

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1919

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The light that says "There it is!"

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See Our Christmas Display of Daylites.

W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd.

With that long lived TUNGSTEN Battery

LOCAL NEWS

MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES.
It was announced at local military headquarters this morning that word has been received from military headquarters, Ottawa, to the effect that those who were mentioned in despatches during the war will receive an official certificate to that effect.

FRENCH LINE.
Captain Martin and W. C. Duncan, of Montreal, are in the city today in the interests of a French steamship line which is to inaugurate a new service between this port and St. Nazaire, France. The first sailing of this line will be the steamship Cape Corso, which is due in port on Dec. 19.

Y. M. C. I. LEAGUE.
The first game in the second series of the Y. M. C. I. Senior Bowling League will be played tonight, when the Swans will roll the Eagles. Interest in this league is at fever heat. The Swans, who were runners up in the first series, are out strong after the second, but the Eagles are equally keen on it.

NOVELTY SHOWER.
At the home of Mrs. R. C. Ferris, 184 Waterloo street, last evening, an enjoyable surprise was tendered Miss Ina Ross, well known in honor of her approaching wedding, she was given a novelty shower. She was the recipient of many nice and useful gifts. Games, music and refreshments added to the pleasure of the affair, and best wishes were extended Miss Ross for the future.

JOY IN CITY HALL AGAIN.
After huddling over oil heaters for more than a week, trying to wade through the masses of work associated with the government of a city, with the atmosphere at times almost Arctic, the employees at City Hall this morning resumed their normal opinion of life, their blood flowed again through their veins, and there was a break in the tense feeling which has pervaded the place recently. The result of the change was which refused duty recently have now been replaced by new ones, and the heating system is once more in operation.

WILSON-HICKEY.
A pretty wedding took place on Nov. 18 at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. T. Coleman, when Harold A. Wilson of this city was united in marriage to Miss Stella M. Hickey of Truro. The bride was attended in a tailored suit of blue serge with hat to match. She was attended by the groom's sister, Mrs. Coleman, and Mrs. Casey of Amherst was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were the recipients of many beautiful presents from friends and relatives. They will go in the near future to Boston, where the groom holds a responsible position.

CASE-BABINGTON.
In Victoria street Baptist parsonage this morning, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Hudson, united in marriage Miss Estella Gladys Babington of Young's Cove road, and Ronald Douglas Case, of Sackville. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock. The bride, who was unattended, was dressed in blue silk with black fur and black picture hat. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left on a wedding trip through the maritime provinces, and on their return, will make their residence in St. John. They were the recipients of nice wedding gifts. The bride's traveling gown was white with hat to match and black furs. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beresford Babington, of Young's Cove road, while the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Case, of Sackville.

SILLIPHANT-DALEY.
On Monday evening, Dec. 1, at 8:30 o'clock, a very pretty wedding of interest was solemnized by Rev. F. E. Boothroyd, when Miss Marguerite Daley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Daley, became the bride of William A. Silliphant, C. P. R. telegraph operator, son of William Silliphant. The bride looked charming in a taupe suit with Alice blue hat. The bride's attendants were Miss Blanche G. Jones and Miss Alice Daley. The groomsmen were D. M. Roberts. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful fur coat. From her father she received a seal stole with squirrel trimmings, from the groom's father a substantial check. The bride received many beautiful presents, including cut glass and silverware. Much happiness was wished the young people in their future life.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Property transfers, registered recently, include:

Ellen Bourke to H. W. Wilson, property in Water street.

Fernhill Cemetery Co. to E. M. Olive, property in Simonds.

F. H. Fiedling to Laura G. Gault, property in Douglas avenue.

H. R. Glebe to G. H. Weaver, property in Lancaster.

Robt. McAllister to Geo. Murray, property in Pine street.

Robt. McAllister to Geo. Murray, property in Sealey street.

Robt. McAllister to G. A. Roby, property in Pine street.

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Robt. McAllister to W. J. Mark, property in Pine street.

Executors Julia A. Potts to M. G. Teed, property in Germain street.

H. N. Spinney, sr., to F. K. Spinney, property in Musgrave.

M. G. Teed to St. John Real Estate Co., property in Germain street.

H. W. Wilson to Wilson Chemical Co., property in Water street.

Kings County.

James Baxter to Wm. Lyon, property in Westfield.

J. E. Bell to F. W. O'Neill et al, property in Springfield.

G. W. Fowler to S. H. White Co., Ltd., property in Waterford and Cardwell.

Ethel G. Fowler et vir to S. H. White Co., Ltd., property in Cardwell.

The Friars to Beverly Quigley, property in Sussex.

S. J. Gregg to H. A. Simpson, property in Stubbins.

Katie E. Humphreys to Katie E. Humphreys et vir, property in Rothesay.

Elizabeth McNaughton to Kate E. Humphreys, property in Rothesay.

W. L. McLeod to G. W. McLeod, property in Hampton.

Jeremiah Murphy to James and Patrick Murphy, property in Norton, Springfield and Kingston.

James Olliphant to L. Carrie Mayne, property in Rothesay.

C. L. O'Neill to F. W. O'Neill, property in Springfield.

S. R. Peniston to R. R. Peniston, property in Westfield.

S. H. White Co., Ltd., to G. W. Fowler, property in Hammond.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

The co-operation of advertising patrons is requested in the direction of getting "copy" into the business office on or before 4:30 p. m. on the day previous to publication. In order to obtain the receipt of a large advertisement or even regular changes after that hour serves to dislocate the regular work of getting the paper made up in time to catch the mails—and not infrequently such ads. are at the last moment left out.

This situation is not of service to either the advertiser or our readers and we, therefore, request that copy be received in the business office

Not later than 4.30 p.m.

Ellis Gold Medal Won This Year By Betty Cruikshank

Sister Was Winner in 1914—Greta Lingley Wins Another—Marion Smith Also Prizewinner

Announcement was made at the St. John High School today by Principal W. S. Myers that the Ellis gold medal for the best essay on the subject "What We Owe the Navy" has been won by Miss Betty Cruikshank, who wrote under the nom de plume of "Coup d'Essai." A noteworthy feature in the award is the fact that this medal was won in the 1914 competition by Miss Cruikshank's sister, Marion. These young ladies are the daughters of Robert Cruikshank of Hazen street, and both have enviable reputations in their school.

The Parker silver medal given to the pupil making the highest marks in the mathematical subjects in the provincial matriculation examinations, held last July, has been won by Miss A. Greta Lingley, who, as announced some time ago, was also the winner of the Corporation gold medal for the highest aggregate in all subjects.

In Grade XII, the competition for the prize of books, given annually by the Potentially Club for the highest standing in English, was won by Miss Marion Smith, daughter of the late Frank Smith. As in previous years the prize was keenly contested, the award being made on the results of three periodic examinations.

PUDDING AND FRUIT CAKE WILL BE EXPENSIVE

Christmas Cooking Will Tax The 'Pay, Envelope This Season—The Necessaries All Pretty High

"The Christmas pudding and fruit-cake are going to cost more than ever this year," was the cheerful message handed out this morning by a retail grocer who said that he had never known prices on general staples to be so high. Many housewives are now beginning to think it nearly time to get the Christmas fruitcake ready, but there are a great many homes where it and the festive plum-pudding will be missing from the menu, at least in their elaborate form of other years. And unless the good man of the house takes suddenly ill and gets the necessary prescription those who will have the Christmas pudding will have to have it without the finishing touch of bygone days, the brandy sauce.

Fruits and peels are exceptionally high, eggs have reached the century mark and a dozen or so may find a place this year beneath the Christmas tree in the parlor as part of the treasured gifts. Mixed nuts are in a flattering position in the price list, more costly than they have been in the history of local grocers, retailing from forty-five to fifty cents a pound. Sugar is still climbing in spite of the action of the board of commerce to regulate the price, and molasses is keeping up in sympathy. Raisins will run from twenty-three to twenty-five cents a pound; currants at thirty-five cents a pound; prunes at thirty cents; orange and lemon peel from sixty-five to seventy cents. Lard will cost from thirty-five to forty cents, butter sixty to seventy, and perhaps more between now and Christmas—in fact almost all the ingredients for the cooking for the feast will tax the pay envelope more than before.

And to those who have maids to usher in the pudding to the dining room the cost of service is higher, even the waiters she carries in cost more, aside from the fact that their contents have so advanced. But in many homes, while there is little rejoicing at the thought of the cost of placing on the table the good things which seemed so reasonable and plentiful in "ye good old days," perhaps an extra effort will be made this year to have all that is going because some loved one has returned, and after three or four years absence in the war his place at the family table is once again filled.

THE HARBOR SITUATION.

There were no new developments this morning in the situation between the Freight Handlers' Union and the C. P. R. and from present indications there is no settlement in sight. At a meeting of the C. P. R. and the union last evening a committee was appointed to act in conjunction with the executive of the freight handlers. At a meeting of the employees of the C. P. R. elevator, called by a C. P. R. official last evening to form a union, seven-eighths of the vote were not in favor of a union.

UMBRELLAS Make Useful Christmas Gift

Our showing of New Umbrellas is now complete, embracing all the newest effects in pretty and fashionable handles. In ladies', the ring handle of silver, fancy horn and bone are the most shown, and in men's the natural wood with silver mountings.

LADIES' \$2.25 to \$15.00
MEN'S \$2.00 to \$11.00

HANDKERCHIEFS Are Always Acceptable

Why not give a dainty Linen or Lawn Handkerchief. Some are plain, others with hand-worked initials, colored borders and hand-embroidered designs. Our assortment was never so extensive, nor designs so beautiful, and prices will be found—

LADIES' 25c. to \$1.25 each
CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS in Fancy Boxes, 15c., 25c., 35c. box

SPECIAL NOTICE
For the accommodation of Suburban customers doing their Christmas shopping, we shall, commencing Friday, the 5th inst., have a Special Delivery leaving every Tuesday and Friday morning for Rothesay and all intervening places. Telephone and Mail Orders will also be carefully delivered.

A BIG PRE-HOLIDAY SALE OF LADIES' WINTER COATS
now on in Coat Section. All our Fashionable Cloth Coats in the newest and popular cloths and models are being sold at a saving of eight to twenty dollars on each garment. Great bargains!

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warms the room you want warmed, when you want it warmed—bathroom, bedroom, any room—in a jiffy.

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TAN CHAMOIS GLOVES..... \$2.25
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PURSES In Genuine Morocco Leather Make Ideal Christmas Gifts
SCARFS In Either Wool or Silk Are Very Practical as Gifts and Always Appreciated

Women's Shop—Third Floor

OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED
55-57-59 KING STREET

The Hospitality of Christmas

The hospitality and good fellowship which will pervade this Christmas will leave guest and family alike unconsciously subject to the influence of environment. The atmosphere of the Dining Room should surely breathe cordiality and comradeship in keeping with the spirit of the Season. Its furnishings should reflect refinement, culture and artistic inclination. The selection and service offered by this store makes these high ideals available to every buyer of furniture. And this service by giving a definite assurance of correct results is a real factor in economy.

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It's Time to Visit the Gift Shop That's Magee's

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Your Early Gift Shopping for practical giving this Christmas may be accomplished conveniently, and with unusual assistance here.

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