

LOCAL NEWS

What about your Xmas footwear? We have all kinds—Overshoes, rubbers, slippers. Come to Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches. 12-17

Gentlemen! do you want your feet comfortable? We have all kinds of warm footwear. Boots, overshoes, moccasins and all your shopping at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches. 12-17

MACHINISTS, NOTICE!
A meeting of all machinists, specialists and helpers in St. John and vicinity will be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday, Dec. 17, in Longshoremen's Hall, Water street. All above men requested to attend. 12-17

**The Gift Supreme—
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We have a good selection to choose from of genuine French Ivory, including Mirrors, Brushes, Combs, Hat Brushes, Cloth Brushes, Picture Frames, Calendars, Manicure Pieces, etc.

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EYE STRAIN.

This is usually due to a defective formation of the eye ball, and not to a diseased condition.

While glasses do not cure this defect, they correct it by restoring normal vision without strain.

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Why not arrange an appointment today.

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**Gilbert's Quality
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| WHITE SUGAR (with orders) | PLUM PUDDINGS |
| 5 lbs. Fine White..... 60c. | Extra Quality Franco-American. |
| 10 lbs. Fine White..... \$1.17 | Small tins..... 50c. |
| 3-4 pkge. Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c. | Medium tins..... 75c. |
| Full pkge. Seeded Raisins..... 21c. | Large tins..... \$1.15 |
| 3-4 pkge. Seedless Raisins..... 20c. | MINCEMEAT |
| Full pkge. Seedless Raisins..... 27c. | Betty's Home-made, |
| Full pkge. Fancy Currants..... 32c. | 30c. and 45c. jars |
| New Citron Peel..... 70c. | NEW SMYRNA FIGS |
| Orange and Lemon Peel..... 60c. | Special Locum Pack..... 39c. lb. |
| Royal Excelsior Dates..... 20c. | Pressed Layer..... 50c. lb. |
| Shelled Almonds..... 69c. | Extra Large Layer..... 60c. lb. |
| Shelled Walnuts..... 79c. | Fancy Locum Boxes, \$1.25 each |
| 12c. Eagle Extract..... 10c. | TABLE RAISINS |
| 25c. Pure Gold Extract..... 21c. | Fancy Clusters..... 50c. lb. |
| Cow Brand Soda..... 4c. | 40c. lb. by the layer |
| 35c. Jersey Cream Baking Powder..... 27c. | Extra Fancy Clusters..... 60c. lb. |
| 50c. Royal Baking Powder..... 39c. | 55c. lb. by the layer |
| 50c. Pure Raspberry Jam..... 39c. | Fancy Bunches of Layers..... 50c. |
| 65c. Pure Strawberry Preserves..... 49c. | Choice Clusters..... 40c. lb. |
| 30c. Dot Chocolate..... 25c. | 35c. lb. by the layer |
| 30c. Chocolatta..... 24c. | MIXED NUTS |
| 15c. Pure Gold Jelly..... 12c. | Walnuts, Almonds, Brazils, Filberts..... 35c. lb. |
| Swift's Shortening..... 31c. lb. | GRAPEFRUIT |
| Stuart's Marmalade..... 32c. jar | Extra Special..... 5c. each |
| 5 lbs. Rolled Oats..... 35c. | Also 8c., 10c. and 15c. each |
| 5 lbs. Onions..... 25c. | KEILLER'S MARMALADE |
| 15c. Kellogg's Cornflakes..... 11c. | Famous Dundee, |
| Oxo Cubes..... 8c. and 21c. | 4 lb. tins, \$1.05 |
| 20 oz. bottle Olives..... 28c. | Ex. Last Direct Steamer. |
| 25c. Tomato Catsup..... 19c. | GROUND SWEET ALMOND |
| Lobster Paste..... 25c. tin | Or Almond Meal..... \$1.25 lb. |
| 15c. tin Libby's Soup..... 10c. | Almond Paste..... 75c. lb. |
| Franco-American Soup..... 16c. | 1-2 lb. pkgs..... 40c. |
| Snider's Tomato Soup..... 17c. | New Apple Cider..... 60c. gal. |
| 12c. Clark's Beans..... 10c. | CORNAQUES |
| 20c. Clark's Beans..... 17c. | Or Crackers for the Tree and Table. |
| 30c. Libby's Pineapple..... 25c. | 50c. to \$3.00 a box of one dozen |
| 15c. Acme Starch..... 12 1-2c. | XMAS STOCKINGS AND NOVELTIES |
| 18c. Benson's Prepared Corn, 13c. | Fancy Animal Biscuits..... 30c. lb. |

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Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry, because of their beauty and enduring nature, are the finest of all gift things. They are most wanted by everyone, and the pleasure they give lasts through many years.

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| Diamond Rings..... | \$20.00 to \$550.00 |
| Diamond Bar Pins, Brooches and Pendants..... | \$15.00 to \$190.00 |
| Bracelet Watches, in round and odd shapes..... | \$22.00 to \$100.00 |
| Men's Watches..... | \$15.00 to \$100.00 |
| Pearl Necklaces..... | \$ 4.50 to \$ 75.00 |
| Men's Rings..... | \$ 7.00 to \$ 35.00 |
| Cuff Links..... | \$ 3.00 to \$ 35.00 |
| Scarf Pins..... | \$ 2.00 to \$ 85.00 |
| Brooches..... | \$ 2.00 to \$190.00 |

We are ready for early shoppers with two stores full of splendid merchandise.—Come.

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