

Practical Xmas Suggestions!

Newfoundland's
Greatest Shoe House

FROM
Parker & Monroe, Ltd.

The
SHOE MEN

Ladies' and Gent's



Ladies' Pink Felt Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Saxe Blue Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Red Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Navy Blue Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Old Rose Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Oxford Grey Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Brown Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Maroon Kozy Slippers
Ladies' Wine Kozy Slippers

\$2.50

the Pair.

With soft padded insoles and heel, crumple outer-sole, ribbon trim.

LADIES' FELT JULIETS

With leather soles and heels, ribbon trim or plain felt bow, in shades of—

Dark Greyleather sole
Dark Brownleather sole
Purpleleather sole
Redleather sole
Blackleather sole
Wineleather sole

\$2.50

the Pair.

Soft flexible turn sole, felt insoles.

LADIES' JAEGER SLIPPERS \$2.25
LADIES' GREY JULIET (crome sole) \$1.80
LADIES' BLACK JULIET (crome sole) \$1.80
LADIES' CARPET SLIPPERS (leather sole) \$1.35

GENT'S FELT SLIPPERS.



GENT'S JAEGER WOOL SLIPPERS \$2.35
GENT'S GREY ROMEO (crome sole) \$1.90
GENT'S GREY FELT SLIPPER (leather sole) \$2.75
GENT'S BROWN KOZY SLIPPER \$2.75
GENT'S GREY FELT SLIPPER (Hyle collar, crome sole) \$3.00
GENT'S BLACK FELT SLIPPER (lea. sole) \$2.75
GENT'S BLACK FELT SLIPPER (felt sole) \$1.40
GENT'S CARPET SLIPPER (leather sole) \$1.35

GENT'S LEATHER SLIPPERS.



SPECIAL, only \$1.50.
GENT'S BLACK and BROWN LEATHER SLIPPERS, sizes 9 and 10 only. Regular \$2.50 value.

ANY EXCHANGE
MADE AFTER XMAS.

Christmas
is
Coming

FOOTWEAR is always a Sensible, Valuable, Reasonable and Ideal Christmas Gift! We are now in Christmas Attire and are at Your Service with the Best of Footwear that's made!

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS.

A pair of Comfortable Shoes or Slippers for Pa, Ma, Grandpa, or Grandma!

A pair of Hockey Boots for Harry, or perhaps a pair of Storm Boots!

For Sister Mary, a pair of stylish Street Boots, or how about a pair of handsome Dress Slippers?

Fred, of course, would rather have Rubber Boots than anything else. Ask him and see!

Be sure not to forget the Baby's Boots!

Remember that our Prices always stand for the Best Values and our Experienced Shoe Service is always at your command!

**Reduced Prices on Our
Complete Stocks at Both
Stores for Cash Only.**

SKATING BOOTS



FOR BOYS
(Regulation).
Black Hockey,
sizes 1 to 5,
\$5.10 to \$5.50.

Skating Boots
FOR GIRLS.

Sizes 11 to 2.
In Black, \$3.75, 3.90,
5.00, 5.45.
In Tan, \$4.50, 5.75,
In Tan, \$4.50, 5.75
to \$6.70.

GIRLS' SPATS.



Black Jersey . . \$1.40
Black Felt . . \$1.80
Fawn Felt . . \$1.80
Sizes 6 to 10.

MISSIES' SPATS.

Black Jersey . . \$1.60
Black Felt . . \$2.00
Brown Felt . . \$2.00

GIRLS'

LONG RUBBERS.

Child's—Sizes 6 to 10,
\$2.70 to \$2.90
Misses'—Sizes 12 to 2,
\$3.20 to \$3.40
Women's—Sizes 3 to 7,
at \$3.90

CHILD'S

TAN RUBBER BOOTS

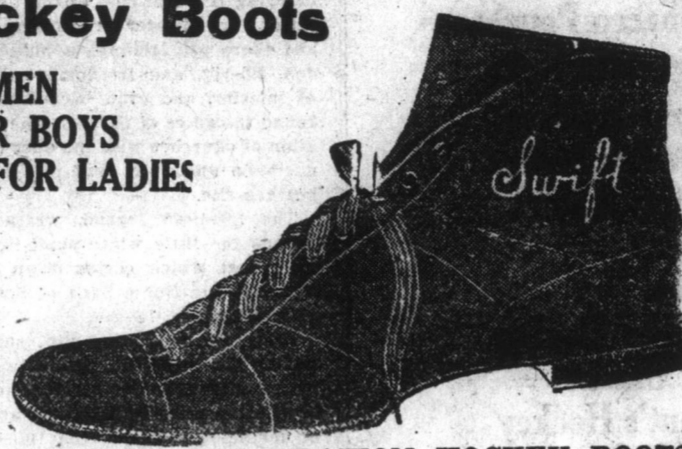
\$3.60 to \$3.80.

CHILD'S BLACK, with Red Top.

Hockey Boots

FOR MEN
FOR BOYS
FOR LADIES

In
BLACK,
TAN,
or
GREY.



REGULATION HOCKEY BOOTS.

Storm Boots

FOR BOYS.

In Tan . . . \$5.60

In Black, sizes 9

to 13 . . . \$5.40

In Tan . . . \$6.75

In Black . . \$6.40

Sizes 1 to 5.



FELT TOP RUBBERS

For Men, \$3.00

For Women, \$2.00

LADIES' SPATS.

Regular \$3.50
value, in
GREY, FAWN,
BROWN, BLACK
or
PEARL GREY
and
TAUPE,
\$2.95.



MEN'S

DRESS SHOES.

PUMPS \$6.50

LACED \$7.00

Oxford style.

Regular \$10.50 value.

Reduced to

\$6.50 and \$7.00.

Soft turned sole,

Kid lined.



LADIES' BOOT TOPS

(Genuine Kersey Cloth.)

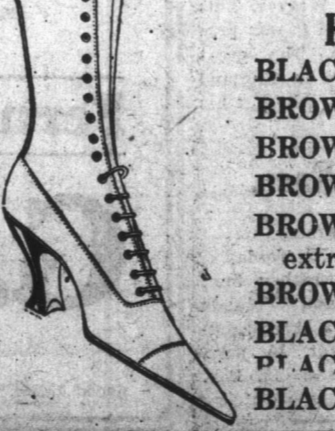
only \$4.50.

LADIES' SPATS.

12 button, 10 inches high. Regular \$3.00 value;

all shades,

only \$2.50.



LADIES'

HIGH BOOTS.

BLACK \$7.50

BROWN \$8.50

BROWN—Low Heel. \$6.50

BROWN—Blucher . . \$7.50

BROWN—High Cut,

extra \$8.50

BROWN—Cloth Top. \$9.00

BLACK—Laced . . . \$7.00

BLACK—Laced . . . \$6.80

BLACK—Laced . . . \$5.50

FOR MEN.

Black—\$6.50, \$8.00 to \$10.00

Brown—\$8.00, \$8.50 to \$10.00

FOR LADIES.

Black \$8.50

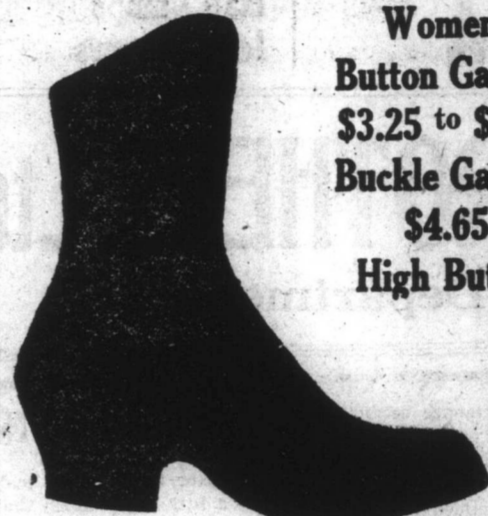
Brown \$8.50

Pearl Grey \$8.50

FOR BOYS.

Sizes 1 to 5.

Black \$5.10 to \$5.50



Women's

Button Gaiters,

\$3.25 to \$5.65.

Buckle Gaiters,

\$4.65.

High Button

Gaiters,

\$5.65.

RUBBERS.

Black or Tan.

Gent's Black,

\$1.40, \$1.60, \$1.70

to \$1.90.

Brown \$2.35

Ladies' Black,

\$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.20

to \$1.40.

Brown \$1.70

White \$1.50



RUBBERS

MEN'S

GAITERS.

4 Buckle . . \$5.00

1 Strap . . \$5.00

(2 Buckle.)

High Cut . . \$6.50

(4 Buckle.)

RELIABLE CANADIAN BRANDS.

MEN'S FOOT

WARMERS.

1 Buckle,

\$3.20.



BABy SHOES

INFANTS' BOOTS

Black Lace . . \$1.00

Brown Lace . . \$1.00

Black and White,

Tan and White,

Red and Black,

Brown and Black,

Combinations colors

in Soft Kid Button,

sizes 1 to 5,

Reduced to \$1.75.

ANY EXCHANGE
MADE AFTER XMAS.

PARKER & MONROE, Ltd., The Shoe Men

Dying to Eat.

In the years gone by, it was a fairly common thing to see reports in American newspapers of "eating matches," at which lots of mutton, sides of beef, etc., were to be eaten in record time. Some years ago, a juvenile "champion eater" in the States challenged anybody under twenty-one years of age to devour a leg of mutton in a quicker time than he could do so himself, for a stake of \$50.

At a camp in Colorado, a few years back, an Indian was challenged to eat a buffalo calf, aged five months, in a single night. He commenced at sunset, and at break of the next day had just finished only a small portion of one hind-leg of the carcass remaining. One of the onlookers then gave the glutton a cup of coffee, and was surprised to see it swallowed at one gulp. Thirty years ago, three Englishmen, for a large sum, decided to test their water-drinking powers. The winner swallowed twelve quarts, the second drank nine quarts, and the third consumed seven quarts. Very soon after their remarkable feat, however, they each died. Can one wonder?

Going back to ancient history, the Anglo-Saxons had, at one of their feasts, a dish composed of singing-birds, costing \$8,000.

Thomas a Becket, so well known in our history, was said to have feasted once on seventy-five pounds' worth of eels.

A certain sixteenth-century earl and his countess are reported to have had each day for their breakfast, "two loaves, one quart of beer, a quart of wine, two pieces of salt fish, six basted herrings, four white herrings, and a dish of sprats." They took that "little lot" each morning at seven a.m.

No "Scripts" Required

FOR STAFFORD'S ESSENCE OF GINGER WINE.

DIRECTIONS:—Dissolve 1 1/4 lbs. of sugar in 3 quarts of water and add contents of one bottle of Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine.

This will make 120 ounces of Ginger Wine. The wineglass contains two ounces. Just imagine, 60 glasses for 12 cents. Practically one cent per glass. The proof:—1 1/4 lbs. sugar at 25c. 32c. 1 bot. Stafford's Ess. Ginger Wine 20c. 52c.

We have over ten thousand bottles (10,000) ready for sale at the present time. The last two years we have not been able to supply the demand on account of the difficulty of procuring the ingredients, but this year we have been able to obtain large stocks. Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine only 20c. bot. Postage 10c. extra. DR. F. STAFFORD & SON, Wholesale and Retail Chemists and Druggists, St. John's, Newfoundland.

Will Forecast
Weather 12 Months.

Weather forecasts for months ahead will be possible within a few years, as a direct result of solar observation, according to R. M. Stewart, assistant director of the Dominion Observatory, and president of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada. He explained that the sun has a very great influence on the varying weather conditions of the earth and stated that recent observations have led to the belief that observations will in future be able to predict with accuracy the general trend of weather for six months or even a year ahead. To be able to foretell the amount of precipitation and the general temperature for several months ahead may take 50 or even 100 years of observation, he said, but he expressed the confidence of the observatory that this end would finally be reached.

Foretold.

It was Christmas Eve. Staring at the dying embers of the fire was a beautiful woman. Her face was worried, and she clasped and unclasped her hands in nervous excitement.

"Christmas Eve," she murmured, "and no money to buy baby a Christmas gift!"

Mechanically her gaze wandered round the room until, with a guilty start, it rested on something standing on the mantelpiece. It was baby's money box. "What only dared!" she thought. "But what would John say?"

For a few moments she stood debating the awful question in her mind and then reached for the box. "John need never know," she said. With trembling hands she broke open the box and gazed on the table a collection of buttons, nails, and so on. John had been there first!

