

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1920

LAST CALL FOR CHRISTMAS BARGAINS

FOOTWEAR FOR GIFTS AT "YE OLDEN TIME COSTS"

Also 20 Per Cent Discount Allowed on All Shoes Priced at \$10 or Over, and
No Luxury Tax to Bothe: You

We Have a Wonderful Assortment of Ladies' Spats and Boot Tops
at Prices Very Entertaining, an Extra Special Being a
Beautiful Gray 12-button at \$1.48

98c.
Children's
Fancy Plaid
Slippers,
with Collars.
All sizes, 8 to 2.



OUR NEW PATENT
SUNBURST TIE
—FOR—
Evening Wear and Dancing
Should Please.

WIEZEL'S
CASH STORE
SUPERIOR FOOTWEAR
242 UNION STREET

Extra Special
\$8.95
Ladies'
Vici Kid Lace Boots.
High Cut,
Welted Soles, with
Cuban or Louis Heels.
Formerly
Priced
at \$14.00.

39c.
Babies'
First Booties.
Patent with
Red or Brown
Kid Tops.
Buttoned.



98c.
Men's Warm
Felt Slippers.
Thick Felt Soles.
Grandpa's Style.
All Sizes.

Open Every Evening This Week Until 10 O'Clock. Extra Salespeople to Serve You. Mail Orders Promptly Attended to.

LUM DUFF FOR CREWS AT SEA
Passenger Liners Prepare for
Holiday Festivities—Wine
and Rum Treat Abandoned.

New York, Dec. 22.—Christmas will be observed at sea next Saturday with turkey and plum pudding for all hands. American ships in port will not have any excuse the crews will be ashore enjoying themselves whether it is in the United States or abroad. Before the war it was the custom on passenger liners under foreign flags to furnish champagne, burgundy and other wines to the passengers free on Christmas Day, with wine for the officers and beer or rum for the crews, but that usage has been abandoned except on the Dutch liners, where the crew get an extra dram of schnapps, and on the Swedish steamships, where the custom of drinking "glug" on Christmas Eve is still observed. "Glug" is made by burning raisins in sweetened brandy and rum, and is served with more brandy until a comfortable glow is obtained. Fifty years ago, when sailors were poorly fed, it was a luxury to get a good piece of plum duff, as the pudding was called on board ship, and all hands

looked forward to it with keen interest, especially as Christmas duff was supposed to contain more fruit, candied peel and brandy than that made at other seasons.

Now, when the crews of Atlantic steamships dine as well as the land-lubber making \$6,000 a year can in his own home, interest in plum duff, even at Christmas time, has flagged. The saloons and cabins are decorated with holly and evergreens on the big liners, presumably with the idea that the Christmas look will cause the passengers to open their pocketbooks a little wider than usual, and there may be some carol singing, led by the ship's doctor, but there is not much holiday excitement on board ship since the war. The steamship companies, as a rule, observe the festive season on Christmas Day, not from thoughtfulness on the part of directors, but because the crews most likely would not be abroad.

Nature's Remedy
KUMFORT
HEADACHE POWDERS
Better than Pills. GET A Box For Liver Bils. 25c Box
Ross Drug Company.

HEARING ON RATES FOR LIQUOR STOCK
Ottawa, Dec. 21.—The movement of liquor by freight to supply the dispensary systems of Ontario and other provinces in order that the thousands of

WHY SUFFER NEEDLESSLY
headaches yield to
Kumfort HEADACHE POWDERS

orders based upon doctor's prescriptions may be filled was considered by the railway board this afternoon. Last week the one-bottle express movement to the individual was discussed in connection with the express rates hearing. Today penitentiaries, where the source of supply must be maintained to meet the one-bottle demand, was under review. The basis of the discussion was the application of the railways for a change in the classification of liquor moving in less than carload lots which would virtually double the present rates. Judgment was reserved.

GRATUITY FOR THE IMPERIALS HERE
(Associated Press Despatch.)
Ottawa, Dec. 21.—An order in council has been approved, providing for the payment of war service gratuity at Canadian rates to dependents of His Majesty's Imperial forces, who were domiciled in Canada at the outbreak of the war and who, after discharge returned to Canada and were domiciled in this country but who died before making application for such gratuity. It is stated that several hundred dependents of deceased Imperials will be affected by this order. One third of all boys at Oak Hall.

SAY HE SOLD HUNGARIAN PRINCE'S GEMS

Were Entrusted to Him During Revolution—Half Hundred Accomplishes.

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 21.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—Max Westermann, former agent of the Hungarian Prince Esterhazy has been arrested by the Zurich police, charged with having sold the jewelry of the Esterhazy family and realized more than \$500,000 from the sale. It is alleged that Prince Esterhazy gave the family jewels to Westermann during the Hungarian revolution and Westermann promised to carry the jewels to a safe place in Switzerland. The police allege that Westermann had more than 50 accomplices but none of them have yet been arrested.

Most of the property of Prince Nicholas Esterhazy, one of the wealthiest of the Hungarian aristocrats, was sequestered by the Hungarian Bolsheviks during the revolution of last year. The Prince who was the owner of 100,000

acres of land, several castles and art collections of great value was reported then to have been assigned by the Bolsheviks to a three-room apartment in his splendid castle of Eisenstadt. A Bolshevik tailor was administrator of his estates and it was reported that the Prince had applied to him for work in order to support his family. The Bolshevik appointed him inspector of his own forests at a salary of \$400 a month. Formerly the Prince's income amounted to several million crowns a year.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAVO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after first application. 60c.

CLOSE OF TERM AT Y. W. C. A. GYM

A pleasant time was spent last evening at the Y. W. C. A. recreational centre when the senior gymnasium classes gathered to wind up the term events. On behalf of the ladies' special class Mrs. Z. Cowan presented to Miss Littlefield, physical director, a pretty work basket filled with chocolates, and a handsome leather writing case was presented to Miss Littlefield by Mrs. J. D. Hunter on behalf of the first and second senior basketball teams. The programme consisted of games, stunts and music and an exhibition of club swinging and fancy dancing was given by Miss Littlefield. Refreshments were served under the co-operation of Mrs. E. C. Weyman. The boys and girls of grade nine enjoyed games and dancing at the centre on Monday evening. Miss Woods directed

the games and Mrs. J. D. Hunter was chaperone.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Grove's LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL LEAVES

Halifax, Dec. 21.—His Excellency the Governor-General, and staff, left here by special train at 11 o'clock tonight for Ottawa. Before his departure, he was entertained at dinner by Lieutenant-Governor Grant.

SUSCEPTIBILITY
to disease is always greatest when resistance is diminished. Keep up resistance!

Scott's Emulsion
is at its best when used as a means to sustain strength.

Open Evenings Until Christmas

Luxury Tax Removed

Gifts for Everyone



Only a few days now before Santa slides down the chimney. Folks are in a hurry preparing for his reception. These Gift Suggestions will save you time and worry and help tired brains to solve the perplexing problem "What to Give"?

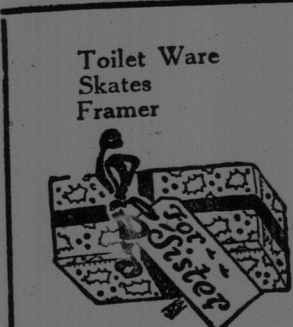
Silverware
Electric Toaster Grill
Electric Hot Water Kettle
Electric Iron, Warming Pad
Pyrex Ware
Aluminum Kitchenware
Scissors and Shears Set
Percolator, Casserole
Bread and Cake Tray
Carpet Sweeper
Oil Heater
Bread Mixer
Kitchen Cutlery
Food Chopper.

FOR THE MOTORIST

Klaxon Horn
Adamson Vulcanizer
Socket Wrench Set
Auto Jack
Windshield Cleaner
Rose Tire Pump
Moller Testometer
Weed Chains
Stewart Spot Light
Stewart Pedometer
Luggage Carrier
Set of Ignition Wrenches



Smoker's Set
Pocket Knife
Thermos Bottle
Shaving Set
Razor, Hone
Shaving Brush
Shaving Mirror
Carving Set
Alarm Clock
Flashlight
Tools
Snow Shovel



Toilet Ware
Skates
Framer
Manicure Set
Manicure Scissors
Electric Curling Iron
Electric Grill
Electric Toaster
Brass Jardinier
Food Chopper
Bread Mixer
Kitchen Cutlery

Military Brush
Thermos Bottle
Flashlight
Shaving Mirror
Ingersoll Watch
Skates, Sled
Express Wagon
Wheel Barrow
Pocket Knife



Erector or other
Gilbert Toy
Alarm Clock

The Christmas Store **McAVITY'S** The Store of Many Gifts

Wassons 2 Stores



CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

GIFT GOODS REDUCED TO CLEAR

IVORY GOODS
Marked Low to Clear.
\$3.50 Hair Brushes for \$2.33
4.50 Hair Brushes for 3.00
5.50 Hair Brushes for 3.67
8.25 Hair Brushes for 4.50

EXTRA
\$1.50 White Back Hair
Brush for .98c.
A Good Child's Brush.

HAND MIRRORS
\$4.50 for \$3.00
4.80 for 3.20
6.75 for 4.50
7.50 for 5.00
9.00 for 6.00

PUFF BOXES
Hair Receivers, Files, Buffers,
Shoe Horns, Trays, Button
Hooks, etc.
All 1-3 Off.

NO LUXURY TAX NOW

CANDY
Fancy Gift Boxes, 18c, 55c,
85c., \$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.50 up
to \$3.50.
Moirs 5 lb. boxes \$3.50 and
\$4.00.
Frank White's Hard Mixture,
5 lbs. \$2.40.

STATIONERY
35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 75c.,
\$1.00, \$1.50 up to \$3.00.

STARR GENNETT RECORDS
For January—on sale.

DOLLS
Every one reduced. You
will save money on Dolls at
WASSONS.



\$11.50 English Dolls, beauties
with Real Hair for . . . \$8.00

\$8.75 Life Size Baby Dolls
for \$6.50

\$8.00 Sleeping Dolls, English
make for \$5.40

Strong Dolls at \$3.25, \$4.25,
\$2.50, etc. All Reduced

Dressed Dolls
97c., \$1.06, \$1.57, etc.

Rubber Dolls . . . 35c. and 50c.

CUTEX
Manicure Sets
53c., \$1.39, \$2.79.

DJER KISS
Face Powder 59c.
Djer Kiss Compacts . . . 59c.

STERNO
Solid Alcohol Stoves
\$2.75 Outfit for \$2.00
1.25 Outfit for 90c.
50c. Outfit for 39c.
25c. Outfit for 15c.

HAIR BRUSHES
In Fox Wood, Ebony and
Imitation, 35c., 69c., 75c. to
\$6.00.
Reduced to 29c., 50c., 59c.,
\$4.00.

BOYS' HAIR BRUSHES
Prophylactic make, very stiff
and lasting. 85c., \$1.00, \$1.25
to \$2.00.

RAZOR BLADES
Gillette, 1 doz. for 89c.
Star, 1-2 doz. for 39c.
Ever Ready, 1 doz. for . . . 78c.

SHAVING MIRRORS
75c., \$1.00, \$1.90, \$2.00.

SHAVING BRUSHES
50c., 75c., \$1.00 to \$4.00.

WEEK-END SETS, 25c.
For Men and Women

PERFUME
35c. boxes for 29c.
50c. boxes for 43c.
75c. boxes for 69c.