

## Our Local Pepys.

HIS DIARY.—To his club, where I hear how the air mail does still remain at Botwood, nor is there much chance of its leaving there for some time. To walk with my wife, being a fine day and she in good humour, which is a strange thing and seems, therefore, to me as if she is expecting a new coat of fur, which I would give her, had I but the money, which I would pay for it. Did I not, I would have my bookeller's, and I would have bought many books but for that same shortage of money, to which I have already referred. Met Ballie and held discourse with him, and it is pretty to see how we appear kind to one another, though neither of us care a red cent for each other.

## Llewellyn Club

REV. EARP ADDRESSES GATHERING.

At 8 o'clock last night a meeting of the Llewellyn Club was held in Canon Wood Hall. There was a large attendance including several outport friends, amongst whom were Rev. Mr. Hunt of New Harbor and H. J. Barrie, Esq., Fogo. Mr. C. E. Hunt, Vice President, occupied the Chair. The Rector of St. Thomas, Rev. E. C. Eard, delivered a masterly address on "Religion and Politics" showing how both are inseparable and interlocked. He spoke of people who claim that politics have become rotten, and who assert that decent men cannot but refuse to enter a public service which is in such a condition. Mr. Eard pointed out that if decent men take that stand there is not much malice about them; for "the man makes the office, and not the office the man." Responsibility rests with the governed as well as with the Government, right and responsibility goes hand in hand, and "the apathy of the intelligent is as dangerous to a state as the anarchy of the ignorant." If we have true religion in our life, we will find that it is as impossible to separate politics from religion as it is to separate religion from life. Mr. Eard read the 15th Chapter of the second book of Samuel, first 6 verses, an account of the political campaign of Abimelech. Hon. John Anderson, Messrs. Andrew Carrell, Warwick Smith, George Vokay, Llewellyn Colley, who proposed a vote of thanks to the Rector, and H. V. Mott who seconded the proposal, were also amongst the speakers for the evening. The meeting closed at 10 o'clock, after which the lady friends of the Club served refreshments.

TRAP SALE.—A remarkable sale in Fancy Traps is being made at STEELE'S Crockery Store. If you have not already made your purchase we advise you to do so without delay.

## Bible Class Concert.

EXCELLENT MUSICAL PROGRAMME.—The concert held last night under the auspices of Gower Street A.B.C. in the Lecture Room of Gower Street Church was attended by a large number of people. The programme was very well arranged and every item was rendered in a creditable manner by the various performers. The full programme was as follows:—Instrumental Duet, Miss Oates and Mr. Lee; Piano Solo, Miss Tait; Musical Trio, Misses Soper, Maunier and Mews; Solos, Mrs. G. Garland, Misses Herder, C. Woods and Glendinning, Messrs. H. Courtney and R. Steele; Duet, Miss Russell and Mr. Ring, Mrs. Sansom and Miss S. Moore; Trio, Misses Moore, Soper and Currie; Recitations, Mrs. Outerbridge, Miss Elizabeth Taylor and Mr. R. Harter. During the evening refreshments were on sale. The proceeds of the concert will go towards the renovation of the interior of the Methodist Orphanage.

Stafford's Ginger Wine for sale at Knowling's Stores, East West and Central. Price 20c per bottle.—dec7/it

## Loyal Orange Association.

ROYAL WILLIAM LODGE, NO. 30, CHANNEL.—At the annual meeting of the above Lodge held in the Society Hall at Canal on Thursday December 1st the following officers for 1922 were elected, all being installed on Saturday, December 3, by Past Master James M. Currie.  
W.M.—Bro. Henry Bragg.  
D.M.—Bro. William Sheaves.  
Chaplain.—Bro. James Evans, R.M.  
R.S.—Bro. Geo. Poole, P.M.  
P.S.—Bro. Albert Bennett.  
Treas.—Bro. W. J. Bragg, P.M.  
D. of C.—Bro. Richard Spencer.  
Lecturers.—Bros. Edward Sheaves, Harry Richards.  
Treas.—Bros. H. Feltman, A. J. Pullings.  
General Committee.—Bros. H. Feltman, L. Billard, George Yarn, John Baver, A. J. Pullings.  
Finance Committee.—Bros. J. Willis, L. Billard, L. Billard.

# Christmas Sales at the Royal Stores

## The Store of Practical Gifts

### FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIALS

### Just What Everyone Wants at Just What They Want to Pay

Every day from now until Christmas Day should be important to you, for each day is filled with the responsibility of Christmas buying.

Past experience has taught us that no matter how much we may urge early Christmas shopping, the bulk of it is accomplished within the 2 weeks before Christmas Day.

Naturally, The Royal Stores is splendidly ready with a fascinating variety of Gift Goods. "Utility" and "Value" are emphasized in practically every token. These considerations are now influencing the steps of hundreds towards St. John's "Great Christmas Store".

For Friday and Saturday you are offered many good Gift Suggestions at a big saving on each article.

## Children's Wear

**Infants' Dressing Gowns.**  
Made of fine Corded Velvet in assorted colors; round collar of Sky and Pink giraffe at waist. Reg. \$2.00 each for... **\$1.10**

**Muslin Dresses.**  
For infants 6 to 12 months old. White Muslin Dresses with embroidery and tucked yokes; assorted styles. Reg. \$2.00 ea. **\$1.65**

**Cambric Pinafores.**  
For children of 2 to 6 years; embroidered yokes and fronts; fitted skirt; in White only. **\$1.30**

**Infants' Booties.**  
Pink Sky or White. Knitted wool with leather soles; assorted sizes. Regular 60c. pair for... **52c.**

### Gift Suggestions in Fancy Linens

**TRAY CLOTHS**—Size 16 x 24; pure linen, heavily lined, neatly embroidered with ornate and hemstitched borders. Reg. \$2.35 each for... **\$1.60**

**FANCY LINENS**—For set. Square Cloth, round and square; Tea Cloths in various styles, made of White Linen and trimmed with colored embroidery, scalloped edges. Reg. \$1.00 each for... **85c.**

**TRAY CLOTHS**—Size 16 x 24; pure linen with wide red edging and insertion trimming. Reg. \$1.00 each for... **85c.**

**TABLE CENTERS**—White Linen, size 12 x 12; hemstitched borders and fancy embroidered corners. Reg. 40c. each for... **28c.**

**TRIMMED TOWELS**—Size 15 x 36; fringed ends, colored stripes. Reg. 45c. each for... **39c.**

**CUSHION COVERS**—All-over Lace Cushion Covers, pretty designs; sizes 20 x 20. Special, each... **95c.**

### Christmas Sale

## FURS—The Ideal Christmas Gift!

Can you imagine any gift that will bring greater joy to wife, mother or sister, or can you think of one more useful?

**Black Wolf Sets.**  
Regular \$45.00 Sets... **\$26.80**  
Selling for... **\$30.00**  
Regular \$50.00 Sets... **\$30.00**  
Selling for... **\$45.60**

**Skunk Sets.**  
Regular \$108.50 Sets... **\$65.00**  
Selling for... **\$72.00**  
Regular \$115.00 Sets... **\$72.00**  
Selling for... **\$80.00**

**Natural Badger.**  
Regular \$82.50 Sets... **\$46.80**  
Selling for...

**Golden Fox.**  
Regular \$65.00 Sets... **\$35.00**  
Selling for...

**Taupe Lynx.**  
Regular \$105.00 Sets... **\$55.00**  
Selling for...

**Vicuna Fox.**  
Regular \$25.00 Sets... **\$14.50**  
Selling for...

**Australina Opossum.**  
Regular \$105.00 Sets... **\$51.00**  
Selling for...

**Hudson Seal Sets.**  
Regular \$118.00 Sets... **\$60.00**  
Selling for...



### of Furs

Our entire stock re-marked 1-3 to 1-2 less than regular prices. The Furs sold by this store can be depended upon absolutely. The styles are the very newest.

**Fur Stoles and Collars.**  
**Rose Foxline Stoles.**

Regular \$4.25 each... **\$2.40**  
Selling for... **\$5.60**

**Black Wolf Collars.**  
Regular \$12.00 each... **\$9.75**  
Selling for... **\$14.50**

**Taupe Lynx.**  
Regular \$35.00 each... **\$24.00**  
Selling for...

**Persian Lamb.**  
Regular \$5.50 each... **\$3.75**  
Selling for...

**Black Wolf Muffs.**  
Regular \$22.50 each... **\$14.00**  
Selling for... **\$15.00**

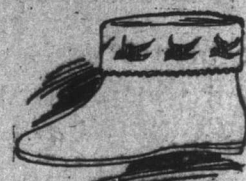
**Taupe Wolf Muffs.**  
Regular \$35.00 each... **\$9.00**  
Selling for...

**Black Fox.**  
Regular \$48.50 each... **\$24.00**  
Selling for...

**Grey Fox.**  
Regular \$35.00 each... **\$16.80**  
Selling for...

**Russian Rat.**  
Regular \$40.00 each... **\$26.50**  
Selling for...

## Cosy Footwear



## Children's Felt Slippers.

In Navy and Cardinal; sizes 5 to 8; fancy trimmed tops; padded soles. Regular \$1.65 pr. **\$1.44**

**Misses' Felt Slippers.**  
In Navy and Cardinal; sizes 11 to 12; fancy figured tops; macramé styles. Regular \$2.55 pr. **\$1.98**

**Women's Slips.**  
In Grey, Fawn, Brown and Black; sizes 3 to 8; 12 button styles; shaped bottoms. Reg. **\$2.25**

**Men's Felt Slippers.**  
In Brown and Grey, leather soles and heels; sizes 6 to 10. Reg. \$3.00 pr. for **\$2.70**

**Men's Tan Boots.**  
High grade Mahogany calf, medium soles and heels; sizes 6 to 9. Regular \$17.25 pair for **\$11.50**

### Look to Your Bed Coverings

**Wool Blankets.**  
Well finished Blankets in White with coloured borders; 70 per cent. wool. Size 60 x 78. Special, pair... **\$9.20**

Size 60 x 88. Special, pair... **\$12.00**

**Eiderdown Quilts.**  
In beautiful colorings, high grade silk and satin covering with floral designs; size 60 x 72. Reg. \$18.00 ea. **\$16.20**

**Art Serges.**  
50 inches wide; Crimson and Olive shades. Regular \$1.55 yard **\$1.25**

**White Table Damask.**  
Extra fine qualities. 45 inches wide. Reg. 70c. yard for 63c. 63 inches wide. Reg. \$2.10 yard for **\$1.39**

**New Blouse Cottons.**  
Creme finish, oriental designs; 27 ins. wide; for Kimonos and Over-blouses. Reg. 65c. yard for **57c.**

### Women's Sweater Coats

#### Astonishing Values



**Wool Sweater Coats.**  
Jummy models in Wool-knit Sweaters; colors of Brown, Navy and Tan; button-up styles; finished with pockets and belts; medium sizes. Reg. \$5.20 each for... **\$3.65**

**Slip-Over Sweaters.**  
All-wool knit; colors of Rose, Coral and flesh, with white bar effects; V-shaped neck; finished with tassels; sizes 36 to 42. Reg. \$5.00 each for... **\$2.95**

**All Wool Spencers.**  
Colors of Navy, Sage, Black and White. Reg. \$3.75 each for... **\$1.85**

**Angora Wool Scarves.**  
Size 11 x 63 inch; colors of Turquoise and Sage, with fancy bar and fringed ends. Reg. \$2.35 each for... **\$2.08**

## Women's Beaver Hats.

Very newest styles. Black and Colored Beaver, underlined with Velvet, finished with Silk cord ribbon bands. Reg. \$12.00 each for... **\$9.90**

Reg. \$13.00 each for... **\$10.55**

Reg. \$10.00 each for... **7.95**

**Dainty Camisoles.**  
In colored Muslin and Jap Silk; shades of Pink; sizes 36 to 42; assorted designs, trimmed with silk and shadow lace, also oheppatched. Reg. \$2.00 each for... **98c.**

**Coat Collars.**  
In Crepe-de-Chene, Poplin and Silk; shades of Rose, Fawn, Black and White; finished with hemstitching and Picot edge; values \$1.25 to \$2.10. Selling for... **25c.**

**ORGANIZING BOLL COLLARS.**  
Finished with coloured embroidery. Regular \$2.75. **\$2.75**

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## Dressing Jackets.

Made of heavy Ripple Cloth in dainty shades of Rose, Pink and Pale Blue; medium sizes, fancy silk facings of contrasting colors on collar and front; long sleeves. Reg. \$8.50 each for... **\$7.20**

**Ladies' Corsets.**  
Made of strong White Cotton; size 28 to 30 inches; high bust, lace trimmed tops, 4 elastic supporters. Regular \$1.50 pair for... **\$1.40**

**Wool Combinations.**  
Stanfield's make; sizes 40 to 42, inch; round neck, short sleeves. Knee lengths. Reg. \$9.00 a garment for... **\$6.75**

**Tweed Skirts.**  
Made of fancy Tweeds, smartly cut, high waist effects, button trimmed. Reg. \$7.50 each for... **\$6.00**

### TOY TOWN

#### TOPICS

By Daddy Tallhat

Millions of Toys, Dolls, Games, Books and Novelties—all the old favourites: Cinderella, Jack the Giant Killer, Puss in Boots, Humpty-Dumpty and the rest of them are here waiting to greet you.

Bring Mother and Daddy with you, for they will not only enjoy this wonderful land of Toys, but will be agreeably surprised to see how low the prices are this year.

**THE COLUMBIAN EXPRESS**—With a full load of Building Blocks. Reg. 75c. each for... **75c.**

**HEAVY WOOD ANIMALS**—Horses, Camels and Elephants. Reg. \$1.50 each for... **\$1.25**

**HUNNING SPIN TOPS**—Large Size. Reg. 20c. each for... **25c.**

**METAL PLATES**—With enamel alphabet. Reg. 17c. each for... **14c.**

**DOLLY PET HOUSEHOLD SETS**—Everything for Dolly's House. Reg. 40c. set for... **35c.**

**SIEGE GUNS**—Large Pop Guns. Reg. \$1.10 each for... **95c.**

**NOAH'S ARK**—With animals. Reg. 25c. each for... **20c.**

**POP GUNS**—Army Rifle. Reg. 25c. each for... **20c.**

**Women's Gloves**  
DENT'S KID GLOVES—In Tan and Brown shades; sizes 5 1/2 to 6 1/2; long wrist. 2 domes. Regular \$2.50 pair. **\$2.20**

**WOOL GLOVES**—Aberdeen knit, leather bound, 2 domes; Grey and Heather mixtures. Reg. \$1.10 pair for... **97c.**

**Infants' Sox**  
In all Wool Cashmeres, dainty shades of Blue and Pink.  
Sizes 0, 1 & 2. Values to 35c. pair for 29c.  
Sizes 3, 4 & 5. Values to 25c. pair for 20c.  
Sizes 6, 7 & 8. Values to 40c. pair for 36c.

### The Gift Store

#### Supreme for Men and Boys



Here you will find a variety of everything that will make "His" a Merry Christmas.

**Knitted Scarves.**  
In colored Mercerized Cotton; sizes 9 x 45 inches; shades of Grey, Green, Brown, Sage and White; assorted stripes and bar effects, fringed ends. Regular \$2.50 each for... **\$2.10**

**Men's Winter Underwear.**  
Vests and Pants, extra heavy knit garments, in all sizes from 34 to 42 inch. Special per garment **\$1.65**

**Full Dress Shirts.**  
Soft pleated fronts, full lengths, stiff cuffs, perfect fitting; all sizes. Reg. \$4.50 each for... **\$3.80**

**Pullman Caps.**  
3 dozen all wool knit Caps in assorted pines; colors of Brown, Green, Grey and Heather, with tassel on top. Reg. \$1.05 each for... **\$1.20**

**Wool Nansen Caps.**  
In Navy and Brown Wool; assorted sizes. Special **\$1.30**

**Men's Braces.**  
Each in fancy box; superior elastic webbing, good leather ends. Reg. 30c. pair for... **50c.**

**Knitted Silk Scarves.**  
Fancy Shot effects, in Blue, Fawn, Grey and Green; assorted bar ends, fringed ends. Regular \$7.20 each for... **\$6.00**

**Negligee Shirts.**  
Fine soft Pique in striped patterns; double cuffs, cont shape; all sizes. Reg. \$1.90 each for... **\$1.60**

**Pin Striped Shirts.**  
Soft Negligee styles; assorted colored pin stripes on white ground; sizes 14 to 16 1/2. Regular \$2.85 each for... **\$2.40**

**Boys' Night Shirts.**  
Striped Pique, extra special values; Polo collars; to fit boys of 8 to 14 years. Reg. \$2.75 each for... **\$1.25**

**Men's Ties.**  
Wide flowing ends, plain, Shot and fancy designs, in the latest colorings. Reg. 95c. each for... **87c.**

**Men's Lined Kid Gloves.**  
Dent's Make. Reg. \$4.86 pair for... **\$4.86**

## Heather Hose

Women's all-Wool Cashmere Hose; shades of Brown. Reg. \$1.20 pair for... **\$1.10**

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