

Travellers' Samples
Fancy China at Half Price
W. H. Hayward Co., Ltd.
85 - 93 Princess Street

TALK About TIES
We're showing the greatest range of Neckwear that you ever saw in all your life.
H. N. DeMILLE
199 to 201 Union Street

Xmas. Day in the Dining Room
Now is the time to make your dining-room attractive for 3 days.
AMLAND BROS., LIMITED
19 WATERLOO STREET

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ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, DEC 22
PORT OF ST. JOHN
VETERANS' ASSOCIATION

BERWICK New ARROW Form Fit COLLARS
Premier Borden has returned to Ottawa from the west and one of the first matters which will be before him is the action of John Stunfield, M. P., and chief whip for the party, in offering his resignation.

LOCAL NEWS
Special Christmas shirts at Corbet's, 194 Union street.
We enter this holiday season with a feeling of entire confidence, knowing, as we do, our position and ability to please entirely the critical Christmas shoppers from a perfect stock of variety, style and quality.

LOCAL NEWS
Men's lined Mocha gloves, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.—Harry W. King, 177 Union street.
Come, let us think of you!—It will be no task to find just what you want for Christmas shoes and slippers. Always acceptable—always treasured as a long-lived present—so much more appreciated than the one-day-article so foolishly but so often indulged in at Christmas time.

LOCAL NEWS
Special Christmas muffers at Corbet's, 194 Union street.
Get Edgcombe's price on that slight you want, 115 City Road.
First things first—that means Duval's, 12-22.

LOCAL NEWS
Special sale of men's muffers for balance of week at Chas. Magnusson & Co.'s, Dock street. Big reductions as stock is too large.
Lovely wool scarfs and toques to match; also ladies' silk velvet hats, 98 cents, at John K. Storey's.
Smalley & Co. are showing the finest selection of bracelet watches to be found in the city, including gold, gold filled, silver and gun metal. Every watch fully guaranteed. Smalley & Co., 91 Prince William street.

LOCAL NEWS
This word is now in national use. Why not apply it to your purchases in footwear by coming to a store that buys and sells shoes at cash prices only, thereby giving the purchaser the benefit.—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.
The man who can not afford to pay a high price for his overcoat will do well to call and see our \$12 Melton overcoats. Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street.

LOCAL NEWS
XMAS SUGGESTIONS
Men's neckwear, 85c to \$2; muffers, 50c to \$6.50; gloves, \$1 to \$8.50; silk hose, braces, arm bands and fancy sets.—W. E. Ward, 58 King street, corner Germain.
NO ADVANCE IN PRICE
"Blue Ribbon" beverages are one of the few things which have not advanced in price. Phone the factory for a Christmas case of assorted flavors. You will like them and so will the kiddies. 12-24.

LOCAL NEWS
Men's Ties in fancy boxes, 25, 35 and 50c.—Harry W. King, 177 Union street.
Arnold's Dept. Store will be open every evening till Christmas. 12-23.

LOCAL NEWS
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LOCAL NEWS
To Be Given Away Free of Charge Friday and Saturday
1-2 lb. TEA with Orders to the amount of \$3.00, at Parkinson's Cash Stores
East St. John Post Office
128 Adelaide Street
147 Victoria Street

LOCAL NEWS
Specials at BROWN'S GROCERY CO.
86 BRUSSELS STREET
Corner Richmond
Phone Main 2370-21

LOCAL NEWS
Specials for this WEEK
12 lbs. Sugar..... \$1.00
3 Cornflakes..... 25c
3 bottles Extract..... 25c
Mixed Peel..... 25c
Jersey Cream Baking Powder..... 25c
Best Corn..... 16c can
Peas..... 10c can
Salmon..... 15c, 2 for 25c
Fresh Eggs..... 47c doz
Large bottle Limes/juice or Syrup..... 25c
Currants..... 18c
6 cakes Soap..... 25c

LOCAL NEWS
CASH SALES for Xmas
Week at C. T. Eccles, 267 King St., W. E.
C. O. D. Orders Delivered. Phone 80-41.

FIRST AID!
In case of severe toothache, rush your patent to one of our offices where instant relief may be obtained.
We do work painlessly and well.
Boston Dental Parlors
HEAD OFFICE BRANCH OFFICE
527 Main Street 35 Charlotte Street
Phone 883 Phone 38
Dr. J. D. Maher - Proprietor
Open 9 a. m. Until 9 p. m.

Better Late Than Never
Our Solid Gold and Gold-filled Eyeglass Chains have been in such demand these last two weeks that we ran short. A new arrival of the largest assortment of Solid Gold and Gold-filled Eyeglass Chains have just arrived in time. This stock was purchased before the increase of prices.
We suggest that one of these new chains will be very acceptable as a Christmas Gift and a lasting remembrance. The prices are right, as we are in the right place, out of the High Rental District.

S. GOLDFEATHER
Graduate Optician
625 Main Street
We Are Experts in Eye Testing

The New GROCERY
(NEXT IMPERIAL THEATRE)
KIRKPATRICK and COWAN
22 King Square
PHONE M. 3158

Specials AT Robertson's
E. Roy Robertson
599 Main St.
Phone 2577.

FANCY FRESH FRUITS
Sweet Juicy Florida Oranges, 25c, 25c and 30c. doz.
California Seedless Peaches, 30c and 40c. doz.
California Seedless Lemons, 25c. doz.
Florida Grapefruit, 7c, 4 for 25c.
Cape Cod Cranberries, 12c. qt.
Apples, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c. peck.

Yerxa Grocery Co.
443 MAIN ST. Phone Main 2913
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WASSON'S CHRISTMAS SALE--ALL WEEK
Chocolates in Fancy Boxes
Fresh For Christmas
They are Patterson's "Good Taste" Chocolates, 1.2 lbs., 30c.; 1 lb., 60c.; 2 lbs., \$1.00.
Larger Fancy Packages, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.

FRANK WHITE'S
Hard Mixture..... 25c. lb.
5 lb. box for \$1.00
Special Chocolates and Bon-Bons... 2 lb. box for \$1.00
Hand-made Bon-Bons... 40c. lb.
Xmas Mixture..... 20c. lb.
Hard Candy..... 20c. lb.
Hum-Bugs..... 25c. lb.
Salted Peanuts..... 25c. lb.
Sharp's Toffee..... 40c. lb.
Peter Pan Caramels..... 50c. lb.
Butter Kisses..... 40c. lb.
Pater Krisp..... 40c. lb.
Mixed Chocolates..... 40c. lb.
25c. Boxes Perfumes..... 19c.
Dolls, 22c, 45c., 65c., 85c., \$1.00, \$9.50.

FILLED STOCKINGS..... 10c., 15c., 25c., 35c., \$1.00
WASSON'S - MAIN ST.
"BOXED" CHRISTMAS GIFTS
In Scarfs, Ties and Fancy Collars. A Full Stock of Boxed Handkerchiefs in plain and fancy, from 18c. to 65c. per box. Men's Special Boxed Scarfs, 25c. and 50c. each. Men's Special Boxed Braces, 40c. and 50c. pair. A general stock of Useful Christmas Presents at Moderate Prices.

TWO MORE CANADIANS ESCAPE FROM GERMANY
London, Dec 22.—Ptes. M. Kiltredge, Montreal, and J. B. Jenkins, Vancouver, escaped from a German prison camp and have reached England. Both were engaged with working parties and had contemplated a bid for freedom for some time. They travelled by night, hiding in the day, swimming an icy cold river at a certain point. It is inadvisable to publish the details concerning this or other escapes for the sake of comrades remaining in Germany. One escaped prisoner's story is invariably almost identical with another, that is, concerning what the men are ready to reveal. The majority of them very properly maintain reserve in narrating their experiences.

Useful Christmas Gifts
READ CAREFULLY THIS LIST OF CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS:
Men's Overcoats..... \$3.00 to \$20.00
Men's Suits..... \$7.00 to \$20.00
Men's Shoes..... \$2.00 to \$6.50
Men's Slippers..... 85c. to \$2.50
Men's Braces..... 25c. to \$1.50
Men's Ties..... 25c. to \$1.00
Men's Fancy Shirts..... 50c. to \$1.75
Men's Caps..... 50c. to \$1.75
Men's Hats..... 1.00 to \$2.50
Men's Underwear..... 50c. to \$2.40 per gar.
Men's Smoking Sets..... 35c. to \$2.00
Men's Umbrellas..... 85c. to \$3.00
Men's Gloves..... 50c. to \$2.75
Men's Fancy Armlets..... 15c. to \$1.00
Men's Mackinaw and Sheepskin Coats..... \$7.00 to \$12.00
Special Display of Ladies' Manicure and Toilet Sets. From \$2.00 to \$8.00

SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S MUFFLERS
All Men's Mufflers at Reduced Prices—A Large Assortment.
SPECIAL SALE OF DOLLS
We are going to get clear of every Doll in the store by Xmas will be sold at cost prices.
SUITABLE GIFTS FOR THE SOLDIERS:
Khaki Braces, Khaki Handkerchiefs, Khaki Gloves, Khaki Socks, Khaki Mufflers, Khaki Shirts, Khaki Trousers, Underwear, Unbreakable Mirrors, Swagger Sticks, Canes.
Boxes Free With Every Purchase. Store open for Balance of Week Until 11 p.m.

How About Your Christmas Dinner?
If it's Turkeys, get them from Lilley & Co's.
If it's Geese, get them from Lilley & Co's.
If it's Ducks, get them from Lilley & Co's.
If it's Chickens, get them from Lilley & Co's.
If it's Powl, get them from Lilley & Co's.
Or, in fact, if it is anything in the way of Poultry, Meats or Provisions, Lilley & Co. can supply your wants at the lowest possible price.
Chopped Suet, Mince-meat, Etc.

LILLEY & Co.
695 Main St. Phone M. 2745
STORE OPEN EVENINGS
West End Delivery Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Afternoons.
SOME SNAPS
AT THE 3 BARKER'S LIMITED
100 PRINCESS ST. and 111 BRU STREET
Flour Less Than Wholesale Price.
Five Shamrocks..... Only \$10.00 5lb.
Five Shamrocks—98 lb. bag..... \$5.00
Five Shamrocks—24 lb. bag..... \$1.35
Stratocorns..... Only \$9.50 50lb.
Stratocorns—98 lb. bag..... \$4.75
Choice Seeded Raisins, 10c. pkge. up
Currants..... 15c. pkge.
New Lemon Peel..... 25c. lb.
New Orange Peel..... 22c. lb.
New Citron Peel..... 25c. lb.
Cooking Figs..... 2 lbs. for 25c.
12 lbs. Granulated Sugar..... \$1.00
BARLEY TOYS Only 16c. lb.
Good Mixed Candy..... Only 12c. lb.
Choice Mixed Candy..... Only 15c. lb.
Barker's Mixed Candy..... Only 20c. lb.
Conversation Lozenges..... Only 15c. lb.
30c. Cream Mixture..... Only 18c. lb.
Ice Cream Wafers..... Only 25c. lb.
Christmas Mixture..... Only 19c. lb.
Midget Mixture..... Only 25c. lb.
Fudge..... Only 25c. lb.
Buttercups..... Only 30c. lb.
Kisses..... Only 25c. lb.
Snowflakes..... Only 25c. lb.
Best Bon-Bon Mixture..... Only 35c. lb.
Candy Canes..... Only 25c. lb.
Regular 50c. Chocolates..... Only 30c. lb.
Regular 60c. Chocolates..... Only 40c. lb.
Regular 50c. Dolls..... For 25c.
3-Piece Carving Sets..... From 90c. up
Books..... From 5c. up
Sleds..... From 33c. up
Big Reduction in Iron Friction Toys.
Open Every Night Till 10 o'clock.
THE 2 BARKER'S LIMITED
100 PRINCESS - 111 BRUSSELS
Customs and Fairville