

CURRENCY REFORM STRONGLY BACKED

Bill Sent to U. S. Senate Amid Display of Great Enthusiasm

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upon farm mortgages. Its chief purpose is to add a new piece of machinery to the banking system that will "take up the slack" during the changing business conditions of each year...

to meet demands, the banks are left in a precarious condition. Elasticity With Safety. The basic principle of the new law is to get the reserve funds out into circulation...

Christmas Thoughts For the Men



More than ever will the Holiday Gifts for men be chosen in apparel—useful, wearable, lasting gifts that are acceptable, appropriate and appreciated.

This is the one time of the year when you can, without embarrassment, present a pair of gloves or any other Necessary of Life—Comfort.

Let us review a few—just to show that the Tooke Stores abound with sensible, practical and well-chosen things in the way of gifts for men:

Collar Boxes

These are the right kind—lined to keep the collar clean—and we have them from 75c to \$3.50.

Mufflers and Reefers

Each year we have shown hand-somer and richer designs and textures in Silk Mufflers. This item of apparel is one of real dressiness and comfort combined.

Gloves

No man ever had too many Gloves, Collars, Handkerchiefs or Neckties. We have Gloves galore—a different shade for every suit and overcoat.

Lounge and Bath Robes

Nothing will give a man such snug, cosy comfort as the right sort of Bath or Lounging Robe. The handsomest and neatest designs and textures are here now.

Underwear and Hosiery

If he is your Husband, Brother or Father, you can select the "essentials" in Underwear and Hosiery you will find an endless variety of gift possibilities.

Handkerchiefs

Here we have a special showing in Gift Boxes. All sorts, all prices. Silk, Linen, or the mixed fabrics; plain and hemstitched, bordered, patterned, or initial.

Umbrellas and Sticks

Formerly considered articles of shelter and comfort, now they are real fashion accessories.

Coat Sweaters

When January comes these new Coat Sweaters and Mackinaw Coats will be in great demand.

Smoking Jackets

If the man who is in your mind now is not the possessor of a good, up-to-date Smoking Jacket or House Coat, you could not please him better than by a selection from our choice effects ranging in value from \$5 to \$15.

Fancy Waistcoats

For the dressy man or for the man who desires to appear dressy, no single article of haberdashery is so gratifying as a fancy Vest. And none so stylish nowadays.

Cravats and Ties

There is not a single thing here any man wouldn't be delighted to have—the patterns, colors, styles well chosen. All the newest neckwear shapes and shades in new texture treatments.

Shirts and Pyjamas

"Buy of the makers." Shirts in madras, in French flannels, in the wool taffeta flannels, in crepes and silks.

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FOR OVERCOATS "De Luxe," former selling price up to \$30. Do not overlook this opportunity if you want to make a clean saving from \$10 to \$12 on the best Overcoats you ever saw.

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Regular \$35 to \$40 Overcoats Now . . . \$25 HICKEY & PASCOE 97 YONGE ST.

A Set of CARVERS Would Be a Much Appreciated Christmas Gift. \$2.25 Up. Aikenhead's Hardware Limited.

TORONTO FURNACE AND CREMATORY CO. LIMITED. Hot Water, Steam, Hot Air, Combination Heating Contractors.

SAOW CASES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY. JONES BROS. & CO., LIMITED.

HAMILTON HOTEL. HOTEL ROYAL. Largest, best-appointed and most centrally located. Amusements.

ALEXANDRA THIS WEEK MATS, Xmas Day Fri., Sat. GUY BATES POST IN OMAR, THE TENT MAKER.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE. MATS, WED, 25c & 50c. FRECKLES. SHEA'S THEATRE.

STAR BURLESQUE. PARISIAN BEAUTIES. Public Skating ARENA—Tonight BAND IN ATTENDANCE.

LOEW'S YONGE ST. THEATRE. Now open. Finest Quality Vaudeville and Carefully Selected Photo Plays.

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