

BEGIN NOW

To Do Your CHRISTMAS SHOPPING and
Avoid the Rush of the Last Few Days

I have a nice assortment of

XMAS GOODS

stock, and invite you to look them over, and
your selection, while the stock is complete.

For the next twenty days, I am going to offer
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Ivory Brush, Comb and
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Comb and Mirror Sets. Ivory
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Ivory Toilet Trays, 3 sizes.
Ivory Powder Boxes, Hair
Receivers, etc. Ivory Brush
Holders, Manicure Sets, Ivory
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itary Sets, Ebony Cloth
Brushes.

Perfumes, (French and Can-
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fine Toilet Soaps, Auto Srop
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ALL kinds of Fruit and Ornamental
Trees, Grape Vines, Currant,
Gooseberry, Blackberry and Rasp-
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Everything in the Nursery Line. Send
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SUMMARY OF STATISTICS OF BAPTIST CHURCHES THROUGH- OUT THE WORLD

Countries Churches Ministers

NORTH AMERICA:

Canada	1,350	483
Central America (in- cluding Canal Zone)	22	23
Mexico	147	67
United States of America	52,866	42,121
Cuba	111	53
West Indies	496	161

55,986 42,272

SOUTH AMERICA—Argentina,

Chili and Uruguay	78	52
Bolivia	3	4
Brazil	751	156

832 212

EUROPE—Austria

Belgium	4	4
Bulgaria	13	6
Czecho-Slovakia	12	15
Denmark	32	25
Finland	55	85
France	28	26
Germany	220	209
Great Britain	3,081	2,215
Holland	27	23
Hungary	96	114
Italy	64	39
Norway	39	20
Portugal	1	1
Rumania	7	7
Russia, including Poland	839	362
Spain	10	11
Sweden	666	425
Switzerland	11	9

5,216 2,588

ASIA—India (Barma

and Assam)	1,706	985
Ceylon	38	95
China (including Siam)	478	617
Japan	43	84
Philippine Islands	80	20

2,405 1,747

AFRICA—South

Central	396	490
West	24	16
Cape Verde Islands	1	—

532 560

AUSTRALASIA—New

South Wales	72	69
Victoria	88	87
South Australia	80	49
Western Australia	28	22
Queensland	34	29
New Zealand	56	29
Tasmania	18	10

376 295

Grand Total for 1919 . . . 65,347 49,674

SALT OF THE EARTH

When grease is spattered on the
stove, salt will absorb it and save the
disagreeable smoke. Clean the salt off
thoroughly after this use, since it
catches moisture and may bring about
rust on the metal.

When a pie runs out in the oven
salt sprinkled over the juice will keep
it from filling the oven with smoke.

Salt water will remove insects from
green vegetables.

Salt in starch gives an added gloss
to the cloth and prevents the iron
from sticking.

Salt removes tea stains from China.

Salt in water in which eggs are
boiled will keep the contents from
boiling out should the shell become
cracked.

Salt and water will remove the
stains in new cotton and make them
easier to launder.

Salt and water will set the color in
cotton fabrics.

Salt sprinkled in the spider will
prevent fish from sticking.

Salt, slightly dampened, will re-
move some of the stains on marble.

Salt sprinkled in the oven will pre-
vent the cake from burning on the
bottom.

A paste made of salt, soda and
water is good for bee stings.

A paste made from salt, soap, lemon
juice and starch, put on mildew and
allowed to remain for 24 hours, will
bleach out all but the worst spots.

Repeat the application if necessary.

Ripe tomatoes will clean the hands
after paring fruit.

PNEUMONIA

and other Lung Diseases

Claim many victims in Canada and
should be guarded against

MINARD'S LINIMENT

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Liniment has relieved thousands of
cases of Grippe, Bronchitis, sore
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of bottles being used every day. For
sale by all druggists and general dealers.

Minard's Liniment Co., Ltd., Yar-
mouth, N. S.

HOME FOR XMAS

Home for Christmas! There's a joy
For the weary grown up boy,
Or the little girl who now
Feels the years upon her brow.

Home for Christmas! Back once more
To the mother at the door
And the old hearth with the blaze
And those happy yesterdays.

Home for Christmas! Back to the mill
For the toiler up the hill,
For the trudge in the road
Heart-sick with his heavy load.

Home for Christmas! Back to be
Once again at mother's knee
And to feel her fond caress
In the spell of happiness.

Home for Christmas! Girl and lad,
Going to the kindly Dad,
Who has waited through the year
For his loved ones to appear.

Home for Christmas! Back again
To the simple joys and plain,
To the refuge sweet with rest
Where is love made manifest.

Home for Christmas! Oh, that I
Could recall the years gone by,
And could know once more the bliss
Of the glorious welcome kiss.

Home for Christmas! Girl and man
Claim that gladness while you can
Swift must come those years of pain
When you'll long for home in vain.

YOU WILL NEVER REGRET

Keeping your temper under insult
or serious provocation.
Telling the truth when a lie would
have helped you out of difficulty.

Turning away from pleasure that
would injure your health or your
manhood.

Holding steadfastly to your pur-
pose when everyone insisted you were
on the wrong track.

Forming the habit of always trying
to better your best, to improve some-
thing somewhere every day of your
life.

Refusing to listen to malicious gos-
sip, or stories that are "off color."

Having the courage to wear shabby
clothes rather than go in debt for
what you could not afford.

Daring to say "No" when "Yes"
would have made you a "good fellow"
and won the applause of your com-
panions.

Not putting that cutting, sarcastic
letter, or uttering the angry words
that sprang to your lips when smart-
ing under a sense of injury or in-
justice.

Getting up every time you fall and
pushing right on towards your goal,
no matter how dark the way.

Keeping faith with yourself at any
cost; holding fast to the high ideals
that beckoned in youth. Always and
everywhere acting the gentleman or
lady.

COMPACT FACTS

Few people realize that 26,445 Cana-
dian ex-service men have been es-
tablished on the land and are nearly
all making good; that Canada's water-
power development represents an in-
vestment of \$475,000,000, while the
power produced would otherwise re-
quire 18,000,000 tons of coal yearly
or that nearly 88 per cent of the
world's supply of asbestos comes from
the Province of Quebec. The Natural
Resources Intelligence Branch of the
Department of the Interior, has just
issued a revised edition of "Compact
Facts," which contains in concise
form, information regarding Canada:
its area, population, trade and indus-
tries; their extent, capital invested,
wages paid, values of live stock, prin-
cipal crops and amounts produced;
mineral resources and present pro-
duction; also forest resources and
forest products. Copies of the book-
let are available on application to
the Superintendent, Natural Resources
Intelligence Branch, Department of
the Interior, Ottawa.

THE RACE WINNER

The Bluenose! the Bluenose!
The pride of every heart;
She won the race and holds the cup,
And nobly did her part.

The Bluenose! the Bluenose!
Symbolic is her name;
It's dear to Nova Scotian hearts,
We greet it with acclaim.

The Bluenose! the Bluenose!
Pride of the Fishing Fleet;
She's won the Race and holds the Cup
Her triumph is complete.

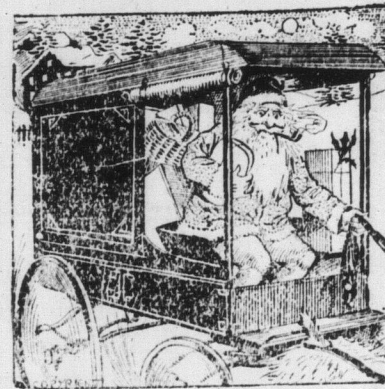
—Lella Ada Sullis, Digby.

Tim Is Dead

Mike (writing): "Dear Tim, are you
dead or alive? If you're alive send
me the \$20 you owe me by return
mail."

By return mail: "Dear Mike, I'm
dead and the twenty dollars went to-
wards paying the funeral expenses."

Sour milk will bleach cotton and
linen goods; milk will also take ink
stains out of printed goods.



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Headquarters for

CHRISTMAS CANDIES, FRUITS AND NUTS

Daisy Mixture
Ribbon Mixture
Hard Boiled Mixture
Barley Toys
Molasses Kisses
Peanut Brittle
Milk Chocolates

French Creams
Chocolate and Cream Mix-
ture
Cream Bonbons
Peppermint Creams
Scotch Mints

After Dinner Mints
Fruit Jellies
Gum Drops
Chocolate Peanut Cluster
Maple Buds
Cream Caramels
Milk Caramels

DeWolfe's Pure Candies

Peanut Buttercups, Cocomut Buttercups, Butter Creams, Molasses Peppermint, Humbugs,
Molasses Chips, Lemon Drops, Chicken Bones and Peppermint Wafer

Barley Candy and Buttercups in Glass Jars. Penny Candy of all kinds

NUTS. Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts, Brazils, Shelled Walnuts, Shelled Almonds, Fancy Jumbos
Salted Peanuts, Fresh Roasted Jumbo Peanuts

FRUITS. California Naval Oranges, Florida Grape Fruit, Florida Sweet Oranges, Lemons,
Malaga (green) Grapes, Red Emperor Grapes.

FIGS. Very Choice Layers, also in small packages.

RAISINS. Extra Fancy Table in waxed paper, also seedless in packages.

CURRENTS. Choice packages, well cleaned. Almond paste in tins.

DATES. Dromedary in packages. Choice bulk dates.

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MOTHER'S JELLY, in tumblers. Red Currant, Strawberry, Crahapple, Raspberry, Black
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CHRISTMAS!

December is Here and Xmas is
Near

Santa Claus is stopping
with us this year. Come
in and meet him.

Santa says useful gifts
this year, that's why he
is stopping at

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Acadia Nut
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Our customers are re-
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TENDERS FOR COLLECTION OF COUNTY RATES

TENDERS will be received by the
underigned till December 31st, 1921,
for the collection of the County Tax,
Road Tax, and Dog Tax for the ensu-
ing year.

(1) All Tenders must be sealed,
Marked Tender for Rates, and ad-
dressed to one of the undersigned.

(2) All Tenders must be accom-
panied by the names of two reliable
Bondsmen, to be approved by the
committee.

(3) All Tenders must guarantee
the full amount of the Rate Roll, sub-
ject only to such reductions for illegal
rates as may be allowed by Council.

Also Tenders will be received at
the same time for the position of
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Annapolis.

F. W. BISHOP,

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A. P. BOWLEY

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Bridgetown, Dec. 1st, 1921.

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