

## WINTER OVERCOATS

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models ready for service, possessing all the distinctive style features of garments made by exclusive custom tailors, but priced within the means of those whose expenditure is limited.

**GOOD STYLES AS LOW AS \$12.50 THE BEST AT \$35.00**



**Gilmour's**  
68 KING STREET  
Exclusive Agent 20th Century Brand Clothing

**Nothing Makes a More Acceptable Xmas Gift Than a**

**Morris Chair or Morris Rocker**

YOU CAN GET THE BEST VARIETY IN THE CITY AT 1.3 OFF AT

**S. L. MARCUS & CO'S.,**  
THE IDEAL HOME FURNISHERS 166 Union Street

**Something You All Know—**

**We Only Have Xmas Once a Year So Make Your Selections**

before the birds have flown as a natty Tie, Shirt or Gloves leaves first but our selections have been so complete that the last compares with other's first.

No trouble to sell our goods at the prices we ask for them—we don't swell the price and drop off to please you as moderate profit is all we want at the one price store.

**We Carry all a Man Wears From The Ground Up.**

**C. Brager & Sons**  
48 Mill Street.  
Store Open Till 10 p. m.

**TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION**

**THREE XMAS TREATS AT OPERA HOUSE**

Beginning on Monday night, when "The" will be presented, that splendid stock company which has been delighting Halifax audiences for twelve weeks, will occupy the Opera House stage. The "The" will be followed on Wednesday and Thursday by the thrilling detective play, "Arise Lupin," while "The Great Divide" will conclude the engagement. Local interest is keen to hear Sidney Toler and Miss McHenry who, as leading stock players, are in the first rank of the theatrical profession.

Those who can arrange to attend on Monday or Tuesday evenings will have an opportunity of enjoying a real production, as not only is "The" one of the strongest dramas of recent years, but it will be presented by a company which can fully do the lines every justice. See ad in amusement column.

**Stove Linings That Last**  
**FENWICK D. FOLEY,**  
Ring Up at Main 1501 And Here Solicitor Call.  
"Don't let the fire burn thru to the oven"

**How You Can Get The Best Value For Your Money**

Call and See Our Select American Line of Choice Chocolates in Small And Large Packages at

**J. M. NORTHRUP, 23 Paradise Row. Phone Main 428-31.**

### LOCAL NEWS

Turkey supper at Bond's tonight. Ask for Frank White's chocolates. 1231-12-25.

Do you know where the pocket-knife shop is—At Duval's.

Cobbler sets, 4 hats—Duval, Waterloo street.

Trusses, all kinds, fit guaranteed; Moore's Drug Store, Brussels street.

School bags, sensible presents—Duval, Waterloo street.

Have you kids for skates? We have skates for kids—35c, 40c and 45c; also umbrellas for kids, 35c—Duval, 17 Waterloo street.

**Big turkey supper at Wanamaker's, tonight, from 5 to 8.** 12-23

Great values in velvet hats, either ready-trimmed or made to order. Special reduced price on all fall goods. Washburn, Sage Earle, Ltd., 29 Canterbury street. 12-23

Our store fairly glows with the spirit of Christmas, and we promise you the best of service, (even if you are only looking)—**HENDERSON & HUNT, 17-19 Charlotte Street.**

### SPECIALS FOR XMAS

**ORANGES**

We have secured seventy-five cases of Florida Fruit. These are from the Indian River district. The finest grown, very sweet and full of juice.

Medium Fruit, 25c. doz.  
Large Fruit, 40c. doz.  
Extra Fruit, 50c. doz.

Large Tangerines, 30c. doz.  
Med. Navel, 40c. doz.  
Valencias, 10c. doz.

### JUMBO BANANAS

**EXTRA LARGE PINEAPPLES**

**FANGY RED APPLES**

**NUTS IN THE SHELL**

Our special mixed, 18c. lb.  
Assorted Kisses, 30c. lb.  
Washed Castanas, 20c. lb.  
Langueoe Almonds, 25c. lb.  
Grenoble Walnuts, 25c. lb.  
Belalong Filberts, 25c. lb.  
Jumbo Pecans, 30c. lb.  
Less 2c. a pound in five pound lots.

**MIXED SWEETS**

Special mixed, 10c. lb.  
English Hard Boiled, 18c. lb.  
Xmas Mixture, 15c. lb.  
Special Xmas Mixture, 20c. lb.  
Pure Barley Toys, 20c. lb.  
Candy Canes, 20c. lb.  
Large Candy Canes, 30c. lb.  
Frank White's Mixture, 25c. lb.  
Special 1 lb. boxes, \$1.00.  
Chocolates and Creams, 30c. lb.  
Hand-made Creams, 40c. lb.  
G. B. best mixed chocolates, 45c. lb.  
Moir's best mixed chocolates, 60c. lb.  
Quality Chocolates, 70c. lb.

**FANCY BOXES**

of Chocolates, from 2c. to \$3.00  
Assorted Kisses, 16c. lb.  
Jesey Caramels, 25c. lb.  
Old style Nonpareils, 30c. lb.  
Cream Sugar Almonds, 30c. lb.

**ENGLISH SWEETS**

Devonshire Toffee, 30c. lb.  
Candy and Butter Toffee, 30c. lb.  
Fresno Figs, 30c. lb.  
Butter Almonds, 50c. lb.  
Butter Walnuts, 50c. lb.  
Glace Tart Fruits, 50c. lb.  
Barley Almonds, 50c. lb.  
Barley Walnuts, 50c. lb.

**SPECIAL SWEETS**

Orange Delight (the latest), 30c. lb.  
4 lb. boxes, for \$1.00.  
Mint Delight, 30c. lb.  
Jordan Almonds, 80c. lb.  
Cherry Bisque, 80c. lb.

**IMPORTED FRUITS**

Cherries, 1-2 lb. boxes, 25c.  
Cherries, 1 lb. boxes, 50c.  
Glacé Fruits, 1 lb. boxes, 50c.  
Marron's Glacés, \$1.00 tin  
French Prunes, \$1.00 bottle  
Fard Dates, 35c. jar  
Mignon Pressed Figs, 10c. box  
Dromedary Dates, 10c. pig.  
Special Washed Figs, 25c. drum  
Individual Bottle Figs, 40c. each  
Fruit Salad, 60c. bottle  
Melba Peaches, \$1.00 bottle  
Spiced Peaches, \$1.00 bottle  
Peeled Apricots, 90c. bottle  
Pineapple Cubes, 90c. bottle  
Many other lines too numerous to mention.

Come and see our stock.

**GILBERT'S GROCERY**  
143 Charlotte street  
Phone Main 812.

### Manicure Sets

In Pearl, Ebony and Parisian Ivory.

Mary Garden Perfumery \$7.50 per Phial

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**THE ROYAL PHARMACY**  
The High Grade House  
47 KING ST.

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CHRISTMAS DINNER.

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Have your Xmas turkey accompanied by nice bright silverware. We can make your old knives, forks and spoons just like new, at J. Grondine's, 24 Waterloo street.

Try Moore's Mustard Oil instead of a positive Stays pat. Relieves aches, pains, croup, coughs, bronchitis quick; 25c. Moore's Drug Store, Brussels street. Moseley's Drug Store, Main street.

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BACK TO MISSION WORK.

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The Best Quality at a Reasonable Price

### Jewelry For Christmas

Nothing else will be quite so suitable as a gift of Jewelry.

We have many dainty pieces which you should see.

You will find no difficulty in making a suitable selection from our well assorted stock.

Watches, Diamond Rings, Pearl Rings, Necklets, Locketts, in fact, everything in Jewelry.

Come and see our stock.

**L. L. Sharpe & Son**  
Jewelers and Opticians  
21 King Street, St. John, N. B.

### AS A GIFT

What would be more highly appreciated by elderly people than a pair of scientifically fitted glasses enabling them to read and sew in comfort?

Our long experience ensures them getting the right fit.

Call in and let us explain our system whereby an order on us, neatly printed, in the form of a Xmas card can be used for the presentation.

**D. BOYANER**  
OPTOMETRIST AND OPTICIAN  
38 DOCK ST.

### THE TORMENTS OF THE DEAF

In order to make it known, Dr. Saison, of Paris, will send free and postpaid to those who are deaf and who suffer from buzzing noises in the ear, an interesting booklet giving full particulars of an infallible, simple and inexpensive remedy for these torments. Address your request to Dr. Saison, 81 Rue d'Alsaceville, Paris, France.

## Buy These at Wasson's

**SPECIAL REDUCTIONS IN PRICE**

**Thermos Bottles, \$1.19, \$1.39, \$2.63**

**Imitation Ebony Sets, \$1.29 each**  
We have only about 23 of these Sets left. They have been selling for \$1.73

**Silver Mounted Imitation Ebony Hair Brushes, 33c.** Mirrors to match the Brushes, 39c.

**Fountain Pens, \$1.25** Equal to the kinds sold for \$3.00 to \$5.00

**Hot Water Bottles, 59c to \$2.50 Each**

**Piver's Perfumes, Regular \$1.50. For \$1.29**  
Only in these odors—Azuraea, Vivitz, Esperis, Safranor

**WASSON'S**  
"WHERE GOOD THINGS ARE SOLD"

KING STREET HAYMARKET SQUARE MAIN STREET

### THE OLIVE OIL STORE

**Christmas Perfumes**

25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

The packages are prettier than ever, the perfumes as good.

**Christmas Chocolates**

Greatly improved, in very pretty packages from 10c. to \$2.00. Our 60c. package looks worth \$1.00.

**Christmas Stationery**

Stationery as a Christmas Gift is growing more in favor. We are showing a beautiful assortment at reasonable prices.

**MOORE'S DRUG STORE**  
Phone Main 7. 103 Brussels Street.  
Service Prompt. Cor. Richmond.

**THE OLIVE OIL STORE**

### DEATHS

**SHERWOOD**—Suddenly at the Protestant Orphanage on the 20th inst. Gertrude Sherwood, aged 9 years.  
Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

**BUCKLEY**—In this city on the 19th inst. John, second son of the late Cornelius and Margaret, widow of the late David O'Keefe, leaving one daughter and two brothers and two sisters to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, 33 Duke street, West End. Friends invited to attend.

**LOGAN**—Suddenly in this city on December 20, Viola, only daughter of Herbert and Alice Logan, aged 4 years and 5 months.  
Funeral Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her parents' residence, 27 Rock street.

**CHESELEY**—Lovett L. Chesley, in his nineteenth year, nephew of Mrs. Chas. A. Berryman.  
Funeral on Sunday the twenty-second inst., at 2:30 p. m., from 713 Main street. Members of Orange Lodge No. 141 are invited to attend.

**O'KEEFE**—In this city, on the 20th inst. Margaret, widow of the late David O'Keefe, leaving one daughter and five sons to mourn.

(British Columbia and Prince Edward Island papers please copy.)  
Funeral from her late residence, 15 Clare street, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

### EASIER ON BEANS

Arrivals of consignments of beans for local dealers during the last week or ten days have relieved the market. It is expected that the stringency will not be felt after another week or so, and that there will be no longer need of depending so much upon Austria and Germany, as the Canadian crop is being moved now.

### WINTERPORT NOTES

The C. P. R. Emer Express of Ireland is not expected until 7 or 8 o'clock tonight. She did not leave Halifax until late last night.

The Donaldson liner Athenia is expected to dock this afternoon.

The S.S. Manchester Trader sailed last night for Manchester.

The Allan liner Hesperian is due in Halifax this afternoon. She has twenty-four first cabin, fifty-four second cabin, and 300 steerage passengers.

### MARRIED LAST NIGHT

At the home of C. J. Larson in Sheriff street last evening Rev. Henry Pierce, pastor of Portland Methodist church, officiated at an interesting wedding ceremony when he united in marriage Frederick W. O'Sullivan and Miss Olive Charlotte. Only immediate relatives and friends were present. The bride and groom will reside in this city.

## Xmas in the Dining Room

Handsome Buffets, Sideboards, China Closets, Dining Chairs, would make good all the year round Xmas presents for the home.

**Xmas Gift Hints**

Leather Chairs, Rockers, Morris Chairs, Willow Rockers, Shaving Stands, Parlor and Music Cabinets, Brass Beds, Ladies' Secretaries, Bookcases, etc.

**For the Children**

Make the child happy by giving a nice stylish High Chair, Rocker, Nursery Chair or Toy Set for a Xmas Gift.

All furniture marked down at greatly reduced prices.

**AMLAND BROS. LTD.**  
19 Waterloo street

### DEATH OF JOHN MUIR

Belleisle Creek, N. B., Dec. 18—The people of this place and surrounding country were shocked to hear of the sudden death of John Muir which occurred near his son's home in Bassano, Alberta. He had gone west in September and had been working at carpenter work in Bassano, along the east side of the Bay River and Harbor, heretofore certain and possessed by the inhabitants on the East side of the Harbor, with those in and surrounding Navy Island, and also certain Fishery Lots on the Western side of the Harbor, will be sold at Public Auction on TUESDAY, the SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, in the City of Saint John, for the fishing season of the ensuing year, to end on the 15th day of December, 1913.

Dated the 19th day of December, 1912.

JAMES H. FRINK,  
HARRY E. McFILLAN,  
HERBERT B. SCHOFIELD,  
RUPERT W. WIGMORE,  
MILNES L. AGAR,  
1822-1-7

### MEN'S DRESS CLOTHING

Distinction in dress clothing is found in this store for men. If ever a man should be perfectly attired, it is when he puts on frock coat or evening dress. This clothing is the severest test of the tailor. So this store for men courts critical judgment on the basis of what it can do in providing absolutely correct dress attire. You will find in the dress clothing here a certain distinction of style that only the most skillful tailor work and the most artistic design can impart. You will find, too, that the clothes, Tweeds, full dress, frock coat, etc. fit you with absolute correctness; also that they are not merely pressed into shape, but that through tailor work makes their correct fit and good style permanent.

This special merit costs you here little, if any more than ordinary prices for differently made clothing. It is not difficult to prove or disprove these things to your own satisfaction—and it is surely worth while. Made-to-order in our own shop or 20th Century Brand fine tailored garments, ready-tailored—Gilmour's, 68 King street.

IN SATIN UNIFORMS.

The boys of the Western Union messenger service are attracting favorable attention in natty new uniforms. The suits are of blue serge with red braided trimmings. Caps have also been furnished. The boys present a very tidy appearance.