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SHIRTS.

We'd like to demonstrate to you the truth of what we claim for our shirts. Crisper style Better Looking Longer Wearing More satisfactory size New spring styles have just arrived in time for Christmas gifts. Percales, zephyrs, etc. \$1.50 to 4.50
Fancy silk shirts 3.00 to 5.00
White, pleated silk 6.00

HANDKERCHIEFS.

A small holiday gift that's greatly appreciated. Men's lawn hks, soft washed ironed, packed and sealed, 2 in packet .35
Men's initialed—pure Irish Lawn .25
Men's initialed—pure Irish linen .50 & .60
Excela plain and colors .20 & .25

MUFFLERS.

For evening dress, for street and business wear, nobby, high class imported novelties in wool, silk and fibre. Men's silk accordeon two tone effect 3.00 to 4.00
Silk Fibre 1.50 to 3.00
Silk in white, black & paisley effect 1.50 to 3.00
Black silk squares \$1.50 & 2.00

PUTTEES

Lupton's improved spiral fast edge Puttees 4.00

UIT CASES CLUB BAGS.

If you are going home for Christmas \$1.65 and up.

STEAMER RUGS.

The proper thing for use when automobiling, driving, camping, "Chase's" well known plush reversible, colors blk and green, grey and blk, maroon and blk, navy and black Price \$15.00

NOVELTIES

Collar Bags \$1.50 to 2.50
Purses .50
Bill Folds 60 to 2.00
Photo Holders 1.00 & 1.50
Military Brushes 1.50 to 6.00
Mirrors, Travelling 1.50
Pocket Combs .15 to .40
Key Cases .75 & .85
Drinking Cups in cases 1.25
Identification Cases .60
Necktie Holders .50 to 1.25
Pearl Cuff links .75 to 1.25
Kum-a-part Links for soft cuffs .75 & 1.00
Tie clips, silver .50
Steel Mirrors .60 & .75
Collar Buttons .05 to .25

BELTS.

Solid leather .75 to 1.75
"Brighton" Garters .50, .60
18 karat gold plated mountings .75
Armbands
Rustless mountings .35

SWEATER COATS.

There's a gift for a boy or man. We have a splendid assortment Boys coat sweater \$1.50 to 5.00
Mens coat sweater 3.50 to 13.50
Boys pullover sweaters 1.25 to 3.00
Mens pullover sweaters 2.50 to 5.00

We will be glad to send you the latest edition of

"DRESS"

A Magazine for Men

illustrating and describing all 20th Century Brand styles of suits and overcoats. It will help you in choosing your winter garments. We are sole agents.

MINISTERS OF TOWN INTERVIEW POLICE COMMITTEE.

Temperance Matters Under Fire.

The Ministerial Association asked the Police Committee of the Town for an interview, and Chairman H. H. Johnston of the Police called a meeting for Friday evening last.

All the Committee were present and the Revs. H. J. Fraser, B. D. Knott, W. P. Grant, J. W. Godfrey, and G. W. F. Glendenning, and the Captain of the Salvation Army made up the delegation.

The delegates all addressed the Committee. The purport of their remarks was that they had rumors of great deal of drunkenness and the continuous sale of intoxicating liquors in Truro—the liquor being chiefly poisonous "Moonshine." They re- ceived one man having narrowly es- caped death from some of the stuff. They had no evidence or facts of vio- lations of the Liquor Laws, excepting where one woman had confided in a pastor her troubles on account of her husband's selling booze. Only one place was named in town, where the delegation had suspicions of the sale of liquor.

The delegation acknowledged its weakness on account of lack of infor- mation; but because of reports, that the Police could do more than is being done. They offered any assistance and support that the Committee might ask in more stringent measures.

Chairman Johnston, the Veteran Temperance man, chairman, and councillors, A. R. Coffin, and H. B. McLaughlin, replied.

They reminded the delegation that they are all practically new men in Truro, and told of the days ten to fifteen years back, when they said over twenty bars ran practically open in the town. Since the present police Committee have been on the job no bar of any kind has sold liquor. There

has never been a second first-offence— jail sentences have been always asked where the law would permit and a- bout fifteen persons had been sen- tenced to jail; one man had served nine months out of twelve in Jail.

At present, it was claimed that no where in Canada could the delega- tion point to a Town where liquor has been so well driven out as from Truro.

The Police of the town received the support of the Committee, who con- sidered Truro's men as a whole supe- rior to any force in any other town in Nova Scotia. The Chief, it was felt, is a man of Character. It was known to the Committee that he had been offered one bribe of \$500.00 ar- lone. The only way to buy liquo- in Truro now is from so called "boot- leggers," and it was argued chasing liquor among such, is like hunting for a needle in a hay stack.

It was suggested that little hope could be held out of a generally "drier" condition than in Truro now. Yet vigilance is not abated.

One suspect of selling liquor has been searched by the Police many times for a year. Floors in his house torn up and every conceivable place, examined. Only this week he was caught. In a sleeping porch for a sick wife, he had contrived a special

movable base board, and the "clear stuff" was kept in there. At one time a woman, dressed in night ap- parel, lay in her bed with the "booze" in the mattress under her. At one place one of the stairs had been hinged and the stairs carpet run over it hid the contrivance. At still another, a colored supposed wash woman, was on duty. Her skirts was a net work of inside pockets, and she handed out the "juice" as called for.

The Committee suggested that the Ministerial Association give the Po- lice names of suspects, with names of any possible witnesses and every such would be investigated.

The Committee claimed to be han- dicapped and the Police discouraged

in their day and night vigil by the Stipendiary Magistrate's light sen- tences, when a conviction is secured, the Committee and their men feel, that to effectually stop further of- fences, in every case the maximum penalty should be administered.

It was suggested that the Mini- sterial Association might constitute themselves, a delegation to the Stip- endiary Magistrates.

The illicit still business surrounding Truro was discussed and the delega- tion was told that while without their ju- risdiction, yet because of their mena- ce to the Town, the Police had been in- strumental in destroying one of them. As members of the the Police Com- mittee had been in Halifax and inter- viewed the Department of Inland Revenue regarding other suspected cases, but the Department had not acted.

The meeting was of the most friend- ly nature and will probably result in a delegation to the dispenser of sentences in liquor trials, and in the Police Committee taking further ac- tion to endeavor to stop the bringing into Truro of illicit "brews" from the country districts.

The annual meeting of the Annapo- lis County Farmer's Association will be held in the Demonstration Build- ing, Lawrencetown, on Wednesday, Dec. 18th. Principal Cumming, and Supt. Saxby Blair will be among the speakers.

The Postmaster General has refus- ed to sanction the name of "Montrose" as there is already a post office by that name in the township of Lon- donderry, Colchester County for a district in Pictou County. Drop these old names for the time, never mind how historic, and bend in some spots made glorious in the Great War.

XMAS

Once more we have the pleasure in catering to your Xmas wants and feel sure, in one or more of our many departments, you will find just what you want, be it a Toy for the little ones, or a more useful present for the grown up or something good to eat.

Groceries

Dried fruit, Peels, Extracts, Pure lard and shortening, and every thing you can think to made good cookery.

Dry Goods and Fancy Goods Department

Sweaters, Gloves, Mitts, Hdks, Collars, Skating Sets, Ties, Scarfs, Pappetry, and no end of nice and useful presents.

Boot & Shoe Department

Overshoes, Felt Boots, Kozy Slippers, Hockey Boots including the celebrated Lightning Hitch.

Glass and Crockery

Glasswear in great variety. We invite your personal inspection

Fruits and Confectionery

Moir's XXX chocolates in bulk and fancy boxes, toy and ribbon candy, Fancy Mixtures. Oranges, Apples, Grapes, Dates and Figs, Nuts, etc. etc. etc.

Gent Furnishings

Gloves, Mitts, Ties, Braces, Fancy Garters, and Armlets, Hosiery Mackinaw Coats, Overcoats, Caps, Sweaters, and many other articles suitable for Xmas gifts.

Hardware

Sole agents for the celebrated "Auto Skates" in all the different styles. Hockey sticks, Pucks, handsleds, etc. etc. etc. etc.

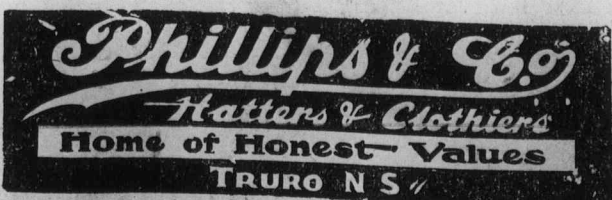
Toy Department

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P. S.—We have in stock cars of Middlings, Bran, Oilcake, Molasses Dairy and Hog Feed, Horse Feed, Crushed Oats and Oats. A good stock of A1 Flour in all size packages and without substitutes.

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TRURO DID NOT COME UP TO EXPECTATIONS.

In the Navy League Campaign, our citizens did not go "over the top" by any means.

The contributions, considering the importance of the cause, were disap- pointing, and it is hoped that those, who intend to assist this most de- serving cause will hand their contri- butions at once to Manager Mont- gomery of the Canadian Bank of Com- merce, do not forget this.

Mrs. Harvey McDonald, arrived home from Truro Thursday where she has been seeing her brother, L. Corp. Lawrence Miller, who arrived home after spending nearly four years at the front. Pte. Miller was lately gassed, returning on the Hospital Ship Araguay. After spending three days with friends he left Wednesday morn- ing for his home in Edmonton from which city he enlisted in the 66th. Later in England he had been trans- ferred to the 1st Canadian Pioneers. Evening News, New Glasgow.

J. E. Barteaux, Inspector of Tech- nical schools for this province, inspec- ted the classes under his department last evening and left for Halifax this morning. He was very favorably im- pressed with the work being done here. —Yarmouth Times, Dec. 11.

The men at the great lumber and pulp mills of J. R. Booth, Ottawa, decided on the 12th to reject the new wage schedule proposed by the Booth Company.