birthday Cards, each . . . 4, 8, 12, 20, 30, 45c.

Return Thanks Cards, per box . . . 40c.

Infants' Wear

Infants' Bibs. SILK.

Prices . . . 25c, 35c, 50c and 60c each

EMBROIDERED LAWN. Prices . . . 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c each

PADDED LAWN. Prices . . . 15c, 20c, 25c each

TOWELLING. Prices . . . 15c and 25c each

Infants' First White Dresses. Prices \$1.25, 1.45, 1.50, 1.55, 2.00 ea.

Dolls

DOLLS—Dressed and Undressed. Prices . . . 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c up to \$5.00

DOLL'S NURSING SETS—Price . . . 45c. a set

DOLL'S BRUSH AND COMB SETS. Price . . . 25c. a set

DOLL'S HEADS—Price . . . 32c. each

DOLL'S CHINA TEA SETS. Prices . . . 60c. and 70c. a set

DOLL'S FURNITURE SETS. Prices . . . 35c. to \$1.00 a set

DOLL'S BEDS—Prices 90c, \$1.50, 2.20 & 2.75

DOLL'S HOUSES—Prices 25c, 40c, up to \$1.25

Silk Neckwear

The smartest of the season's patterns in Silk Ties with wide flowing ends; Ties that will not crease with knotting; rich, quaint designs in shadow tones and bright splashes of warm color.

SILK TIES. Prices . . . 25c, 35c, 40c, 55c, 70c up to 1.00 ea.

KNITTED TIES. Prices . . . 45c, 55c and \$1.10 each

Men's Socks

Fine wool Socks of Cashmere and Yarn that fit closely and neatly to the leg and ankle. Socks that are reinforced where the wear comes.

Prices . . . 55c, 75c, 85c, 90c, \$1.25 pair

Victor Christmas Records

Adoro Fideles (Come All Ye Faithful)—Macdonough & Quartet . . . 75c.

Adoro Fideles (Come All Ye Faithful)—McCormack & Male Chorus . . . 75c.

Bible Reading and Christmas Carol—Victor Orchestra . . . 75c.

Christmas Morning at Clancy's—Porter . . . 75c.

Christmas Chorus—Victor Mixed Chorus . . . 75c.

First Noel and Nazareth—Lyric Quartet . . . 75c.

Holy Night—Quartet and Trinity Choir . . . 75c.

Christmas Hymns—Harp Neapolitan Trio . . . 75c.

Christmas Handkerchiefs

Our assortment of new Handkerchiefs comprise more varieties than ever before; our values are better than they have been for years. We have the sensible kinds that men like for practical service and the daintiest kinds, all tasteful, women delight in.

Women's Handkerchiefs. In fancy boxes, genuine Irish make; hemstitched, with embroidered corners.

3 in box—Prices . . . 50c, 70c, 80c, \$1.00 box

6 in box—Prices . . . \$1.00, 1.50, 2.25, 3.30 box

Men's Handkerchiefs. Linen and Lawn—Prices . . . 10c, 25c, 30c and 85c each

Silk, White and colored—Prices . . . 60c. to \$1.65

Children's Handkerchiefs. Picture Handkerchiefs, colored Borders and Nursery Rhymes. Prices . . . 6c, 7c and 8c ea.

White Cotton Handkerchiefs—Prices 9c & 15c ea.

In boxes, 3 in box—Prices . . . 50c, 60c, 70c & 80c box

Silk and Wool Scarves

Fancy Wool Scarves. Assorted pretty shades. Prices . . . \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.60

Silk Scarves. Latest designs in Black and colored. Prices . . . \$1.20, 2.25, 4.25 up to 6.50

Scotch Knit Scarves. All Wool, assorted Heather colorings. Prices . . . \$1.65, 2.00, 2.25, 3.25

Gift Furs

Every season sees our business in Furs increasing. The great care which we have always given in selecting only the best models and the best class of skins has naturally had the effect of attracting a growing and appreciative clientele.

We are now showing many new and exclusive models in a variety of beautiful Furs.

GOLDEN FOX—Price . . . \$26.00

NATURAL BADGER—Price . . . \$35.00

TAUPE LYNX—Price . . . \$42.00

BROWN LUTULE WOLF—Price . . . \$185.50

AMERICAN WOLF, Grey—Price . . . \$42.50

AMERICAN WOLF, Taupe—Price . . . \$32.50

SKUNK OPPOSSUM—Prices . . . \$25.50 to \$105.00

HUDSON SEAL—Price . . . \$45.00 to \$115.00

MISSIES FUR SETS. NATURAL LYNX—Price . . . \$100.00

Collars and Stoles. ROSE FOXELINE, full animal shaped. Prices . . . \$4.50 to \$3.25

BLACK DAKOTA WOLF—Prices . . . \$75 to \$22.50

BLACK LYNX—Price . . . \$32.00

TAUPE WOLF—Price . . . \$29.50

BROWN OPPOSSUM—Price . . . \$29.50

NATURAL COON—Price . . . \$57.50

Muffs. Barrel and Pillow shaped. BLACK MANCHURIAN—Prices . . . \$12.00 to \$20.00

BLACK FOX—Price . . . \$20.00

GREY SQUIRREL—Price . . . \$20.00

Furniture Practical Gifts

Morris Chairs. Quartered Oak frame; Golden Oak finish; upholstered in Morocco Cloth and Tapestry. Prices . . . \$29.21, \$7.50, \$1.95, \$2.50, \$4.75 each

Easy Chairs and Rockers. Overstuffed, comfortable spring seat and back; upholstered in Tapestry. Prices . . . \$13.65, 22.75, \$1.30, \$4.65, \$7.85

Round Tables. Golden Oak—Prices . . . \$22.95, \$24.90

Elm finish—Price . . . \$22.95

Mahogany finish—Price . . . \$24.95, \$27.75

New Gift Blouses

Distinction in every line, individuality in every style, charm in each cleverly expressed touch of ornamentation—a Blouse gift is sure to please even the most fastidious woman, not costly either.

Voile Blouses. In White and colored, a wide range of styles. Prices . . . \$1.45, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 4.00

Silk Blouses. White and colored, Shirtwaist and other styles. Prices . . . \$5.50, 6.50, 7.00, 8.25 up to 11.50

Crepe de Chene Blouses. Shirtwaist and Smock designs; assorted colors and sizes. Prices . . . \$5.75, 7.75, 9.50, 10.75 up to 16.50

Flannelette Blouses. In a wide range of styles, sizes and colors. Prices . . . 85c, \$1.55, 1.75, 2.25 and 3.25

Umbrellas

Women's Umbrellas. Bent and straight handles of Steel or Wood; 8 ribbed frames; covered with Black Silk and high grade Gloria Cloth. Prices . . . \$1.50, 2.00, 2.20, 2.40, 2.75, 3.30, 4.25

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Men's Umbrellas. Stout wood and steel rods; crook and military handles; covered with good quality Gloria Cloth; guaranteed fast Black Dye. Prices . . . \$2.50, 3.25, 3.75, 4.50 and 5.50

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Felt Slippers for all the family

Ladies' Felt Slippers. In colors of Brown, Blue and Rose. Prices . . . \$1.75 pair

Wine and Grey—Price . . . \$2.70 pair

Plaid—Price . . . \$1.85 pair

Child's Felt Slippers. In colors of Blue and Red. Prices . . . \$1.55 and \$1.75

MISSIES FELT SLIPPERS—price per pair \$1.75

Ladies' Spats. 10 button length, in Black, Brown and Grey. Price per pair . . . \$2.00

12 button length, in Black, Brown, Grey and Fawn. Price . . . \$2.25 pair

Men's Felt Slippers. In dark Grey; Comfy soles. Price per pair . . . \$2.25

In fancy checks, Leather soles. Price per pair . . . \$2.50

Men's Leather Slippers. In Black and Tan—Prices . . . \$2.50 and \$2.70

Boys' Slippers. In Dark Grey, Leather soles and heels. Price per pair . . . \$1.55

MEN'S SPATS—Price per pair . . . \$4.55

Men's Dancing Shoes. Oxford styles, Black Patent Leather. Price per pair . . . \$5.00

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Gloves are Ideal Gifts

Women's Lined Kid Gloves. Assorted colors and sizes. Prices . . . \$4.50, 6.00, 7.50 and 8.00 pair

Women's Wool Gloves. In dark Heather shades; Leather bound; 2 dome fasteners; all sizes. Prices . . . 60c. and 90c. pair

Women's Wool Gauntlets. In shades of Fawn, Brown, Grey and mixed Heathers; striped designs on wrist; also plain wrists. Prices . . . \$1.00, 1.10, 1.30 and 1.55 pair

Misses' Wool Gauntlets. In colors of Fawn, White and in light Heather mixtures. Prices . . . \$1.00 and 1.10 pair

Children's All Wool Gloves. In Red, Navy, Black, White and fancy colorings; sizes 1 to 6. Price . . . 35c. pair

Boys' Wool Gloves. In Dark Heather mixtures; all sizes from 1 to 6. Prices . . . 40c, 45c, 70c

Wool Sweaters and Jumpers

Fresh and new and possessing that touch of style and color, combinations that make so delightful for Gift-giving. Unlimited choice for Women and Misses.

Wool Sweaters. In shades of Tan, Rose and Brown. Price . . . \$4.00 each

Coral and Pink. Price . . . \$5.50 each

Beaver Jade, Saxe and Grey. Prices . . . \$6.50 and \$7.00

Brown, Rose, Navy, Saxe and Beaver. Price . . . \$7.50

Jade, Grey, Saxe and Champagne. Price . . . \$8.50

Beaver, Lemon and White. Price . . . \$11.50

Camel, Rose with White stripes. Price . . . \$18.50

Dressing Gowns

Children's Silk Dressing Gowns. Crimson, padded and quilted effects. Price . . . \$3.50 each

Ladies' Dressing Gowns. Made of Ripple Cloth, in Blue, Pink, Rose, Grey and Crimson. Prices . . . \$2.75, \$4.25 each

Ladies' Flannel Dressing Gowns. Prices . . . \$15.25, 16.50, 19.25, 27.00 each

Ladies' Eiderdown Dressing Gowns. In assorted colors. Prices . . . 75c, \$1.00, 1.25, 2.00 up to \$10.00

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Ivory Goods

White Celluloid and Ivory Goods. PHOTO FRAMES. Prices . . . 50c, 60c, 70c to \$2.25 each

HAIR RECEIVERS. Price . . . \$1.50 each

POWDER BOXES. Price . . . \$1.60 each

TRAYS. Price . . . 90c. and \$1.00

HAIR BRUSHES. Prices . . . \$1.50, 2.70, 3.40 each

Leatherette Goods

GLOVE BOXES. Prices . . . 50c, 70c, \$1.10 each

TIE BOXES. Prices . . . 50c, 70c, \$1.10 each

HANDKERCHIEF BOXES. Prices . . . 50c, 70c, \$1.10 each

COLLAR BOXES. Prices . . . 50c, 70c, \$1.10 each

MUSIC CASES. Price . . . \$1.60 each

LEATHER FOUCHES. Price . . . \$1.00 each

Silk Stockings

Are sure to please and here there are so many different kinds of Hosiery at so many prices that a selection of suitable Hosiery is a simple matter.

Women's Silk Stockings. Black and White. Prices . . . 55c, \$1.00, 1.35 and 2.65 pair

In colors of Brown, Grey, Fawn and Navy. Prices . . . 55c, 60c, 70c, 80c, 90c, 1.00, 1.50 pair

Prices . . . 55c, 60c, 70c, 80c, 90c, 1.00, 1.50 pair

Blankets for Warmth & Comfort

Here is a practical Gift suggestion for those who will appreciate warmth and comfort during the cold weather.

All Wool Blankets. Full sizes. Prices . . . \$7.50, 9.00, 10.50 and 12.00 pair

Part Wool Blankets. Full sizes. Prices . . . \$5.00, 6.25, 7.50 and 8.75 pair

Down and Wadded Quilts. Prices . . . \$3.55, 4.50, 5.70, 10.00, etc

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THE STORE OF THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

THE Royal Stores, LTD.

use the usual entrance. A limited number of ushers will be on hand to see that everyone secures their proper seats in the galleries.

Christian Brothers Collection.

COLLECTORS MEET WITH MUCH SUCCESS.

The annual collection for the Christian Brothers, taken at the R.C. Churches of the Archdiocese yesterday fell short of last year's amount by a little over \$107 but it is expected that as several sums from various sources are yet to come in, the collection will equal, if not exceed last year's total. The amount received this year is \$7,985.14; and that of last year was \$8,092.48. The following are the particulars:—

	1922	1921
Cathedral . . .	\$5,233.43	\$5,176.01
St. Patrick's . . .	2,430.81	2,615.00
St. Joseph's . . .	245.90	217.47
Mt. Cashel . . .	75.00	85.00

\$7,985.14 \$8,092.48

The success of the collection at this particular time, when money is not too plentiful, is a splendid testimony to the work of the Brothers in the cause of education. Immediately after Last Mass the collectors assembled at Mt. St. Francis, where the Hon. J. D. Ryan, in passing over the collection taken at the Cathedral, made a short address in which he eulogized the work of the Brothers, since their advent to our shores, and their splendid self-sacrifice and untiring zeal in the education of our catholic youth. The amount from St. Patrick's were presented by Mr. M. Bambrick, from St. Joseph's by Mr. R. Jardine, and the collection taken at Mt. Cashel was presented by Rev. Bro. Conway, all of whom made short addresses.

Rev. Bro. Ahearn, on behalf of the Brothers, thanked the collectors and the people for their whole-hearted generosity. The collection exceeded their most sanguine expectations, and was even a greater success than last year's, taking everything into consideration. The generosity of the Catholic people of St. John's was proverbial and it must only spur the Brothers on to greater effort if that was possible. Brother Ahearn, in his conclusion, read a letter from His Grace the Archbishop, in which he wished the collection every success, and expressing the best wishes of himself and the Priests of the Diocese. Congratulatory speeches were made by Judge Morris,