

Special Xmas Sale

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We are offering at bargain prices suitable articles in Royal Doulton for Den Decorations, at reduced prices.

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We've Got All Kinds of Xmas Gifts For All Kinds of Men!

But there is one thing sure—you simply can't make any mistake in giving him a nice Muffler or a Good Warm Pair of Gloves. Come in and take a look at our assortment.

MEN'S MUFFLERS	50c to \$2.00 each
MEN'S LINED MOCHA GLOVES	90c to \$2.00 pair
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MEN'S UNLINED GREY SUED GLOVES	\$1.50 pair
MEN'S WOOL GLOVES	35c to \$1.25 pair

SPECIAL NOTE—Be sure and save your PIANO VOTES.

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—OF—

Electric Reading Lamps

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OPENED TODAY!

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245 Waterloo Street Corner Brindley Street

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, DEC. 15

A.M.	P.M.
High Tide... 6.45	Low tide... 1.12
Sun Rises... 8.03	Sun Sets... 4.38

Time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday

St. Hochelaga, 2901, Tudor, Sydney.
R P & W F Starr, coal.

YERXA'S

The store where Quality Counts is offering highest-grade merchandise at right prices.

FLOUR

VICTOR—Best Manitoba Blend Flour... \$6.40 bbl.
IVORY—Pure Manitoba Wheat... \$6.70 bbl.

ROYAL HOUSEHOLD... \$7.15 bbl.
New Prunes... 9c, 3 lbs. 25c.
New Peaches... 10c, 3 lbs. 25c.
Lemon and Orange Peel... 15c. lb.
Fancy Citron... 22c. lb.
Best Seed Raisins... 11c.

CANNED GOODS

All New Canned Goods Fresh From Factory.

Peas... 8c. can; 95c. dozen	Corn... 10c. can; \$1.00 dozen
Tomatoes... 8c. can; \$1.00 dozen	String Beans... 8c. can; 95c. dozen
Pumpkins... 14c. can; 3 for 40c.	Best Pink Salmon... 12c. can; 3 for 30c.
Best Red Salmon... 16c. can; 2 for 30c.	Fancy Florida Oranges... 25c. 30c. and 35c. dozen
Florida Grapefruit... 8c. 4 for 30c.	New Messina Lemons... 25c. dozen
New Mixed Nuts... 18c. lb.	1 lb. can Maple Leaf Baking Powder... 25c.
3 bottles Mixed Pickles... 25c.	

Yerxa Grocery Co.

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THE 2 BARKERS LIMITED

100 Princess 111 Brussels

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Glasgow, Dec 18—Arr. str. Sardinian.
Montreal, Dec 18—Arr. str. Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Sabine, Tex—Arr. Dec 12, str. Impero, Halifax.
Fernandina, Fla—Arr. Dec 11, str. Irma Bentley, New London.
New York—Arr. Dec 14, str. J. Frank Seavey, St. John.

OPEN EVERY NIGHT.

The establishment of Amland Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, will be open every evening until Christmas eve, so as to give everyone an opportunity to see the pretty display of Christmas gifts they have got together for you. Messrs. Amland Bros. have a beautiful stock of parlor and music cabinets, smoking stands, Morris' chairs, leather sofas, and now is the time to do your shopping at this store.

MARRIAGE AND LONG LIFE

In the "twelve commandments" which Dr. Arnold Lombard of Carlsbad Bains, Austria, lays down for a long life, he says:—"Get married, and if a widow or widower marry again. A study of the lives of patriarchs proves the wisdom of so doing."

Another important factor is to avoid weakened, overworked, run-down conditions, and our local druggists, The Ross Drug Co., and Wasson's Drug Store, have a rare combination of the three oldest tonics known in Vinol, which they guarantee will create strength and restore vitality in all such cases, or return your money.

John A. Gagnier, city treasurer of River Rouge, Mich., had a long list of delinquent taxpayers. In order to hurry the payments he announced that he would collect taxes in the local theatre, and that the taxpayer might stay to see the performance. In less than two weeks not an assessment was unpaid.

ASTHMA COUGHS

Vapo-Cresoline

Est. 1879

A simple, safe and effective treatment avoiding drugs. Used with success for 35 years, the air carrying the antiseptic vapor, inhaled with every breath, makes breathing easy, soothes the sore throat, and stops the cough, assuring restful nights. Cresoline is invaluable to mothers with young children and a boon to sufferers from asthma. Send us a post card for descriptive booklet and free trial.

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THE PRESBYTERY

At the quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of St. John in St. Andrew's church yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Dickie presented a report on the home mission fields during the last summer. The report showed generally a satisfactory and encouraging situation in the home mission fields throughout the presbytery.

Rev. A. P. Logan was appointed ordained missionary to the St. Martins and adjoining fields for two years, appointment to date from October last. Application was made for a grant from the home mission funds to supplement the financial support from the fields.

Resolutions of sympathy were passed with regard to the Rev. James Ross, superintendent of home missions, who is undergoing medical treatment in New York, and with Rev. J. J. McCaskie, chaplain of the 73rd Highlanders, Montreal, who has been ill in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

The following were appointed a committee of presbytery for next year and to report at the March meeting: Dr. J. A. Morrison, T. A. Mitchell, J. P. McKay, A. J. W. Black, T. P. Drummond, Messrs. Chas. Robinson and J. E. Bryant.

Rev. M. H. Manuel submitted the report of the committee on systematic giving in which allocation was made to the several congregations.

The total amount asked from the presbytery in the budget is \$17,800.

The following resolution was passed: "The presbytery, having become cognizant of the efforts being put forth by the Halifax Evangelical Alliance, in the interest of religious equality, endorses the stand of the alliance in its protest against discrimination in the matter of ecclesiastical precedence in connection with state functions in the dominion."

The evening session was held up with addresses by Rev. Thomas Stewart, D. D., and by Rev. Frank Baird.

At last night's meeting J. A. MacKegan presided, after devotional service conducted by Rev. T. P. Drummond, of Moncton.

Rev. Thomas Stewart, D.D., of Halifax, church agent, delivered an eloquent and comprehensive address upon the work of the Presbytery church at home and abroad.

Rev. Frank Baird, clerk of the presbytery, delivered a sermon which set forth the call of the Christ to His church to go forward.

LOCAL NEWS

Electric light lines suffered from the storm last evening and in various parts of the city lights were out for short periods until the trouble was located.

THE SILVER SHOP.

At 24 Waterloo street is ready to give you first class work at moderate prices, on gold and silver plating. Grindstones, the Plater.

Before buying sweeping compound, phone West 377 for factory prices on No-Dust.

A steamer which left St. John for England recently established a record in the amount of mail matter carried. She took 40,000 letters, 5,000 parcels and a ton of newspapers. The Corsican, which arrived at Liverpool yesterday, had almost as much mail.

Ten-four shaker blankets, only a few pair left, 98c. pair—Bassett's, 207 Union street.

Open a charge account with Brager's for goods required for fall wear at \$1 weekly.

Christmas slippers are now on display. Make selections early and secure first choice—Wiesel's Cash Store, 248-247 Union street.

If you have not the ready cash to buy your fall overcoat or suit come to Brager's on Union street where you can get same by a small deposit down and \$1 weekly.

A debating and literary club was formed last evening in the Y. M. C. A. with the following officers:—President, J. L. Brown; vice-president, W. J. Gale; secretary, P. S. DeMille; chairman of programme committee, H. I. Knowles; chaplain, J. C. Berdean; R. G. Murray and Rev. A. E. Cochally of Persia addressed the club.

Your choice of slaty overcoats at cost—Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main.

Ladies and men's sweaters, with or without collars, from 98c. up—at Bassett's, 207 Union street.

There's no better filling for the Christmas stockings than our choice footwear—Wiesel's Cash Store, 248-247 Union street.

The county W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon elected officers as follows:—President, Mrs. James McAvity; secretary, Mrs. John Patterson; vice-president, Mrs. David Hipwell; second vice-president, Mrs. Oscar Hanson. The union supported the prohibition programme of the alliance and decided to work for it. A musical programme was given and refreshments served.

Fresh mine "Acadia Fiction" and "Old Mine Sydney," soft coal now in stock.—George Dick, 45 Britain street. Phone M. 1118.

ELDON LODGE OFFICERS.

Eldon L. O. L. No. 2, met last evening and elected officers as follows:—President, Mrs. James McAvity; secretary, John Hargrove, D. M.; D. Hipwell; John B. S. Robb, recording secretary; W. M. South, financial secretary; J. W. Rust, treasurer; R. Johnson, R. of C.; R. F. Goodrich, lecturer; committee: R. Winchester, C. J. Armstrong, J. C. Mowbray, Manford Day; George A. Blair, I. T. The lodge has seven members in total, some of whom are serving in the trenches.

This week a large assortment of fine black melton overcoats at cost price. Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main.

A rummage sale will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons at 44 Mill street.

A large audience in the lecture room of St. David's church heard an excellent programme by the pupils of Miss Muriel McIntyre for the benefit of the Children's Society last evening. Those taking part were John Hopkins, Gladys McMullin, Alice Vanwart, Eleanor Flemming, Priscilla Howard, Muriel Tapley, Harold Springer, Margaret Hayes, Arthur Patterson, Muriel Scott, Roy Fender, Irene Brown, Vera Roberts, Marion Patterson, Willie McIntosh and George Springer. Miss Evelyn Scott acted as accompanist.

For the children's feet, 1,500 pairs rubbers, at 20c, 25c, 38c, a pair—at the People's Dry Goods Store, 14 Charlotte street.

SUCCESSFUL TEA.

A very successful tea and sale was held on Saturday afternoon at the home of M. W. Valley, 177 Leinster street. The amount of \$55 was raised for the Soldiers' Comfort Association. Those who gave assistance were Mrs. John Vaughan, Mrs. Parker Jenkins, Mrs. James McKee, and Misses L. Smith, Helen Galley, Muriel Russell, Dorothy Waterbury, Vera McKee, Myrtle Wright, Jennie Hatheway, Doris Barbour, Edith Bustin, Florence Harvey, Hilda Brittain, Olive Smith and Emily Wade. Linfield Stiles and Percy Hoyt also helped in making the affair a success.

Ideal Wet Wash Laundry, Phone M. 1862.

Our variety of furs is large and we invite your inspection at all times.—Brager's.

North End W. C. T. U. will hold a rummage sale in the Boys' Club rooms, Union street, on Thursday afternoon, 12-16.


Royal Scarlet Chapter meets Friday evening, 12-17.

Big Drawing!

This is the last month before the Big Drawing which takes place December 31, 1915. Now is the time to get your teeth attended to, and incidentally get a free opportunity to win a big trip or \$100 IN GOLD. Consultation free.

Boston Dental Parlors

527 Main St. 245 Union St.
Cor. Brussels St. Phone 683.
Dr. J. C. MAHER, Proprietor
Open 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.



WHEN YOU THINK OF THE LAD IN KHAKI!

Choose for him a gift that he can take with him and use on march, in the field, on firing line. The ideal and popular token is the **MILITARY WRIST WATCHES WITH STOP** which forms a strong feature of our holiday display, being shown in many styles, but always with reliable movements. Prices range from \$2.50 upward.

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Goldsmiths and Jewelers
77 Charlotte Street

Brick Ice Cream Is So Convenient

A 25c. Brick of Primecrest Country Club Ice Cream is sufficient for four or five persons, and it's so easy to serve. Four flavors—Chocolate, Coffee, Vanilla, Orange in each piece, perfectly frozen and always in good condition.

Phone For a Brick At Any Hour of Day or Evening

Wasson's Drug Store, 711 Main St. Phone 110

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It is the greatest gift combining sentiment and utility.

Write for booklet "Concerning a Time Piece"

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We keep in stock at all times a complete line of the above watches, including the **Ladies' Convertible Wrist Watch.**

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A Complete Line of Waltham Military Wrist Watches at GUNDRY'S

THE HOUSE FOR DIAMONDS

Beautiful Xmas Presents

FOR FATHER, MOTHER, WIFE, SISTERS, BROTHERS and SWEETHEARTS can be had here at all prices. Come in and see our pretty stock of useful Xmas Gifts on our floors, too numerous to mention here.

Buffets, China Closets, Dining Chairs, Morris Chairs, Leather Rockers and Chairs, Library Tables, Smoking Stands, Parlor and Music Cabinets, Etc.

OPEN EVERY NIGHT. Lots of Xmas Gifts for the Children.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd.

19 Waterloo Street

Here's "Good Cheer"

Christmas Supplies

Barrels, 8 or 10 doz.
Cases, 2 doz.

Shipped for private use anywhere.

Ready's Breweries, Ltd.

St. John, N. B.



GLASSES for CHRISTMAS

May be fitted before or after the holidays. Glasses are always acceptable to elderly people, bifocal lenses, enabling one to see far and near in the same pair, do away with annoyance of hunting for glasses, and are most practical.

Calls made at residences if desired.

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Graduate Optician
625 Main St. Open Evenings
Satisfaction Guaranteed

Small Round Dry Hard Wood

\$1.75 a load; \$7.00 a cord
Delivered in Four Foot Lengths.

\$1.50 a Coal Girt load; \$2.00 a quarter of a cord load.
Saved Up

This wood is good for both stoves and furnaces.

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6 1-2 Charlotte St.
No. 1 Union Street.
Open Evenings.
Telephone Main 2636.
12-18.

IN RE CANADIAN LETTERS PATENT NO. 152,483, DATED DEC. 16, 1913, FOR BLOW TORCH

NOTICE is hereby given that, in compliance with the Patent Act, the Blow Torch covered by the letters patent above referred to has been manufactured in accordance with the specifications attached and forming part of the said letters patent, at the factory of T. McAvity & Sons, Limited, St. John, New Brunswick, where any persons desiring them may obtain any quantity at a reasonable price.

T. McAVITY & SONS, Limited,
St. John, New Brunswick.
12-16.

WHITE HORSE Scotch

Inimitable flavor and rich bouquet.

