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STYLISH models ready for service, possessing all the distinctive style features of garments made by exclusive custom tailors, but priced within the means of those whose expenditure is limited.

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Quality and price sells our Overcoats, \$8.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00, 13.00, 14.00, 15.00 and \$18.00. Our Men's Suits are up to the standard in patterns and prices, \$7.50, 8.50, 10.00, 15.00 and \$18.00.

Our Men's Shirts take the lead at these prices, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75. Big value for cash. Trunks, \$3.50 to \$12.00. Men's Dress Suit Cases, \$1.25, 1.75, 3.00, 4.50, 5.00, and \$6.00. Men's Working Shirts, prices 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25. Men's Shoes from \$1.35 to \$3.50. Men's Rubbers, 90c. to \$1.10. Overcoats, one buckle waterproof, \$1.75. A large range of Men's Mitts and Gloves at 50c. to \$1.50 per pair. Men's Pants from \$1.25 to \$3.50.

All these goods at square prices for cash, at the wide awake store of

C. BRAGER & SONS
Store open till 10 p. m. 48 MILL STREET

CHRISTMAS CHEER

THREE FOR CABINET Savannah, Ga., Dec. 23 - Congressman Edwards, here from Washington, says that William Jennings Bryan will be secretary of state, P. A. S. Stovall, editor of the Savannah Press, secretary of the interior, and Joseph Daniels, of North Carolina, postmaster general.

A FINE DISPLAY. As nice a lot of choice, plump turkeys and other poultry as are to be had in the city are to be had at W. H. Dunham's store, corner of Main and Albert streets, at market prices. Come early and make your selection. There is also a wide assortment of fancy candies, Christmas tree ornaments, and other holiday goods in pleasing variety and at reasonable prices. Telephone Main 465 and have your order taken. The store will be open this evening and tomorrow night.

FUNERALS. The funeral of J. Lawrence Drake took place this afternoon from his late home in Water street, West End. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Sampson and Rev. G. P. Scott, and interment was in Cedar Hill. Mr. Drake was the youngest son of Uriah Drake, 77 Water street. He was 34 years of age, and a commercial traveller in the whole sale grocery line. For many years he was connected with the 3rd Regiment of Artillery and had risen to the rank of major. He is survived by his wife, his father, one sister, Mrs. H. Shaw, of this city, and one brother, Alfred Drake, of Vancouver. The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Brown took place this afternoon from her late home in Elliott row. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. J. Conway in the cathedral, and interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of John Buckley took place yesterday afternoon from his late home in Duke street, West End. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. J. O'Donnell, and interment was in Sand Cove cemetery. The pall bearers were G. Collins, W. Miller, L. Bowen, N. Allen, W. Allinson and E. Coleraine. The employes of Emerson & Fisher attended in a body. Among many handsome floral tributes was a cross of cream roses from the employes of Emerson & Fisher, and also one from the firm.

Just arrived today—Xmas, toys, games, teddy bears, large dressed sleeping dolls, with natural eye-balls, which have to be sold by Christmas eve, everything at half price—577 Main street, next door to Wascoe's drug store. 1286-12-23.

Stove Linings That Last

FENWICK D. FOLEY,
Ring Up at Main 1501 And Here Sell Your Call. "Don't let the fire burn thru to the oven."

How You Can Get The Best Value For Your Money

See Our Select American Line of Choice Chocolates in Small and Large Packages at

J. M. NOETHRUP, 23 Paradise Row. Phone Main 428-31.

LOCAL NEWS

Band on Carleton rink tonight.

Turkey supper at Bond's tonight.

Ask for Frank White's chocolates. 12331-12-25.

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The Methodist ministers of the city met this morning, but discussed routine matters only.

RETURN THANKS. The superintendent of the school for the deaf returns thanks to W. H. Golding, manager of the Nickel Theatre, for kindly entertaining the pupils at the Christmas matinee; also to superintendent Waring, of the ferry service for kindness.

CHOPPED FINGER OFF. A five-year-old named Wilson, of Lorneville, was painfully injured on Saturday when his brother accidentally allowed an axe to fall upon his hand and cut off his finger. The youngster was taken to Doctor Allingham's office in Fairville.

CLASS REMEMBERED. E. C. Keirstead, teacher of the Leaders Class of the Tabernacle Sunday school, presented to each member on his class a very pretty Christmas greeting in booklet form. The class thanked him heartily and united in wishing him a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Jeffrey, the Paradise row grocer, will sell more for a Nickel and still more for a Gem at the Unique place, 57 Paradise row, where all the Lyric people know best. American oil 15c. a gallon; three pounds of prunes, 25c.; five boxes of figs, 25c.; three pounds of mixed starchy, 25c.; bottles of extract, 25c.; scrub brushes, 25c. a pair; socks, 25c. a pair; mitts, 25c. a pair; two extra large bottles of pickles, mixed or chow-chow, for 25c. Phone Main 2132.

PERSONALS

Arthur E. Leach, of New Glasgow, N. B., is visiting his brother Charles at 73 Hill street, and will remain until the New Year.

Her many friends will be pleased to know that Miss Marion Chesley is improving from her illness in the hospital.

Miss Ada B. Johnston, of Perth, N. B., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston, Quispamis. Frederick Carson is home for Christmas with his parents in Portland street.

Mrs. A. G. Edgecombe and Miss Gladys Edgcombe left last evening for Montreal, to visit the former's daughter in that city. Miss Hayes, of Sussex, who has been teaching at Seely's Cove, Charlotte county, arrived in St. John yesterday evening and proceeded to her home on yesterday's train. She will not return to the Cove school.

The Misses Ida and Marion Burke arrived yesterday from Montreal, coming on receipt of the news of the sudden death of their niece, Miss Viola Logan.

Harry McAvity is in the city for the holiday season after a absence of two years spent in Toronto.

Leah W. Barker is in the city for the Christmas holidays.

James Robinson, of Miramichi, arrived in the city this morning.

A. J. Gray, K. C. of Fredericton, is at the Royal.

Mr. Justice and Mr. A. S. White and Donald V. White are at the Royal.

Dr. W. J. Weaver, of Fredericton, arrived in the city yesterday.

William J. Duffey, of Montreal, arrived in the city today and will spend Xmas with his parents in Adelaide street.

Miss Milla Smith returned home on Saturday from Oxford College, England, where she has been studying. She will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Arthur Metcalf, of North End, has gone to Prince of Wales to spend Christmas.

The friends of Mrs. James Wilson of Acadia street will be glad to learn of her recovery from a serious illness.

Robert Curry, of the Hibbard Construction Company, has returned to St. Mary's after a visit to this city.

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"G" Company 62nd St. John Fusiliers will meet at their armory tonight, December 23, at 8 o'clock for return of uniform and to receive pay.

All of our neckwear, suspenders, hosiery, gloves and so forth are especially noted for holiday trade. Make your selections today.—R. Edgson, corner Main and Bridge streets.

XMAS GREETINGS. Wm. Thomson & Company are sending out their season's greetings this year in the form of a neatly engraved card decorated with a festive scene, with sprays of holly and poinsettia embossed in green, red and gold.

The 2 Barkers Ltd. are offering seeded raisins at 7 and 8c per package; cleaned currants at 7 1/2c per package; hand made barley toys only 12c per pound; Xmas mittens only 12c per pair; Xmas mittens only 12c per pair; Xmas mittens only 12c per pair; Xmas mittens only 12c per pair.

Nothing is appreciated more as a Christmas gift than a nice flowering plant. We have a fine assortment grown in our own greenhouses, such as azaleas, primulas, tulips, hyacinths, ferns, palms, etc., planted in either pots or baskets, which we are selling at our usual low prices, also cut flowers and Christmas wreaths of all kinds. See our display before buying elsewhere. Come early and avoid the rush.—K. Pedersen, Ltd., Market Building, 48 Charlotte street. 1297-12-25.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

Best Xmas Fruit Cake 50c a lb. Plum Pudding 50c a lb. Special Mince Meat Pies and other home-made Christmas cakes, puddings and lunch loaves. 158 Union Street.

We have a special Sale of Fancy Goods.

GIRLS WANTED. Apply at once. Ungar's Laundry. 1293-12-27.

BOYERS WANTED. Corner Wall and Water streets. 1294-12-27.

WANTED—Buy to learn Customs Business. H. C. Olive, 171 Prince William street. 1297-12-31.

BOY WANTED—Apply P. McDevitt, King Square. Good opportunity to learn barbering trade.

WANTED—An experienced Cook, general work, no laundry. Liberal wages, references required. Apply to Mrs. P. R. Inches, 179 German street. 1294-12-21.

WANTED—By young lady position as bookkeeper or office assistant. Address Box "Assistant," Times office. 1293-12-31.

FOR SALE—Imperial Encyclopedia Dictionary, Illustrated, 10 Volumes. Address "Education," Times office. 1293-12-27.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; one who can sleep home. Three in family. Apply Mrs. George Carvell, Carvell Hall Apartments. 1782-12-11.

FOUND—On High street a Bank of New Brunswick account book with some drafts. Owner can have same by applying to David Jacobson, 73 High street. 1234.

WANTED—Position as traveler with reliable house; by man with several years' experience in Maritime Provinces and good connection. Address "Worker," Times office. 1292-12-27.

PRIVATE SALE at 31 Crown Street. Complete outfit household furniture, dishes, stair-builders' tools, draughting boxes, curtain, etc. Seen 10 to 12 and 2 to 4 daily. 1224.

LOST—Strayed or Stolen, all white Fox Terrier. Anyone found harboring same will be prosecuted. Finder will confer a favor by returning to J. A. Clarke, 10 Peters street. 1294-12-25.

LOST On Sunday gold watch and fob in Carmarthen street church or from church to foot of Duke street by way of Carmarthen street. Finder please return to 207 Duke street. 1293-12-22.

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of pain is the why we extract teeth by the famous Hale Method which is used exclusively at our office.

WE CHARGE ONLY 25c

If you wear a set of artificial teeth, try our improved suction plate.

Each Dollar spent includes a chance for a Free Return Trip to Demerara, or choice of \$10.00 in cash, and each 5c spent with us gives a chance for a Free Return Trip to New York.

Boston Dental Parlors
537 Main Street. 243 Union Street. Phone, 683, 85, 708.

Manicure Sets

In Pearl, Ebony and Parisian Ivory.

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The Best Quality at a Reasonable Price

It's Easy To Buy Diamonds.

When you know that each stone shown you has the qualities that make Diamonds valued and admired,—that each one is white, finely cut and full of fire and brilliancy.

In our Diamond buying we are careful to select that kind of Diamonds, so that no matter what price you may pay, you may feel assured that the Diamond purchased from us is a Quality Diamond.

There's just tonight and tomorrow to make the rest of your Christmas purchases. Buy the Diamond early. You will find one in our stock to suit your taste and your purse.

L. L. Sharpe & Son
Jewelers and Opticians
21 King Street, St. John, N. B.

English Hothouse Grapes

The Calmar Variety \$1.25 a pound

GILBERT'S GROCERY
143 Charlotte street Phone Main 812.

There is nothing more appropriate as a gift for elderly people than a pair of Glasses. We will sell glasses fitted with plain lenses, including a guarantee for a thorough eye-test at any time after the holidays and the supplying of proper glasses.

D. BOYANER
Optometrist and Optician
38 Dock street.

Christmas Gifts

Highest Quality Drug Store Goods at Lowest Possible Prices

A "WHAT'S LEFT" SALE

To Clear Out The Remainder of Our Holiday Goods, We Have Marked Them Away Down.

Prices Talk

When All Other Arguments Fail

11 only—4 piece ladies' manicure sets, genuine ebony, sterling silver mounts. They were bargains at \$3.00. Only \$1.98 to Clear

28 ladies' brush, comb and mirror sets. Selling last week for \$1.73. Today and Tomorrow Only \$1.19

They are imitation on ebony silver mounted.

About 17 rubber lined traveling cases or tourist rolls. Worth 75c. to \$1.25. For 59 Cents Each

9 pairs ebony military brushes regular price \$2.25. Now only \$1.53

Solid Leather Cases 50 Cents Each

What's left of those Brushes and Mirrors, imitation ebony silver mounts that sold for 39c and 43c. To clear them out we offer them for only 29c each or pair for 55c.

25c Perfumes for 17c. \$1.50 Perfumes for \$1.29

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS ON STATIONERY AND EBONY

Some 35c Candy Novelties including Butcher Shops for 25c.

WASSON'S
"WHERE GOOD THINGS ARE SOLD"

KING STREET HAYMARKET SQUARE MAIN STREET

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley K. Smith, of Ottawa, are in the city.

A. P. Barnhill, K. C., and Mrs. Barnhill left Saturday evening for Florida.

Professor V. T. Raymond, of the N. B., passed through the city yesterday.

Mrs. Blackwood of Halifax and her sister, Miss Margaret Robertson, also of Halifax, arrived here on Saturday night to spend the Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Corbett, Cliff street.

Miss Grace, Dutcher of Charlottetown is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. V. MacKinnon, 64 Elliott row.

John Flood is home for the holidays from Fredericton, where he has been attending the U. N. B.

CHRISTMAS PERFUMES

25c, 30c, 75c, \$1.00

The packages are prettier than ever, the perfumes as good.

CHRISTMAS CHOCOLATES

Creamy, fruity, delicious, in very pretty packages from 10c to \$2.00. 725-726 Comfort Quills, \$1.75 and \$2.25 each.

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY

Stationery as a Christmas Gift is growing more in favor. We are showing a beautiful assortment at reasonable prices.

MOORE'S DRUG STORE
Phone Main 101. 105 Brunswick Street. Service Prompt. Cor. Richmond.

DEATHS

SAUNDERS—On the 22nd inst., Charles Herbert Saunders, in the fifty-second year of his age, leaving his wife, five sons and three daughters to mourn.

FUNERAL on Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock from his late residence, Goodale Point, to the Baptist church.

LEAVITT—In Moncton, on Friday, December 20, Catherine Elizabeth, widow of Edward Leavitt, and daughter of the late Winthrop Robinson, of St. John, N. B., in the 87th year of her age.

SMITH—At Sussex, on Monday, the 23rd inst., James R. Smith, in the 62nd year of his age.

FUNERAL from his late residence, Sussex Corner, on Tuesday, the 24th inst., at three o'clock in the afternoon.

At the meeting of the Baptist ministers this morning Revs. Drs. McIntyre and Hutchinson, and Messrs. Camp, Archibald, Porter, Wentworth and McCutcheon attended. The matter of the passage and enforcement of a child's protective act was discussed and the following resolution passed unanimously: "Whereas, the experience gained by members of this conference during their period of service has convinced them of the great need of a child's protective act for this city; therefore, "Resolved, that this Baptist conference strongly endorse the action being taken to urge the municipal council to ask for such an act, and to appeal to the legislature for its passage at the next session, and to stand ready to cooperate in such a movement."

Many Xmas Dinners Gone
Minneapolis, Dec. 22—More than 10,000 turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens, included in the Christmas stock of five commission houses were destroyed in a fire last night. Two thousand live chickens were sacrificed.

WE BELIEVE EVERYONE WANTS TO LIVE as long as life is a comfort. After you have tried everything possible for the PNEUMONIA, DIPHTHERIA, DYSPESIA, ETC., and are given up as incurable, address Health Bureau, 34 Leinster street, St. John, N. B. 12961-12-24.

BLANKETS AND COMFORT QUILTS

Cotton Blankets, "best made," \$1.20, \$1.50, \$1.85 pair

Wool Nap Blankets—Silk bound—\$2.65 pair

Wool Blankets, \$2.00, \$2.35, \$2.50 and \$4.00 pair.

725-726 Comfort Quills, \$1.75 and \$2.25 each.

725-726 Turkey "Chintz Quills," \$2.50 each.

CARLETON'S, Cor. Waterloo and Brussels Sts.

Xmas in the Dining Room

Handsome Buffets, Sideboards, China Closets, Dining Chairs, would make good all the year round Xmas presents for the home.

Xmas Gift Hints

Leather Chairs, Rockers, Morris Chairs, Willow Rockers, Shaving Stands, Parlor and Music Cabinets, Brass Beds, Ladies' Secretaries, Bookcases, etc.

For the Children

Make the child happy by giving a nice stylish High Chair, Rocker, Nursery Chair or Toy Set for a Xmas Gift.

All furniture marked down at greatly reduced prices.

AMLAND BROS. LTD.
19 Waterloo street

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Turkey supper at Bond's tonight.

The City Market will be kept open on Christmas eve until 11 p. m.

Trusses, all kinds, fit guaranteed; Moore's Drug Store, Brussels street.

Great values in velvet hats, either ready-trimmed or made to order. Special reduced prices on all fall goods. Washburn, Nagle & Co., 29 Canterbury street.

Look around and save your money. Then come here and buy your Christmas presents where so many have come before you, at the wide-awake store of C. Hanger & Sons.

The 2 Barkers Ltd. can save you from 30 to 50 per cent on dolls, games, books, toys, teddy bears, fancy goods, drawing cases, vases, jardiniere, doll carriage, boys' express, clocks, smoker sets, music sets, brush, comb and mirrors, etc.

He may have too many hats—yes, his wardrobe may be a burden to him, but did you ever hear of a man who had too many neckties? Our neckwear department is all aglow with handsome neckwear, ranging in prices from 25c. to 75c.—Henderson & Hunt, 17-19 Charlotte street.

A meeting of the Saint John Law Society will be held at twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 24th inst., at the Society's rooms in the Pugsley building, on account of the death of the late Lemuel A. Curry, Esq., K. C., D. O. L.

By order
C. F. SANFORD
Secretary.