

G. KNOWLING, Ltd.,

East, West
and Central
Shoe Stores.

mas Gifts.

Christmas" we desire to call
Day is very near, and that it is
"ive"! This is always the prob-

SAY GIVE FOOTWEAR.
practical Gifts, and nothing

SUGGESTIONS: FOR WOMEN.

ici Kid Boots, 8 and 9 inches
Black and Tan, Recede toes,
Louis and Cuban heel.
Metal Boots, 12 inches high,
Recede toes, Louis heels.
Calf Boots, 9 and 12 inches
Recede and Round toes,
Black and Tan, Felt Slippers, Fur
Felt Juliets; Kid Juliets, Kid
pers and Pumps.

er Christmas and do it with the

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nicure and Toilet
\$65.00,
ets, \$11.00,

Birthstone Rings, \$2.50
to \$12.00; Cameo
Baby Rings, \$1.00 to
Ladies' High-Grade
\$4.00; Earrings, latest
\$6.00, etc., etc.

DISPLAY.

are is not in the window,
give you a satisfactory

* Jeweller. *

Here and There

When you want Roast Beef
Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast
Pork, try ELLIS'.

WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.
It is calm and dull across country to-
day.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The fol-
lowing first class passengers are due
at midnight: W. Squires, Mrs. E.
Squires.

Stafford's Essence of Ginger
Wine at Stafford's Drug Store
for 20c. bottle. Postage 5 cts.
extra.—nov25,tf

MARRIED.

On the 16th inst., by Rev. W. B. Bue-
den, Corporal R. Tilley, Royal N.B.
Regiment, to Miss Mildred Shan-
both of this city.

DIED.

On Friday, 20th inst., James Hallen,
an aged 60 years, passed peacefully
away after a long and painful illness,
leaving a wife and large family.
Funeral on Sunday, 22nd inst., at 2.30 p.m., from his late resi-
dence, 11 Signal Hill Road; friends
and acquaintances please attend.
Burial in the cemetery. Halifax and
Boston papers please
copy.

Passed away after a short illness,
croup, Annie Davis, darling child
of Patrick and Clara Roberts, aged
years and 6 months.

To the Royal Stores again for Xmas Shopping

THIS STORE IS LIVELY ENOUGH
these days, but owing to the ENORM-
OUS FLOOR SPACE, we are able to
serve you comfortably and carefully.



The easiest way to Find the right GIFT FOR A MAN.

Is to go to the Royal Stores' Gent's
Furnishing Store and look around
you. There is no mistaking the fact
that the thousands of giftable things
here have a special air of distinc-
tion—an uncommonness that is
very likeable.

Men's Knox Hats
Bath Robes
Dressing Robes
Men's Slippers
Long Rubbers
Wool Slipper Socks
English Nansen Caps
Men's Handkerchiefs
Men's Ties
Men's Mufflers
Silk Socks
Silk Gloves
Boxed Braces
Sleeve Links
Merchandise Pipes
Amber Stem Pipes
Fountain Pens
Military Brushes
Mackinaw Coats
Men's Pyjamas
Tie Pins
Leather Suit Cases
Sweaters
Sweater Coats, Etc.

GIFT NECKWEAR for MEN.

We have one of the most imposing
selections of Christmas neckwear for
men that ever came to Newfoundland.
A variety embracing the cream of the
leading markets. In the collection is
every new design and color.

Prices: 40c. up to \$1.85.

Have You a MAN to please?

GENTLEMEN WILL PLEASE NOT READ THIS!
It is intended for the eyes of women who have to
solve the question of what to give the particular "him"
they are interested in. We are now showing a variety
of

DRESSING GOWNS AND BATH ROBES
In some of the very best makes, which will surely
please nine out of ten as a Xmas Gift. See them!

Prices range from \$5.50 to \$11.00.

Can you think of a more appropriate present for
mother or sister than

A Nice Rug or Carpet Square

A Carpet Square or Hearth Rug makes an ideal
Xmas gift. Everybody has heard of the man who
bought his wife a box of cigars for Xmas. Every-
body understands the point the joke turns on. But
there can be no doubt who gets the enjoyment out of
a rug or square. The pleasure in the average is
equally divided; both husband and wife are proud of
it. It gives both satisfaction. A satisfaction, too, that
you cannot fully appreciate until you have received
one. Not a transient pleasure, either, for those rugs
give years of wear.
We have the largest—yes, the only stock of note
in the country. Let us show you the scores of differ-
ent patterns.

HEARTH RUGS, \$3.00 to \$15.50.
CARPETS, \$20.00 up to \$111.00.



DAINTY HANDKERCHIEFS as Gifts.

Our displays of Christmas Handkerchiefs are ex-
ceptionally interesting, supplying as they do the de-
mand for gifts of a dainty, yet inexpensive nature.
Fine Muslin, Lawn and Cambric Handkerchiefs
with narrow hem or scalloped edges; shown in a great
variety of embroidered designs. Specially boxed for
gift-giving. Prices range from 50c. for a box contain-
ing three, up to \$2.85 for a box of six.

A Most Appreciated Gift, an Umbrella

The usefulness of an umbrella makes it a sen-
sible gift. The assortment here shown makes a pleas-
ing selection. The covers are of good qualities, while
the handles range from plain natural wood to the
most elaborate novelties.

That's the bye-word of the multitude of
practical people who know that this all-
year-round store is always to be implicitly
relied upon at holiday times. It's workings
are as smooth as brains and experience can
make them, and so Christmas "Shopping
Worry" is unknown to it's patrons.

Christmas Suggestions For all the Family

Our Counters Are Now Ablaze With Things
Suitable For Christmas Presents.

GIFTS THAT CHARM EVERYONE. YOU CAN MAKE NO MISTAKE IN CHOOSING FROM THIS
STOCK. THE NEW ARRIVALS ARE SIMPLY CHARMING.

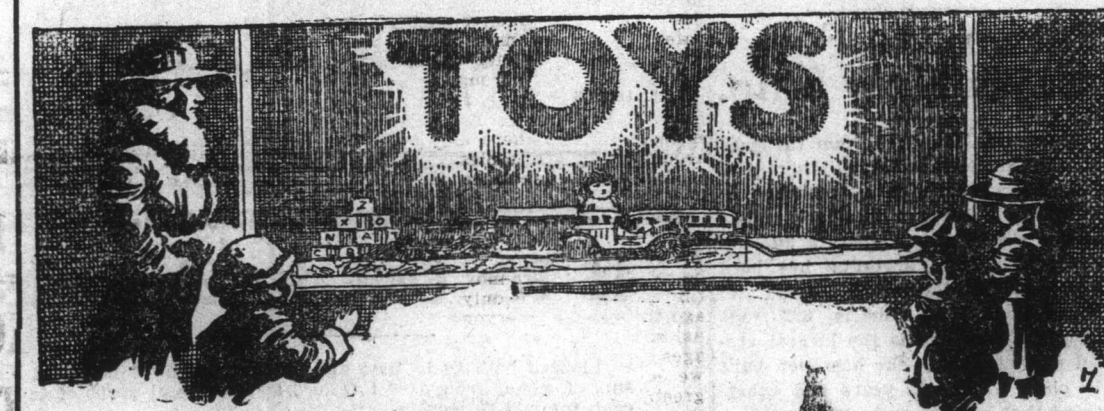
Stag Head Brooches
Sleeve Links
Blouse Pin Sets
Neckties
Pipes
Cigarette Cases
Photo Frames
Blouses
Sweater Coats
Dressing Gowns
Stationery
Long Rubbers
Pin Cushions and Tidies
Post Card Albums
Autograph Albums
Telephone Guides
Hair Brushes
Shaving Brushes
Handkerchief Boxes
Glove Boxes
Collar Boxes
Tie Boxes
Glove Sachets
Perfumes
Fleeced Over Gaiters
Eiderdown Dressing Gowns
Infants' Silk Bibs, Mitts
Children's Sleeping Garments
Children's Corduroy Bath Robes
Children's Sweaters, Booties,
Children's Bonnets, Gloves
Wool Suits, Fur Sets
Infants' Wool Caps
Boys' Suits, Hockey Boots
Fountain Pens, Boys' Jersey Suits
Infants' Flette and Wool Sacques
Children's Satin Robes
Quilted Sleigh Covers
Blanket Sleigh Covers
Silk Coat and Sleigh Robe Sets
Infants' Wool Coat, Booties and
Bonnets, White Embroidery Dresses
Silk Voile Dresses
White Bearskin Coats
Infants' Petticoats
Pinafores, Tea Aprons

Christmas Table Delicacies.

After the exchange of glad salutation of Merry Christmas and the giving and receiving of gifts on
Christmas Day, come thoughts of the Christmas dinner—that long appreciated meal of solid enjoyment.
Many things are here to help Mrs. Housewife in the planning. Our Grocery Store is amply ready to sup-
ply you with all these little extras that add the finishing touches to a well-prepared meal. We enumerate
this list of useful suggestions:—

Libby's Mince Meat
Plum Pudding
Marsh's and Gordon's Wines
Port and Black Cherry
Jelly Powders
Prepared Icing
Moir's, Willard's and
McCormack's Chocolates
Robin Hood Maple Syrup
Stuffed and Plain Olives
Custard Powders
Sugar Corn
Spinach (Libby's)
String Beans
Dyer's Green Peas
Grape Juice
Sweet Pickles
Pickled Onions
Sour Pickles
Heinz India Relish
Celery Salt

Our Christmas Toyland is now at its Best.



AND OFFERS EVERYTHING IN TOYS, DOLLS AND GAMES AT THE LOWEST PRICES. TOY-
LAND IS A WONDERLAND OF CHRISTMAS DELIGHT NOW. EVERYTHING IS ASTIR—ABUSTLE
WITH THE MERRY, CHEERY SPIRIT OF THE YULETIDE. NUMEROUS DISPLAYS TO EN-
CHAIN THE YOUNGSTERS AND GROWN-UPS.

Rocking Horses
Story Books
Picture Books
Wall Quilts
Plastacine
Wrist Watches
Whips
Toy Swords
Paper Dolls
Games
Guns, etc., etc.
Dressed and Undressed Dolls
Rubber Dolls
Teddy Bears
Slipping Ropes
Cool Sets
Toy Reins
Building Blocks
Picture Blocks
Xmas Stockings
Nesting Blocks
Kleptiko

EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
makes you glad to see Christmas com-
ing; but what a worry and hurry and
furry there is to spoil Christmas for
those who delay.

GIFTS For Women.



Gentlemen—This an-
nouncement is written
specially for you.

Our showroom section is ready to supply the most
stylish and beautiful things in women's apparel at the
most moderate prices.

At this season of the year we have a large number
of gentlemen shoppers. There's a reason for this. Pos-
sibly it is her suggestion because she knows The Royal
Stores give quality and style in their merchandise at
unbeatable prices, or perhaps our attractive window dis-
plays is the magnet that brings the gentlemen here.

But this fact is positive and absolute.—The majority
of the gentlemen of St. John's come to The Royal Stores
Showroom Dept. to buy gifts for mothers, wives, sisters
or sweethearts. We have prepared this list of sug-
gestions to help you and we confidently invite both
ladies and gentlemen to come and see the goods.



Silk and Wool Sweater Coats,
Silk, Crepe-de-Chene, Georgette and
Voile Blouses, Women's Silk and
Wool Scarfs, Furs and Muffs, Gloves,
Purses, Women's Fur Collar Coats,
Hand Bags, Women's Dressing
Cases, Silk Camisoles, Ladies' Com-
pansions, Lace Camisoles, Work Bas-
kets, Music Cases, Dressing Gowns,
Tea Aprons, Beading's Stamped Lin-
en, Silk Hose, Work Bags, Brush
and Comb Sets, Patriotic Cushion
Tops, Neckties, Brooches, Silk Col-
lars, Back and Side Combs, Collars,
Handkerchiefs, Perfumes, Slippers,
Spats, Umbrellas, Japanese Table
Covers, Cushion Covers, Tray Cloths,
etc., etc.

WOMEN'S GIFT WAISTS.

A showing so large that everybody's
taste can readily be suited. All were
selected especially for the Christ-
mas' trade and are particularly at-
tractive and dainty. The styles are
the very latest, made from the
choicest Silks, Crepe-de-Chene,
Georgette Crepes and Voiles, in all
this season's latest shades and best
ideas.

Prices \$1.85 up to \$9.25

We are Showing a Splendid Line of Women's Cloth Spats.

In Brown, Navy, Grey, Tan and Black in different lengths.
They are remarkable for their perfect colourings, fit and
comfort and are exceptionally smart and dressy in ap-
pearance.

Prices: \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, & \$2.90.

OUR VALUES IN CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS.

Will interest you intensely. You may have a friend or
two who will be glad to receive slippers as gifts. So it
will be greatly to your advantage to inspect our lines.



WOMEN'S Dainty Gift Neckwear.

A CHRISTMAS GIFT THAT EVERY WOMAN COVETS.
There are collars in a splendid collection that the
daintiest girl you know, be she blonde or brunette, would
fall in love with at once. Beautiful collars in Silk,
Crepe-de-Chene, Georgette and Muslins. Ranging in
price

From 40c. each up to \$1.25.

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