

## CHECK 810 WINS HAT

Diana Sweets Announce Winner of Hat Displayed by Marr Millinery Company.

The Diana Sweets, wish to announce to their patrons that the lucky number of the hat given away by them and now on display in the window of Marr Millinery Company is 810. If the person holding this lucky number will kindly present same at Diana Sweets, 9 Charlotte street, they will be given the hat. Mr. Stevenson, the proprietor of Diana Sweets, wishes to thank all his customers for his most successful opening and to assure them of his great desire to be of service with Quality Ice Cream and candy in the future.

## LOCAL NEWS

**REMEMBER**  
The sale of travelers' samples china and earthenware at Linton & Sinclair's, 97 Duck street. 17018-12-19

Do all your Xmas shopping for less money at Basson's 14, 16, 18 Charlotte street. 12-15.

The McRobbie Shoe Co., 50 King St. have just received some remarkably nice values in women's fawn and grey broad-cloth gaiters—They make nice Christmas gifts. 12-16.

**EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS**  
SKIM THE CREAM  
Newest gift goods for men are here. Neckties, mufflers, shirts, gloves, handkerchiefs, fancy and evening vests. All

## Children Like New Shoes

Just as Well  
as Toys



The cutest shoes for the cutest babies—can you think of anything better?

Probably everybody will give rattles or teething rings; be different—give shoes.

We have a big variety—some have the softest of soles, others a bit firmer to furnish support for wee toddlers' feet.

Prices, 65c. to \$3.25

**Waterbury & Rising, Ltd.**  
Three Stores

acceptable and appropriate; no man will object to a good supply. No fancy prices, but a small advance ensuring a quick turnover. As our Christmas sales

have always increased, our goods, prices and service must be pleasing to our patrons. Gilmour's, 69 King street.

Fifteen pounds best corned beef, \$1.00. Doyle's, 151 Prince Edward street, Phone 4469. 17130-12-19.

## RECENT DEATHS

The death of Robert Nelson occurred at the home of Albert Williams, Queens-town, on Dec. 9, after a short illness of pneumonia. He was formerly a resident of Summer Hill, Queens county, where burial took place on Sunday. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Pepper and was largely attended. He is survived by two sisters, Miss Emma, of Summer Hill, and Mrs. Harry Lord, of West St. John.

## DECLARATION FIGURES.

At the Victoria-Carleton declaration proceedings at Woodstock yesterday, the final tabulation gave Caldwell, Progressive, 6,418 votes and Smith, Conservative, 5,261.

R. W. Grimmer, Conservative, was officially declared elected as member for Charlotte county, receiving 6,706 votes. St. Andrews. The total was: Grimmer, 8,202; Todd, Liberal, 5,069; majority for Grimmer, 3,133.

Declaration proceedings for Northumberland county took place at Newcastle. Morrissey, Liberal, received 6,706 votes; McCurdy, Conservative, 5,265. Rejected and spoiled, 184. The total number of votes cast was 12,155.

## Catarh Means Impure Blood

It is a Constitutional Disease.  
When it affects the nose and throat and becomes chronic it weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and may lead to consumption. It impairs the taste, smell and hearing. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla, which by purifying the blood removes the cause of the disease, so troublesome at this time of year, and gives permanent relief. "I had catarrh of the head and stomach, and dreadful ringing noises in my ears. I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla; my health improved wonderfully, and I adopted Hood's Sarsaparilla as my family medicine." Mrs. M. Jenny Shaw, St. John's, N. B.

## Thirty-Four Beautiful Evening Dresses of Latest Mode

Very Specially Reduced For Christmas Selling

Many different types among them to please a lot of individual tastes. These frocks have assumed the very utmost in charm of fabric, of color and of line, and this special event features prices that are 'way down. Rarely are Evening Dresses so distinctive, so very wearable and so good.



## IMAGINE A

Frock of orchid taffeta with basque waist caught up at one side with a shell ornament in pearl and gold shades and narrow turquoise ribbon bows and streamers. Basque terminates in a wide sash at back, and neck is finished with wide frill of metallic lace edged with blue.

Another striking model is developed in tangerine gros-de-Londres with cascade skirt draperies and diminutive sleeves of georgette in same shade. Hand-made flowers to match adorn the waist.

A Handsome Black Satin Dress has small sleeves and three-tier over-skirt of black net edged with silver. Sapphire Net over black Satin is another lovely combination.

Gold lace bands and ornaments on underlip are charmingly veiled and very effective. Narrow bows of gold ribbon on shoulders and velvet fruit ornaments in variegated colors at waist complete the color scheme.

A youthful model without sleeves is fashioned of Nile Satin. This has petal skirt with front panel of white net embroidered in silver. Waist has ornamentation of silver ribbon with small cerise flowers intertwined.

Panne Velvet Frocks in dull blue and rich geranium shades, are included in this special selling and others in such shimmering color combinations as jade with gold; orchid with silver; peach with gold; maize with rose.

Be Sure and Look Into These Wonderful Values.

A new group of handsome frocks for afternoon, evening and street wear will be on view daily in our pre-Christmas dress display.

(2nd Floor.)

**Manchester Robertson Allison Limited**  
KING STREET • GERMAIN STREET • MARKET SQUARE •

## For Christmas Giving

The pleasure and satisfaction in owning a good Watch Bracelet, is felt by those carrying a "Ferguson & Page Special."

It is built to meet the requirements of every day wear, and its reliability, and long service, are fully guaranteed.

You will be very agreeably surprised, when you see this unusual watch.

The prices are—  
Best Gold Filled Case and Bracelet.....\$25.00  
10K. Gold Case and Bracelet.....35.00  
14K. Gold Case and Bracelet.....45.00

**FERGUSON & PAGE**

The Jewellers 41 King Street  
Open Evenings

## CLEARANCE SALE HEATING STOVES

We are clearing our floor of heaters and have marked every one down for quick sale. Your chance to make that cold room comfortable.

**Phillip Grannan, Limited**  
Phone Main 365 568 Main Street

The Store of

**DYKEMAN'S**

Complete Satisfaction

## VISIT TOYLAND

Top Floor  
Our display of Dolls is the best in the city. Our prices are possibly lower and the quality higher. See for yourself. All kinds of Toys.



## GIFT UMBRELLAS

Most every one receives a Gift of this variety sometime or other. Very seldom one ever gets two in the same season, so be different, give HIM or HER a Gift Umbrella. For Women or Men. All sizes, all grades for both.

\$2.75 to \$20.00

## Voile

These are good lines at these prices. \$1.50 to \$8.50

## SILK UNDERWEAR

The Highest Grades Obtainable to Sell for Less.  
Special Christmas Prices.

All Lines Neatly Boxed Free, of Course.

Camisoles.....79c to \$6.00  
Boudoir Caps.....50c to \$4.75  
Gowns.....\$5 to \$15.00  
Pyjamas.....\$10.00 to \$15.00  
Chemise.....\$2.75 to \$10.00  
Step-ins.....\$4.75 to \$8.50  
Many of these lines are samples and are exceptionally reasonable.

Christmas Neckwear  
Half Price.  
Christmas Tree Decorations  
3 for 10c, to 15c each.  
Kimono for every woman.  
\$8.50 to \$18.50

Cups and Saucers, hand-painted  
Nippon. 30c each.

## One of These NEW BLOUSES

What a Gift to any woman. She can't have too many. 'Tis a man's gift to a woman, and one woman's gift to another. Our Blouse Department is specializing this Christmas on medium priced Blouses of the better kind at a price that most people want to pay.

Special quality Tricotee Blouses. All colors. All sizes. \$3.95. See this one.

## Georgette Crepe

Same shades as the rainbow. Others too. \$4.00 to \$11.50

## Crepe-De-Chine

Shade range not so broad as every shade, but near. \$4.75 to \$14.50

## Habutai

White, pink, maize, navy. \$2.50 to \$8.50



## LOCAL NEWS

Buy your French Ivory toilet and man-ure sets, roll-ups, at Mahony's, Dock St.

**LUGRIN PHOTO STUDIO.**  
Still, taking orders for Christmas delivery. Sittings day or night. 36 Charlotte.

**TEA AND SALE.**  
Useful and fancy Christmas gifts. Victoria street church, Thursday, 8 to 12-15.

**BIG MUSICAL HIT THIS WEEK**  
A delightful musical treat will be given in St. Vincent's Auditorium on Thursday evening by Guy Taylor and

Mrs. L. M. LeLachur, assisted by Bayard Currie, under the auspices of the St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. It will be one of the musical hits of the season.

Tickets on sale at Colgan's drug store, Waterloo street; Photograph Salon, King square; Munroe's Drug Store, Main street, and by members of the society.

## SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.

On Thursday night at 8 o'clock the S. S. Wanganutta Jazz Band will give their first concert in St. John. Twenty cents. Reserved 25 cents. Look out for the Melita Party. 12-16

## TO FORM ASSOCIATION

All who are interested in the formation of a St. John branch of the Canadian Authors' Association will be welcomed at a meeting to be held in the Board of Trade rooms tomorrow evening. This meeting follows the conference recently held at the school board

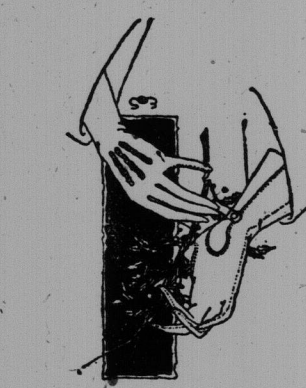
## Pretty Blouses Put Up in Individual Holiday Boxes

All The Newest of The New.



TO know whether or not a pretty blouse is an appropriate present just reserve the principles, imagine how pleased you would be to open a box on Christmas morning and find one of these lovely and thoughtful presents.

Georgette and Crepe-de-Chenes \$4.95 to \$15.00  
Fine Voiles and Jap Silks \$2.50 to \$7.50



## Hosiery—Always an Appropriate Gift.

And Our Prices Will Prove Our Claims for the Best Value.

Ladies' Pure Silk Hosiery; colors and black, in box. Price \$1.48 a Pr

Women's Fine Silk Hosiery; black only, in box. Price \$2.25 a Pr

Ladies' Silk Hosiery, with clocks; several colors. Price \$2.50 a Pr

Women's Heather Silk Hosiery. Price \$2.25 a Pr

Women's Wool Heather Hosiery, with clocks. Price \$1.75 a Pr

Women's Silk and Wool Hosiery, black and colors. Price \$1.95 a Pr

## Give Her Gloves—An Ideal Xmas Gift.

All at the New Market Prices.

Women's Cape Gloves, tan, brown or gray, in Xmas box. New Prices—

\$1.75, \$2.25 and \$4.95 Pr

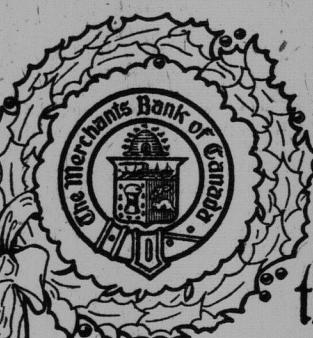
Women's Gauntlet Cape Gloves. New Prices \$2.95 to \$5.25

Women's and Children's Jaeger Wool Gloves. New Prices \$1.00 to \$2.25

Women's Chamoisette Gloves, silk lined. Price \$1.95 a Pr

Ladies' Gauntlet Chamoisette Gloves, silk lined. Prices \$2.50 and \$2.95

Kiddies' Wool Mitts, in box. Price 65c a Pr



Plan to make next  
Christmas  
the happiest of all

With plenty of money in Bank to buy all the presents you had planned, the joy of gift-giving becomes a joy indeed.

The spirit of Christmas does not ring true when giving is a hardship—when someone must be forgotten—when someone gives to you and you can give nothing in return. You can make sure of having enough money for Christmas 1922 by joining our "Christmas Club" NOW.

There are no dues or fees of any kind—it is open to all—to you and every member of your family and your friends.

Just decide how much money you want to have for next Christmas, come to the bank for enrolment, and then deposit a regular sum each week.

Such systematic saving, with the help of our "Christmas Club" will make your 1922 Christmas the happiest of all. Join to-day and start to save.

## Even Payment Classes

In which the same amount is deposited each week for 50 weeks

25c. weekly totals	\$12.50
50c. weekly totals	25.00
\$1.00 weekly totals	50.00
\$2.00 weekly totals	100.00
\$5.00 weekly totals	250.00
\$10.00 weekly totals	500.00
\$20.00 weekly totals	1000.00

## Increasing Payment Classes

In which increasing amounts are deposited each week for 50 weeks

1c. and increase totals	\$12.75
2c. and increase totals	25.50
5c. and increase totals	63.75
10c. and increase totals	127.50

You can join several classes if you wish

St. John Branch 76 Prince William Street F. J. Shreve, Manager.

**The MERCHANTS BANK  
Christmas Club**

## London House

F. W. DANIEL CO. Head of King Street