

FRUIT

FOR

XMAS!

We have a big shipment of

Green and Dried Fruit,

due per this week's steamer and are booking orders for the undermentioned at lowest prices.

WINTER KEEPING APPLES.
CALIFORNIA ORANGES.
SPANISH GRAPES—Kegs.
THREE CROWN RAISINS 50 lb. boxes
SEEDED RAISINS 36 1-lb. pkgs.
PACKAGE DATES 30 1-lb. cartons
EVAPORATED APRICOTS 25 lb. boxes

— AND —
"MIDGET" RAISINS 1 lb. pkgs.
 A great substitute for Currants.

F. McNAMARA,
 QUEEN STREET.

ECONOMY!

A big word in war time. Don't waste money on useless trifles. Buy that Piano, the enduring gift, from

CHARLES HUTTON,
 Who has the largest stock of High-Class Pianos in the trade.

STUNG! STUNG!

Welcome and Unwelcome News.

Without prior notice, Perfection Tire shares have advanced to \$1.50 on December 1st, according to telegraphic news just received. We have wired advising that a lot of our clients have orders pending at \$1.25 and we have a lot of business at \$1.25 accepted since December 1st, and asked them for a time extension of a few days.

* We may or we may not get it, but until we get an answer we will not accept any further orders at \$1.25 that will bind us to make delivery.

See this space to-morrow for definite announcement.

J. J. LACEY & CO., Ltd.,
 INVESTMENT SPECIALISTS, CITY CHAMBERS.
 (Over Royal Bank of Canada.)

The Old Reliable Head Quarters for APPLES.

A FINE STOCK TO SELECT FROM.

Also just in: SWEET CALIFORNIA ORANGES and small cases LEMONS.
 ONIONS—Both Bermudas and Valencias; NEW SEPTEMBER CREAM CHEESE.
 And a fresh supply of the unrivalled WAGNER PORK & BEANS with Tomato Sauce.

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Kerosene Stationary ENGINES.

ALSO
 Agents for the American Saw Mill Machinery Co., Manufacturers of **Saw Mill and Cooperage Machinery of all kinds.**

ALSO
Complete Electric Lighting Plants,
 with Storage Battery.

A. H. MURRAY, St. John's



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The edges of Toric Lenses do not show as prominently as those of flat lenses. They fit in close to your eyes. You will find Torics much more becoming and useful. They give you a wider, clearer field vision. You should know about Toric Lenses. Let us explain them.

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A ROYAL SMOKE.



BENGAL LITTLE CIGARS
 Made of high grade tobacco and exceedingly mild, as your own tongue will tell you. Beware of substitutes.
10 for 25 cents.

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JAS. P. CASH, Water Street.



Not only softer, smoother, more satisfying than any other, but distinguished by the "True Oriental Odor," a fragrance intolerable to imitations.

In addition to Massatta, we carry a complete line of Lazzell's Famous Specialties, including the most exquisite Perfumes, deodorants, Toilet Waters, soaps, Creams, and Powders of the most renowned manufacturers.

At all Druggists, St. John's, N.B.

Apples! Apples!

Due this week:
1000 barrels
Choice Apples,
 Winter keeping, various brands.

GEO. NEAL

5c. The Crescent Picture Palace. 5c.
 AFTERNOON, 2:15; NIGHT, 7:30.

A BIG WEEK-OPENING SHOW MONDAY & TUESDAY.
 The Essanay Company presents Edward Arnold, Sidney Ainsworth and Marguerite Clayton in

"The Extravagant Bride."

"THE AMERICAN WAR NEWS"—A reel of interesting items.
 "THE NET OF INTRIGUE"—An adventure of "Grant, Police Reporter", with Geo. Larkin as Grant.
 A Ham Comedy, "A MISFIT MILLIONAIRE," with Ham and Bud.
 THE USUAL CLASSY MUSICAL PROGRAMME—DRUMS AND EFFECTS.

GOODS

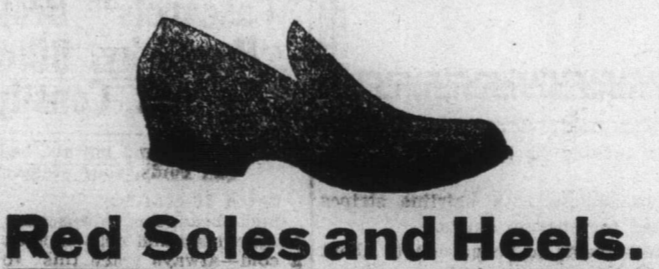
Just arrived to
STEER BROTHERS' Grocery.

25 cases Tinned Bakeapples.
COLEMAN'S MUSTARD, all size tins,
 1 oz. to 1 lb.
 50 boxes Choice Canadian Cheese.
 100 sax Onions, small.
 40 cases Valencia Onions.
 40 cases Fresh Eggs.
 50 pails Moir's Caramels, etc.

'Phone 647 for Prices.

Steer Brothers.

"RED BALL" Rubbers!



Red Soles and Heels.

Do you want a pair of Rubbers that will wear the whole winter? Come in and see our styles in Red Ball Rubbers. Every pair guaranteed. Made by the new vacuum process, with two full soles and heels of Red Rubber.

TRY A PAIR AND BE CONVINCED.

PARKER & MONROE, Limited,
 DISTRIBUTORS.

At all Druggists, St. John's, N.B.

REID-NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY.

South Coast Service.

S.S. "GLENCOE"
 will leave DRY DOCK WHARF, TUESDAY, December 4th, 1917, at 12 o'clock, Noon, calling at following ports:
 Cape Breton, Ferryland, Hermitage (Alt. with English Fermeuse, Trepassey, Hr. West)
 St. Mary's, Salmonier, Gaultois, Pushthrough, Placentia, Marystown, Rencontre
 Burin, St. Lawrence, Francois, Cape La Hune, Fortune, Grand Bank, Ramea, Burgeo, Belleoram, St. Jacques, Grand Bruit
 English Hr. West (Alt. with Hermitage) La Polle, Rose Blanche, Burnt Island, Channel, Port aux Basques
 Harbour Breton, Pass Island, Port aux Basques

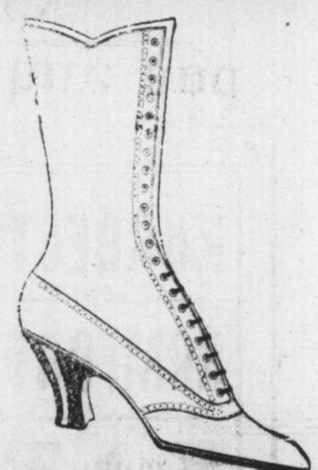
For passenger and freight rates apply Passenger and Freight Departments.

Reid-Newfoundland Co.

Just Arrived, Imitation
Fur Trimmings,
 1 to 2 inches.
Black, White and Fancy.

Robert Templeton

JUST IN
 A line of
HANDSOME HIGH CUT BOOTS for Ladies.
 \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9 and \$10.00 per pair.



See our catchy lines of **LADIES' BOOTS** at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00.
 Perfect fitting guaranteed at our Ladies' Parlour.

F. SMALLWOOD, LADIES' DEPARTMENT.

J. J. ST. JOHN.

BIG DROP IN PROVISIONS.
 We carry a large stock and our prices are lower than the other man's. Touch in and see.
 450 brs. VICTOR FLOUR, 200 brs. FIVE ROSES.
 250 brs. ROBIN HOOD, 150 brs. VERBENA.
 100 brs. DAILY BREAD.
 120 puncheons BEST BARBADOS MOLASSES.
 125 brs. PORK at \$42.50 and \$45.00 brl.
 95 brs. BEEF at \$36.00.
 1,000 bags CATTLE FEED, \$4.00.
 500 bags GLUTEN FEED, \$4.00.
 550 bags WHITE & MIXED OATS, 600 bags BRAN.

J. J. ST. JOHN,
 136 and 138 DUCKWORTH STREET.

Call and See

Our New Fall and Winter Stock of
Men's and Boys' Suits, Pants and Overcoats.

No trouble to make your selection. Every garment a Leader in style, fit and durability. Our prices the lowest.

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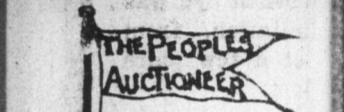
TEN PAGES TO-
 WEATHER FORECAST.
 TORONTO. Noon.—Fair day, fresh to strong winds night and on Thursday, local snow or rain.
 Drink WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE

VOLUME XXXIX.

COAL

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BEST
 Sent home
\$13.6
 At NEWMAN'S.
W. CO
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Auction Sale



AUCTION.
 At the Western Store of
 Messrs. Alan Goodridge
 Sons, on
Thursday next, 6th inst.
 at 10.30 a.m.,

the following articles belonging to Rosiru Whaling Co. Ltd. in liquidation, on instructions of Ernest Watson, Liquidator.
 2 pieces Norwegian Manilla, weight 255 lbs.; 1 do. about 100 lb. do. 355 lbs.; 1 coil 5 1/2" coil, weight 277 lbs.; 1 lot Manilla yarn, 1 coil, weight Manilla line, 200 lbs.; 2 coils, 253 lbs.; 1 do. 217 lbs.; 1 do. 218 lb. do. 761 lbs.; 1 do. 551 lbs.; 1 do. 1155 lbs.; 1 do. 1135 lbs. and 115 lbs.; 8 coils wire rope, 2 coils boiler rivets and 2 four-fold blocks, 2 counter scales, 1 platform scales, with guard to weigh on made by Day & Millward, Birmingham; 1 do to weigh 1200 lbs. 1 leather belting, 6" x 27 ft. long, pieces iron piping, 1 large pile hammer and wrench; 3 jackscrews, pieces boiler plate, 1/4", 1162 lbs. rolls sheet lead, 5075 lbs.; 3 different pumps, made by A. C. Mumford (Colchester); 1 3/4" water pump, empty sacks, 1 suit sails for 700 vessel, 4 mainsails, 4 foresails, 11 lbs. 3 ribs and 1 bonnet; 1 ship's net for 200 ton vessel, 7 ship's augers, large bung borers, 2 steels, 22 cooper's rivets, 2 yards wire gauze sundries. List may be seen at the office of

P. C. O'DRISCOLL
 Auctioneer
 dec.1.41

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Best Screened North Sydney

COAL

Lowest Prices.

M. MOREY & CO.



ST. JOHN'S MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
TENDERS FOR OATS

Tenders will be received to Monday, December 10th, 4 p.m., for the supply of 4 bushels Black, White or Mixed Oats (duty-free). Delivery one lot. Date of delivery to be stated in the Tender.
 Applicants are requested to mark across the envelope words "Tender for Oats".
 The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or tender.

By order,
J. L. SLATTERY
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