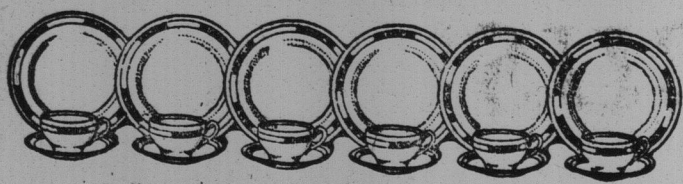


THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N.B., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1916



Travellers' Samples

Fancy China at Half Price

W. H. Hayward Co., Ltd.

85 - 93 Princess Street

STORE OPEN TONIGHT TILL 10 O'CLOCK



Perhaps He Would
Like a
Suit of Pyjamas

OR A
Night Shirt

A Practical Gift is Appreciated
by Any Man

Men's Pyjamas \$1.75 to \$3.00 suit
Men's Night Shirts 75c. to \$1.50 each

Our Store is Fairly Sizzling With All Kinds of Xmas
Furnishings for Men and Boys

H. N. DeMILLE

199 to 201 Union Street - Opera House Block

PORTLAND, ME. - HALIFAX, N.S. - LIVERPOOL
Xmas passenger sailings
From Portland, Halifax
Northland, Dec. 27 xx Cornishman Dec. 28
Southland, Jan. 2 xx Cornishman Jan. 3
Columbian, Jan. 10 xx Cornishman Jan. 11
Rates, etc., at local railway and S.S. Agents or Com
pany's office, McGill Bldg., 211 McGill St., Montreal.
WHITE STAR DOMINION

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, DEC. 21
A.M.
High Tide 8:20 Low Tide 2:30
Sun Rises 8:07 Sun Sets 4:38
Time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived Yesterday
Str. Coniston, Kelly, 2:17, from across.
Str. Schis, Philadelphia with coal for
Canadian Government Railways.
Str. North Star, Mitchell, Boston via
Maine ports, passengers and general
cargo.

Sailed Yesterday

Sch. Alvin Therault, Bellevue Cove,
to complete loading.

FOREIGN PORTS

New York, Dec. 19—Arr. str. Rose-
mont, Walton (N.S.); schs. Elsie Por-
ter, Montague (P.E.I.) with potatoes;
Norma P. Cooley, Hubbard's Cove (N.S.)
with fish; Helveta, Liverpool (N.S.)
with wood pulp; Lavina M. Snow, Liver-
pool (N.S.) with wood pulp.
Vineyard Haven, Dec. 18—Arr. schs.
Daniel McLeod, Port Johnson for Booth-
bay; P. C. Pendleton, Perth Amboy for
Portland; Nellie Eaton, Port Liberty
for Calais; Charles H. Kinck, Port Read-
ing for Camden; Abbie S. Walker, Eli-
zabethport for Vinal Haven; L. A. Plum-
mer, Baltimore for St. John; Harry W.
Haynes, Gutterburg for do.; Ravola,
New York for Annapolis; Lucille, Perth
Amboy for Yarmouth; Leora M. Thuro-
low, New York for eastern port.

MARINE NOTES

The schooner Jost, which went ashore
in the bay during the storm last Sat-
urday, was towed into port yesterday.



**Our Men's Slipper and
Felt Shoe Department
Will Suggest Gifts from
\$1.00 to \$4.50.**

Black and Brown Kid Slippers — Everett Opera and
Romeo Patterns, \$1.75, 2.00, 2.25, 2.50, 2.60, 3.00,
up to 4.50.
Brown Felt Romeo Shoe with leather sole and heel, \$1.50
Dark Plaid Woollen Slippers with felt sole, leather cov-
ered, high or low cut, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.85.
Grey Felt Cosy Slippers, \$1.50.
Heavy Felt, Felt Sole Laced Boots, plain and leather
foxed, with extra wide rubbers to fit them.

Big Staff of Salespeople; Open Every Evening; Prompt Delivery;
Items From Other Departments Will Appear Daily

FRANCIS & VAUGHAN
19 KING STREET

LOCAL NEWS

Special Christmas shirts at Corbet's,
12-22.

If the selection of Christmas gifts
trouble you, come right here and see
how quickly and satisfactorily we can
remove the pressure from your mind by
showing you something choice in foot-
wear that will be "just the thing!"
Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union
street.

Special Christmas muffers at Corbet's,
12-22.

SAVE A DOLLAR.
The 2 Barkers, Ltd., offer Flexible
Flyers for \$2.75; Firefly slippers, \$1.50, \$2.25
and \$3.25; sleds from 38c. up; Bound
books from 13c. up; dolls from 10c. up.
A lot of new games just in for 18c. and
25c.; friction toys from 25c. up. Large
trains on track for 75c. A few mech-
anical autos left at 25c.

Men's Ties in fancy boxes, 25, 35 and
50c.—Harry W. King, 177 Union street.
12-24

MORE BUSINESS FOR WEST END
With the opening of the Ideal Shoe
Store, 103 Union street (near Bank of
Nova Scotia). Quality lines our spe-
cialty.

CONFECTIONERY.
Sweet, juicy oranges 20c., 25c., 30c.,
35c. and 40c. dozen. Hand made bar-
ley toys 16c. lb.; 50c. chocolate 30c. lb.;
5 lb. box for \$1.25.—At The 2 Barkers,
Ltd., 100 Princess street.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS
Turn to page 9 and read carefully
Poyas & Co.'s advertisement.

Christmas gifts to suit all at Amdur's
Dept. Store, 238 King street west.
12-25.

Our Christmas footwear stock is no-
thing short of a refined assemblage of
trustworthy merchandise, carefully
priced on an all year round basis—
Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union
street.

Special cuts on flour, Christmas gro-
ceries, confectionery, oranges, toys, books,
games, friction toys, skates, sleds.—At
The 2 Barkers, Ltd., 100 Princess street.

FATHER, MOTHER, BROTHER, SISTER. We
can supply a Christmas gift for each
and at less cost.—Ideal Shoe Store, 103
Union street, W. E. (near Bank Nova
Scotia.)

AT AMDUR'S
Ladies will find our selection of
Christmas gifts one of the best in St.
John. Come and look them over—no
obligation to buy.—238 King street west.
12-24.

TRAVELING BAGS
Ladies' and gentlemen's traveling bags,
85 to \$225, fitted bags, \$18 to \$80. An ex-
cellent gift.—W. E. Ward, 28 King street.
12-23.

Buy your Christmas wear and your
gifts for less money at Bassen's, 14-16-18
Charlotte street.

Queen's Rink, children's tickets only
cost \$1.50. They make the best pres-
ents.

CHRISTMAS CANDIES
Finest line of Christmas candies to be
found in the city, at The Chocolate Shop,
26-28 Charlotte street. Also afternoon
tea and lunches at all hours. 12-23

Yes, Mrs. Housewife, for cheap pic-
tures and picture frames, go to the St.
John Picture Store, corner Brussels and
Exmouth streets. 12-23.

Men's reefers and working pants that
are good at Turner's, out of the high
rent district, 440 Main. T.F.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Edward F. Coleman, Rev. W. R.
Robinson united in marriage Miss Flo-
rence A. LeCough, of Richibucto, to Ar-
thur M. Bustard of this city. The bride-
groom is employed with the street rail-
way as a conductor. They will reside in
St. John.

It is said that Charles Gratz, a fire-
man of Bellefleur, O., made a thrilling
rescue when fire broke out in a house
at Finch Run. Entering the smoke-
filled room, he saw what was appar-
ently a woman standing in the corner, her
clothing aflame. Throwing a blanket
about the "human torch," he carried it
to the ground and it was rushed to a
hospital, where it was discovered Gatz
had rescued a dress form.

A Lawrence, Mass., young lady was
surprised the other afternoon to notice
some of her crocheting yarn in the mouth
of her pet dog, and she at once began
to pull it out. Yards and yards were
forthcoming, but finally the end was
reached, after much worried lest she
should unravel the whole dog. The animal
had eaten nearly a whole ball of yarn.

LOCAL NEWS

Men's lined Mocha gloves, \$1.00, \$1.25,
\$1.50.—Harry W. King, 177 Union street.
12-22

XMAS SPECIAL.
Ladies' collars, latest designs, worth
50c. to \$1.25; special for Christmas
shoppers, 25c., 30c. and 40c. C. J. Bas-
sen, corner Union and Sydney. 12-22

After all—Christmas is but a big
"love affair" to smooth the wrinkles of
the year by kindly remembrances—
Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union
street.

Bassen's! Bassen's!—The People's
Dry Goods Store—that's the place to do
your Christmas shopping, 14-16-18 Char-
lotte street.

Amdur's for your Christmas presents,
Amdur's for your Christmas wear, Amdur's
for all your shopping. 12-23.

Great variety of Christmas wear at
special cut prices at C. J. Bassen's, cor-
ner Union and Sydney. 12-22

You must include Amdur's in your
Christmas shopping calls. It will pay
you. We have a splendid stock in all
lines.—238 King street west. 12-23.

Special Christmas ties at Corbet's, 174
Union street. 12-22.

Handkerchiefs, neckwear, waists,
sweaters and tea aprons at great bar-
gain prices. C. J. Bassen, corner Union
and Sydney. 12-22

Arnold's Dept. Store will be open
every evening till Christmas. 12-23.

ALL GOOD
Every Blue Ribbon drink is pure, clean
and healthful. A case of assorted flavors
would be mighty handy around the house
at Christmas. Phone the factory, M.
1738. 12-24

**To Be Given Away Free of
Charge Friday and Sat-
urday**
1-2 lb. TEA with Orders
to the amount of \$3.00, at
Parkinson's Cash Stores

East St. John Post Office
Main 279-11.

128 Adelaide Street
Main 938-11.

147 Victoria Street
Main 77-11.

11 1/2 lbs. Sugar \$1.00
Fresh Ground Coffee 35c. lb.
Finest Ceylon Tea, but 12c. lb.
Purest Flour—24 lb. bags \$1.40
Royal Household—24 lb. bags \$1.35
9 lb. bags \$1.35
(Equal to One-Half Barrel)
Prunes 10c. lb.
Cornflakes 10c. lb.
Sweet Mashed Peas 10c. can
Good Case Eggs 12c. doz.
Choice Butter 22c. lb.
Other Goods Equally Cheap
12-25

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

12 lb. Sugar \$1.00
3 Cornflakes 25c.
3 bottles Extract 25c.
Mixed Peel 25c. lb.
Best Hard Boiled Mixed Candy 10c. lb.
Best Corn 10c. can
Best Salmon 15c. 2 for 25c.
Fresh Eggs 47c. doz.
Large bottle Limejuice or Syrup, 28c.
Currants 18c.
6 cakes Soap 25c.

Myrick & Lawlor
Cor. Main and Simond's Streets.
Tel. Main 3115. 12-25.

5 GOOD REASONS

Why a Birks Diamond
is a Sound Investment:

- No Broker's Profits**
Between our European buying office and our
various Canadian establishments, there is
absolutely no profit on our Diamonds.
- Individuality**
Birks Diamond Jewellery, whether a \$25 ring
or an ornament worth \$1000, carries with it
a certain individuality and an air of refinement,
which places the name Birks pre-eminent before
buyers of artistic jewellery.
- Guarantee of Quality**
There is a Birks guarantee with every
Diamond purchased, regardless of the size or
cost of the stone.
- Cash Value Guarantee**
At any time within one year from date of
purchase the original price of the diamond will
be refunded to the purchaser in cash less 10%.
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At any time a Birks diamond can be exchanged
at full purchase price in part payment on a
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KIRKPATRICK and COWAN
22 King Square

PHONE M. 3158

11 1/2 lbs. Sugar \$1.00
New Buckwheat, 6c. lb. 5 lbs. for 25c.
Shrimps 20c. 2 for 35c.
Home-made Chow Chow and Mus-
tard Pickles 25c. bottle
5 lb. Oatmeal 25c.
50c. Lipton's Tea 45c.
New Seedless Raisins, 2 pkgs. for 25c.
Fancy New Figs 20c. lb.
New Seedless Raisins, 16c. pkgs.
A fine line of Xmas Candy and
Fruit in bulk.

Store Open Every Evening Until
Christmas.
West Side Delivery Tuesday and
Friday.
C. O. D. Orders Solicited.

Specials AT

E. Roy Robertson
599 Main St.

Phone 2577.

11 1/2 lbs. Finest Granulated Sugar, \$1
10 lb. bag Lantic Sugar 85c.
3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar 30c.
New Seedless Raisins, 12c. pkgs.
New Cleaned Currants 18c. pkgs.
2 pkgs. Dromedary Dates 25c.
Fancy New Figs 20c. lb.
Shelled Walnuts 12c. lb.
Mixed Peels 25c. lb.
Tomatoes 18c. tin
Corn 14c. tin
Pass 12c. tin
Clams 10c. tin
Peaches, large tins 20c.
3 lbs. Lipton's 40c. Tea for \$1.00
5 lbs. Oatmeal 25c.
4 lbs. New Buckwheat 25c.
24 lb. bag Purify Flour \$1.45
24 lb. bag Royal Household \$1.40
Surprise, Gold or Fairy Soap, 6 for 25c.
3 lbs. Mixed Starch 25c.

FANCY FRESH FRUITS

Sweet Juicy Florida Oranges,
22c., 25c. and 30c. doz.
California Seedless Navel,
30c. and 40c. doz.
California Seedless Lemons, 25c. doz.
Florida Grapefruit 7c. 4 for 25c.
Cape Cod Cranberries 12c. qt.
Apples 20c., 25c., 30c., 40c. peck

CHRISTMAS CANDY
Ribbon Mixture 18c. lb.
Barley Toys 20c. lb.
Best Hard Boiled Mixed Candy 10c. lb.
Cream Mixture 19c. lb.

DRIED FRUIT
Santa Claus Seedless Raisins, 12c. pkgs.
Fancy Seedless Raisins, 14c. and 17c. pkgs.
London Layer Table Raisins, 15c. lb.
2 lbs. for 25c.
Choice Layer Figs 20c. lb.
Dromedary Dates 14c. pkgs.
Choice Prunes, 11c. lb., 3 lbs. for 30c.
Large Prunes, 15c. lb., 2 lbs. for 25c.
Evaporated Peaches, 15c. lb.
5 lbs. Oatmeal 25c.
Apricots 18c. lb.

CANNED GOODS
Peas 11c.
Corn 12c.
Tomatoes 19c.
Peaches (24) 16c.
Lemon or Vanilla Extract, 3 for 25c.
Jersey Cream Baking Powder, 22c. can

Yerxa Grocery Co.
443 MAIN ST. Phone Main 2913

USE THE WANT AD. WAY

WASSON'S CHRISTMAS SALE—ALL WEEK

Safety Razors

Make for Easy and Comfort-
able Shaving. Save the Man
Money.

Star Razors \$1.00
12 Blades and Stropper in
Case.

Durham Razors \$1.50
This is a \$5.00 Outfit Com-
plete.

Gillette Razors \$5.00
Newest Style, 12 Blades.

**FREE—A 25c. Shaving Stick in a Metal Case, FREE with
any Safety Razor.**

Razor Straps, 75c.—Brushes, 25c. to \$2.00.—Lotions, 25c., 50c.,
60c.

EBONY SETS—In fancy cases for ladies, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00,
\$6.00, \$9.00 and \$10.75.

BROWNIE CAMERAS \$1.25, \$2.00, \$3.00
Any child can make good pictures with a Brownie.

CALENDAR MOUNTS—Half price 5c., 6c., 8c.
For 2 Brownie, 2 A Brownie, 3 Brownie and Postcard.

25c. BOXED PERFUMES—5 kinds, 19c., Others 25c., 50c., 85c.
and up.

DOLLS—All reduced 22c., 45c., 65c., 85c., \$1.00, \$9.50

WASSON'S MAIN ST.

"BOXED" CHRISTMAS GIFTS

In Scarfs, Ties and Fancy Collars. A Full Stock of Boxed Handkerchiefs in
plain and fancy, from 18c. to 65c. per box. Men's Special Boxed Scarfs, 25c. and
50c. each. Men's Special Boxed Braces, 40c. and 50c. pair. A general stock of
Useful Christmas Presents at Moderate Prices.

CARLETON'S
245 Waterloo Street.
Corner Brindley Street.
Store Open Until 8 p.m.

CASH SALES for Xmas

Week at C. T. Eccles,
267 King St., W. E.

C. O. D. Orders Delivered.
Phone 80-41.

12 lbs. Sugar with order \$1.00
Santa Claus Brand Raisins, 18c. pkgs.
Good Currants 12c. pkgs.
Dromedary Dates, 14c. pkgs. 2 for 25c.
Butter 40c. lb.
Extra Good Butter 45c. lb.
Eggs 42c. doz.
Bishop Figs 40c. pkgs.
Good Apples for all purposes, 35c. pkgs.
Fancy Barbados Molasses, 72c. gal.
Pure Swiss Lard 22c. lb.
Buckwheat, 6c. lb. or 5 lbs. for 25c.
Jersey Cream Baking Powder, 25c. tin
Cow Brand in pkgs. 4c.
Fels Naptha Soap, 6c. or 5 for 25c.
6 pkgs. Pearlina for 25c.

Specials at

BROWN'S GROCERY

86 Brussels Street
Corner Richmond

Phone Main 2370-21

24 lb. bag Royal Household Flour, \$1.35
24 lb. bag Five Roses or Purify
Flour 18c. pkgs.
Dromedary Dates, 14c. pkgs. 2 for 25c.
New Palm Brand Figs 10c.
Choice Seedless Raisins, 12c. pkgs.
3 bottles Extract for 25c.
1 lb. tin Bee Baking Powder 21c.
4 pkgs. Bee Jelly 20c.
New Mixed Peel 25c. lb.
Pure Swiss Lard 22c. lb.
Flake White Lard 19c. lb.
New Excelsior Prunes 11c. lb.
New Evaporated Peaches 11c.
King Cole or Dickson's Tea—Regular
40c. for 38c. lb.
12 lbs. Finest Granulated Sugar with
order, for \$1.00
Delivery All Over the City.
12-25

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Xmas. Day in the Dining Room

Now is the time to make your dining-room attractive for
Xmas day. Plan to make this room brighter and prettier than
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Beautiful Dining Chairs—
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Five Shamrocks Only \$1.00 bbl.
Five Shamrocks—9 lb. bag \$5.00
Five Shamrocks—