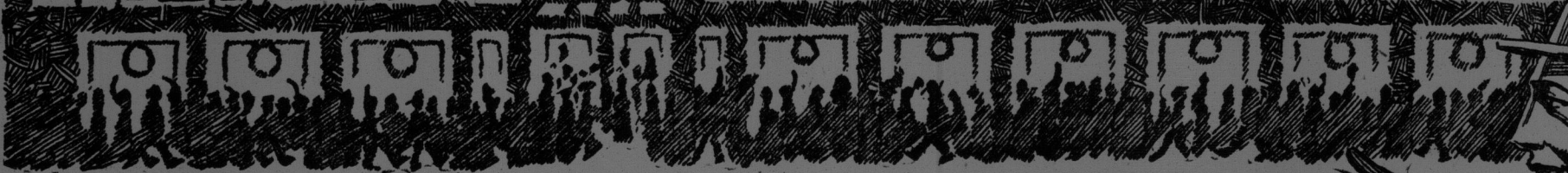


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THE MERRY CHRISTMAS STORE



OF A MILLION GIFTS

Welcome The Christmas Season

and the old-time Christmas customs. Truly, "it is better to give than receive." For a few days, at least, men and women will have opportunity to show themselves at their best—let's give them every opportunity.

Everything for Ladies and Children in Wearing Apparel and Accessories

FIVE THOUSAND HANDKERCHIEFS

To be sold this Christmas. We have nine hundred handkerchiefs done up three in a little booklet which we are going to sell at 25 cents for the three; they were made to be sold at fifty cents, but this lot came to us through an unusual way, consequently they are half price. Some very handsome pure linen handkerchiefs, embroidered corner, are on sale at from 15 cents to 75 cents each.



CHRISTMAS LINENS

This is the money-saving store for Christmas linens. Japanese Hand-embroidered Linens of every description, from the tiny d'Oylies at 5 cents each up to the large table covers at \$7.50 each.

WAIST—READY-TO-WEAR

Our 1915 Waists have arrived. We ordered them early so that you could buy the very latest designs for Christmas Gifts. The new styles are being sold from \$1.00 to \$3.50.

SILK WAISTS

can be had from \$1.50 to \$7.50 each.

WAIST LENGTH

done up in attractive boxes, from 50 cents to \$5.00 for the length.

SILK MUFFLERS

for men and women, 50c. to \$3.50 each

KID GLOVES

Three hundred pairs of Real French Kid Gloves to be sold at 89 cents per pair. Colors: Black, brown, tan, white and slate. Other prices for French Kid Gloves are \$1.25 and \$1.50. Ladies' Cape Gloves, heavy weight, at \$1.00 and \$1.25. Children's gloves, heavy and light weight at 69 cents, 75 cents and 80 cents.



FURS

Black Wolf Sets at from \$32.50 to \$75.00. Black Fox Sets from \$55.00 to \$125.00. Mink Sets from \$65.00 to \$190.00.

LADIES' SWEATERS

A very large assortment of these, from \$1.50 up to \$10.50 each. Children's Sweaters from 75 cents up to \$3.00.

FUR COATS

What would be nicer for a Christmas present for a lady than one of our Handsome Muskrat Coats at \$65.00; it is the regular \$90 quality, or one of our near Seal Coats at \$45.00. Near Seal Coat like illustration, satin lined, \$65.00. Christmas price, \$45.00.

LADIES' COATS

We have 100 coats left, and these are to be sold at very attractive prices, from \$5.00 to \$20.00 each. This price includes the \$35.00 coats.

A complete range of Silk Underskirts from \$1.50 to \$7.50 each. Silk Underskirts, made from heavy Taffeta, worth \$3.50, Christmas price, \$1.75.

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS

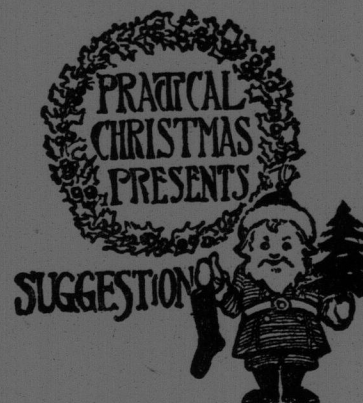
A special lot of English Satin Underskirts for \$1.39, in all colors. Moire Underskirts, five different lines, at from 89 cents to \$3.75 each.

TEA APRONS

in all styles and colors, at from 20c. to \$1.50



F. A. Dykeman & Co., 59 Charlotte Street



Suits for men, \$12 to \$32.
Overcoats, \$12 to \$40.
Shirts—Full dress, \$3.50.
Militia pleated silk shirts, \$2.50 and \$3.00.
Neckwear—Swiss silk, none better, 50c., 75c. and up.
Mufflers, \$1.50 to \$7.50.
Macknaws, \$8.50 and \$9.00.
Raincoats, \$8.00 to \$20.00.

A GOOD PLACE TO BUY
GOOD CLOTHES AND
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Gilmour's
68 King Street

All Sensible Gifts to Yourself or Anyone Else

When you are out shopping to see if you need glasses or replace the ones you are now wearing with those that will give greater satisfaction, come to us before you do your shopping. We supply good rimless Eye Glasses with the best of service for \$3.50

We Guarantee Satisfaction.

K. W. Epstein & Co.
Opticians
Open Evenings 193 Union Street

Jenkins had ceased to complain but one evening his troubles as a stranger hanger in the train got so bad that he felt bound to expostulate. "Excuse me, sir," he said to the man sitting by him, "but would you mind moving your portmanteau from the gang way? I really can hardly find room to stand." "Move my portmanteau?" gasped the stranger. "Those, sir, are my feet!" "Is that so?" said Jenkins. "Then perhaps you would pile them one above the other."—London Evening Standard.

Madge—Is she a good conversationalist?
Marjorie—No; I couldn't get her to talk about anybody I know.



Everybody
feels better when Liver
and Bowels are normal. Keep
yours toned up with

**Abbey's
Effervescent Salt**
(Take Abbey's VITA Tablets
for Nerves)

LOSING HOPE WOMAN VERY ILL

Finally Restored To Health
By Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound.

Bellefonte, Ohio.—"I was in a terrible state before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My back ached until I thought it would break, I had pains all over me, nervous feelings and periodic troubles. I was very weak and run down and was losing hope of ever being well and strong. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I improved rapidly and today am a well woman. I cannot tell you how happy I feel and I cannot say too much for your Compound. Would not be without it in the house if it cost three times the amount."—Mrs. CHAS. CHAPMAN, R. F. D. No. 7, Bellefonte, Ohio.

Woman's Precious Gift.
The one which she should most sealously guard, is her health, but it is the one most often neglected, until some ailment peculiar to her sex has fastened itself upon her. When so affected such women may rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a remedy that has been wonderfully successful in restoring health to suffering women.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

MORE FOOD REQUIRED FOR STARVING BELGIANS

The committee in Belgium who have charge of the distribution of all relief supplies have made another appeal for food for these people. It is estimated that it will take \$6,000,000 per month until spring to give these starving millions two meals of soup and bread per day. New Brunswick has done well, over twenty cars of food and clothing and \$12,000 in cash has already been sent forward, but a special appeal is now made by the provincial committee for cash to buy food in large quantities wholesale to load the admirably steamer Trenglois, sailing from Halifax about Dec. 25.

The committee has on hand about \$11,000 that will be invested in food stuff at once, but more is urgently required. The Belgians are starving and we must redouble our efforts promptly. Have you sent what you can? Send cash contributions to James H. Frink, mayor of St. John, treasurer, and address all communications to James Gilchrist, secretary, P. O. Box 204.

"Here I am breakin' stones by the am. When the old man died he ordered aside," said Peter Bryan to his son, "and by St. Patrick so he did end, 'when I'm heir to half a splen'—for he took the inside himself, and I estate under my father's will, so I gave me the outside.—Exchange.

C. C. COAL IS GOOD HEATING WORRIES

Vanish when you use C. C. Co. Hard Coal. Selected from dozens of different coals as the one best suited to general household purposes at a moderate price. Order it next time. It satisfies.

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COAL CO. LIMITED**
331 CHARLOTTE STREET
TELEPHONE: MAIN 2670

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Morning War Cables

The pendulum of war apparently has swung back again in favor of the Russians in the eastern theatre of hostilities. An official report from Petrograd declares the Russians have repulsed two units of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's army, near Mlaw and Lowicz—administering enormous casualties and taking many prisoners and guns. At some places, on the Mlaw front and before Lowicz, the Russians assert that the Germans made fierce attacks, but that these were repulsed and the Germans retreated in disorder. Successes also are claimed by the Russians to the south of Cracow, where, however, the Germans are said to be stubbornly resisting. That Germany realized that Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's brilliant manoeuvre, which brought the Germans almost before Warsaw again, after they had been thrown back to the East Prussian frontier, was not yet a decisive victory, was acknowledged in a statement of the German official press bureau. Dealing with the situation in the vicinity of Lodz the statement said the resistance of the Russians "is by no means broken," and that much yet remains to be done before the Russians can be considered definitely defeated. In France 400,000 youths of the class of 1915 have gone into training in the military camps and barracks. It is expected they will be ready for the campaign in the spring. Berlin advices, which previously announced that Germany had agreed to the suggestion of Pope Benedict for a truce during the Christmas holidays, say Russia has declined to agree to the proposition.

How She Discarded Unsightly Complexion

How often I exclaimed as I beheld my ugly complexion in the mirror, "If I only could lose off this old skin!" And, do you know, I've learned how to do that very thing! Not to actually remove the entire skin all at a sudden; that would be too heroic a method and painful, too, I imagine. The worn-out cuticle comes off in such tiny particles, and so gradually—requiring about ten days to complete the transformation—it doesn't hurt a bit. Day by day the beautiful complexion underneath comes forth. Marvelous! No matter how muddy, rough, blotchy or aged your complexion, you can surely discard it by this simple process. Just get an ounce of ordinary macerated wax at your druggist's, apply nightly like cold cream, washing it off mornings.

My wrinkles I got rid of by an equally simple method. By dissolving an ounce of powdered axolotl in a half-pint witch-hazel and bathing my face in the solution every line completely disappeared. First the fine lines, finally even the deep crow's feet, vanished entirely.—Miss Morrow to Town Tailor.

Xmas. Cosques and Chocolate Novelties At Philps'

We are just opening up a fine assortment of Xmas. Cosques, Ice and Confectionary Baskets, Paper Lace D'Oylies, Chocolates, etc. Cosques comprise Flowers and Fruits, under the following names:—

Fine Art Cosques, 25c. box	Chocolate Cowboys, 20c. each
Mass Roses Cosques, 90c. box	Chocolate Red Riding Hood, 20c. each
Wild Roses Cosques, 70c. box	Chocolate Paint Boxes, 20c. each
Cinderella Slippers, 65c. box	Chocolate Smokers' Sets, 25c. each
Floral Fans Cosques, 80c. box	Chocolate Butcher Shops, 35c. each
La France Cosques, beautiful roses, 85c. box	Chocolate Confectionary Shops, 35c. each
Sunburst Cosques, 75c. box	These are all a constant delight to the children.
Killarney Roses, 90c. box	
Sweet Peas, 80c. box	PASCAL'S FINE BOILED CANDIES
Bony Delight, 70c. box	Pascal's Fruit Bon-Bons
Lace Paper D'Oylies boxes of three dozen, 40c. each	Pascal's Criterion Bon-Bons
Ice and Confectionary Cases for the table, 15c. each or \$1.50 per dozen	Pascal's Jordan Almond Toffee
	Pascal's Walnut Toffee
	Pascal's Turkish Bon-Bons
	Pascal's Acid Drops
	Calliard & Bowser, London, Eng. Finest BUTTER SCOTCH
	Try some of this, the very finest produced.
	In Packages, 10c. each
	In Tins, at 25c. and 50c. each

Fresh opened Oysters, 60c. a quart.

A visit to the store is solicited. We have a display of new fresh goods worthy of inspection.

PHILPS'
Douglas Ave. and Main Street 'Phone Main 886

Cash Specials For TODAY

25c. cake Baker's Chocolate for 18c.	25c. tin Baker's Cocoa, for 20c.
15c. tin Baker's Cocoa, two for 25c.	15c. tin Rountree's English Cocoa, two for 25c.
15c. tin Clark's Beans with Chilli Sauce, for 12c.	3 lbs. Sago, reg. 10c. for 25c.
3 lbs. Pearl Tapioca, reg. 10c. for 25c.	20c. pkgs. Shredded Coconut, for 17c.
3 Pkgs Best Cornstarch for 25c.	15c. Pkgs Macaroni for 10c.
Laundry Soap, 6 for 25c.	Best Quality Norwegian Sardines, two for 25c.
Pure Lard, 1 lb. blocks, 16c.	Pure Lard, 5 lb. tins, 80c.
1 lb. Pkg Finest Table Raisins, reg. 35c. for 30c.	40c. bottle Pure Vanilla or Lemon Extract, for 33c.
15c. tins Libby's Soup, two for 25c.	Griffin & Skelly's Finest Seeded Raisins, three for 35c.
New Seeded Raisins, Argo Brand, Pkg 10c.	New Cleaned Currants, Wedding Cake Brand, 4 Pkgs for 35c.

Headquarters for Christmas Furs

Quality Furs

This is the reason of our success—we devote all our time and attention to their production—and a visit to our FUR PARLORS will show you that we are able to offer you exceptional values.

We have just completed and brought down from our factory a large assortment of Furs made up especially for our Xmas trade. They are all NEW and thoroughly up-to-date in every particular, and we can offer you the best values in the Maritime Provinces. A few of them are described.

Coats

HUDSON SEAL From \$100.00 to \$200.00
PERSIAN LAMB From \$125.00 to \$375.00
MUSKRAT From \$55.00 to \$165.00

ALSO MARMOT, PONEY, RACCOON, ETC.

MUFFS

BLACK FOX \$35.00 to \$55.00
BLACK LYNX \$35.00 to \$75.00
BLACK WOLF \$16.00 to \$45.00
MINK \$40.00 to \$100.00
RACCOON \$16.50 to \$45.00
HUDSON SEAL \$20.00 to \$30.

STOLES

BLACK FOX \$25.00 to \$55.00
BLACK LYNX \$35.00 to \$70.00
BLACK WOLF \$12.00 to \$45.00
MINK \$23.00 to \$165.00
RACCOON \$10.00 to \$50.00
HUDSON SEAL \$12.50 to \$35.



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