

Marshall's Salvage Sale

has been the most successful sale ever held in St. John's, because the bargains have surpassed all former offerings. It is absolutely impossible for us to make you understand what unusual values this sale offers. Mere words cannot describe these remarkable chances to



Stretch the Purchasing Power of Your Xmas Dollars

Look over these Gift Suggestions and you will find many of your what-to-give problems answered. Mr. Man, a woman would buy her own things here, so you should buy her gifts here.

Slippers--A Good Suggestion.

They are the always acceptable gift and are here in immense assortments. All in perfect condition and to be sold at Salvage Prices.

LADIES' FELT ROMEO and BEDROOM CROCHET SLIPPERS.

LADIES' DONGOLA HOUSE and EVENING SLIPPERS.

INFANTS' SOFT SOLE BOOTS and SANDALS.

MISSES' & CHILDREN'S FELT ROMEO SLIPPERS.

MISSES' & CHILDREN'S PATENT LEATHER SLIPPERS.

MISSES' & CHILDREN'S BLACK & TAN VICI STRAP SLIPPERS.

MEN'S BLACK & TAN ROMEO SLIPPERS.

Hockey Boots, Men's, Women's and Boy's.

LADIES' DRESSING JACKETS.

LADIES' DRESSING GOWNS.

LADIES' MOTOR SCARVES.

LADIES' BLK. & CO'D WOOL SQUARES.

LADIES' SILK PETTICOATS.

LADIES' APRONS.

CHILD'S SILK DRESSES.

CHILD'S MATINEE COATS.

INFANTS' WOOL POLKAS.

CHILD'S KNITTED COATS.

MISSES' KNITTED COATS.

Marshall Bros.

"Hark! to
Hark! the

THE GIFT.

A mother sat watching one Christmas night,
Rocking her babe by the candle light;
As she raised her eyes in the gathering gloom,
The Christ-child stood in her lowly room.
"What shall I give to thy child?" He said,
Softly caressing the sleeping head.
"Nay," said the mother, "oh angel Guest,
Give her whatever Thou deemest best."

"What shall I give her, oh mother mild?
Ask what thou wilt for thy little child;
Shall I kiss her brow that her eyes may shine
With a beauty that men may call divine?
Shall I kiss her lips that her words may flow
The sweetest the world may ever know?
"Nay," said the mother, "That will not stay;
Songs are forgotten and hair turns grey."
"What shall I give her?" He said again,
"Ask and thou shalt not ask in vain."
And the mother raised her eyes above,
"Oh, give her purity, truth and love!"
And the Christ-child turned to her soft and mild—
"Thou hast chosen the best for thy little child.
Be not afraid, though life be sore,
I shall be with her forevermore."

Peace on Earth

THINE can be no Peace on earth unless there is Good-will among men. The Christmas evangel goes to the root of the world's problems. All there is of sorrow and pain and evil in human life, and all there is of confusion and loss in the world of nature, has to do with the disease of the mind and the rooted sorrow of the soul. The hates and strifes that embitter everyday life, and the wars that waste the nations, are but the fruitage of that spirit which sent Cain a fugitive upon the face of the earth. Bitterness and blight are part of that burden under which the whole creation groans and travails waiting for the deliverance which comes only when the curse of selfishness and hate is lifted from the life of man. It is for this reason the promise of Peace on earth is linked in the angel-song with Good-will among men.

Good-will among men must grow out of the good hearts where love is. It is the fruit of the spirit. "The crowd cannot cultivate it, for the way of the crowd is wild and estranging as the waves of the sea. Whosoever makes his own heart pure and true, casting out all bad will against his neighbour and nurturing desire for another's good, makes possible the fulfilment of the Christmas promise and brings nearer fruition the Peace of the world."

Good-will among men is both the soil and the seed from which alone will spring that Good-will of the nations the fruit of which will be Peace on earth. When suspicion, and hate, and greed, and all the roots of bitterness are cast out of the hearts of men, the nations will hang the trumpet in the hall of Peace and study war no more. The old-world nations are slow to learn the new code of honor that wipes out stains, not in blood, but in service, and that feels not the lust for power, but the impelling of Love. But the nations must learn it, or there can be no Peace on earth. Avarice among men breeds distrust between nations. Hence comes the occasion for battalions and battleships. But it is still true that he who telleth the sword shall perish by the sword. The nation alone shall survive whose foundation is Truth, whose defence is Love, and the fruit of whose spirit is Peace on earth.

Lots of Weather.

"I want to do some Christmas shopping to-day, dear," said a fond wife; "that is, if the weather is favourable. What is the forecast?"
At the other end of the table her husband, consulting his paper, read aloud: "Rain, hail, snow, thunder, lightning, and floods."

No Use Watching

Isn't it just the queerest thing
That Santa is so shy?
We can never, never catch him.
No matter how we try!
If he isn't out to watch us,
Because Mr. Maime said,
That Santa Claus will only come
When children are in bed.
Bind the tongue of jolly hoity-
To a riddle round the earth:
Love is wisdom, hate is folly;
Christmas brings another birth
Dicks the world from pole to pole
And garlands it and wreathes it;
Mistletoe above the whole,
So let's the world beneath it.

IN STOCK TO-DAY:

BACON.

2 pcs. Choice Spiced English Breakfast Bacon.

TABLE BUTTER.

2 boxes Choice Canadian Creamery Butter, 2 lb. blocks.

EGGS.

10 cases "fresh from the nest" Selected Eggs. Good to boil.

FRUITS.

Valencia Oranges, Cal. Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Porto Rican Oranges, Wagner Apples, Stark Apples, New Dates, Cranberries, Partridge Berries, Finnan Haddies, Kipperd Herring, Parsnips, Carrots, Beets.

SOPER & MOORE

For Cherished Friends.

At such a season as this, when the supreme desire is to give something that goes straight to the heart, think of the splendid usefulness of Globe-Wernicke Bookcases, the sectional construction of which permits them to be added to as books and space demand. Think of the exquisite workmanship, the quality of materials, the artistry of the designs and the beauty of finish. Then think that the price per section is no more than that of a good gift book and you realise that the ideal Christmas gift is a Globe-Wernicke Sectional Bookcase. MR. PERCIE JOHNSON will be glad to show you a selection of charming finishes and to quote attractive prices.

Coastal Boats.

REIDS' BOATS.
The Argyle left Marystown at 7.10 p.m. yesterday, going west.
The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.10 a.m. to-day.
The Clyde has not been reported since leaving Lewisport at 1.10 a.m. yesterday.
The Dundee left Musgrave Harbor at 10.30 a.m. yesterday, outward.
The Ethie is due at Carbonear to-day.
The Fogota is north of Cook's Hr.
The Glenoe left Harbor Breton at 9 a.m. to-day, coming east.
The Home left Little Bay at 12.15 p.m. yesterday, inward.
The Lintrose left Port aux Basques at 1.05 a.m. to-day.
The Melgie left Humbermouth at 8 a.m. to-day.

Marine Notes.

The S. S. Elorzel leaves New York to-day for this port via Halifax.
The S. S. Algonquin is due here from Liverpool to-morrow.
The R. M. S. Numbrian sailed last night for Glasgow taking a big freight and one passenger Mr. H. H. Bidley.
The S. S. Cacouna will not get away for Sydney until to-morrow.
The S. S. Digby leaves here for Liverpool this evening.

Cable News.

Special to The Evening Telegram.

SYDNEY, To-day.
Three boys belonging to Caledonia, were drowned at Glace Bay. The names of the boys, are, one McLeod, aged 9, and two brothers named Tucker, aged 10 and 11, respectively.

OTTAWA, To-day.
The Canada Gazette contains an order in Council enacting that steamships of not less than 2,000 tons gross tonnage each of Norway, Sweden, Austro-Hungary and Japan shall be admitted to the coasting trade of Canada, carrying goods, passengers coastwise between any port of the Province of Nova Scotia and any port in the Province of Quebec and vice versa on the same terms and conditions as are applicable to Canadian vessels until 31st December, 1914.

MONTREAL, To-day.
The largest gang of counterfeiters ever arrested in this part of the country were taken into custody at a farm house five miles from the village of Lavallée. Five men were taken into custody at a farm house where the plant was located, while the 6th member of the gang was arrested here, Alfred Grenier, 38, a graver, employed at the Herald Publishing Company. Besides the arrest of the six men, the police claim to have seized a most elaborate counterfeiting plant, including a printing press, plates and specially prepared paper and everything necessary for the counterfeiting of the States ten dollars gold certificates.

MEXICO CITY, To-day.
The traitors, Huerta and Blanquez, after a very short process will be publicly degraded and hanged from the balconies of the National Palace, as warning to all rest, the Cabinet be shot after being judged. Such is the sentence passed upon the Executive and his Official family by Milio Sepata in a circular dated Milpa Alta, December 18th, which appeared in the Capital to-night. It was addressed to the inhabitants of Mexico City. Sepata says the War Council was resolved to take the city by fire and sword on a day which for better success of the assault in not to be known until the moment when the fight begins.

WASHINGTON, To-day.
Attorney General McReynolds last night made public the details of an agreement for the reorganization of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. This will prevent litigation and dissolve the corporation under the Anti-Trust Act under which competitive conditions will be restored. The telephone service will dispose of its holdings in the Western Union Telegraph Company. Coming on the heels of the announcement the Postmaster General Bulson is seriously interested in the Government ownership of telephone lines, the action of the Department of Justice took on an added significance. Some officials went so far as to express the opinion it indicated that legislation to acquire the country's telephone business would not be pressed by the Administration in the present session. In brief, the agreement provides that the American Telephone and Telegraph Company will dispose promptly of its holdings in Western Union Telegraph Company, so that each concern shall be under a distinct management, and so that all shall be entirely independent. The Company promptly to make arrangements by which all other telephone companies in the States shall have access to its toll lines.

Give her for Christmas a box of Fuller's Chocolates or Candy, the most famous Confectionery in the world. Give him a box of Abdulla Cigarettes, the finest Cigarette that is made. Just received, Holly, Mistletoe, Ruscus, Statice, Wax Capes. BISHOP, SONS & CO., Grocery Dept. dec16,17

LET YOUR CHRISTMAS BE CHEERY

SEEDED & SULTANA RAISINS.
CITRON, LEMON & ORANGE PEELS.
BRAZIL, HAZEL, WALL & ALMOND NUTS
SPICES & FLAVORING ESSENCES.
PICKLES & SAUCES.
COCOAS, COFFEES & COFFEE ESSENCE.
FIGS & DATES.
ORANGES, APPLES, GRAPES.
JAMS, JELLIES, SYRUPS.
HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS
CHOICEST CALIFORNIA FRUITS.
FINEST IRISH BUTTER.

J. J. ST. JOHN.

Here and There.

BOVRIL served hot at P. J. RAYNES, 112 New Gower St.
dec15,16
MR. SLATTERY RECOVERING.
We are glad to learn that Mr. J. L. Slattery is somewhat improved, he having slept well last night. His physicians are expecting a speedy recovery which will be welcome news to Mr. Slattery's friends.

RETURNED BY STEPHANO.—Mr. J. Maher, book-keeper at A. Harvey & Co., who was on a six weeks' trip, business and pleasure combined, returned by the Stephano on Thursday accompanied by his wife.

DON'T FORGET Operetta, Tyrolen Queen, Casino Theatre, Friday evening, Jan. 2nd. Big Matinee on Saturday, Jan. 3rd. Reserved Seat Tickets on sale at Dicks & Co's. Monday, Dec. 22nd.
dec20,11

A Gift among Gifts for a Gentleman, something he will always treasure, is a set of Prism Binoculars. These field or marine glasses are the highest order of all telescopic instruments, \$23.00, \$33.00 and \$35.00. At TRAPNELL'S—dec20,11

ONLY ONE "Bromo Quinine" that is
Latative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
on box 25c
E. W. L.

XMAS POULTRY!

By S.S. Cacouna to-day:
Selected P. E. Island
TURKEYS.
DUCKS.
GEESE.
CHICKEN—
Plymouth Rock.
Book your order early.

BANANAS.
GRAPES—Blue & Green.
PEARS.
RASPBERRIES.
PINEAPPLES.
GRAPE FRUIT.
TOMATOES.
CUCUMBERS.
CELERY.
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.
FRESH OYSTERS.

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

WALLACE & CO'S.

CHOCOLATES!

Choc. Ass'd, Fruits.
" Chewy Nougat.
" Rosam Fruit.
" Almond Cherries.
" Covered Strawberries.

Seeded Raisins (fancy), 1 lb. 18c.
Cleaned Currants, 1 lb. 7c.
Custard Powder, 1 lb. tin, 25c.
Reliable Syrup, 25c. tin.
Kop's Wines.
Stone's Thick Rich Cream.
Campbell's Soups, 12c. tin.

CIGARS.
Havana, Rock, Hy. Clay,
Cabanas, Borneo, Principes,
Torpedos, Celestines.

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

Police Court.

Two drunks were discharged, and one, his fifth offence, was fined \$4 or 14 days.

A 30 year old laborer of Goodview Street, drunk and disorderly in his own house, had to sign bonds for his future good behavior.

A seaman of Harbor Grace, drunk and disorderly on board the S. S. Cacouna, was fined \$2 or 7 days.

A 29 year old domestic, for the larceny of \$10, was remanded.

A 30 year old laborer of Water St. West, drunk and disorderly, was fined \$4 or 14 days.

A woman was summoned by another for using threatening language to her. The case was dismissed.

A resident of Quidi Vidi was charged with a violation of the Liquor Act—selling hop beer overproof. The case was postponed until this day fortnight.

"Keep the Pot a Billin'."

Brigadier Morchen, of the Salvation Army, acknowledges the following subscriptions towards the Xmas Relief Fund:
His Worship the Mayor.....\$5.00
W. H. Crowley, Esq.....5.00
Dr. Fraser.....5.00
Miss Caroline Furlong.....5.00
The Daily News.....5.00
"B".....5.00
Hon. James Angel.....2.00
Jas. S. Benedict, Esq.....2.00
Hon. J. R. Bennett.....2.00
Percie Johnston, Esq.....2.00
P. Laracy, Esq.....2.00
A. E. Worrall, Esq.....1.50
Miss Nell.....1.00
Friend.....1.00
Mr. Woodley.....1.00
J. Duff, Esq.....1.00
Friend......50
B. J. Hagerty, Esq......50

Mount Cashel Water Supply

At last evening's meeting of the Municipal Council the following communication was read concerning the extra water supply for Mount Cashel:
Mount Cashel,
Dec. 18th, '13.

City Council,
St. John's.
Gentlemen—As we are depending entirely on small wells for our water supply and having absolutely no protection in case a fire broke out in the Institution, we have decided to ask you would it be possible for us to get a connection with the City water supply, and on what conditions?

I might suggest that if you could see your way clear to furnish the necessary piping, the Brothers would undertake to obtain the right of way for the laying of the pipes, and the right of way for repairing in future. The Brothers would also do the excavating and backfilling and whatever would be necessary to complete the work.

Hoping to get a favorable reply.
Sincerely yours,
(Sgd.) J. F. ENNIS.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind west, blowing a gale with snow showers. The S.S. Digby and an unknown steamer passed in yesterday evening; a three masted schooner passed in at 9 a.m. to-day. Bar. 29.34; ther. 28.

LOCAL ARRIVES.—The local from Carbonear arrived in the city at 12.20 p.m. to-day.

George Stree Sunday School.

George Street Sunday School will hold its annual Xmas Service on Sunday, at 2.30, in the Church Auditorium. The scholars will assemble in their usual places at 2.15, preparatory to going to the Auditorium. The scholars are reminded to have their gifts ready and contents marked on the wrappers in ink. The friends and parents are earnestly invited to attend, and fill the Church to its utmost capacity. An opportunity will be afforded them to participate in the gift service. Special music has been prepared for the occasion. Mr. Gordon Christian will preside at the Organ, and the school choir will occupy the gallery as usual.—Com.

Big Competition.

Enter this is a great competition. Win or lose everyone gets a prize. Only one condition: Write your name and address plainly and send us with ten cents silver and a two cent stamp.
All names will be placed in a box shuffled, and one drawn. The winner receives 15 pint bottles of our "Golden Glow Maple Syrup" absolutely free. You lose nothing as you get a prize anyway. We want everyone to know about our Syrup, hence this offer. Competition closes Dec. 23rd, noon. Write immediately. Address all letters to
CANTERBURY CO.,
Box 1219, St. John's.
nov28,dec1,5,15,20

VERY MILD UP COUNTRY.—From passengers who arrived in the city yesterday's express, we learn that the weather up the country has been exceptionally mild the past week. Small game are reported to be very scarce, and deer have practically struck off altogether.

Operetta, Tyrolen Queen, Casino Theatre, Friday evening, Jan. 2nd. Prices—Reserved Seats, 50c. and 40c.; General Admission 20c. Matinee Saturday, Jan. 3rd. Prices—Reserved Seats, 30c.; General Admission 20c. Children 10c.—d19,21

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McMurdo's Store News.

SATURDAY, Dec. 20, '13.
A pair of Military Hat Brushes makes in very many cases an excellent Christmas Present, and one generally acceptable. We have some very nice ones here in leather cases, which will be found well worth looking at by anyone in search of a suitable gift for a gentleman. We have also a few single brushes—preferred by some—backs of ebony and other woods. Prices from \$1.50 to \$3.50 a pair. Singles \$2.50 to \$3.50.
If you get a cut shaving you will find the "Cyrene" Styptic Pencil just what you want—stop the bleeding promptly. But you should have it on hand. The obvious plan then is to drop in and get one the next time you are passing. You will then have one when you need it. Price 15c.

50c.

Will buy a Child's Hat or Bonnet. Some worth \$2.00. Come early and get your choice.

THE WEST END BAZAAR,
dec19,21 51 Water St. West.

S.S. SAGONA.—The Sagona left Greensport at 7.30 a.m. to-day and is due here to-morrow.

Essence of Ginger Wine only 10 cts. a bottle at STAFFORD'S Drug Store.—dec4,11

WATER.—A strong N.W. wind, with snow squalls, prevails up country to-day; the thermometer registers from 10 to 20 above.

Hot Bovril, Oxo, and Chocolate Ice Cream and Cakes at J. V. CAMPBELL, Ltd.—nov20,11

A DIAMOND imparts the best Christmas spirit—its beauty will never grow less—its value will increase every year. You can get good stones mounted into dainty rings, some of them in combination with other gems at DULEY'S, at prices ranging from \$12.50 to \$110.—dec19,21

The R. M. S. Sardinian leaves Liverpool to-day for this port.

Our Xmas Poultry has Arrived.

TURKEYS, DUCKS, CHICKEN and GEESE.
Received ex S.S. Cacouna. Deliveries made promptly.

TURKEYS, DUCKS, GEESE & CHICKEN
To arrive about 18th inst.
Orders booking now.
MALAGA TABLE RAISINS—
Superior quality by the lb. and in crystal packages.
SULTANA RAISINS—
1 lb. packages.
SUPERIOR DATES—
1 lb. packages, 10c. & 12c. lb.
NUTS—Wal. Brazilian, Almonds, Walnuts, etc.
STOCKINGS—3c. up.
BON BONS.
TURKEY FIGS—
15c. and 20c. box, 14c. lb.
SHELLED WALNUTS—35c. lb.
SHELLED ALMONDS.

C. P. EAGAN,
Duckworth St. and Queen's Road.

California Navel Oranges.
Florida Oranges, 40c. & 50c. doz.
Valencia Oranges, 15c. doz.

Russet Table Apples.
Almond Pate, 1/4 lb., 1/2 lb. and 1 lb. tins.
Prepared Icings—White, Pink, Chocolate.
Reliable Cooking Eggs.
Flavoring Extracts, 7c., 10c. and 15c. bottle up.
Dried Cherries, 25c. lb.
Crystallized Cherries.

Until further notice we offer
3 lbs. HOMESTEAD TEA for \$1.00.