

After Christmas BARGAINS

FOR THRIFTY WOMEN WHO
LIKE TO STRETCH THE PUR-
CHASING POWER OF THEIR
DOLLARS

A big array of odds and ends accumulated by our heavy Christmas business are offered for quick clearance at tempting prices. When you come to see the goods, you will note that the prices are away below real values; so much so, in fact that not to buy would be extravagant.

Toys Marked Down to
2-3 regular prices.

You can get a 45c. Toy
now for 30c. Other prices
similarly reduced.

Fancy Goods marked
down to 2-3 regular prices.

Children's and Misses'
COATS all marked down.

\$1.80, 2.50, 3.00, 4.30,
1.30, 2.00, 2.40, 3.60.

We cannot list here all the many bargains now offered, but you should come to the store and see them. Many lots are very small but the values are exceptionally big.

Alex. SCOTT,

18 New Gower Street.

The Store That Saves You Money.

Pearce-Adams Wedding at White Bay.

A very pretty wedding took place at Jackson's Arm the home of the bride, on Wednesday, the 20th November, when Mr. Hiram Lockyer Pearce, of Westport, was united in matrimonial bonds to Miss Elsie N. Adams, second daughter of Mr. Jas. Adams, merchant, of Jackson's Arm. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. Pittman, who arrived on that day per Prospero from Tilt Cove for the purpose. The bridegroom with his father, Magistrate Pearce, joined the Prospero at Westport to meet the bride at the home of her parents. Capt. Kean very courteously decorated his ship with bunting for the occasion. The bride looked very pretty in white silk with wreath of orange blossoms and veil; she was led to the altar by her father, and Miss Maud Adams and Miss Weeks attended her, while the groom was supported by Mr. S. Adams, brother of the bride. After the ceremony the bridal party returned to the house of the bride's parents and with a number of guests partook of the wedding feast. Toasts were proposed and seconded and some speeches which were very suitably responded to by the bridegroom. The bridal party with the Rev. A. Pittman, then returned to Westport the future home of the happy pair, who were presented with a number of very nice presents, a few of which we append:

By the bride's mother and father, tea set; Miss Maud Adams, claret set; Rev. C. Wood and Mrs. Wood, silver knives and forks; J. B. Lockyer, uncle of the groom, silver cruet; J. D. Lockyer, uncle of the groom, cheque; Miss Jackson, silver butter knife and spoon; Miss Batston, silver cream spoon; Mr. H. Batston, silver tray; the groom's parents, silver napkin rings and set furs; Mrs. Wood, dressing jacket; Mr. J. T. Lamb, 1 set of porcelain vases; Mrs. Cullen, 1 card receiver; Mr. and Mrs. H. Milley, ornament; Rev. A. Pittman, a beautiful case with Prayer and Hymn Book; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Noble, set vases; Mrs. Sparkes, 1 centre piece; Miss A. Batston, 1 fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown, silver stand with cream jug and custard bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Galway, silver sugar spoon; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lockyer, silk cushion cover; Mrs. Blanche Lockyer, pillow shams; Mr. Strakes, glass sugar basin, and many others.

Marine Enquiry.

At 2.30 yesterday afternoon the enquiry into the loss of the S.S. Florence was resumed in Judge Knight's office and continued until 7 p.m. Mate Henley and four sailors were examined. The enquiry is being continued to-day.

Stafford's Liniment for sale at
The Royal Stores Grocery Department.—jan2,tf

Whole Wheat Flour!

50 Half Brls. just in.

Kellogg's Toasted
Corn Flakes,
\$1.40 doz.
Vidar Herrings,
in tins.
Skipper
Sardines.

"Bluebell Metal Polish.
Robinson's Patent Barley
and Groats, 25c. tin.
Fancy Roasted Peanuts,
15c. lb.

T. J. Edens,
Duckworth Street and Military Road.

Fight to Death in Room For Girl.

Pennsylvania suitors lock themselves
in room until one is killed.

Washington, Pa., Dec. 24.—Locked in a room twelve feet square and with only the flashing fire of their revolvers to guide their shots, two rivals for the hand of Miss Rita Beccren, seventeen years old, fought a battle to death in a boarding house in West Zollocks-ville this morning.

When the firing ceased and the seconds rushed from the hall they found "Bert" Quinn dying, with bullet wound in his neck, and Harry Muscovey crouching in a far corner of the room.

Quinn died almost immediately, and Muscovey fled. A warrant was issued for his arrest early to-day, and deputy sheriffs started in pursuit. It was reported to-night that the posse had overtaken the fugitive and exchanged shots with him, one of the deputies being wounded.

Quinn and Muscovey had long been suitors of Miss Beccren, and when they met at the boarding house last night they quarrelled. The fight was proposed and the men locked themselves in the darkened room.

When told of Quinn's death the girl showed no concern. "No man could win me by fighting a duel," was her only comment.

Mr. Balfour On Great Speeches.

Of speakers and speeches, Mr. Balfour says:—

"I have listened to men who could hardly put two sentences grammatically together but who held the House of Commons because they persuaded the House by their personal magnetism and by their manner of speech that they knew what they were talking about. I have heard men like Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Bright—master of their time—Mr. Gladstone above all the master of every skillful resource the orator could have at his disposal, and of whom I can only say I regret his speeches are of a kind that make it impossible for those who read them in any sense to judge of their excellence. Posterity must take it from us who heard with our own ears the extraordinary gifts of pathos."

Bath Day in Agra Jail.

One of the humorous sights of India, says a contributor to the August Wide World Magazine, is the daily bathing parade in a native prison. In the one we witnessed were youthful habitual criminals, varying in age from 9 to 15 years, taking their daily dip at Agra jail. While the governor watches proceedings from the shade of a tree, the prisoners, each man fettered and carrying a bowl of beaten brass or steel, are led out in double file to a stone pavement, on each side of which runs a shallow trough of water. At the command of a native warder, bowls are filled and themselves and then sink smartly to order the prisoners scoop water over themselves an then sink smartly to their haunches, one behind the other, in parallel lines. Again comes a snappy order from the warder, and each man begins vigorously to rub the back of the fellow in front of him. When the warder judges the "massage" is complete his voice brings the two lines to a smart right-about-face, still on their haunches, and the vigorous rubbing begins again, each man doing for his fellow what his fellow did for him. The process, while comical, is a genuine illustration of the saying, "You scratch my back and I'll scratch yours," except, of course, to the prisoners whose fate brings them to the head or tail of the line, where they receive only half the "treatment" of their fellows.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Brown
on box 25c

She Was So Excited.

A woman was signalling the tram-car in the orthodox fashion of her sex, but it rolled on and did not come to a halt until eight people had shouted "Hi!" and six small boys had had an impromptu competition in shrill whistling. Then she glared at the conductor indignantly.

"Why didn't you stop the car for me?" she snapped.

"How was I to know you wanted to get on?" asked the conductor.

"Didn't you see me swinging my arms and jumping up and down and waving my umbrella?"

"Of course. Could anyone help seeing you?"

"Then why didn't you stop when you saw me?"

"I thought you were dancing to that organ!"

It is Tank Beverley's idea that a tidy fortune awaits the inventor of a device which will enable a fat man to scratch his own back.

The Busy Woman.



The women keep after their rights; their husbands, unfortunately, are scrubbing the floors and washing the doors, and herding the babies at night. The women still go to the club; their husbands are eating stale grub, and sweeping the stairs and dusting the chairs, and doing their stint at the tub. On juries the women now sit, while lawyers throw fit after fit; their husbands may take up the burden and bake, and darn the old stockings, and knit. The women are running for snaps, like other political chaps; their husbands have knives for the campaigning wives, which they'll use at elections—perhaps. The dames are the equals of men; they've said it again and again; they've laid down the law with the hoof and the jaw, the dornick and bludgeon and pen. Professions the women invade; you run against matron or maid in the office and store, in the shop evermore, assertive, serene, unafraid. But you don't see the girls laying brick, or sweating around with a pick; and they don't seem toitch for a job in the ditch, along with Tom, Harry and Dick. Oh, the men will remain upon guard where the work is both dirty and hard, while the dizzy old dames play the masculine games and talk of their rights by the yard.

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CAME HOME ILL.—Mr. Christopher, chief officer of the Revenue Cruiser Fiona, which is now at Bay of Islands, came to city by yesterday's train for medical treatment. He was sent by Dr. Fisher and is being treated at his home by Dr. O'Connell.

Something all should Know

OWING TO A CONTEMPLATED CHANGE in our business at an early date which we shall explain in detail later, on Monday we start our January Sale. Now this will be a sale not in name only remember but in genuine cut to the bone prices. A special feature of course will be White Goods. Again let us repeat: This will be a Sale Genuine and reaching into every article we carry in stock. We thank our patrons for their substantial patronage in the past and wish one and all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

See Monday's papers for all about it.

J. M. DEVINE,
The Right House.



MISTAKES COST MONEY,

but you make no mistake by buying space in

THE EVENING TELEGRAM.

Read the following SWORN statement for the past twelve months:

Information for Our Advertising Patrons.

Daily Record of Sales of The Evening Telegram for 1912.

Date	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1—	H	4810	5280	5540	5450	5120	5200	4960	S	5140	5130	S
2—	4570	4820	5300	5540	5300	S	5300	5190	5050	5140	5360	5290
3—	4520	4940	S	5500	5320	4980	H	5090	4950	4900	S	5380
4—	4600	S	5050	5510	5400	5050	S	5200	S	4790	5120	5230
5—	4440	4800	5080	H	5030	5030	5020	5000	5130	5120	5170	5330
6—	4160	4960	5030	5750	5500	4980	5200	5170	5060	S	5320	5300
7—	S	4890	5170	S	5200	4920	S	H	5050	4900	5270	5410
8—	4610	4840	5300	5520	5500	4940	5000	5110	S	5050	4800	S
9—	4510	4860	5360	5650	5380	S	5200	5000	5180	4850	5600	5460
10—	4230	4860	S	5470	5250	5000	5320	5180	5240	4880	S	5340
11—	4290	S	5260	5560	5390	4930	5100	S	H	4840	5250	5490
12—	4520	4840	5440	5420	S	4930	5290	4930	4970	4940	5180	5320
13—	4730	4840	5430	5610	5140	4860	5160	4930	5170	S	5220	5210
14—	S	4340	5240	S	5220	4760	S	4500	5280	5030	5230	5260
15—	4560	5030	5290	5350	5090	4970	5230	4880	S	5130	5130	S
16—	4510	4940	5430	5320	5180	S	5190	4900	5070	5140	5340	5310
17—	4580	5100	S	5530	5240	4840	4980	5000	5060	5070	S	5500
18—	4600	S	H	5500	5390	4930	5010	S	5050	4960	5160	5440
19—	4580	4970	5500	5380	S	H	4860	4850	5030	5130	5280	5520
20—	4640	4560	5460	5620	5280	4950	4920	4850	5070	S	5220	5400
21—	S	4930	5230	S	5130	4850	S	H	5170	4330	5210	5560
22—	4650	5190	5360	5480	5190	4850	5090	4850	S	5030	5090	S
23—	4720	5070	5600	5480	5100	S	5010	4930	5120	5120	5240	5590
24—	4070	5160	S	5470	5030	4980	4890	5080	5170	5160	S	5810
25—	4710	S	5350	5440	5150	5080	4880	S	5080	5110	5290	H
26—	4670	5180	5530	5440	S	4900	4960	4890	4870	5260	5250	5230
27—	4970	5200	5570	5570	5000	5060	5000	4900	5100	S	5250	5290
28—	S	5190	5600	S	5030	4980	S	4710	5030	5160	5200	5330
29—	4700	5170	5400	5590	5010	4600	5070	4800	S	5270	5060	S
30—	4850	S	5570	5570	4970	S	5080	4870	5050	5110	5320	5330
31—	4750	S	S	S	4900	S	4450	5010	S	5120	S	5340

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5,104 Average Issue.

AFFIDAVIT.

I, W. J. HERDER, of the city of St. John's, Newfoundland, Proprietor of the Evening Telegram, Newspaper, being duly sworn do depose and say:

1.—That the average circulation per issue for the year ending December 31st, 1912, was 5,104 copies.
2.—That this statement of circulation does not include any spoiled sheets, destroyed papers, returned copies, or papers sold in any other way than day by day in the ordinary course of trade to news dealers, news vendors and subscribers, including "exchanges."

3.—That the above tabular statement is a correct report of the 305 issues of the Evening Telegram for the year ending December 31st, 1912.

And I have signed,

W. J. HERDER.

Sworn and acknowledged before me, at St. John's, this 2nd day of January, A.D. 1913.

A. W. KNIGHT,
Justice of the Peace.

Quality and Quantity is what the EVENING TELEGRAM offers its patrons.

Our Motto: "A passion for giving the advertiser the utmost value for his dollar."

Count the returns—not the cost!

ve Your Liver and Cleansing w

You know when your liver is
your bowels are sluggish.
a certain dullness and depre-
shape the approach of a head-
your stomach gets sour and fi-
s, tongue coated, breath foul, o-
ve indigestion. You say, "I
ous or constipated and I must
something to-night."
Most people shrink from a phy-
they think of castor oil, calomel,
cathartic pills.
It's different with Syrup of
e effect is as that of fruit; of e-
arse food; of exercise. Take a
pouful of delicious Syrup of
-night and you won't realize
ve taken anything until mor-
hen all the clogged up waste-
r, sour bile and constipation pe-
ove on and out of your system.

Herring News

The West Coast herring fish-
ate amounts to about sixty the
rrels or to be exact, there have
3,379 barrels and Bonne Bay
arrels. Large shipments have
en made to various parts of
country for local consumption
r bait.

The weather has been s-
which caused considerable loss
shermen in the way of gear.
There has been cleared from
ustoms at Bonne Bay up to the
December, 14,652 barrels of
erring, 3,287 barrels of pickled
950 barrels of frozen herring,
ng a total of 19,889.

An Dec. 28th, there was 13,650
r bulk herring, 4,580 pickled
25 barrels of frozen herring
from the Customs at ports in
lands to Gloucester. The
number of barrels cleared to dis-
American ports is 20,655 and for
dian ports 6,324 barrels. The
et five Gloucester and two Can-
vessels to clear with about 8,400
is now making the total cap-
and of season 35,379 barrels.

There were three vessels
with herring cargoes at Wood-
and on Saturday. They likely
way yesterday.

L. McLean wanted about 100 h-
erring, Saturday, to complete
cargo of frozen fish.

The Gossip arrived at Wood-
and on Thursday. She will
way another cargo of herring
the Gorton Pew Co.

Capt. Joe Bonia, in the
Smith, left Gloucester Saturday
oming here for herring cargo
arrived at Wood's Island yes-
terday morning.—Western Star.

More Light.

Our new 40 candle power lamp
supply more light at less cost
ny other system of Artificial li-
this lamp is especially design-
se with our new ten-cent Slot
Drop ten cents in the slot, and
lamp will run for 32 hours, giv-
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Call and get full particulars
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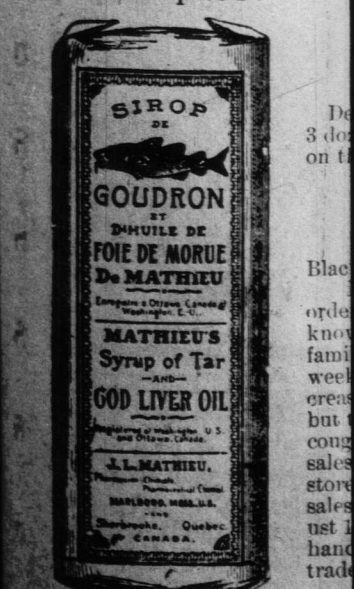
With Apoplexy after Christmas
ner Dies Last Night.

Lancaster, Pa., Dec. 26.—After
ing his Christmas dinner, Rev.
J. Gans, Rector of St. Mary's
le Church, of this city, and
known as a musician and a con-
was stricken with apoplexy and
at his home here last night. He
67 years of age.

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exhausts you, MAT

of Tar and Cod Liver Oil are
and definitely rid you from it.
The merits of Mathieu's
Here are a few proofs:—



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Marine Powders which con-
tains per box of 18 powders.
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