



BIG STORM DOWN SOUTH AND ALMOST A CYCLONE

Velocity of 52 Miles an Hour Recorded—Jacksonville is Cut Off.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Reports received at the weather bureau at 8 o'clock of a tropical storm with a heavy fall of rain and wind reaching a velocity of fifty-two miles an hour at Jacksonville, Fla., this afternoon.

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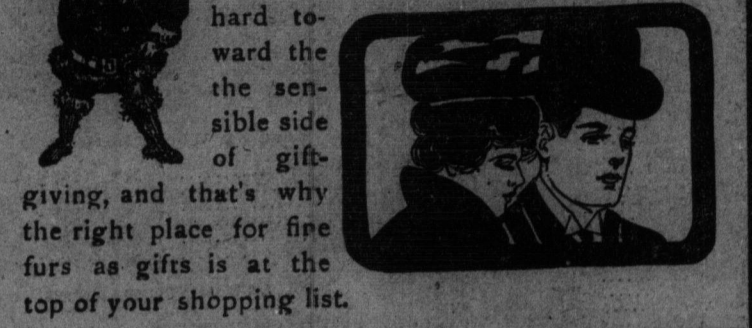
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Put Your Heads Together and Go Gift-Buying To-Day

More than likely you've decided by now that you'll buy something useful—and most likely it's something to wear with something in furs as the best and "handsomest" of gifts—the spirit of the season is trending



A FEW FUR HINTS FROM THE QUALITY SHOP

Very Fine China Mink Stoles, 10 inches long, satin lined, trimmed with fox tails and silk ornaments, 18.00

Handsome Sable Marmot Stoles, 10 inches long, satin lined and trimmed with fox tails and silk ornaments, 35.00

Sable Marmot Capelet, very large, deep pelage effect, and long front, satin lined and silk ornaments, 35.00

Imperial Sable Mink Muff to match, 15.00

Fine Siberian Grey Squirrel Sets, including 4-in-hand tie and Imperial muff, 22.00

A set of Sable Marmot, handsome stole and Imperial scarf and muff to match, 35.00

Fine Natural Alaska Sable Stole, large stole and muff to match, 32.00

Fine Western Sable Set, 2-4-kn scarf and muff to match, 14.50

Large Fine Quality Club Bear Stoles, satin lined, special, 37.50

Natural Mink 4-skin Scarfs, 40.00

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Electric Seal Jackets, blouse style, best satin lined, sable or grey squirrel trim, 65.00

Grey Squirrel Revers, with large collar, blouse and cuffs, silk girdle and best satin lined, 90.00

Musquash Imperial Blouse Jackets, best satin lined, a very stylish garment, 50.00

Persian Lamb Jackets, 24-in. blouse style, silk girdle, best satin lined, Russian, 110.00

Persian Lamb Jacket, handsome blouse style, fine Alaska sable lined, best, 125.00

Extra Fine Alaska Seal Scaque, 24 inches long, large collar, facings and revers, fancy brocade, satin lined, 300.00

Fur-lined Cloaks, in black, blue, brown and green, wrapped seams, best squirrel lined, silver fur collar, 50.00

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H. H. FUDGE, President; J. WOOD, Manager. Thursday, December 21. STORE CLOSÉS AT 10 O'CLOCK TO-NIGHT. Telephone 5300.

CHRISTMAS BARGAINS

Eight o'clock Bargain Day

Christmas Presents for Earliest Shoppers To-morrow Morning.

If any one of our Friday Bargain Days in the year can be called an 8 o'clock bargain day it is to-morrow, the day before Christmas Eve.

8 o'clock Furnishings for Men

Men's Oxford Mufflers, black corded silk, colored quilted linings, regular 75c, Friday 50c

Men's Fine Silk Suspenders, plain and fancy colors, white kid ends, cast-off alids, buckles, regular price 75c and 1c, in a fancy box, Friday 50c

Men's Fine Silk Neckwear, four-in-hand, bowties, ends and knots, regular 50c and 75c, clearing the stock Friday 25c

\$6 Umbrellas for \$3.65

50c Cuff Links for 25c

350 Carpet Samples

100 pairs Gents' Cuff Links, gold filled, Roman and bright finished, lever, shaft, some set with stones, some plain for engraving, regular 50c, Friday, half price 25c

1 1/2 yards long. Velvet and Axminster. Worth \$1.50 to \$2.75 a sample. Friday, each 70c

763 Odd Styles of Suit Cases, Every One New and Perfect, Worth \$10, Friday Bargain, \$4.95

Rattan Furniture Half Price

46 Pieces Rattan Furniture, consisting of Roman chairs, music racks, tables, magazine stands, high chairs, fancy chairs, etc., ranging in prices from \$1.25 to \$7.50

Groceries for Friday

Fresh Roasted Flatberg Mocha Coffee, smooth, rich and creamy, in the bean, ground, pure or with cream, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.05, 1.10, 1.15, 1.20, 1.25, 1.30, 1.35, 1.40, 1.45, 1.50, 1.55, 1.60, 1.65, 1.70, 1.75, 1.80, 1.85, 1.90, 1.95, 2.00

DINEEN'S

Corner Yonge and Temperance Streets.

Western Sable Four-in-Hand Ties, fancy brocade satin lining, 9.75

Alaska Sable Scarfs, trimmed with six tails, chain fastener, 5.00

Misses' Marmot Sets, tie and muff, 8.50

Misses' Lock Squirrel Sets, 10.00

Fine Natural Lynx Stoles, large size, 27.50

Large Imperial Muffs to match, 22.50

White Thibet Stoles, \$12.00; medium size \$8.50; Imperial Shaped Muffs, best quality Black Cloth Shell, black Thibet, Western Sable or Marmot Mink Collar and Revers, hamper lining, 35.00

No reserves on this list by telephone.

COARSE GRAIN EASIER

Wheat—Receipts, 35,000 bushels; exports, 22,000 bushels; stocks, 2,000,000 bushels.

Barley—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

Oats—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

Flour—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

Feed—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

Stocks—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

Grain—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

Market—Receipts, 1,000,000 bushels; exports, 2,000,000 bushels; stocks, 10,000,000 bushels.

O'BRIEN'S FIGHT

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A Few Hints for the Men

Mufflers in fine all silk English squares—1.00 to 3.50.

Handkerchiefs, gentlemen's pure Irish linen, with initials, half-dozen—2.00.

Five imported French silk and linen handkerchiefs—35c to 1.00.

Suspenders, special Christmas lines, in silk embroidered—75c to 1.50.

Four-in-hand neckwear, all the new and no old shades and combinations—50 cents.

Ascot neckwear, all silk qualities—75c and 1.00.

Extra fine show of four-in-hand and English squares—75c to 2.50.

Smoking jackets, house coats, dressing gowns, some exclusive fabrics and rich patterns—5.00 to 25.00.

Nice house coat for 6.50. Bath robes—6.00 to 12.00. Ladies' umbrellas, special at 2.50 to 8.00. Gentlemen's umbrellas—1.00 to 15.00.

G. H. WALLER & SON, PURVEYORS

9 ST. LAWRENCE MARKET

Come and buy a good Prime Roast of the Prize Beef for half the money a turkey will cost you.

Those who will have Poultry we can supply and with the best.

To-day will be our last show day. Our large orders compel us to break it up.

DR. W. H. GRAHAM, Late of No. 108 St. Lawrence Market, Toronto.

SKATES and HOCKEY SUPPLIES.

Money to Loan

Rice Lewis & Son

TROUBLE MAY GO INLAND

Warships Keeping Order There—One Reason for the Outbreak.

London, Dec. 20.—According to official advices received to-day from Shanghai, it is believed the situation can be controlled by the warships already there.

Donkubors Do Well

THE QUALITY STORE

A man is the easiest of mortals to please at Christmas.

Give him something substantial that he can wear or use.

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