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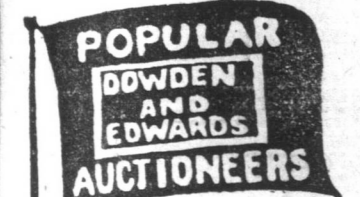
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- "Ressie MacDonald." "R. L. Borden." "Bretwald." "Electric Fish." "James and Stenley." "Eleanor and Marlon." "Maggie and Eric." "Laverne."

Tenders will be received for the whole of the above-mentioned properties or in the alternative for one or more of the said vessels separately.

The time for receipt of tenders shall expire at noon on Saturday the 27th day of December next. The liquidators do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

Full particulars with regard to the properties above-mentioned may be obtained on application to Messrs. Howley & Jerritt, Board of Trade Building, Water Street, St. John's, Solicitors for the liquidators, or to the liquidators themselves.

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The Old Colony Club

The Club has been courteously offered an opportunity to consider questions concerning PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS on Saturday Afternoon, Dec. 13th.

Members are requested to fully avail themselves of this privilege through open discussion. A box will be provided for anonymous remarks, questions, suggestions, etc. Tea. F. McNEIL, Hon. Sec. dec11,2i

Notice!

The First issue of "The Daily Globe" Newspaper will be published on Tuesday, the 16th, inst. NEWSBOYS wanted at "The Daily Globe" Office, 240 Duckworth Street. dec12,3i

NOTICE

BE SOBER AND WATCH. The 66th Annual Meeting of St. John's T.A. & B. Society will be held on Sunday next, 14th inst., at 2.15 o'clock. Business: Presenting of Reports, Election of Officers and Management Committee of Club for the ensuing year, and other business. Every member is requested to be present.

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Black Nfld. Dog, answering to the name of Watch. Anyone giving information will be rewarded by E. A. POWRING, dec11,31 c/o Bowring Bros. Ltd.

LOST—On Tuesday last, between Plymouth Road and Brehm Manufacturing Store, by way of Factory Lane, a Gent's Silver Watch, with chain attached. If finder would kindly leave same at above store, they would be rewarded by Mr. E. J. KAVANAGH, residence being 18 Dick's Square. dec12,11

LOST—This morning, a Gold American Waltham Watch, from LeMarchant Road to Shea & Co., Water Street East, via Lewis Hill, Church Hill, Duckworth Street and King's Beach. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 78 LeMarchant Road. dec12,11

PICKED UP—On Military Road, yesterday afternoon, a Purse containing a small sum of money. Owner may have same upon proving property and paying expenses. dec12,11

LOST—Between Star Theatre and Water Street, a Sum of Money, Finder will be rewarded on returning same to this office. dec11,31

Reward Given for return of Brown and White Setter (female), most all white with lot of small brown spots on face, age about five months; apply to JOHN SNOW, Torbay Road. dec11,31

NOTICE—If the person who, during the month of October, advertised for a Farm, will call at this office he may hear of something that will suit him. dec11,31

NOTICE—I have in my possession 1 Heifer, color light red, one year and a half old. Owner can have same upon proving property and paying expenses to M. J. DAVIS, Colnett, St. Mary's. dec10,31

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DOMESTIC HELP. WANTED—A General Maid; apply MRS. H. J. WYATT, "Sunnevork," Pennywell Road. dec11,6f

WANTED—Immediately, a Maid, with references; apply to 105 Springdale Street. dec12,31

WANTED—A Good General Maid, no washing; apply to 79 Military Road. dec12,21,6m

WANTED—A General Maid; apply with reference to MRS. J. S. GUNN, "Braemore," Palk's Hill. dec10,eod,6f

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MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—At Once, an Experienced Dry Goods Saleslady; apply to HENDERSON'S, Theatre Hill. dec12,31

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CHAPTER XVI.

"Pardon me. You look like an Egremont, and most of all like the Lady Jasmine. May I ask your name?"

"I am the Lady Aimee; I have no other name."

"It is very appropriate," declared Lord Ashcroft. "You were well named. Was it not you whom I heard singing at the window of one of the haunted rooms the other evening?"

"Yes," said the maiden, brightly. "Did you like the song?"

"Like it!" cried Lord Ashcroft, enthusiastically. "It was heavenly! But I do not understand—"

"And you must not," interrupted the Lady Aimee. "Don't ever say anything about me. Promise me you will not."

Lord Ashcroft promised, greatly mystified.

"But why all this mystery?" he asked.

"I cannot tell you," she responded sadly.

"Are you unhappy?"

"Every one is kind to me," she answered, evasively. "I don't want to talk of myself, Lord Ashcroft, and I hope you will not allow me to do so. I came here to tell you that I am not a ghost, and to give you my picture. I thought you might like it."

"I shall prize it above all things!" exclaimed his lordship. "It is far more precious in my eyes than anything I own."

"Thank you," she said, with a grateful smile. "You can keep it to remember me by. I cannot come here

Kepp—all but the face," mused Lord Ashcroft. "A large pink and white face, with a great red mouth that never moved. Ah, that must have been a mask. That must have been poison he put in my water-bottle. How strange that I should have such a bitter and untiring enemy."

He almost forgot his horror at the discovery in his admiration for the lovely and artless narrator. In order to induce her to prolong her stay, he asked her many questions about the mask, watching delightedly the changes of expression and the varying color in her face.

"I must go now," she said, at last. "I have been here a long time."

"Shall I not see you again, Lady Aimee?"

"I don't know," she answered, irresolutely. "Not here, for that would not be proper. You might come to the picture-gallery some evening about this time and find me there."

"I shall go there every night," cried Lord Ashcroft, enraptured at her half promise. "I will not seek to penetrate the mystery in which you choose to enwrap yourself, Lady Aimee. I owe you my life, so there is a providence in our meeting."

"How do you owe me your life?"

"But for you, Lady Aimee, I should doubtless have met my death to-night. That man that came in here so secretly was an enemy, and he meant to poison me. You will gladden the life you have saved by allowing me to see you sometimes."

He had no thought of his betrothed as he spoke.

The star of the heiress paled before the glowing sun of this young beauty, whom already Lord Ashcroft regarded with a tender and enduring love.

She was so like the angel of his dreams—only surpassing her—was so delicate, so gentle, so modest, yet so inexpressibly lovely, that his warm, enthusiastic heart evinced the love that was to be the passion of his life.

When he had met the Lady Aimee he had said to himself that he must learn her disposition, her mental resources, her character, before he could trust his happiness to her.

But with the Lady Aimee he had no such thought. Her truth, gentleness, goodness and intellectuality, were expressed in every feature and every movement, and he read her transparent character as well in that brief interview as he could have done with a year's study.

No wonder that he forgot his betrothed for the moment.

"I will see you sometimes," said Aimee, with a sweet and gentle reserve of manner. "I am very lonely occasionally, but I have something now to look forward to—something to think of."

"Would you accept a little present from me, Lady Aimee, in return for your picture?" asked Lord Ashcroft.

Without waiting for a reply, he drew from his little finger a diamond solitaire, which he placed upon her tiny forefinger.

"Too large, is it not?" he asked.

"A little; but it will do very well. It is very beautiful."

She little knew the hope she gave Lord Ashcroft when he put that ring upon her hand.

He would have pressed the hand to his lips as a fitting conclusion to the ceremony, and as the seal to the resolve he had formed, but he dared not venture to do so, her reserve seeming to deepen, now that her business was concluded.

She lingered but a moment more, and then glided away as silently as a spirit, leaving, as it appeared to Lord Ashcroft, darkness, where before there had been dazzling light.

"She is an Egremont—that is evident," said the young lord, when he found himself alone. "And she is an angel, too. How pure and tender she is! What can be the reason I have not seen her before? Does she live here? What is the mystery that enshrouds her?"

Unable to answer these puzzling questions, he drew her picture from his bosom, and gazed lovingly upon it.

CHAPTER XVII.

The shadow that had fallen upon her lover, also enveloped pretty Jessy Kay. Her coquettish airs were all gone, and with them had vanished her sprightliness and good humor. Her step was slower as she moved about the cottage; her eyes were full of unshed tears, and had a look that testified to nights of sleeplessness; and her face had lost its color, and looked faded and wan. Her temper, too, had become capricious, and had the head-forester been less preoccupied, he must have seen that his daughter no longer accorded to him the unquestionable deference to which he was accustomed.

In truth, poor Jessy ascribed to her father all the trouble that had come upon her lover. She felt convinced that had he not refused her hand in marriage to Gosman Kepp, the incredible charge of attempted assassination would never have been brought against the latter. She could not give even to herself a reason for this strange belief, but she cherished it, nevertheless, and a feeling of bitterness against her parent began to take possession of her heart.

The head-forester was scarcely conscious of the change in his home. His fire burned as brightly as usual upon the broad hearth-stone; his meals were prepared as regularly and as neatly as possible, and none of the material comforts he required were lacking. He did not notice the gloom upon the brow of his daughter as she served him in silence; he did not even notice that her merry laughter had ceased, and that her merry voice no longer ran through the room, as it had been wont to do, to his great annoyance.

For Donald Kay, too, was under a shadow.

The gloom and mystery that always hung about him had seemed to deepen since Kepp's application for Jessy's hand, and most of his time was now spent in wandering through the forest or in fulfilling the duties of his position. He had avoided his home as much as possible since his under-forester had accused him of borrowing the gun with which had been committed the first assault upon Lord Ashcroft, and, when they did meet, Jessy noticed that he avoided her gaze, shrinking from her with an expression that seemed made up of fear and guiltiness.

On the morning subsequent to the intrusion of his masked enemy into Lord Ashcroft's chambers, Jessy sat by her kitchen fire. Her eyes were red with weeping, but her tears now were dried up. Her hands were folded idly in her lap, for she had no heart for working, and occasionally she uttered a sobbing sigh, like that of a grieved child.

She was sitting thus when her father came in from the porch, and advanced to the fire, rubbing his hands.

"The morning is cold, lass," he said, uneasily, avoiding the gaze she directed to him. "Get me my great-coat. I've a long walk before me."

Jessy obeyed, bringing the great-coat from its peg on the wall and assisting him to put it on.

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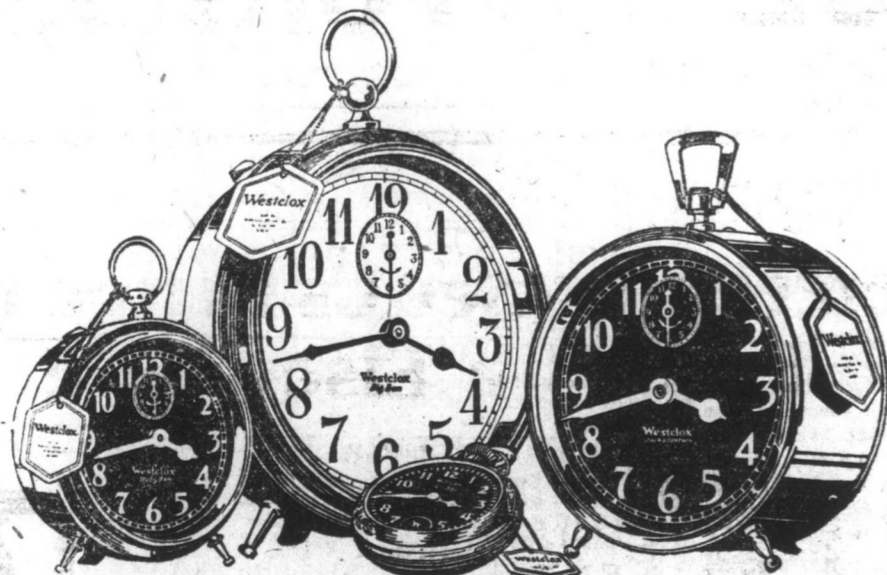
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The Campbell Case Will Not be Re-opened--U. S. Senate Approves Naval Bill--Halifax Industrial School System Condemned.

INTERNATIONAL DEBTS.
LONDON, Dec. 11.—Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, denied in the Commons to-day, the existence of any written, verbal or implied arrangement when the British debt to the United States was funded, that in the event that better terms were offered other countries a corresponding relief would be given Great Britain. Mr. Churchill was replying to a question by Commander Bellairs. He declared also he was unaware that France ranked her debt to the United States before her debt to Great Britain. "I know of no ground on which such a position could be justified," he said.

SENATE APPROVES NAVAL BILL.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The United States Senate approved to-day the naval construction bill authorizing a programme expected to cost \$110,000,000.

FURTHER BANDITRY.
NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., Dec. 11.—Howard Huff, paymaster of the National Carbon Company, was shot to death, and John Weaver, another employee, probably fatally wounded, when bandits raided the Company's offices late this afternoon. Three gunmen were in the party and one was captured.

SUICIDE.
LONDON, Dec. 11.—Perceval McMahon, Director of the Consolidated Trust Company, and holder of a large number of shares in the Royal Bank of Canada, was found drowned in the Thames here to-day. He had been suffering serious nervous disorder for several months.

GOMPERS' CONDITION NOT CRITICAL.
SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 11.—Samuel Gompers, veteran United States Labor leader, is rapidly improving, according to a telegram received by the General Agent of the National Union of Mexico at four this afternoon, from a train conductor. The message said his condition was not critical in spite of earlier despatches saying first that Gompers was dead and later that he was dying.

THE JOHN ROSS CAMPBELL CASE.
LONDON, Dec. 11.—The John Ross Campbell case which was one of the things that led to the downfall of the Labor Government, came up again in the Commons at question time to-day when Premier Baldwin in reply to a question stated that the present Government had no intention of holding an enquiry into the matter of the withdrawal by Sir Patrick Hastings, former Attorney General, of the prosecution which had been launched against Campbell on a charge of sedition. Baldwin said the electorate had given a final and decisive verdict on the Campbell case at the polls, October 29th last. This statement evoked ironical opposition laughter. Baldwin added that the Conservative Government had reversed its predecessors' instructions under which the Attorney General was directed not to pursue a political prosecution, without Cabinet sanction. Labor protested in reply that the late Government had only followed precedents in the Campbell case and asked for an opportunity to discuss the whole matter before adjournment for the Christmas holidays.

FRANCE'S LOAN LARGELY OVER-SUBSCRIBED.
PARIS, Dec. 11.—Finance Minister Clement announced to-day that France's international loan of four billion francs had been largely oversubscribed.

SEIZED VESSEL RELEASED.
NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 11.—The freight steamer Nunwood, of the Mouton Line out of St. John, seized by Federal authorities because of alleged presence of liquor aboard, was released from the custody of the court yesterday under a \$100,000 bond.

RECOMMENDS REVISION OF HALIFAX INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL SYSTEM.
HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 11.—That the present staff of the Halifax Industrial School headed by Supt. William Johns should be supplanted by an entirely new staff; that a new plant should be erected in a new location, and that a new charter of incorporation providing for the inclusion of women on the Board of Directors should be sought, were in substance the recommendations contained in a report of E. H. Blois, Superintendent of neglected and delinquent children handed out to-day by Hon. Walter J. O'Hearn, K.C., Attorney General of Nova Scotia. The findings are the result of an investigation under-

Week-End Change--STAR Movie To-Day



Jack Holt "The Tiger's Claw"

COMING: "Why Men Leave Home," Charlie Chaplin, in "The Kid," and Warren J. Kerrigan in "Captain Blood."

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Ruth Roland, in "HAUNTED VALLEY"

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Councillors for the courteous hearing accorded them, after which arrangements were made with the Engineer to undertake the work immediately. The deputation then withdrew.

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The City's Best Talent in Sacred Concert

Arrangements have been finalized for the Sacred Concert which takes place on Sunday night next, at which music enthusiasts will have the pleasure of listening to the city's best talent as well as helping along a most worthy cause, namely The Child Welfare Movement. The distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Allardie, and also His Worship, the Mayor. The programme is a particularly attractive one, the soloists being Mrs. W. J. Browne, soprano, Miss Eleanor Mews, L.T.C.M., Mezzo-Soprano, Mrs. Alex. W. Mews, Mrs. Dundas, violinist; Bernard Meyers, 'cellist will be accompanied on the piano by Miss Meyers, whilst the accompanist for the evening will be P. Gordon Christian. The above programme as interpreted by such talented artists is such as will delight all lovers of real good music, and we hope that our people will turn out in large numbers on Sunday night. The advance sale is selling splendidly at Hutton's Music Store.

We still have room for a few Xmas Cake orders. Have you ordered yours yet? Don't be too late! "THE BLUE PUTTEE." dec12, st

Wesley Barry Finds Truth Telling Hard

Only Trouble Results in "George Washington, Jr."

The new film, which opened yesterday at the Nickel Theatre, is "George Washington, Jr." starring Wesley Barry. In this picture, undoubtedly the very best he has yet done, Wesley plays the same role that George M. Cohan popularized in his own production, and it was with that same zest, determined animation and dash that made Mr. Cohan so popular, that Wesley characterizes George Washington, Jr.

As George, the only son of Senator Belgrave of Washington, D.C., he plays the part of a young man who has taken it upon himself to follow to the letter the traditional veracity of George Washington. He has spent many of his prep-school days reading and studying the life and maxims of his hero and is now fully determined to be a living model of the father of his country. Time and again the audience was thrown into fits of laughter that verged on tears as the lad did his duty, by not letting others tell an untruth.

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<p>Blankets. Fine heavy Blankets, sizes 54 x 74, in Grey. Extra good value at \$4.25. Now on sale for ...</p> <p>2.98</p>	<p>Ladies' Kid Gauntlet Gloves. Real fine Brown Kid Gauntlet Gloves in sizes 6 1/4, 6 1/2, 6 3/4 only; every pair worth at least double our Birthday Sale Price of</p> <p>1.29</p>	<p>White Lawn Chemises. Only a limited quantity of these fine Chemises, every one nicely embroidered. Values to \$1.25 on sale for</p> <p>79c</p>	<p>Infants' Rubber Pants. Here, mothers, stock up on these—fine guaranteed Rubber Pants with elastic waist and knee. A regular 45c. value for, pair</p> <p>19c</p>	<p>Children's Brushed Wool Overpants. With cold weather on hand here is a chance for every mother to fit out her child with one of these warm Pants for only ... Values to \$2.00.</p> <p>1:19</p>
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"In Years Never a Sale Like This"

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The Broadway's 3rd Birthday Sale

MORE FRESH FALL MERCHANDISE HAS ARRIVED BY EVERY STEAMER FROM FACTORIES AND MILLS FOR THIS WEEK. EVERY DEPARTMENT IS AT ITS PEAK OF INTEREST—COMPETING WITH PHENOMENAL VALUES—LIVING UP TO THE PROMISE OF THE EVENT—IN YEARS NEVER A SALE LIKE THIS. SEE FOLLOWING PAGE.

Here is Another Surprise Feature at the Broadway's Birthday Sale

IT'S A SCOOP OF TREMENDOUS IMPORTANCE; IT REPRESENTS REMARKABLE SAVINGS—REAL BROADWAY VALUES—IT EMPHASIZES JUST WHAT ST. JOHN'S COAT HEAD-QUARTERS—THE "BROADWAY"—CAN DO. BY ALL MEANS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE BROADWAY VALUES.

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These are unusual Coat Values—even for the "Broadway", where the extraordinary is always expected. The materials, the furs, the tailoring, the styles are rarely associated with Coats as low priced as these. Over half of our main floor occupied with hundreds of Coats at unlimited saving to every purchaser.

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If you delayed buying your Coat till now, then buy now—and save.

9.88 Values to \$18.50.	High Grade Materials:—Lustrous Bolivia, Excello, Brytonia, Truvenette, Vel Suede, Wool Velour, Lusterona, Downy Wool, etc.	15.94 Values to \$27.50.	All the new ideas in Coats—all the new colours are represented in this showing.	22.98 Values to \$36.00.	
12.86 Values to \$22.00.	Plain or Fur-trimmed Coats, Dress Coats, Utility Coats, Sports Coats, and hundreds of other styles.	18.96 Values to \$32.00.	Straight Lined Coats, Side Panelled Coats, Side Fastening Coats, Wrappy Models, Belted Coats, and others.	25.98 Values to \$40.00.	Colours are: Brown, Kit-Fox, Plaids, Grey, Navy, Deer, Brick, and the ever-popular Black.

<p>Brushed Wool Mittens. If your child has worn out his Mittens here is a chance to replace them at a ridiculous low price; all colors. Values to 40c. pair for</p> <p>19c</p>	<p>Girls' Brushed Wool Tams. These are ideal for skating and outdoors sport. They come in all shades. Values to \$1.35 each for only</p> <p>64c</p>	<p>Silk and Wool Scarves. Now is your chance to get one of these fine warm knitted Silk and Wool Scarves at such a low price. Values to \$2.25 on sale for</p> <p>1.39</p>	<p>Ladies' Undervests. Fine Jersey Vests with short sleeves; these are much longer than the regular kind. A 79c. value for</p> <p>39c</p>	<p>Silk Camisoles. Extra heavy Silk Camisoles, in colors of Pink and Navy. These are not soiled or damaged but perfect Camisoles at lowest prices. Values to \$1.25. ...</p> <p>69c</p>
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100 only CHILDREN'S HATS
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IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT BROADWAY SAVINGS.

Silk Bloomers.
These are absolutely the finest Silk Jersey Bloomers and come packed in single envelopes. **\$2.48**

Crepe de Chine Nightgowns.
Real heavy Crepe de Chine Nightgowns with scalloped lace edges, in Rose, Mauve and Peach shades. Values to \$6.50 for **\$4.69**

Knitted Costumes.
With the outdoor season in swing these fine all Wool and Silk and Wool Costumes are both practical and warm. What Miss or Woman would miss one of these when our Birthday Sale offers her one of these \$9.00 to \$12.00 Costumes for only **\$4.98 and \$7.98**

Silk Jersey Slips.
Fine heavy Silk Jersey Slips in assorted shades and sizes. Values to \$5.50 for **\$3.79**

Birthday Sale of Silk Plush Coats at Less Than Half Price.
If you are looking for a real dressy Coat for less than a cloth coat, now is your chance. Beautiful Silk Plush and Saltex Fur Coats, with fur collars or self-made collars; all Coats lined with beautiful silk linings. A real birthday winner. Prices range from **\$24.98 to \$39.98**

Fur Coats
AT BIRTHDAY SAVINGS. Values to \$165.00 for **118.50**
We don't wait until January to clear these but offer them to you now at wholesale prices.

MUSKRAT Values to \$190.00 for **139.50**
and **NORTHERN SEAL COATS**

BLOUSES
At Birthday Sale Prices

Values from \$2.75 to \$6.00 for
Just one glance is enough to show you that these Blouses, which include hundreds of samples, are real "gems" for Birthday Sale shoppers! Picture crisp new Georgettes or heavy Crepe Blouses, some beaded, others with fancy embroidery or edged with laces. Imagine the sportiness of tailored tucked models with Sweaters and Costumes. Overblouses and tuck-ins in White, Sand, Grey, Brown, Black and many other new shades such as Penny Rust, Beaver and others, in long or three-quarter sleeves; sizes 36 to 50.

1.39

2.49

2.98

An Ideal Christmas Gift!

Buy Now --SAVE. 3.94

THE BROADWAY HOUSE of FASHION

and Women Will Be Here for These Broadway Values.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL BAGS Leather and heavy Canvas School Bags, the kind you have to pay up to \$1.75. Now on Sale for only 79c	MEN'S HOSE Fine heavy Socks in a Light Grey mixture, worth at least 49c. On Sale for per pair 29c	A SPECIAL IN MEN'S SHIRTS Fine Striped Percalés with double cuffs; every Shirt perfect. Sizes 15 to 17. Easily worth \$1.75. On Sale for 94c	EXTRA! EXTRA! Men's and Boys Suspenders! 500 pairs of them only, again demonstrating a real "BROADWAY" value! Per Pair 11c	MEN'S LEATHER MITTS Guaranteed horsehide Mitts, warmly lined throughout, nice and soft assuring the wearer freedom of his hand. This is a regular \$1.50 value. On Sale for 93c	MEN'S WINTER CAPS Real warm Winter Caps in all sizes. Values to \$1.75. On Sale at Birthday Prices 1.09
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1921.

10 YEARS NEVER A SALE LIKE THIS!

The Broadway's 3rd Birthday Sale

Our Birthday Sale has eclipsed all expectations! Every customer who has visited our Store during this Sale has been amazed at the quantity of goods offered and at such low prices—once more demonstrating our slogan to make this Sale the greatest in years—

Boys' Suits at Nearly Half Price

Brand New Suits of real strong Tweeds, the only kind that will stand up for Boys' wear. Smart new models in the Belted Coats or with plain Coats. Grey, Brown, Mixtures and many other colors. Sizes to fit Boys of 8 to 17 years.

If ever a Sale of Boys' Clothes called for parents' attention, this surely does. Savings with every purchase!

4.97 Don't overlook your chance to buy your Boy's Winter outfit at cost and less than cost.

6.64 Values to \$9.50
8.96 Values to \$13.50
 BOYS' ONE and TWO PANTS SUITS. Wonder values!

MEN! We want you all here to-day when our doors open for our Greatest Sale in years! It will pay you to come early! Your Chance Supreme! Don't delay! Buy Now!

Birthday Sale of MEN'S OVERCOATS

Values to \$22.00 Values to \$27.00 Values to \$33.00

12.98 Absolutely the finest American made Overcoats for such low prices as these three groups represent. We guarantee you that at no time have such fine coats sold in St. John's at these low prices.

16.98 Coats to fit young men—Coats to fit stout men—Coats to fit every man. Every coat an all Wool plaid back, nicely lined with silk linings.

22.37

MEN! There's no use denying the backward season experienced in St. John's this year has hurt our Coat Business immensely. Our policy is, "rather than carry goods over for another season" to sell them at cost and below cost if necessary. We must clear our Winter stock, and time is short. Hence Overcoats bought to be sold up to \$43.50 will go on sale during our Great Birthday Sale at prices which speak for themselves, once you see the quality of the goods.

Don't Delay! Make your Choice Now while Stocks are Complete!!

Boys' 11.00 Winter Coats Birthday Sale Price 7.54

Real good strong quality Coatings make up these Coats for Boys of 8 to 13 years; also a few larger sizes. Set-in sleeve with belt all around and nice large pockets add comfort and warmth to the wearer.

Another Lot of Boys' Coats

To fit Boys of 8 to 8 years. These are made up in fine Blue Nap Cloth; also a few in Dark Coatings, every one fully lined with a heavy Tweed lining. A real splendid little Coat for every youngster.

These will surely go fast, so come early!

4.94 Don't keep your boy cold when you can warm him up for such a low price.

MEN'S BOOTS.

Just 50 Pairs. The balance from our Sale. Fine heavy Tan Working Boots with heavy double soles. Every pair perfect. This is not a line we carry in stock, so here they go at

1.98

TO-DAY! -- SPECTACULAR PURCHASE!

Slippers! Slippers! Slippers!

— TWO BIRTHDAY GROUPS —

46c pair Once again our purchasing power has brought us the greatest value in SLIPPERS that has ever been shown in years. Men's, Women's and Children's Slippers, in Felt, Carpet and Leather. Sizes for the entire family. Come, buy all your needs! You save \$ \$ \$ \$ by buying NOW!

97c pair

Men's Heavy All-Wool Hose

With cold weather coming, every man should provide himself with a few pairs of these warm Socks, made of all Wool. These Hose are worth up to 75c. pair. On Sale at Birthday Sale Price

33c PAIR

Boys' Oliver Twist Suits OF FOX'S WOOL CHEVIOT.

If you have a small boy of three to eight that's always wearing out suits—here's your chance. These Oliver Twist Suits will wear and wear besides looking so jaunty! They come in Dark Browns and Greys. Sizes 8 to 8 years

2.39

Sale of Men's Fine Shirts.

400 Shirts in fine Percalés and Pongee, in sizes 14½ to 18. Values up to \$2.75. Every Shirt perfect. Buy now and save.

1.44

A BIRTHDAY "WINNER" FOR BOYS!

Boy's Waterproof Coat and Hat

Coats of extra heavy Black Rubber with high turn-up collars—clasp front—insert pocket with flap. Hats regular Sou'wester with stitched brim, fitting right with Coat. Guaranteed Waterproof. Sizes to fit boys of 8 to 16 years

6.98

A glance at these items listed below will convince every economical man and boy and those who buy for them, that every item represents the acme of value-giving in St. John's. You can search the entire town and you won't find greater values than these

Birthday Offerings.

Men's Fine Flannellette Pyjamas Nice and comfortable are these lovely Pyjamas of Striped Flannellette. Values to \$3.75. On Sale for \$2.69	Men's Winter Combinations All sizes. Regular Price \$5.25. On Sale for \$3.29	Boys' Khaki Pants These are made of a heavy quality Khaki Drill, the kind that stand up for real hard wear. Sizes 8 to 15 years. Worth \$1.50. On Sale for 78c.
Men's Flannel Shirts Good quality Flannel in sizes 14 to 17, every one clean and fresh. No Jobs. A regular \$2.25 Shirt for \$1.33	Men's Coat Sweaters Good heavy Coat Sweaters in Dark Brown, Navy Blue and Maroon shades. On sale at wholesale prices. Values to \$4.00 for \$2.29 All sizes.	Men's Brushed Wool Scarves Real nice and warm Scarves, easily worth \$1.75. On Sale for \$1.09

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THE BROADWAY HOUSE OF FASHION

TO-DAY—THE BIRTHDAY SALE BRINGS WHOLESALE PRICES ON

Men's Suits

Here it is—culminating months of preparation—The Suit event that the Sale "headlines" to-day. Not one fortunate purchase—but many! Hundreds upon hundreds of the finest made Suits grouped with broken ranges from our own high grade stock at these phenomenal prices!

MEN! If you are in need of a Suit, or if you can use another, here is your chance. Suits made to sell up to \$38.00, will be sold in this Sale at less than wholesale prices. We will once more demonstrate to the men of Newfoundland that "It Pays to Shop at The "Broadway!"

12.58 Materials include: Fine all Wool Botany Serges, Percalé Stripe Worsteds, Pencil Stripe Worsteds, Tweed mixtures, Cassimeres, Scotch Tweeds, Hart finished Worsteds, etc., etc.

18.77 Every wanted design, every wanted shade. Sizes for all kinds of men.

20.9 SUIT.

25.98

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

SURPRISING REVELATIONS MADE BY MILITARY CONTROL MISSION.

PARIS, Dec. 11. The process of conciliation between Germany and the Allies, particularly with France, has received a set back it is feared in French circles by the report of the Inter-Allied Military Control Mission in Germany to the effect that the provisions of the Versailles Treaty concerning disarmament are not being carried out. The Allied Mission, according to its report, has found that the German general staff continues its deliberations as it did before the war, that the German factories are turning out new war materials, and that contrary to the treaty, there is in Germany an effective force of soldiers far surpassing the limit fixed by the Versailles pact.

SENATOR REED WOULD NOT TOLERATE BRITISH INTERFERENCE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. The statement of Winston Churchill, British Chancellor of the Exchequer that the British Government would insist on proportionate payments to it in case any Allied debtor nation settles her debt with the United States, has increased the feeling here that the settlement of the debt with France is still a long distance away. The Churchill statement is being weighed here chiefly with refer-

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ence to its bearing on the settlement of the United States debt with France though it applies to other Allied debtors. While some officials express surprise over Mr. Churchill's utterances, and some doubt whether this is the view of the majority of the British Cabinet officers, others point out that there have been previous intimations that Great Britain would take the position outlined by Mr. Churchill. Furthermore some of the most prominent senators and members of the United States debt funding commission have been skeptical of reaching any agreement with France from the outset, and in their view the Churchill statement, while in theory adding there were not any prospects of an early settlement. Senator Reed of Missouri, prominent Democrat to-day read the Churchill statement in the Senate. He scored the idea of what he termed British interference in any settlement the United States proposed with France and in sharp terms declared it would not be tolerated. He referred to such attempted overlordship of the world, as being as intolerable as the course of the German Kaiser towards United States vessels during the war. Senator Smoot of the Debt Funding Commission denied there was any understanding with Great Britain that Great Britain was to get as good terms of settlement as any other nation.

PREMIER HERRIOT INDISPOSED.
PARIS, Dec. 11.
The condition of Premier Herriot



GILLETT'S PURE FLAKE LYE
I find it best for cleanliness. Don't call the plumber when the stove is choked. A little Gillett's will probably clear it in a few minutes. Scores of other uses around the sanitary home.

AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN'S VALEDICTORY.
ROME, Dec. 11.

"I go back to England with increased confidence in the future of the League of Nations, was the valedictory declaration of Austen Chamberlain, British Foreign Minister, delivered to-night at an impressive public session of the League's Council. While the Council probably will continue to sit two days more, Mr. Chamberlain will start back for London to-morrow.

MOROCCO PROBLEMS DISCUSSED.

ROME, Dec. 12. One of the most important problems discussed at the conference between Austen Chamberlain, British secretary for foreign affairs, Premier Mussolini, and Aristide Briand representing France was that relating to Morocco, this subject all the Mediterranean powers as Morocco is the only region along the north coast of Africa not yet completely controlled by European countries.

GOMPERTS CONDITION UNCHANGED.

MONTREY, Mexico, Dec. 12. At 11 o'clock last night the condition of Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor was not materially changed.

LONDON, Dec. 12. The Allied war debts continue to hold first place in the news and editorial columns of the London papers which unanimously support Chancellor of Exchequer Churchill's announcement that if the continental nations begin paying their debts to the United States they will be expected to make proportionate payments on their obligations to Great Britain.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 12. General Hernandez, a Major, and two captains belonging to the Rebel forces under Tiburcio Cerillo, were being executed at Puebla City after court martial, according to special despatches.

STOCK MARKET NEWS

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. (Furnished by Johnston and Ward, Board of Trade Bldg., Water St.)

90-DAYS NEW YORK OPENING	108 1/2
American Tel. & Telegraph	133
Baldwin	123
Anacosta	41 1/2
Cuban Cane Sugar Com.	10 1/2
Fleischmann	84 1/2
Great Northern	70 1/2
Kennecott	53 1/2
Marine Pfd.	10 1/2
Marland	36 1/2
Pan American "B"	55 1/2
Shawmut	15 1/2
Southern Pacific	10 1/2
Studebaker	42 1/2
Sub. Boat	10 1/2
Union Pacific	147 1/2
U. S. Steel	117

Montreal Opening.

Abtibi	61
Brazilian	59
Can. Steamships Pfd.	45 1/2
Montreal Power	148
Breweries	61
Cap. Steel	82 1/2
Shawmut	15 1/2
Laurentide	8 1/2
Cous. Smelters	45 1/2

STAR MOVIE TO-DAY

Jack Holt
The Tiger's Claw

Correspondence

BETWEEN HON. A. B. MORINE AND MR. R. G. WINSOR.

REMARK MADE BASED ON RUMOR.
St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 12, 1924.

Editor Evening Telegram, Sir.—The accompanying correspondence between R. G. Winsor, Esq., M. H. A., and myself, which I request you to publish, will, I trust, put an end to a rumor circulated about me, and will, perhaps, even satisfy the reverend gentlemen who expressed the idea that I was called upon to prove my innocence.

Yours truly,
ALFRED B. MORINE.
Wesleyville, Dec. 12, 1924.

Hon. A. B. Morine, K.C., St. John's. Dear Sir.—Your letter re statement alleged to have been made during the recent election campaign to hand. You must be out of touch with public opinion if you did not hear of the rumor of your being requested a large fee from the Government for drafting the Liquor Bill.

It was a general rumor for two months prior to the election, and especially from St. John's. You might direct your attention to that section of the country for information as to the nature in the enactment of the law to what truth the rumor contained.

I made no definite statement other than we would see later by the publication in the enactment of the law, the rumor was well founded or not.

Yours truly,
(Sgd.) R. G. WINSOR.
Dec. 12, 1924.

R. G. Winsor, Esq., Wesleyville. Sir.—In acknowledging your letter of the 2nd inst, I beg your pardon for suggesting, in my letter to the press, that you would not reply. You have more courage, and less discretion than I should have thought you would have.

When I heard that you had made a statement, or repeated a rumor, on platforms in Bonavista Bay, that I had received a large fee from the Government for drafting the Liquor Control Act, I supposed, of course, that you meant that I had received a bribe of that amount for my services in the enactment of the law, not that I had been paid by the Government so great a sum for my work as a lawyer in drafting the Act, for I could not have supposed it possible that a man so foolish as to believe that I had received such a sum from such a source could have been found outside a Lunatic Asylum. I do not believe that anybody who heard, or anybody who has heard of your remarks, had any doubt that you meant to charge me with receiving a bribe.

But now you say it was a general rumor that I had received a large fee for drafting the Liquor Bill, and that you "made no definite statement," but merely repeated the rumor, and said that the public accounts would later show whether it was true or not.

What right had you, Sir, to ignorantly and maliciously repeat a rumor to my discredit, when you could so easily have ascertained the fact? A mere inquiry of me would have revealed the truth. You had not even the poor excuse for slandering me that I was a candidate. You were, in truth, only too ready to defame an old opponent, who had at least always been decent to you, and with whom you had been on friendly terms for many years, apparently, for years. You had no personal belief in the lie you circulated, but considered it good campaign material.

Well, Sir, you have asked me, I should have told you two facts, (1) that I had never even so much as asked for payment and (2) that not one dollar had been promised, offered or given, either as a bribe or as payment; that, in fact, I had not profited by so much as one cent for my arduous work on the Liquor Control Act.

Not being a salaried member of the Government, there is, of course, no reason why I should not be adequately paid for my work as a draftsman. I should certainly be much more justified than you were in accepting salary.

as a Commissioner of Agriculture. Some of your late colleagues took pay for work never performed, and salaries for offices, the duties of which they did not discharge, but no protest ever came from you. I am doing daily more unpaid public work, I am confident, than any other man in the Colony, and so far I have not made up my mind to ask for anything for drafting the Liquor Control Act, but if I do, my colleagues will, I am sure, be just rather than generous to me in their noble rage for economy. I certainly shall not ask more than proper prices for work well done.

You have admitted circulating what you now know to be a falsehood concerning me. You cannot but admit that your lack of caution in repeating a rumor without seeking to ascertain the truth, was discredit. You will, therefore, as becometh one who desires, I hope, to be considered an honorable man, at once publicly apologize, and spread your apology as widely as possible, as your stander-by will, I think, be somewhat impatient to wait to see just what kind of a man you really are, and shall even hope that the result will prove you better than I think you are. I have acknowledged one mistaken estimate of you; show me I've made another, by acknowledging your wrongdoing.

Yours truly,
ALFRED B. MORINE.

"Everything for Sale"

AT THE MAJESTIC. Kathlyn Williams, who will be seen in support of May McAvoy in "Everything for Sale," which opened last night at the Majestic Theatre, in a veritable encyclopaedia of information regarding the early history of the motion picture.

For this beautiful and talented actress switched from leading roles on the stage to the screen at a time when pictures were most decidedly in their infancy. She quickly gained a wonderful reputation for such thrilling animal pictures as the famous old serial, "The Adventures of Kathlyn," "Sultana of the Desert," "Lost in the Jungle," etc. Her hits were in danger scores of times; once a leopard buried all ten claws in her scalp; another when she fell from an elephant's back into the midst of twelve pachyderms which had gone wild.

The calm courage which featured these experiences has been the backbone of a clear-cut acting technique which has made her one of the screen's cleverest players.

CAPB RACE, To-day. Wind north, light, weather dull, preceded by snow last night; two large steamers passed east at daylight and the steamer Cranley at 11 a.m. Bar. 29.98; Ther. 32.

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FRANCES DWINDLING BIRTH RATE.
PARIS, Dec. 12. France's birth rate continues to dwindle according to an official statement covering the first three quarters of the present year while the number of marriages is practically the same as in the corresponding period of 1923. The births dropped from 584,000 to 572,000 and deaths increased from 595,000 to 581,000.

LADY ASTOR'S PORTRAIT TO BE REMOVED.
LONDON, Dec. 12. The Mayor of Plymouth has asked that the portrait of Lady Astor, which is to be removed from the House of Commons in accordance with parliamentary action, be sent to Plymouth, says the Westminister Gazette. Lady Astor favors sending it to Plymouth.

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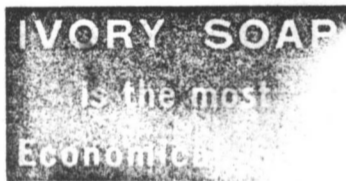
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ANNUAL SALE OF WORK.

The annual Sale of Work of the Child Welfare Association was held at the Presbyterian Hall yesterday afternoon and present indications are that the proceeds will be the best yet. The total for the year was opened by Lady Allard, who arrived at three-thirty, accompanied by Miss Allard and Captain Goodfellow. Introduced by Miss Southcott, President of the Child Welfare Association, Lady Allard expressed her pleasure at being present. The results of last year's sale were so gratifying, she said, that it must have been a source of great pleasure to the members of the Association to know that during the year they had helped to give assistance to so many more children than before. The Association is doing noble work, and the public generally is rapidly getting a better understanding of its purposes. All cannot do the same as the members of the Association, but the sale gives everyone an opportunity of helping. The reports of the work in England are just to hand and show that the past year has been the best on record, and this has been rightly attributed to the work of the Child Welfare Associations. The members here are to be congratulated on their work in connection with the Children's Hospital, and soon there will be in the city a permanent institution, which is so badly needed, and which will be a means of doing much good for the children. Lady Allard hoped the results would be better than last year, and she had much pleasure in declaring the sale open. From that time on, till six o'clock, when selling ceased, the various stalls were continually surrounded by purchasers, and the ladies in charge did not have an idle moment. The stalls were all attractive laid out, and contained articles that met with ready sale, because of the value to the purchasers. There were fancy work, plain work, candy, toys and samples and pantry requisites, and all carried large stocks of the various articles. The tea tables were also a big attraction, and the ladies in charge had many patrons to attend to, amongst whom were the members of the Rotary Club, who also ought out the zandy stall. At closing hour very little was left undisposed of, and when the proceeds were counted up it was found that \$1500 were on hand which was a fine record for the sale. It is expected that the total proceeds will reach \$2,000.00. The pantry table was the high line, having \$500.00 to its credit. To the ladies of the Association much credit is due for the splendid results of the afternoon's work.



Newfoundlander Makes Name as Singer

We were honored with a visit recently from an old Newfoundland boy who has made good in this country, and who is fast winning laurels for himself in the musical world as a concert and operatic singer.

Mr. Harry Whitefield Laite was born at Trinity East and is a son of the late William Laite, who came to Boston some years ago to join his sons who had already settled in this city. Mr. Laite, Sr., died in Everett, Mass., in 1922.

Mr. Whitefield Laite has been engaged in concert and operatic work for the past seven years, and is a graduate of Northwestern University, Chicago, where he obtained the degree of Bachelor of Music. After supplementing his studies in New York, he began his vocal career and has met with signal success, especially in the Western States, where he has made most of his appearances. We print the following extract from a Portland paper of Sept. 24th, 1924:

"Harry Whitefield Laite, baritone, is one of the younger American artists who has won an enviable reputation in the Western States by his talent and training. His work has been confined to concerts, west of Chicago, where the critics declare that he bids fair to establish himself as one of the foremost baritones of the country."

Newfoundland can, therefore, be justly proud of the praise accorded to her talented son.

Mr. Laite expressed himself as very anxious to make a trip to the home-land to re-visit old scenes and renew old acquaintances; and it is more than likely that he will arrange to pay a visit to St. John's next summer and give a concert there during his stay.

The other sons of the late William Laite have also distinguished themselves in their vocations in this country. Rev. Theo. Laite is the Presiding Bishop of the New England Conference of the Evangelical Church, with headquarters in Somerville, Mass. Rev. William W. Laite is pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Portland, Me.; Rev. Gilbert Laite is located at Eagle Rock, Los Angeles, Cal.; whilst Robert E. Laite is prominent securities banker in Boston, Me.

His mother, Mrs. Wm. Laite, resided at Weymouth, Mass.

Mr. Laite's cousin, Rev. David R. Bailey, is pastor of St. Stephen's Cathedral, Fall River, Mass.—Nfld. Weekly, Boston.

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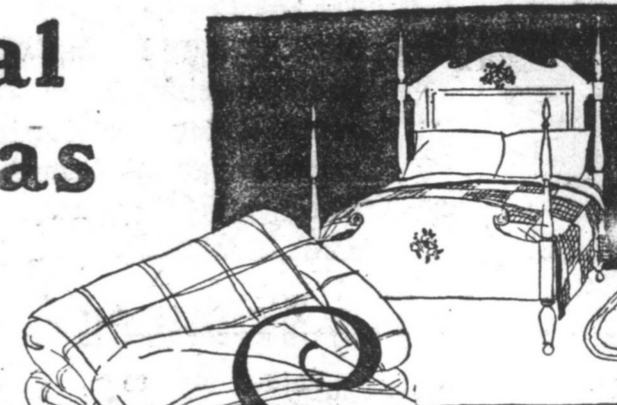
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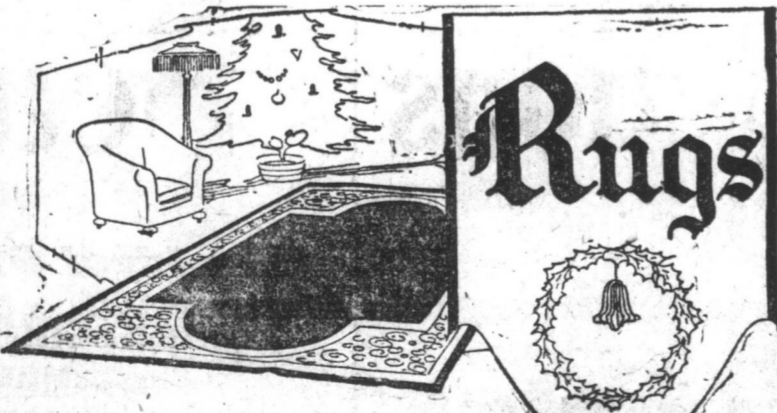
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Very pretty designs, with a splendid finish, assorted widths.
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Get your Party Dress Now while our big December Sale is in full swing. There's a large stock of dainty Frocks to choose from and prices are down to zero. For this month every garment will be sold at rock-bottom figures to reduce stock before stocktaking. Shop Now.

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Xmas Gifts are difficult to choose. Very often just the right thing seems hard to think of. We do not specialize in Xmas gifts, but from our large stock, only partially listed below, many very dainty and acceptable Gifts for Ladies and Children can be easily selected.

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Further Reducttoms on all our big stock of Ladies' Dresses and Winter Coats

Dresses Every Color, Style and Material for Morning, Afternoon, Dinner, Dance and Bridge wear. **5.90 9.50 11.90 19.50 up to 47.50**

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Fitting from 2 to 7 Years.
Hard-wearing Brown Tweeds, on a Sailor "Button-on" Model **2.98**

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Tuxedo, Coat and Slip-on Styles, in different weights and qualities. All sizes, and a great range of beautiful colours. Enormously reduced.

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All sizes including "Stouts" up to 50 inch waist. Also nursing and maternity models in Flesh and White Coutil. Marvellous value.
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White, Fawn, Grey and mixtures, barred Cuffs **1.35**
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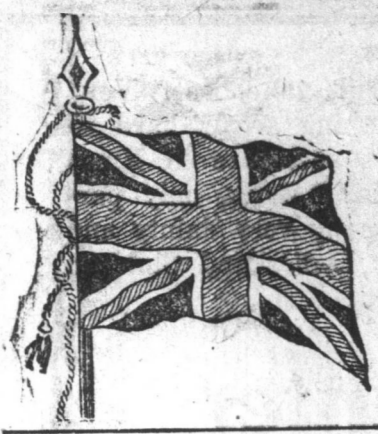
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Splendid Winter Suits in heavy weight all Wool Tweeds and splendid Navy Serge. The higher priced Suits have 2 pairs pants. New Styles. New Tweed mixtures—and all full sizes.
From \$11.90 through a big range to \$45.00.

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The finest show of Winter Styles to be found in the city.
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Ideal for stormy day wear. All sizes in Fawn and Navy.
Reduced from **32.50** NOW **24.50**

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Pure Brushed Wool, Fawn and Brown, Plain and Fancy designs **1.10**
All Silk, and Silk and Wool
A satisfactory light weight Scarf for wear in side coat or costume
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Heavy, all Pure Silk
Plain colours with heavy silk fringe. A very delightful Xmas Gift **2.90**

"Fifth Avenue Store," 314 Water Street



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Friday, December 12, 1924.

The Christmas Gift Suggestion

Our suggestion that Christmas gifts from abroad should be exempt from duty when the monetary value is practically negligible has been heartily endorsed on all sides, and if the Government can see their way to grant this slight concession, they will not only confer a great boon on the public but will at the same time allay considerable irritation on this score.

From the standpoint of the postal officials it would also be regarded as a blessing. They do not relish the task, and it would materially lighten the labour which at this time of the year is particularly heavy in the registration and parcel post departments. As to the danger of opening a door to smuggling, it is more apparent than real, and with the extra time at their disposal, the clerks would be able to exercise a stricter surveillance over the goods that pass through their hands and in all probability would thus more than offset the loss.

Close Season for Caribou

We are glad to learn that our frequently repeated warning that the caribou are on the verge of extinction has at last been heeded, and that a close season for three years has been decided upon by the Game Board. No doubt, having made such a wise pronouncement, they have devised plans to carry it into effect, which is the main thing. It will not be a simple matter by any means, as the leniency which has been shown in the past in cases of violation of the Game Laws has led the slaughterers to believe that they could carry on their nefarious work with impunity.

The country is the most difficult one to police, and the wide range over which the caribou wander makes the game wardens' duty all the harder. The successful carrying out of the new regulation will depend in the first place on the attitude taken by the general public, and as far as the greater number of them are sportsmen in the real sense of the word, it is safe to assert that they will make the protection of these animals their first care, and will give the regulation their practical support. There are others unfortunately whose passion for killing only too often overcomes their respect for the law or consideration for the animals. The enforcement of the penalty promptly without fear or favour and to the fullest extent is the only way to make such individuals realize their responsibility, and in this spirit we trust the act will be carried out.

Nothing to Crow Over

Last Saturday's special brought a mail. Amongst the mail we received was a St. John's daily newspaper dated Nov. 28. That paper should have reached us the first of the week.

We still have room for a few Xmas Cake orders. Have you ordered yours yet? Don't be too late! "THE BLUE PUTTEE."

Magistrates Court

A labourer taken in for safe-keeping was discharged. A 21 year old labourer of Freshwater Valley, arrested under warrant, stood charged with attempting to break and enter the store of M. J. O'Brien, Mundy Pond Road on the 8th inst. Owing to the Crown not being ready to proceed the accused was not asked to plead. He was remanded for eight days.

Prospero's Repairs

A large staff of mechanics are now busy at the Dry Dock making repairs to the steamer Prospero which went ashore on Green Island. An examination of the ship showed two bad bulges forward of the engine room, while two slight dents were also found on the starboard side. A long straight mark is also noticeable on the keel, which was presumably caused by her going over the ledge. A number of the damaged plates are now being removed, several of which will be replaced by new ones. The job is a very extensive one, and will take at least twenty days to complete.

Sable I. in Port

S.S. Sable I. arrived in port at 4 a. m. bringing the following passengers: Mrs. Bridget Daley, Miss Margaret Daley, Miss Jane Norris, Miss Dora Stevens, Miss Olive Perkins, Miss Dolie Denuthe, Homer Roberts, Mrs. H. Roberts, Mr. F. Hapenny, Mrs. F. Hapenny, Miss Margaret Malone, Edward Winkler, Dr. DeLay, Thos. Anderson, Chas. Marshall, Thos. Lynch, Lester Baer, John Dorin, Albert Baggs, James Evans, James Bohannon, Simon Ahern, J. P. Carey, P. V. Benoit.

Moir's Chocolates for Xmas. Delightful assortment of fresh stock. Dainty boxes and baskets. Prices to suit everybody. At "THE BLUE PUTTEE."

Norwegian Ship Undergoing Repairs

The Norwegian steamer Bjornstjerne Bjornse which arrived in port on Monday last with engine trouble, is now moored at the Dry Dock where a number of mechanics are engaged effecting repairs. An examination of the damages showed that some of the machinery in the engine room had been shifted several inches, during the stormy weather experienced while crossing the Atlantic. A portion of the machinery has to be stripped down for the purpose of replacing it in its former position, and this will take about a week to complete.

Out on Bail

The North Sydney Agent, Murdoch McLeod, who was arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences, through the sale of German Bonds, is still out on bail. Howley K.C. is acting for the prisoner. It is understood that the receipts from the sale of bonds are in the neighbourhood of \$800.

German Chivalry

Girl to fellow passenger in German railway carriage. Excuse me, I am so dead tired I can hardly stand. Would you mind taking your feet off the seat so that I can sit down? Passenger: With pleasure, Franlein. Why didn't you ask me long ago?

WALL PAPERS! WALL PAPERS! Beautify your walls for Christmas. We have choice Papers selling at reasonable prices. THE WEST END BAZAAR, 51 Water St. West.

Shipping

S.S. Sachem is expected to arrive at Liverpool at 8 o'clock Sunday morning. S.S. Silvia leaves Halifax noon Saturday and is due here Monday, Dec. 15th. S.S. Nyhaven, 2 days from North Sydney, has arrived in port with a cargo coal. S.S. Yankton, 2 1/2 days from Halifax, has arrived at A. E. Hickman & Co. with a general cargo. S.S. Saladin has arrived at Gaultois from St. Pierre with a cargo coal. Schooner Carl S. has arrived at Gaultois from St. John's via St. Pierre. Schooner Tishy from Turk's Island, salt laden to Jas. Baird, has arrived at Marystown. She brought one passenger, John Cullen, cook of the schooner David Morris, which was abandoned some time ago whilst on a passage to this port with a cargo salt. Cook Cullen was unable to make the voyage on the vessel owing to illness, and was in hospital at Turk's Island when his vessel was lost.

Columbia Instruments and Columbia New Process Records give you every kind of music—better. DICKS & CO., LTD., Agents for Nfld.—Nov 24, m.w.t.f.

Personal

Mrs. J. J. Curran, Cross Roads, Brigus, who was in town making her Christmas purchases, left for her home by last evening's train.

WHEN

selecting your Xmas presents for your friends abroad, be sure and include a package of our delicious Home-made Candies. POWER'S CANDY STORE, 218 New Gower Street.—Dec 11, 41

Brown & Polson's Cornflour for Xmas Puddings and Cakes. Dec 12, 1924.

Investigation Into Our Postal System Undertaken

Col. George Ross, I.S.O., retired Superintendent of the Canadian Postal Service, is here at the request of the Government, to inspect the Nfld. Postal system and report his findings. Col. Ross, originally a printer, has been in the postal service for a great number of years, and has risen through all the grades to the highest rank of Deputy Minister. During the Great War he organized the Canadian Postal service at the front, and merited several medals for distinguished service. He was also given the rank of Lieut.-Colonel. Born seventy years ago he is still very active. On his way here he inspected the Nfld. Post Office at North Sydney, and this morning he visited the East End Post Office, the Acting Prime Minister, Sir John Crosbie, and Dr. J. Alex. Robinson, Post Master General, in search of information. It is expected he will begin work at the General Post Office on Wednesday next, and his visit here will last for some months.

Meat Supply to Government Institutions

The Board of Works has at several meetings given consideration to tenders for supplies to public institutions. A meeting is being held this afternoon, when it is probable some of the contracts will be awarded. The matter of meat supplies, we understand, undergoes a reform and fresh tenders may be asked for under better specifications. It has been for many years the practice to ask for tenders for meat for the institutions by simply stating a round price for meat and mutton respectively for the different institutions. No discrimination was made as to the various cuts, and the result has been that tenders received showed that the prospective contractors expected to supply inferior kinds of cut for the Poor and Lunatic Asylums to that provided for the Hospital. It is now proposed that specifications of the kinds of meat wanted for each institution shall be the basis of each tender, and that contractors shall supply different cuts of meat to be supplied, and also a custom to supply bull and old cow beef for some institutions, and steer and heifer for others, and consequently the Lunatic and Poor Asylum inmates have been getting the worst of it. It is probable that the specifications will provide against bull or old cow meat being supplied, and the grounds that from a point of economy and out of consideration for the inmates it is better that all institutions should get the best quality.

Express Passengers

The following first-class passengers crossed over to Port au Basques by S. S. Kyle at 6.20 to-day and joined the express:—Miss A. King, J. Moore, A. McLean, J. Burke, A. Cox, W. King, T. Delaney, E. King, O. E. Hanton, S. Moores, L. Korchew, Miss E. Wheeler, H. Mercer, O. Hay, A. Martin, E. Evans, N. O'Brien, Mrs. N. Hoppin, date, Miss E. Pettie, W. McK. Chambers.

Mr. F. P. Garneau, Quebec, Dead

Mr. W. B. Comerford, local manager for Garneau, Ltd., received a message yesterday from Quebec, conveying the news of the death of F. P. Garneau, Director of the firm. Mr. Garneau visited this city about twenty years ago, and there are many in the island who will regret to learn of his passing.

Here and There.

Pearline Makes Washing Easy.—Oct 10, t.f.

SUSU AT POGO—The steamer Susu has arrived at Pogo from Change Island and is now loading a part cargo of fish before continuing the run south.

Boots and Rubbers! Evangeline for \$5.00, at SMALLWOOD'S.—Nov 15, t.f.

ADDITIONAL PASSENGERS.—The following additional passengers sailed by Digby for Halifax and Boston: Miss M. J. Moran, J. Snelgrove, T. H. Higginson, J. Elmes.

LADIES!—Evangeline Boots fitted with Rubbers only \$5.00 the pair, at F. SMALLWOOD'S, Ladies' Department.—Nov 15, t.f.

THE TRAINS.—Thursday's express arrived Bishop Falls 6 a.m. The train with Kyle's mail and passengers left Port aux Basques 8.20 a.m. The local train arrived at 12.35 p.m.

The enjoyment of good music will be yours with the new Columbia Gramophone and Columbia New Process Records. DICKS & CO., LTD., Nfld. Agents.

STORE BURGLARIZED.—An East End Cold Storage premises was broken into last night and a quantity of poultry and meat stolen. The matter has been reported to the police, but as far as can be learned the burglar left no clues to work on.

REVUE ARRIVE BY SABLE I.—The Boston Beauty Revue, opening for a short engagement at the Casino on Monday night, arrived by Sable I. this morning. The troupe has been playing in Boston for the past six weeks.

WEEK END SPECIALS. Ladies' Hats reduced to cost. All must go before end of the year. Come along and pick your choice for small price.

THE WEST END BAZAAR, 51 Water St. West.

PEPYS BEHIND THE SCENES

Dec. 11th.—Up betimes and abroad to Water Street, where I am determined to do some of my Xmas shopping before most shoppers are about. But no sooner do I reach the Board of Trade when Povey stops me and holds me in discourse half the morning. Among other things, he do tell me how the Cabel orders a close season on Caribou for three years to come which is indeed good news being that if we are to preserve our reputation as a hunting country, needs must we see that a halt is called to the wholesale slaughter of the caribou. This day, the three Ministers that are to join the Canadians in discourse over the Labrador Boundary, hope for is that this do mean the beginning of the end so far as the arguments and counter arguments are concerned. I do learn how Sir J. Crosbie will be the acting Prime Minister in the absence of Mr. Monroe. By despatches out of England, news is given of a speech in which he says that should any of England's debtors of the war pay monies that they owe to other countries, then England will demand her proportionate share. This meets with the highest approval in all quarters as it only meet it should.

Government Boats

Argyle left Argenteia 7.20 p.m. yesterday. Clyde left Lewisporte this morning. Malakoff left Port Blandford 9 a.m. Glencoe left Rencontre 4.25 p.m. yesterday, going west. Home at Humbermouth. Kyle arrived Port aux Basques 6.20 a.m. Portia returned Twillingate 9.40 a.m. yesterday, coming south. Sagona left Pass Island 5.30 p.m. yesterday, coming east. Sebastopol arrived Lewisporte 1 a.m.

Stolen Coat Returned

A resident of George's Street who had his overcoat stolen from his hall-trunk a few nights ago, had the article returned to him yesterday. The party who took the coat tried to dispose of it, but being unsuccessful decided to return it to the owner so as to avoid arrest.

Moir's Chocolates for Xmas. Delightful assortment of fresh stock. Dainty boxes and baskets. Prices to suit everybody. At "THE BLUE PUTTEE."

Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine

One bottle of this Essence makes one gallon of good Ginger Wine. Price 15c. For Sale Everywhere. Manufactured by Dr. F. Stafford & Son, St. John's.

Make the most of fruit by serving it stewed, accompanied by a delicious blanc-mange or creamy custard made with BROWN & POLSON'S CORN FLOUR. Nothing suits the children better than these gifts of nature.

WE ALL AGREE that "prevention is better than cure," so why wait until you are taken with an attack of Bronchitis or severe cold? Take NYAL CREPHOS now, and build up your strength, so as to able you to resist the incursions of disease. By taking it beforehand, you are adapting preventive measures.

PETER O'MARA, THE DRUGGIST, THE REGAL STORE.

Prospero's Lifeboats

Dear Sir—Your editorial of yesterday, concerning the Prospero's lifeboats was, indeed, timely. The writer was a passenger on this steamer at the time of the stranding, and took particular notice of the condition of the lifeboats, and then, when placed in the water, immediately began to fill, and the services of two men with buckets were required to keep bailing out those in which the passengers were brought ashore. The boat nearest the starboard bow filled almost immediately on being lowered, and had to be attached again to the davit ropes—it was useless. The main-boat was, apparently, the only seaworthy boat aboard.

I think I may safely say that this condition of affairs applies to all of our Coastal boats, with but very few exceptions, and, as usual, an accident must occur in order to have the matter attended to, "avant them, the attention is but ephemeral. If, on the morning of the stranding, conditions were such as to necessitate all of the passengers and crew taking to the boats immediately, I fear their capacity would be quite inadequate. Such a condition should not exist. Whilst the travelling public realize that accidents are bound to occur, they expect at least that efficient equipment should be on hand to give them a good fighting chance. Our Coastal boats are very often overcrowded and, should a serious accident occur, the toll of lives is found to be heavy.

Whether the changing of the ship's officers, particularly at this time of the year, was advisable or desirable, I am not competent to judge; but, our stormy sea coast, abounding in treacherous sunken rocks, is most difficult and hazardous to navigate, and the wonder is that so few accidents occur. The ship requires constant, skillful handling by competent men; men who know their particular part of the coast thoroughly from actual experience. The changing of officers, no matter how competent the substitutes may be, must necessarily throw an extra burden on the captain—temporarily at least—and, whilst I know very little of Captain Field, it required but very little observation to see that, on this particular trip, he was not equal to the task. I do not wish to connect the change with the accident, but I do think that in such an important service, changes of this nature should be made in a manner as to obviate any impression in the public mind that safety was being sacrificed for political expediency.

In conclusion, may I say, that the efficient capacity of life saving equipment on our Coastal boats, should have the immediate attention of the management of the Coastal Service, and in addition, arrangements made for regular periods of strict inspection and boat drill. The travelling public are entitled to this precaution, at least.

SYSTEM OF DOMINION CO-OPERATION TO BE ORGANIZED

In the House of Commons, the Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, in replying to a question asked by Arthur Ponsonby, Labor, stated the Government was communicating with the Governments of the Dominions and he hoped to make a statement shortly regarding proposals for a preliminary inquiry into system of consultation on matters of foreign policy as outlined by J. T. Morgan, former secretary for Colonies on July 20.

DIED. This morning, at the Grace Hospital, Allan Clifton, aged 1 year, darling little son of Allan and Brides Parsons, 11 Cook Street.

IN LOVING MEMORY of my dear husband, John O'Brien, died Dec. 11, 1924. All is dark within our home. Lonely is our hearth to-day; For one we loved so dearly Has passed away. May the sacred heart of Jesus have mercy on his soul. —Inserted by his wife and children.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The members of the family of the late Henry Hollett of Great Burin wish to express their thanks and appreciation to all those who so kindly assisted them in any way during their recent sad bereavement; also to the following for floral tributes and messages of sympathy:—Hiram Lodge, 1281, Division of Sons of Temperance, Sunday School, Class Members, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hollett, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Hollett, Misses Me-Hinda and Ella Hollett, Mr. and Mrs. John Inkpen, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollett, Mrs. W. C. Collins, Mrs. Harold Inkpen, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hollett, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Hollett, Mrs. G. Hollett, Mrs. W. B. Hollett, Mr. Wm. Revel, Miss Emma Foote, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hollett, Miss Mary Darby, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Inkpen, Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Inkpen, Mrs. W. Saint, Mr. Eleazar Inkpen, Mr. John E. Collins, Mr. L. Cheeseman, Miss M. White, Mr. Fred J. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. George Mouton, Rev. E. C. and Mrs. French, Mr. O. S. Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bugden, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Beazley, Mr. C. Forsey, Mr. Arthur C. Peters, Mr. B. Blandford, Sergt. Bartlett, Rev. E. C. Winter, K. Bishop, Mr. Harold Knight, Rev. J. T. Newman, Mr. J. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bishop, Mr. H. R. Winter, Rev. C. and Mrs. Towse, Mr. J. Winsor, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dodman, Miss Grace Bishop, Mrs. Hedley Taylor.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. John T. Kelly and family wish to express their sincere thanks to the very many kind friends who visited them during the illness and death of their husband and father, John T. Kelly, and particularly the following:—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. E. Collins, Mrs. Bay-bridge, Mrs. Wm. Moore, Mrs. Walter Kenny, Capt. Nicholls, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Farrell, Mr. M. Manning, Mrs. Jas. Cole, Miss Thorne, Mr. Ed. Norris, Mrs. Miss Thorne, Mr. Ed. Norris, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. W. Coady, Mrs. A. Boland, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mansfield, Mrs. Robt. Kearney, Mrs. Oldford, Mr. Hugh Robinson, Miss Mary J. Morrissey; also the following for wreaths:—Mr. W. H. Christian, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Donnelly, Mrs. Frank Bambrick, and Mrs. Marble Works for Spiritual offerings.

At The NICKEL Thursday, Fri. and Sat.



AN ACE TWO QUEENS AND A WHOLE EVENING FULL OF LAUGHTER WESLEY BARRY in "GEORGE WASHINGTON JR." From the Play by GEORGE M. COHAN. A Snappy, Jazzy, Social Comedy in which Treckles emerges from knickers into the long-trousered role of a dashing young hero.

Mack Sennett Comedy: "ASLEEP AT THE SWITCH," with Ben Turpin. Admission-Night 30c. Afternoon 10 and 20c. MONDAY—Mae Murray, in "FASHION ROW," A Robert Z. Leonard Production, in 9 Big Acts, 9.

Personal. Hon. Sir John Crosbie, Minister of Finance and Customs, has been appointed Acting Prime Minister for the period covering the absence of Hon. W. S. Monroe, in Canada. The Chairman Miffin, of the Liquor Control Board, left by the express yesterday on route to Montreal, where, it is understood, he will make a study of the liquor regulations, preparatory to the operation of the new law here. Captain Stevenson, who left yesterday for his home at North Sydney, will go to the Old Country about the end of the month in connection with the building of the new steamer for the Government Railway.

'A Brownie Gift Box just what I wanted.'

Just imagine the fun your boy will have taking pictures with his new Brownie. And the outfit is complete, the "whole shootin' match," is the way he'll describe it. The Brownie Gift Box contains: No. 2 Brownie, two rolls of film, Kodak Portrait Attachment for taking close-up pictures, tube of Kodak Photo Paste, 50 leaf Kodak album, instruction book and one year's free subscription to "Kodakery," a monthly magazine full of helpful suggestions to amateurs. SEE THIS OUTFIT AT OUR STORE. A visit to our Store will help to solve your gift problem. TOOTON'S THE KODAK STORE.

Publish by Authority

On recommendation of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and the provisions of Section 10 of Chapter 11 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series), and in order to give effect to the Lobster Fishery from extending His Excellency the Governor-in-Council has been pleased to approve of the following amendment of the Regulations made on the first day of November, 1921, respecting the Lobster and other Fisheries, namely:

"No person shall kill, take, sell or can any Lobsters, nor any person engage in the business of canning Lobsters, at any place on any portion of the coast in the Colony for a period of three years commencing on the first day of January, 1922, and ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1927."

J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary, December 2nd, 1924. Dec 12, 15

PUBLIC NOTICE

Under the Act 10 Edward VII. entitled "An Act Respecting the Discovery of Minerals" WHEREAS George Lewis Fleur de Lys, in the District of St. Barbe, in the Island of Newfoundland, has filed in this office, accompanied by affidavits, Notice of the discovery of Minerals, situate in Fleur de Lys Harbour, near the centre of the place, and in his garden bounded by the road, and covering more than one half mile square, every direction, the said Minerals being described as Copper Lead and other Minerals; AND WHEREAS the said George Lewis claims to be the first and original discoverer of the said Minerals under the above-named Act;

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that any person disputing the claim of the said George Lewis as first and original discoverer of the said Minerals is hereby required to give notice to me in writing, at the Department of Agriculture and Mines, within sixty days of the date of this notice, of any objection to the registration of the said claimant as the first and original discoverer of the Minerals aforesaid; and further, if any person disputing the claim be filed in sixty days, the said George Lewis will be deemed to be registered in this Department as the first and original discoverer of the said Minerals, as provided by the aforesaid Act;

W. J. WALSH, Minister of Agriculture and Mines, St. John's, Newfoundland, 28 November, 1924. Nov 28, Dec 12, 28, Jan 9

CITY OF ST. JOHN'S St. John's Municipal Council. PUBLIC NOTICE.

The attention of the Public called to the following Section of the St. John's Municipal Act 1921:— Section 138: The occupant of any house or building situated on Water Street, at any place between Job's Bridge and Templeance Street, shall remove the snow and ice from the roofs and from the sidewalk and surface drain in front of such house or building, and every owner of vacant lot within the said limits shall remove the snow from the sidewalk in front of such lot within twelve hours after the same shall have fallen thereon, and shall deposit the same within the waters of the harbor or other place off Water St., to be named by the Council for that purpose. Anyone violating this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars and in default of payment to be imprisoned for any period not exceeding thirty days.

J. J. MAHONY, City Clerk

ONLY 10 DAYS LEFT TO SHOP

A bit of emphasis is due to the fact that there are only 10 more shopping days before Christmas. Each of the 10 days is filled with the responsibility of Christmas shopping.

Come here and let us help solve the problem, with our splendid assortments of Christmas gift goods suitable for every member of the family.

Take these Gift Ideas

As Your Guide for Christmas Shopping

This great store was never more interesting for its array of gifts, or for the attractiveness of its prices. Read carefully this page of special values in appropriate gift ideas, then use it as your guide for the selection of the many useful and practical gifts you intend giving this Christmas.



A Special Selling of CHRISTMAS HOSIERY

Women's Hose.
Splendid value in Women's Wool Cashmere Hose, shades of Grey, Fawn, Tan and Black, assorted ribs, fashioned leg, double heels and toes, garter tops; sizes 9 and 10. Reg. \$2.35. Sale Price **72c.**

Silk and Wool Hose.
Women's Art Silk and Wool Hose, colors of Grey, Fawn, Brown and Black, improved shape, seamless spliced feet, wide suspender tops. These are exceptionally good looking and are ideal for Christmas gift giving; sizes 9 to 10. Reg. \$1.40 pair. Sale Price **\$1.27**

Cashmere Hose.
Women's All Wool Cashmere Hose, shades of Grey and Fawn, fashioned leg, spliced feet, wide suspender tops, neatly embroidered, in assorted pretty colors; sizes 9 to 10. Reg. \$1.80 pair. Sale Price **\$1.60**

Women's Sport Hose in Silk and Wool. colors of Fawn, Brown, Beige and Black; neat cross-bar designs, full fashioned leg, spliced feet, elastic tops; size 9 1/2 only. Anyone would appreciate a pair of these stockings as a Christmas gift. Reg. \$2.35. Sale Price **\$2.09**

Child's Hose.
All Wool Cashmere Hose for children; ribbed, fashioned ankle, seamless leg, spliced feet, garter tops, shades of Cream, Pink, Sage and Camel; sizes 1 to 4; splendid values **90c.** Reg. \$1.00 pair. Sale Price **90c.**

Note the Wonderful Values for FRIDAY and SATURDAY



Beautiful French Ivory

If you want to give a pleasant surprise for Christmas, let it be French Ivory, the most modern toiletware. This beautiful serviceable toiletware, with its very moderate prices, makes it ideal for gift giving. Our magnificent assortment will appeal to anyone, and prices are the lowest in the city. Our assortment includes, Toilet and Manicure Sets combined, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Mirrors, Hair Brushes, Cloth Brushes, Hat Brushes, Hair Refreshers, Powder Boxes, Soap Boxes, Dressing Combs, Nail Buffers, Tooth Brush Cases, Nail Files, Cuticle Knives, Jewel Cases, Clocks, etc., in fact anything in French Ivory can be found here.



Gift Dressings

It's almost time for Christmas packaging, have you plenty of gift dressings; tags, seals, cards, attractive is your gift, if each package is gayly wrapped, tied and addressed with appropriate gift dressings, tags, seals, cards, labels, boxes, tyings, wrappings. We have them all. Then Christmas decorations for the home, but come and see our splendid assortments of dressings and decorations.



Dolls! Dolls! Dolls! at Wonderful Reductions

Undressed Dolls.
A wonderful assortment, all greatly reduced in price.
Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price **72c.**
Reg. 95c. each. Sale Price **76c.**
Reg. 1.20 each. Sale Price **96c.**
Reg. 1.50 each. Sale Price **1.20**
Reg. 2.00 each. Sale Price **1.60**
Reg. 2.50 each. Sale Price **2.00**
Reg. 3.00 each. Sale Price **2.50**
Reg. 4.00 each. Sale Price **3.20**
Reg. 5.00 each. Sale Price **4.00**

Dressed Dolls.
In a variety to suit every child's fancy, all at very special reductions.
Reg. \$1.35 each. Sale Price **1.08**
Reg. \$2.70 each. Sale Price **2.16**
Reg. \$3.30 each. Sale Price **2.64**
Reg. \$5.50 each. Sale Price **4.40**

Rag Dolls.
Large size; ideal for everyday play, will stand hard usage.
Reg. 60 each. Sale Price **48c.**
With unbreakable head and hands.
Reg. 70c. each. Sale Price **56c.**



Give Him a Sweater

Coats. Sweater.
In a pretty shade of Camel, with roll collar. A good looking sweater at a very low price; assorted sizes. Reg. \$3.00 each. Sale Price **\$2.69**

Men's Sweaters.
Cont. style, some with roll collar, other with v neck; all sizes.
Navy and Camel with v neck. Reg. \$4.75 each. Sale Price **\$4.20**
Brown with Roll collar. Reg. \$7.50 each. Sale Price **\$6.98**
Grey with Roll collar. Reg. \$7.20 each. Sale Price **\$6.68**

Men's Caps.
A warm comfortable Winter Cap for me, newest shapes, in colors of Grey and Fawn, with the famous "Cling Close" Ear Band, that fits snugly around the face; all sizes. Regular \$3.25 each. Sale Price **\$2.75**

Boys' Caps.
Winter Caps for boys, all sizes, in a splendid range of new patterns, very latest shapes. Reg. 99c. each. Sale Price **99c.**

Women's Underwear at Sale Prices

Silk Jersey Camisoles.
Women's Silk Jersey Camisoles or short slips, colors of Navy, Sage, Fawn, Maize, Royal, Sunny Brown, Jade, Pale Blue, Pearl Grey, Nigger, Black and White, finished with scalloped edge around neck, sleeves and bottom, gathered at hips. Reg. \$2.20 each. Sale Price **\$1.95**

Chemise Vests.
Women's Chemise Vests, made of Art Silk in very fine knit, round neck, shoulder straps, trimmed with pretty silk torchon lace and ribbon draw strings. Reg. \$5.75 each. Sale Price **\$5.20**

Women's Underwear.
Standfield's Underwear for women, made from all wool, vests are round and v neck, short and long sleeves, pants are knee and ankle length, both closed and open styles; assorted sizes. Reg. \$2.20 garment. Sale Price **\$2.14**

Women's Corsets.
Made of Pink Coutil, fitted with four elastic suspenders; sizes 32 to 40 bust. Reg. \$2.70. Sale Price **\$2.50**

Dressing Gowns.
Children's Gowns of heavy Eiderdown, with Peter Pan collar; turned back cuffs, edged with cord; finished with girle, fancy plaid designs, shades of Sage, Brown, Lavender, Light and Dark Grey. Reg. \$3.75 each. Sale Price **\$3.10**



Fancy Linens for Xmas Gift Giving

Tea Cloths.
White Lign Tea Cloths; sizes 30 x 30, nicely trimmed with Battenburg lace, splendid value. Would make a very acceptable gift. Reg. \$1.85 each. Sale Price **\$1.50**

Centre Cloths.
Round Brown Linen Centre Cloths, trimmed with pretty lace. Make somebody happy by giving them one of these for Christmas. Reg. \$1.85 each. Sale Price **\$1.42**

Table Cloths.
White "Irishness" Damask Table Cloths, hemmed ready for use; size 70 x 88; shown in a variety of pretty designs, with a perfect finish. Reg. \$5.75 each. Sale Price **\$5.13**

Sleigh Rugs.
Cream Wool Sleigh Rugs for Baby's sleigh. These are pretty, made of soft downy wool, nicely trimmed with satin. Give Baby one for Xmas. Reg. \$4.25 each. Sale Price **\$3.65**

Napkins.
White "Irishness" Damask Table Napkins; size 23 x 23, in an assortment of pretty designs to match above cloths, hemstitched border. Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price **58c.**

Special Values in COATING

Velour Coating.
64 inches wide, colors of Grey, Fawn and Tabac. These are very special value and make up splendidly. Reg. \$3.00 yard. Sale Price **\$2.70**

Velour Coating.
54 inches wide, shades of Taupe, Fawn, Grey and Slate, in plain shades, and pretty check designs; A very superior quality with a rich finish, truly the Aristocrat of coating. Reg. \$4.50 yard. Sale Price **\$4.05**

Blanket Coating.
Exceptional value in good quality Blanket Cloth, 56 inches wide, shades of Fawn, Grey, Navy, Terra Cotta and Wine. Reg. \$1.95 yard. Sale Price **\$1.70**

Black Sealette.
Best grade plain Black Sealette, 48 inches wide, closely woven, of a very superior finish. Reg. \$7.75 yard. Sale Price **\$7.15**

Cream Bearskin.
48 inches wide, closely woven, of a splendid quality fur, ideal for children's coats, bonnets, rugs, etc. Reg. \$5.00 yard. Sale Price **\$4.40**

Eiderdown.
A big assortment in pretty shades; 27 inches wide, suitable for making dressing gowns, Jackets, etc. Reg. 76c. yard. Sale Price **68c.**



Blouses and Sweaters for Xmas Gifts

Wool Slippers.
Child's and Misses' Wool Slippers with collar, belt and long sleeves, to fit up to 15 years, in the following shades: Camel, trimmed scarlet, Pearl trimmed Peacock, Tan trimmed Peacock, Rose trimmed Pearl; very special value. Special for Friday and Saturday **\$1.19**

Tricolette Smocks.
Round neck, half sleeves, girle running through waist line with tasselled ends, in the following colors: Champagne, Saxeze, Jade, Lavender, Grey and Sand; exceptional value. Reg. \$3.00 each. Sale Price **\$2.69**

Crepe de Chene Smocks.
Beautiful Crepe de Chene Smocks, round neck, half sleeves, finished with hemstitching, beads, hand embroidered front, and pliot edge; shades of Grey, Peach, Lemon, White and Fash. Reg. \$4.40 each. Sale Price **\$3.13**

Jackettes.
Women's All Wool Jackettes, slip over style, Tuxedo collar, half sleeves, shades of Fawn, Grey, Sage and Heather mixtures. Reg. \$3.50 each. Sale Price **\$3.13**



XMAS GIFTS from the Men's Store

Men's Shirts.
Coat style, made from special quality Percal, white grounds with pretty colored and White Silk stripes, 2 to 1 e cuffs, starched and collar band; sizes 14 to 17. Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price **\$1.79**

Men's Hats.
Soft Felts for men in the season's newest style, assorted Fawns, Greys and Browns, all sizes. A real nobby looking Hat, at a very low price, reg. \$3.25 each. Sale Price **\$2.95**

Men's Garters.
Overland Pad Garters, in practically all shades, made from best quality webbing. Reg. 40c. pair. Sale Price **32c.**

Men's Armlets.
The St. George Expanding Armlet, in silver and gold. Reg. 35c. pr. S. Price **31c.**

Quilts and Blankets

Wadded Quilts.
A splendid assortment of Wadded Quilts, covered with art sateen in pretty shades, filled with pure cotton, one of these would make a splendid Christmas gift.
Reg. \$4.50 each. Sale Price **\$4.05**
Reg. \$5.75 each. Sale Price **\$5.13**
Reg. \$9.50 each. Sale Price **\$8.55**

Cotton Blankets.
Made from best quality California cotton in a soft fleecy finish, with Pink and Blue borders.
Size 50 x 72. Reg. \$2.70 pair. S. Price **\$2.45**
Size 60 x 74. Reg. \$3.30 pair. S. Price **\$2.97**
Size 72 x 80. Reg. \$4.30 pair. S. Price **\$3.87**

Figured Flannelette.
27 inches, in a range of pretty designs, suitable for children's dressing gowns, gressing jackets, etc. Reg. 40c. yard. Sale Price **36c.**

Guest Towelling.
Fancy Hackback Towelling, 16 inches wide, in beautiful designs, made into towels, they make a perfect Christmas gift. Reg. 50c. 55c. yard. Sale Price **50c.**

SLIPPERS the Ideal Xmas Gift

Women's Slippers.
Felt Slippers for women, colors of Wine, Brown, Grey, Rose and Purple, leather sole, rubber heels, Juliet design, fur trimmed; sizes 4 to 8. Reg. \$1.95 pair. Sale Price **\$1.76**

Men's Felt Slippers.
Soft sole in Grey and Brown; all sizes. Give him a pair for Xmas, he will find them very comfortable. Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale Price **\$1.35**

Men's Suede Slippers.
Made from best quality Brown Suede, soft sole; all sizes. Would make a delightful Christmas gift. Reg. \$2.80 pair. Sale Price **\$2.52**

Men's Spats.
Best quality Felt Spats for men, all sizes, in Brown and Fawn. A Christmas gift he would surely appreciate. Reg. \$2.25 pair. Sale Price **\$1.97**

Child's Shoes.
Made of Felt, colors of Green, Red and Brown, sandal strap, chrome leather soles, sizes 1 to 5. Reg. 95c. value Special Friday and Saturday the pair **59c.**

Beautiful Stamped Linens

Pillow Cases.
Made from best quality longcloth, hemstitched and stamped in beautiful designs, ready for working. Reg. \$2.50 pair. Sale Price **\$2.10**

Child's Play Aprons.
Made from Blay Calico, stamped in tinted designs. Reg. 70c. each. Sale Price **59c.**

Luncheon Sets.
Consisting of cloth and serviettes to match, made of White Union Linen, of a splendid quality, stamped in pretty designs, ready for working. Reg. \$1.65 set. Sale Price **\$1.40**

Tea Aprons.
Lawn Aprons. Large size of Tea Aprons, without bib, made of fine pintucks down side and above hem. Reg. \$1.44 each. Sale Price **\$1.30**

Gloves A Most Pleasing Gift

Women's Gloves.
A wonderful bargain in Women's Chamois Gloves, in White and Chamois, 2 dome fastened, all sizes. An opportunity you should not miss. Reg. \$3.60 pair. Special for Friday and Saturday **\$1.49**

Men's Kid Gloves.
Tan Cape Kid Gloves for men, dome fastened, wool lined throughout, fitted with wrist protector, very strong, having outside sewn seams, all sizes; extra special value. Friday and Saturday per pair **\$2.10**

Suede Gloves.
Men's Brown Suede Gloves, dome fastened; wool lined throughout; all sizes, just the gloves for Christmas gift giving. Reg. \$4.50 pr. Sale Price **\$4.05**

Wool Gauntlets.
Women's Wool Gauntlets in Grey and Heather mixtures, assorted sizes. The ideal gloves for cold weather; special value. Reg. \$1.22 pair. S. Price **\$1.12**

Don't Forget the Toys

Although the selling in this department has been very heavy, we are still showing a splendid selection of Toys, the real playful kinds for little tots, and the sturdy, educational sorts for older boys and girls. The assortment is so varied that we cannot do better than ask you to come and look them over in person.

The Royal Stores, Ltd.

Women's Scarves

Women's Scarves.
A selection of beautiful Silk Scarves, 54 inches long, 10 inches wide, finished with wide fringe, shades of Cinpamon, Fawn and Bronze. Reg. \$5.00 each. Sale Price **\$4.40**

The News that will Spread Like Wild-Fire from North to South; from East to West—

The NEWS That Our 1st ANNIVERSARY SALE

STARTS TO-MORROW!

CRASH! GO PRICES



in the Greatest SHOE SALE Ever Held in Saint John's



Orders are Orders

and you are going to follow them to the letter. Headquarters gives me orders to make this Sale the greatest Shoe Sale this town has ever experienced! Now watch me do it! I am out for a RECORD! Nothing to say me Now! I am going to set this town talking. Talk about Bargains! Talk about Values! I am going to jam this Store with the most startling array of bargains any man or woman ever saw. We're all ready; tables piled high, shelves jammed tight with the wonder values of the year.

The Manager

8000 Prs.

Boots and Shoes

THROWN ON THE
BARGAIN BLOCK

Men's Tan Dress Boots

Fine appearing good Leather Boots such as you pay \$6.00 everywhere for. Now we offer them at a hair-raising price.

3.98

Sizes 6 to 10.

Misses' Boot

Black only. An unheard of low price

1.79

Ladies' Douglas Shoes

Brown and Black. A limited quantity. Out they go at

1.90

Boys' Tan Boots

Goodyear welt, Russian Calf, very dressy, for

2.75

Misses' Shoes

Brown Strap, neat appearing, real good for

1.49

No Mail Orders

Misses' Tan Boots

Size 10 to 2

1.98

Children's Boots

Buttoned and Lace, with heels. Sizes 3 to 8. At a give-away price

39c

Men's Vici Kid Tan Boots

Absolutely all leather. A \$10.00 Boot everywhere. At our special low Anniversary Price they are a great value

6.50

Men's Working Boots

TAN and BLACK. The outstanding value of this Sale

2.65

Ladies' Suede and Patent Shoes

Sizes 3 to 6. Rubber heels, medium toe; a fine Shoe for dress and street wear

2.89

Men's Black Boots

Goodyear welt, rubber heels, medium toe. Here's a real gift. Only,

3.50
a pair

Misses' Spats

All Sizes

Special
59c

For months and months we have searched the markets for offerings fitting for this great occasion. Manufacturers and Jobbers co-operated with us as never before with splendid Shoes at price concessions that enable us to pass it on to you at the usual Wholesale Cost. No matter where you live—no matter what the weather may be, plan to be here when the Store opens to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Positively No Mail Orders Accepted!

Boys' Boots

\$3.50 Value.

Exceptionally fine Leather, strong and durable Boots with rubber heels. Sizes to 13½

1.98

The American Boot and Shoe Store

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Saint John's

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Buy Your Carpets at Bowring's

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Our CARPETS and CARPET SQUARES are English Manufacture, in Wilton, Brussels and Tapestry, the very newest in shades and design. We are also showing a good range STAIR CARPETS, RUNNERS and HEARTH RUGS, MATS, etc., all of a very superior quality.



All sizes in Congoleum and Linoleum Squares at exceptionally low prices

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Prices that Please.



Come in and See Our New HOLIDAY GROCERIES

To look around our neatly arranged Store will help you to select the many things you need

Ground Sweet Almonds	30 & 50c. tin
Glace Cherries	50 & 60c. lb.
Mince Meat (1 lb. Glass)	55c.
Marshmallow Cream	40c.
Custard Powder (1 lb. tin)	40c.
Custard Powder (1/2 lb. tin)	25c.
Lemon Curd	50c.
Isinglass	25c.
Gelatine, Knox	33c.
Nestles Cream (large tin)	40c.
Nestles Cream (Small tin)	23c.
Table Jelly, Nu Jell	15c. pkt.
Table Jelly, Chivers	23c. pkt.
Table Jelly, Easy Jell	14c. pkt.

CANNED FRUITS.	
Raspberries, 2s	50c. tin
Strawberries, 2s	50c. tin
Apricots, 2 1/2s	30c & 45c. tin
Peaches, 2 1/2s	35c. & 50c. tin
Prunes, 2 1/2s	48c. tin
Egg Plums, 2 1/2s	30c. & 40c. tin
Pears, 2 1/2s	43c. & 60c. tin
Pineapple, 2 1/2s	45c. tin
Pineapple (Crushed)	32c. tin
Pineapple (Cubes)	23c. tin
Cherries, 2 1/2s	65c. tin
Fruit Salad	65c. tin
Bakeapples	30c. tin

BOTTLED FRUITS.	
Cherries	\$1.00 Bot.
Raspberries	85c. Bot.
Red Plum	55c. Bot.
Gooseberries	40c. Bot.

FRESH FRUITS.	
ORANGES—	
Porto Rico	40c. doz.
California	60 & 80c. doz.
Florida	60c. doz.
Valencia	35c. doz.
Table Apples	45 & 50c. doz.
Pears, California	\$1.20 doz.
Bananas	20c. lb.
Grapes (Green)	20c. lb.
Grapes (Red)	35c. lb.
Grape Fruit (80s)	3 for 22c.
Tangerines	doz.
Pomegranates	ea.

HOLLY WREATH and LAUREL ROPE

TURKEYS, GEESE, CHICKEN and DUCKS

DRINKS—	
Assorted Syrups	25 & 40c. bot.
Lemon Squash	50 & 75c. bot.
Roses Lime Juice	45 & 80c. bot.
Kia-Ora Lemon Squash	75c. bot.
Kia-Ora Lime Juice Cordial	75c. bot.
Apple Cider	25c. bot.
Apple Cider (1 gal. Jar)	\$1.75 jar

SCHWEPES—	
Non-Alcoholic Wines	60c. bot.
Ginger Ale	25c. bot.
Lemonade	25c. bot.
Ginger Beer	25c. bot.
Soda Water (Large)	25c. bot.
Soda Water (Splits)	20c. bot.

CHASE and SANDBOURNS
"Seal Brand" COFFEE demonstration is now on. Come in and try a cup, also a piece of MOIRS' genuine Sponge Cake.

Hockey Skates

Premier Tube	\$7.00
King	5.90
Mic Mac & Regal	4.50
Varsity	3.95
Champion	2.35
Scotia	4.20

Hockey Skates

Belle	\$1.55
Beauty	2.90
Beaver	4.00
Glacier	4.55
Regis	4.20
Ravina	1.90

Keep Him Out-Doors
Fresh air, exercise and plenty of good food—these make sturdy youngsters. Get him a new sled—encourage him to spend every play hour in fine weather out-of-doors. Come and see our large assortment of skates, sleds, etc., for outdoor sports.

Champion Coasters

\$3.10 to \$4.80 each

Sleighs

\$1.90 to \$4.00 each

Baby Sleighs

\$11.00 to \$20.00 each

Sleds

\$1.40 to \$2.80 each

Double Runner Skates, 60c pair

E. P. Silverware

Sugar Bowls	\$6.50
Tea Pots	10.00 to 25.00
Cake Dishes	9.00 to 15.00
Toast Racks	8.00
Flower Stands	10.00
Salad Bowls	15.00
Fiddle Dishes	6.50
Biscuit Barrels	6.50
Cruets	4.00 to 11.00

Cutlery

Dinner Knives	\$5.00 to \$22.00
Dessert Knives	3.00 to 10.50
Cake Knives	2.20
Bread Knives	35c. to 2.00
Carvers (Sets)	3.00 to 22.00

Manicure Sets

55c. to \$8.00

The "Northland" Ski

Pine, 4 foot and 5 foot	\$2.00, \$3.50 pr.
Maple, 5 foot and 6 1/2 foot	\$5.20, \$8.50 pr.
Hickory, 6 1/2 foot and 7 foot	12.00, 13.00 pr.
Ski Bindings, Adjustable—	\$2.70, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.60 pair
Ski Poles, Stand and Rig. Hardwood—	75c., \$1.70 each

Hockey Sticks, Reg. Models	55c. to \$2.00
Hockey Pucks, Reg. & Inter.	30c. to 45c.

Smokers' Requisites

Ash Trays	45c. to \$10.00
Smokers' Stands	4.50 to 18.00
Tobacco Pouches	35c. to 4.00
Cigarette Holders	45c. to 2.40
Cigar Holders	50c. to 2.50
De Luxe Briar Pipes	2.20 ea.
G.B.D. Briar Pipes	3.50 ea.
Case Pipes (Singles)	4.00 to 10.00
Case Pipes (Sets)	9.50 to 18.00

Dunhill Pipes

Plain Briar	\$7.50 ea.
Shell Briar	8.00 ea.
Brass Kerbs	9.00 to 36.00
Bronze Kerbs	5.50 to 28.00
Fire Iron (Stands)	11.00 to 25.00
Fire Irons (Sets)	6.75
Fire Screens	17.00
Coal Hods	22.00 to 45.00

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Rubber Cement	Flashlights & Batteries
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Machine Oil	Galvanized Wash Tubs
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Sink Strainers	Waste Paper Baskets
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Kitchen Forks	Broilers
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Folding Coat Hangers	Hat and Coat Hooks
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ELECTRICAL GOODS

Heaters	Irons
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Thermos Bottles and Refills	Grape Fruit Knives
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Having installed another Giant Electric Hair Dryer and enlarged our Parlours to Five Booths, the most up-to-date in St. John's, we are now in a position to offer the following revised Price List. We are experts in all branches of the Hairdressing Profession and our advice is always at your disposal.

FULL HEAD OF HAIR—	BOBBED HAIR—
Shampoo75c.	Shingle or Plain Bob . . .50c.
Marcel Wave75c.	Trimming30c.
Round Wave75c.	Curl with Marcel Wave . .50c.
Facial Massage75c.	Shampoo50c.
Clay Pack\$1.00	Scalp Treatments . . .50c.
Manicure50c.	

DYEING and BLEACHING HAIR.

We carry a full line of Hair Tonics, Hair Dye, French Face Creams, Powders, Lip Stick, Eyebrow Pencil, Coty Perfume, Brillantine.

Also, a nice assortment of Earrings, Beads, Bangles, from 25c. to \$1.75.

Open from 9 to 7—Monday, Wednesday, Friday,
9 to 9—Tuesday and Thursday,
9 to 10.30—Saturday.

RAW FURS!

A reliable Manufacturing House has placed an order with me for a large collection of Newfoundland Raw Furs, including:

10,000 Muskrat
2,000 Weasels.
1,000 Red Fox
500 Cross Fox
500 Otters
500 Lynx.

They also want a number of Silvery Black Fox and are prepared to pay the highest market value for good prime skins.

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As Wholesale Commission Merchant it is not my policy to speculate on CONSIGNMENTS of any description, by taking over the goods on an advancing market. I sell consistent with quality and market conditions, rendering account sales with my SALES NOTE signed by the purchasers, so that by this method every shipper receives full benefit until the Consignment is closed.

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I ship such produce in the ORIGINAL PACKAGES as delivered me from the Plantations, as it is the only correct method to adopt, so as to ensure all Purchasers that they are receiving ORIGINAL PRODUCTS intact.

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Don't Say Paper, Say the Evening Telegram.

In the Realms of Sport

COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE—LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.

Boat & Shoe Co. vs. Hubley's.

Boat & Shoe Co.	1	2	3	Tot.
P. Griffin	119	83	136	338
P. Noseworthy	111	104	126	341
P. English	116	86	134	336
J. Maddigan	115	159	93	367
	461	432	489	1382

Hubley's

F. Jones	1	2	3	Tot.
F. Jones	75	92	144	311
M. Ryan	145	131	111	387
W. Hawkins	85	108	78	271
C. A. Hubley	95	90	95	280
	400	421	428	1249

Job Bro. vs. Bowling Bros.

Bowling's	1	2	3	Tot.
D. Metner	124	129	110	363
C. Adams	100	96	95	291
S. Simms	93	101	104	298
S. Grimes	89	116	85	290
	406	442	394	1242

Job's

R. Kent	1	2	3	Tot.
R. Kent	125	120	77	322
W. Furneaux	144	162	122	428
H. Haynes	92	116	94	302
E. Walsh	95	144	96	335
	456	542	389	1387

To-Night's Games.
7.30—Nail Company vs. Imp. Tobacco Company.
9.00—Job Bros. vs. General Post Office.

BANKERS' BOWLING LEAGUE.

Bank of N.S. vs. Royal Bank of Canada

Bank of N.S.	1	2	3	Tot.
S. T. Jones	105	98	89	292
D. I. Chetwynd	123	148	103	374
W. J. Brien	77	112	136	325
Dawson Barrett	83	107	101	291
	388	465	429	1282

Royal B. of C.

J. K. McClacerty	1	2	3	Tot.
J. K. McClacerty	75	105	90	270
H. Rowe	62	77	36	175
H. Skirving	106	70	128	304
F. Kelly	82	93	131	306
	325	345	385	1055

AT THE RINKS.

Although we have had very little frost during the week, it might be said that Skipper Jim Wilcox, the ice man at the Prince's Rink, has been successful in securing a good solid bottom. A visit from Jack Frost would be gladly welcomed. The Rink is expected to be open for general skating the latter part of next week. Preparations are also being made for the Roarin' Game in the Curling Club. The Foreman has been engaged levelled ground in the four rinks, etc., and when completed flooding will commence.

HOCKEY MEETING.

The annual Meeting of the Newfoundland Hockey Association takes place early next week.

NELD. ATHLETE HEARD FROM.
Recent letters received from Master L. Nikosey, now at St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, tells of his success in the athletic arena. In the track meet in October, he was successful in two races, and was awarded trophies for each. He also won his rugby colors and played in the game that gave his College the Academy Championship of the Maritime Provinces. He is now hoping to make his place on the College basketball team. Master Nikosey is a son of Mr. M. Nikosey, auctioneer, and was a prominent member of St. Bon's Athletic team and the T.A. Junior Football team. His many friends in the city will be pleased to hear of his success.

RINK ON BURTON'S POND.

A splendid air rink has been made on Burton's Pond and, with the fine moonlight nights no doubt it will be availed of by many for a good evening's enjoyment.

INTER CLUB BILLIARDS.

Honors were evenly divided last night. The inter club billiard tournament is drawing to a close, and it now appears as if the B.I.S. players will be victorious as they are leading by 442 points. After the first game last night, it looked as if the finish of the tournament would be interesting, but what the Masonic players gained in this game they lost in the second and two more points added to the B. I. S. lead.

Last night's games were too one-sided to be interesting and practically the same thing happened in both; the winners taking the lead at the beginning and gradually increasing it until the end.

The first game was played by F. Rabbitts (Masonic) and W. Wallace (B.I.S.). Wallace opened the score, then Rabbitts scored 27, and from then to the finish he led with ever increasing margin. The final score was Rabbitts, 359; Wallace, 214. The breaks were:

F. Rabbitts (Masonic)—350—27, 14, 10, 12, 13, 18, 17, 19—143.
W. Wallace (B.I.S.)—214—15, 17, 11, 17, 11—72.

A. Moakler (B.I.S.) and N. Snow (Masonic) were the second pair to play. Moakler was in good form and played a fine game throughout, having a good run of breaks. Snow was entirely off his game and could never set the balls running. The score was Moakler, 359; Snow, 212. The following were the breaks:

A. Moakler (B.I.S.)—350—24, 21, 11, 15, 18, 24, 16, 23, 12, 26, 18, 24—233.
N. Snow (Masonic)—212—13, 14, 14, 12, 19, 12, 12—115.

To-Night's Games.

7.30—J. Ansel (Masonic) vs. C. McKav (B.I.S.).
9.00—J. Duff (Masonic) vs. J. Hickey (B.I.S.).

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Suggests Restricting Senate's Powers

OTTAWA, Dec. 6.—(By Canadian Press)—If Premier King introduces legislation during the next session of Parliament to restrict the veto powers of the Senate, as he has intimated he will, it will be the eight occasion on which Senate reform has been before the Parliament of Canada in one form or another. While the Prime Minister's proposals are scarcely as sweeping as some of the measures that have been put forward in times past, they would, if passed, permit Commons legislation to become law if passed three times by the lower House and in spite of any Senatorial veto. Although the Prime Minister has not announced any further measures, it is stated that the proposals will include a retiring age for members of the Senate.

The earliest attempt to amend the constitution of the Senate was made in 1874 when the British North America Act had barely emerged from its experimental stages. At that time David Mills, who was later Minister of Justice and member of the Supreme Court, moved in the House of Commons that "Our Constitution ought to be amended so as to confer upon each province the power of selecting its own senators, and to define the mode of their election." The debate on this resolution was adjourned. The following year the resolution was revived by Mr. Mills, who said in his speech that until all the provinces were directly represented in the Senate, the Federal compact was constitutionally imperfect. As the motion was merely to consider a proposition to be developed later, the Commons, on a vote of 77 to 74, went into committee of the whole but rose immediately with power to sit again. But Mr. Mills was not prepared to submit the details of his scheme and his motion was withdrawn.

For 30 years the matter of Senate reform was untouched. In April, 1906, Mr. McIntyre, member for Perth, proposed to abolish the life tenure of Senators and limit the tenure appointment to three parliaments and to provide a fixed age for retirement. Following a debate the motion was withdrawn but was revived again in 1908. In 1909, 1910 and 1911 Mr. Lancaster, member for Lincoln, charged the Senate with grave delinquencies and moved that an address be presented to His Majesty asking for the abolition of the Senate. This was finally defeated by 22 to 111. In 1909 Sir Richard Scott introduced the question into the Senate proposing an elective system for two-thirds of the Senate with a term of appointment or election of seven years. No vote was taken on this motion.

Whether or not the legislation planned by Premier King will require an amendment to the British North America Act or not, is a matter now being discussed unofficially. In the event of an amendment to the B.N.A. Act being required, there are several steps necessary before constitutional procedure is complete. Sir George Ross in his book "The Senate of Canada, its Constitution, Powers and Duties Historically Considered," states that (1) Before Parliament could entertain any proposal for Senate reform, except as an academic one, the consent of all the provinces should be obtained for the change which it was proposed to make; (2) the approval of both Houses of Parliament, and (3) the ratification by the Imperial Parliament.

Faces Worth Fortunes

Owing to his "funny face" it is said that George Harris, the Liverpool comedian now playing for the Mack Sennett Film Company, has become the idol of many members of the opposite sex.

There was a time when "laughing" faces were actually manufactured to meet the demand of those who wished to be amused. Up to the end of the reign of James II., human "sculpture" work was carried out by roving tribes of gipsies called Comprachios, who were of Spanish origin. They bought even kidnapped children, and practised a science or art of human disfigurement.

Children thus treated grew up with an immovable and fantastic grin. They were an attraction at all successful travelling booths and entertainments until the custom was repressed by William III. Recently a wealthy and eccentric man in New York, anxious to impart something of the rural atmosphere into his town residence, engaged a man to crow like a farmyard cock outside his bedroom every morning. Yet this is only a revival of an old English Court custom. During several reigns there was a Royal Cock Crier. The man had at childhood undergone an operation of the pharynx. His post was that of watchman, and he ranged the palace during the night and early morning hours, giving out the cry of the farmyard and thus supplying the time.

The last functionary of this kind was a man named William Sampson, who during the reign of Charles II. was paid an annual salary of £225.

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Owing to the late Arrival of the S.S. Sabel I, the Opening Performance will not take place until Monday evening. Tickets purchased for Thursday, Dec. 11th will be good for the opening night.

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SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

THE WONDERFUL DRIVER MENACE.

He thinks he is a wonderful driver. I began a Chat that way some months ago. That time I referred to the man who thinks he is a wonderful driver because he covers ground rapidly by doing all sorts of fool things. Of course the only reason he gets by is because he is saved from disaster by luck and the help of other people who aren't "wonderful drivers."

The Dangerous Slow Driver.

But this time I mean the opposite. I mean the man who covers ground very slowly, and because of that fact, and that alone, thinks he is a safe driver and that everyone who drives faster than he is a fool and dangerous to the community.

As a matter of fact a great many of the speedier drivers aren't half so dangerous as some of these slow drivers.

I have a certain slow driver in mind now. I know he thinks he is ultra safe because he seldom goes more than 18 miles an hour. The effect of that movement on a crowded road is something far from safe, but we will let that pass, while we consider why he is a menace in spite of his pace. Here are two things I have seen him do within the past week. Once I saw him turn off to the left on a state road without signalling or looking behind him. Secondly, I saw him take a very dangerous corner well in the middle of the road.

The Careful Fast Driver.

I maintain that man, and all others

like him, is more dangerous than the man or woman who drives half as fast again but never forgets the car behind, never for a second relaxes his or her vigilance, and strictly keeps all the laws and courtesies of the road.

I think there are a good many things that a driver must look out for other than regulating his pace properly to be a really careful driver.

Here are some of the things the really careful driver doesn't do.

Doesn't ever forget the car behind, even though his chief attention must be on the car in front.

Doesn't ever go across a cross street where he cannot see what is coming without the usual caution.

Doesn't ever speed up when another car starts to pass him.

Never Takes His Eyes Off Children.

Doesn't ever take his eye off children even when they are on the sidewalk, especially when they have a hoop or ball or anything that they are likely to consider more important than their lives if it goes into the street. He knows that any minute he may be asked to perform a miracle of steering to avoid taking either his life or the child's, and he tries always to be ready.

Doesn't ever take his eye off a boy on a bicycle for same act of reasons.

Doesn't ever pass another car on a curve.

Doesn't automatically blow his horn to get a pedestrian out of the way but uses his judgment as to whether the pedestrian is going to be 'the kind that will jump back instead of going forward.

Doesn't ever get in the middle of the road on a curve.

These are a few of the things that the really wonderful driver does besides regulating his pace properly.

Can Good Roads Be Made Without Cost of Anyone?

BONDS FINANCED BY GASOLINE TAX PAID BY BETTER MILEAGE.

(Financial Post).

That new permanent highways can be financed by bond issues to be taken care of so far as both interest and principal are concerned through a gasoline tax, and that the roads will not cost the taxpayers anything, and will not really cost the automobile owners anything because the increased mileage from gasoline over good roads will more than offset the increased cost of gasoline, is being submitted in connection with road-building proposals voted on in the Southern States. Supporting this contention the Manufacturers' Record says:

The gasoline tax, which has come into existence by reason of the automobile industry, provides a way of taking care of the interest on bonds and for their ultimate redemption. It is a tax which should pre-eminently go to work of this kind.

It has been proven by North Carolina's experience that the bonds issued for the superb highway work that is being done there do not cost the state anything; nor do they cost any of the people of the state, even those who pay the gasoline tax, anything. It is a remarkable proposition, unique in all public work, of ability to secure money for a vast expenditure for highways without in reality adding one dollar of burden of any kind to the people of the state.

The gasoline tax in North Carolina, which, as our readers know, has been for several years building one of the finest highway systems in America, will take care of the interest on the bonds and their redemption. But, some may ask, is not this gasoline tax a burden on the people? It is not. It is paid only by the automobile and motortruck people, and they find that the consumption of gasoline using good roads as compared with bad roads is so much lessened that they are saving money by paying the tax on gasoline. They are likewise saving on their tires, on repairs and on the length of life of their cars.

The automobile users are, therefore, getting these splendid highways absolutely without cost to themselves, and securing thereby longer life for their cars and tires, greater comfort for themselves in traveling, and greater ability to get around the state and do business. They are, therefore, actually making a profit by paying the gasoline tax.

Some years ago under the leadership of a governor who had a vision of what good roads would mean to the state, and long before anyone had ever thought of a gasoline tax, and indeed, when there were only a few automobiles in the country, Maryland voted a bond issue for the building of highways. It shocked a lot of people who had been willing to put up with bottomless mud roads in winter and equally bottomless sand roads in some sections, and who never seemed to realize that the state would be enriched and all the people vastly benefited by a system of good roads.

motor trip then from Baltimore to the state capital, Annapolis, 25 miles distant, was a journey to be looked upon with dread, for no one ever knew when he would get to the journey's end, so deep and almost impassable was the sand. The writer was standing one day in a large Baltimore garage when the car of a foreign ambassador had arrived after taking five hours to come from Washington to Baltimore, a distance of less than forty miles!

Now the road to Annapolis is a splendid highway, travelled every day by hundreds of farmers' automobiles and motortrucks bringing the produce to market, and the road between Washington and Baltimore carries an almost endless stream of motortrucks and automobiles. This state never made a wiser investment than when it issued bonds for building this and many other highways, which have given Maryland the reputation throughout the country of having one of the best general road systems in the country, whereas prior to that bond issue it had the reputation of having about the worst.

The whole business life of Maryland and North Carolina, and, indeed, of every other state which has carried out highway building on a large scale has been revolutionized to the good of the people. The farmers are in better shape, the schools are far better attended, the business of the state has greatly advanced, and no one would for one moment to-day criticize the movement which led to these bond issues.

Florida has been almost made over in the last ten or fifteen years by its highway construction. About 100,000 cars owned outside the state annually move into Florida, carrying several hundred thousand people, and the astounding prosperity of that state has been largely the outcome of highway building based on such bonds.

With all of their superb natural advantages, with resources which should have made Kentucky and Tennessee outstanding leaders in the nation's progress, they have in some respects halted by the wayside. They have hardly caught the vision of what can be accomplished for the good of all classes, and pre-eminently for the good of farmers, by the building of highways.

The plan of building highways on the pay-as-you-go system is out of date. It means that it will take decades to accomplish the results which could be accomplished in three or four years by a large bond issue enabling the states to do on a large scale, and aggressively, the work of building highways throughout the entire state.

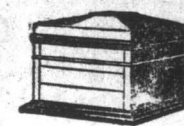
The states which halt in issuing bonds under the conditions of the gasoline tax now prevailing are doing hundreds of thousands of their people to inadequate facilities for farm work, for marketing farm products, for educational progress and for all that makes for the uplifting of a people morally, educationally and materially.

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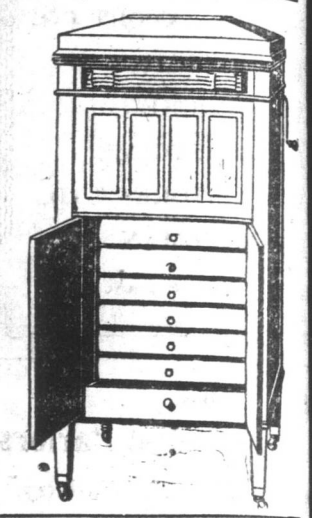
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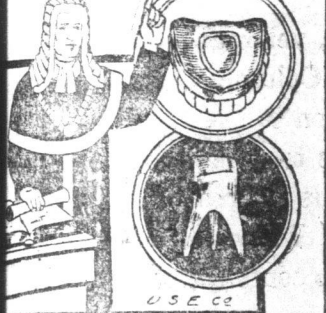
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Well, life is like football—without explanation. You find yourself cast at some difficult station. You don't know just why you were placed where life holds you. Or the curious chance that in such fashion molds you. But here you are, working at something or other. Give your best to that job and don't envy another.

You know what your name is—I'll venture that maybe they called you Jim Green when you came as a baby. You know that you're here, but not what God meant you to do when to labor as Jim Green he sent you. Well, this is your duty—whatever God's plan be: To be the best sort of a Jim Green you can be!

Don't worry about the vague why and the wherefore. There is much in this life we can't answer, and therefore Give thought to yourself. Are you fair in your labor? Do you make a good man, a good friend, a good neighbor? With your job as Jim Green, as the swift years are going, Are you doing your best, is your Jim Green worth knowing?

The War Museum

LONDON, Dec. 11.—(Canadian Press)—The Daily News has this account of the opening of the Imperial War Museum at Kensington:—

"The Imperial War Museum takes you straight back to all the horror and heroism of 1914-18. Most of the exhibits were shown at the Crystal Palace between 1920 and 1923, but there they were lost in the crushing immensity of the place. In its new condensed form at the Imperial Institute the museum is far more effective. Perhaps its most striking feature is that it tells the truth about war. On the ground floor you see all the machinery of war—the big guns, gas projectors, high-explosive shells—and on the floor above you see something of what happens when men come up against this machinery. Visitors will look in vain for anything that glorifies war. There are no prancing horses or immaculate soldiers, but just the plain, stark truth about the horror of it all. One of C. E. Nevinson's suppressed pictures, considered too painful to be shown during the war, now occupies a prominent position. Sargent's "Gassed" is another powerful indictment of war which gains immensely from its new setting. Two of the galleries are devoted to war pictures and portraits by Sir John Lavery and Sir William Orpen, given by the artists."

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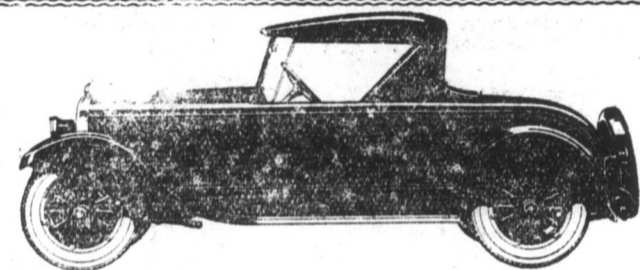
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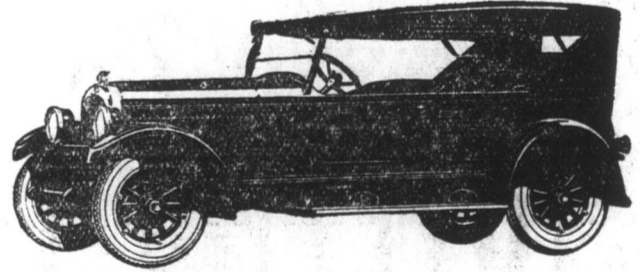
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THE SEALERS.

(H. F. SHORTIS.)

Article XIII.

In a previous article, for the moment I forgot the name of the vessel that brought the last cargo of Hamburg bread to St. John's. I think I am safe in saying that it was the brigantine "Gertrude," Capt. Lamey, owned by the firm of Messrs. J. & W. Stewart of this city. She also had pork, butter, etc. This would be in 1870. Some time afterwards Capt. Lamey died on board the ship in St. John's from smallpox, being quarantined. Capt. Samson succeeded Capt. Lamey, and the vessel and all hands were lost. Capt. Samson was married to a Hr. Grace lady, and I think his daughter is living there now. But I must go ahead with the subject of this article—the Sealers.

"HR. GRACE, March 9, 1832.

The brig Elizabeth, Capt. Stephen Johnson, was the first away to the sealfishery. She left on the 6th March, with the wind southwest, since then a great number of others have departed, and the wind continues to blow from the same quarter."

NOTE.—Capt. Stephen Johnson was a most successful seal-killer, and I can remember him. He was a native of Bay de Verde, and died suddenly on board his vessel at Pitta's wharf, Harbor Grace, that is, immediately south of M. T. Jones' premises. Mr. Jones' father purchased the store and wharf, and the old store is still there.)

MAY GOOD LUCK FOLLOW THEM.

On the same day a fatal accident happened at Spaniard's Bay, when William Brazil, a cooper, while crossing on the ice from the Southside lost his life. An inquest conducted by Mr. John Starke returned a verdict of accidentally drowned. (The Brazil family are still there. The brave young fellow Brazil who received the Military Medal during the Great War is a descendant of the above.)

The following is a correct summary of vessels and their tonnage which have cleared from the different ports of Conception Bay in 1832:—

1 vessel 20 to 30 tons
101 vessels 30 to 70 "
97 " 70 to 110 "
16 " 110 to 130 "
1 vessel 130 to 140 "

Total 216 vessels, 16,193 tons with 4,710 men.

March 2nd, 1832.—A sail is seen in the Bay, and she is undoubtedly a sealer, and all hands rush to the hill to see for themselves. I can imagine the "look-out" being covered with people, men, women and children, also some of the active ones making haste to Mosquito Hill. Who is she? Where is she making for? Will be on everybody's lips. Now she is recognized as the "Elizabeth Maria," and, of course, is on her way to Brigus, and from a boat which has put off to get the news, we learn that she has only 27 seals, and has come home to land a man who was accidentally wounded by another while firing at a seal. She had only reached the ice the day before the accident happened, and the captain reports the ice (300) three hundred miles off. She put to sea again the next day.

Dr. Stirling assisted by two medical men of Brigus and Port de Grave amputated the man's arm at the shoulder and he is reported doing very well.

April 13th gives us quite a list of arrivals—from the sealfishery and the first on the list is our friend the "Elizabeth," Capt. Johnston. She has 3,200 seals. Following is the list of arrivals, their masters and catches and place first reported from:—

At Hr. Grace.		
Vessels	Masters	Catches
Elizabeth—Johnston		3,200
Salvage—Penny		2,500
Mary—Francis—Dwyer		1,500
St. Patrick—Dunford		2,800
Trefill—Keefe		2,200
Waltton—Butt		2,200
William—Green		3,300
Isabella & Margaret—Hearn		3,000
Julia—Butt		1,500
Jane—Parsons		2,900
Sylvanus—Webber		1,800
Dart—Parsons		1,100

At Carbonear.		
Experiment—Taylor		4,475
Dart—Penny		3,000
Little Belt—Thistle		3,000
Marshall		1,100
Catherine & Margt.—McCarthy		400
Good Intent—Pike		2,800
Amelia—Penny		1,900
Elizabeth—Ash		2,900
Philanthropy—Nicoll		3,000
Ann—Davis		3,240
Fox—Benister		1,891
Hazel—McCarthy		1,080
Fortitude—Butt		2,351
Rambler—Clarke		150
Sir Howard Douglas—Dwyer		3,527
Ethiopian—Parsons		2,500
Samuel—Giles		4,200
Selma—Barrett		3,400
13 Brothers—Oats		4,000
Tral—Pike		2,500
Fanny—W. H. Taylor		3,900
Eunice—Simmonds—(vessel damaged)		40
Margaret—Lacy		3,800
Sally—Forward		3,400
Wandered—Butt		150
Fame—Murphy		173
Hunter—Power		1,894
Indian Lass—Peatey		2,899

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Melissa	1,200
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Jane & Mary—Parsons	631
Elizabeth—Glavin	618
Harriett—Davis	600
Thos. & Hugh—Parsons	708
Relief—Davis	1,000
Curley—Hanrahan	2,000
John—Crocker	600

At Carbonear.

Ranger—Penney	665
Rainbow—Taylor	1,670
Elizabeth—Moore	700
Success—Howell	1,100
Londonderry—Oats	60
Julia—Taylor	2,000
Joseph—Taylor	1,450
Boyne—Parsons	400
Lord MacDonald	450
Ferryland Packet—Lynch	300
Corte Mullin—Finn	1,126
Hero—Howell	800
Fanny—Gurney	64
William the 4th—Taylor	300
Lark—Pearce	2,576
Venus	600
John—Burden	1,992
Beginning—Taylor	671
Mattilda—Parsons	429
Minerva—Joyce	2,112
Benjamin—Howell	600
Active—Adams	320
Agenoria—Taylor	900
Waterloo—Ash	2,300
Nancy—Penny	450
Caroline—Ash	1,600
Alpha—Penny	1,000

At Brigus.

Prosperity—Brien	2,750
Abeoria—Percy	2,687
Jubilee—Percy	2,500
Surprise—Gushue	1,000
Nelson—Beaton	600
Ann—Roberts	3,205
Providence—Delaney	2,100
Victory—Norman	2,300
Bickley—Norman	3,560
Terra Nova—Percy	3,210
Four Brothers—Munden	5,015
Naomi & Susanna—Munden	3,761
Margaret—Munden	3,657
Mary Ann—Munden	1,308
Nymph—Norman	1,000
Alexander—Norman	1,000
Brothers—Antle	3,708
Eagle—Cole	4,200

At Spaniard's Bay.

Elizabeth—Russell 2,200

At Port De Grave.

Active—Bussey 2,600

Rover—Herald Full

This is the list as I have it, but it only accounts for about half of the vessels cleared, no doubt it was very hard to get in all these details while the news was fresh, and so neglected to be published later. In glancing over the list I find the high liner is the "Four Brothers," with 5,015 seals. She is commanded by Capt. William Munden of whom on numerous occasions I have written much, and it goes to prove that Robert Brown was right when he said that Capt. Billy Munden "taught them all their business." He has the "Four Brothers," a brig of 104 tons, the first ship of over 100 to prosecute the sealfishery. This "Four Brothers," was built in Brigus in 1819 and repaired in 1851 and renamed the "Three Sisters," by his son, Capt. Asariah Munden, (after his three daughters). This vessel was still afloat in 1873 and still earning money after 54 years service. I have record of her that year putting into St. John's on a voyage from Quebec to England in November, 1873. Capt. Wm. Munden is great grandfather of the Munn's. Mr. Levi Chafe has a splendid photograph of him in his last sealing book. Our paper goes on to say that the men of the Sir Howard Douglas of Carbonear, E. Dwyer master, killed and put on board that vessel at the ice on the 6th April, 2,500 seals. It is said the greatest number ever taken on board in one day. The schooner "Chance," of Hr. Grace, W. Andrews, master, was a total loss at the ice on March 30th, the crew, after being in their punts 26 hours in a gale of North East wind, succeeded in getting on board of some other vessel.

Please note the "Experiment" of Carbonear. She was the second 100 tons vessel ever built to prosecute the sealfishery. When Messrs. Pack, Gosse & Fryer of Carbonear were building this vessel about 1822, their married partner, Mr. Fryer, residing in Poole, England, wrote out to the firm in Carbonear, asking them if it was correct that they were building a vessel of this size for the sealfishery, and if so he wanted her christened the "Experiment." She brought in 5,000 seals on her first trip, and proved a very successful and historical vessel—making some eventful trips.

(To be continued.)

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Insist on EVEREADY RADIO BATTERIES. They last longer.



Municipal Council

WEEKLY MEETING.

The weekly meeting of the Council was held yesterday afternoon. The Mayor presided and the full Board of Councilors was present. After the confirmation of Minutes and disposal of the usual preliminary business a deputation from the Playground and Recreation Association—consisting of Messrs. E. R. Bowring, R. Ayre and Dr. V. P. Burke—was admitted to the Council Chamber. A report of the proceedings appears in another column.

A communication was read from the Manager of the Sterling Restaurant, calling attention to the conditions of the concrete pavement fronting their premises, Water Street. Under the Municipal Act, "owners of premises on Water Street in front of which sidewalks of concrete have been laid shall keep the said sidewalks in front of their premises in good repair." It was therefore decid-

ed that the owners be notified accordingly.

The City Engineer reported during the recent snow-fall, and occupiers of buildings along Water Street had violated the By-law by throwing snow into the thoroughfare. It was ordered Section of the Act dealing with matters be published and further the Inspectors be requested to immediately report any future cases of this kind, so that prompt action be taken.

The Medical Officer of Health reported one new case of Scarlet in the City during the past week. At the present time there are in the city some twelve cases of Fever, of which 10 of Typhoid fever, nine of which are in hospital. The reports of the City Engineer and Sanitary Supervisor on the part of departments under their jurisdiction for the past week were tabulated. Requisitions for several items were granted, and the passing of accounts, the meeting was adjourned.

Relieve That HEADACHE MUSTEROL Gently Rub With

Radiology

By DR. HAM.

There is no difference between "Radio" and Wireless. Radio waves travel at the same speed as light. Three hundred million metres per second.

Don't expect good results if your "B" battery is bad. Test it with a voltmeter, but never with an ammeter. When your 45 goes below 40 volts it is time to oil up the cash register and buy a new one.

Sets using over five tubes should have large heavy duty "B" batteries. They are more economical.

Experiments are now being made on short wave lengths as low as three metres. Don't worry about your set getting out of date. There is a lot of experimenting to be done yet.

The art of Radio is great. Development is fast. And each new set developed seems to "super"-cede the last.

Two More Bouts for Mike McTigue

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Mike McTigue, world light-heavyweight champion, will engage in two bouts before meeting Mickey Walker, king of the welterweights on January 7th.

McTigue will meet Young Marullo who recently outpointed Battling Siki for ten rounds in New Orleans, Dec. 22, and four days later he is scheduled to face Jack Middleton in a 12 round battle at Miami. Both will be no-decision contests.

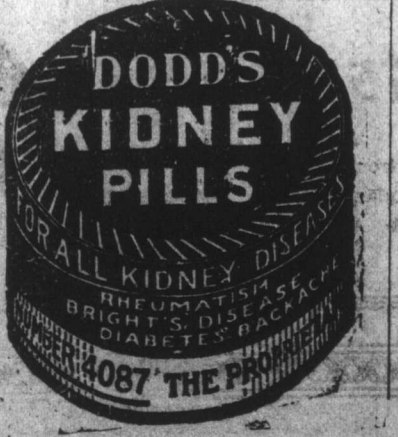
The felt hat has quite definitely risen above the realm of sports millinery. Many variations are seen for afternoon wear.

Who Says There is Nothing in Here?

Rub—"Sharp's" baby is only ten months old and can talk! Dub—"Well, that is to be expected. The baby's father is an expert agent and its mother is a woman. Stripes of gray felt and leather at one side are used for a lightweight version of the Tyrolean hat.

"After taking Two Bottles my wife made rapid progress back to health"

Carnol is one of the finest medicines ever discovered for use in a woman's life when it is vitally necessary to safeguard her own health, at a most critical period, but she must consider the health of the unborn child. What Carnol did for Mrs. Pease. "My wife, about two years ago before our baby was born, suffering from anemia and weakness. She could keep nothing on her stomach. We tried a great many called remedies, phosphates and beef, iron and wine tonic, but no effect. One day I went to one of our local drug stores. Carnol by name, and asked him to give me a reliable tonic for my wife. He handed me a bottle of Carnol commending it highly, and to give it a fair trial. After two bottles my wife made rapid progress back to health. The next day she came back to her cheeks and appetite was completely restored. We find Carnol almost indispensable for our baby. It serves as a medicine, especially at that time, and we are never without a bottle in the house. It gives a great deal of pleasure to receive the merits of Carnol. As a builder, nerve remedy and a wonderful restorative in all conditions, I don't think there is any medicine anywhere equal to it."—Arthur I. Perry, 527-10th St., Brandon, Manitoba.



WINDY'S LINIMENT, THE ATHLETIC'S REMEDY.

DO NOT PUT OFF TILL TO-MORROW

THE SHOPPING YOU CAN DO TO-DAY
YIELD TO THE IMPELLING SPIRIT OF THE SEASON. GIVE! GIVE FREELY!

'Tis not just what you're given, Real Pleasure lies in what you Give.
So for Gifts Galore, just visit this Store and absorb all the pleasure you can.

You will find a Noticeable Plentitude of Gifts Here

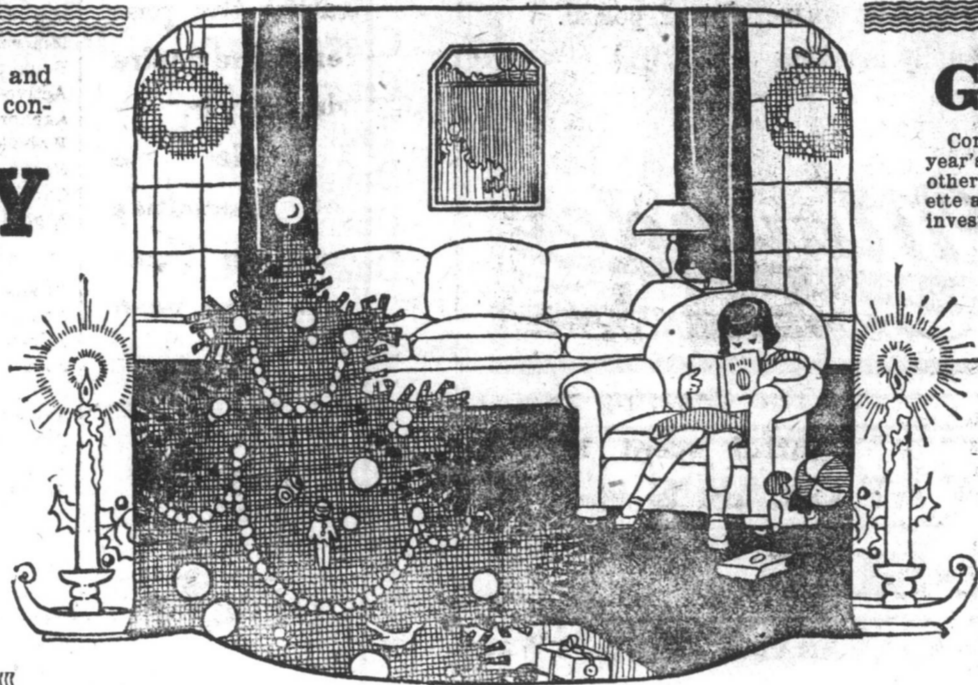


Never were Stocks in such profusion sorted and grouped to avoid confusion. Never were values so conspicuous as down at Baird's this Christmas.

Give HOSIERY

It's a Sensible Gift

- LADIES' HOSE—Plain Seamless Cashmere Hose with wide tops; popular shades: Fawn, Mouse, Brown, Navy and Black. Xmas Special . . . 79c
- BLACK HOSE—English Plain Black Cashmere Hose, excellent quality and weight; assorted sizes. Xmas Special . . . 95c
- SPORT HOSE—It is a pleasure to offer this very superior Hosiery, showing pretty fancy check tops in endless variety. As a gift—supreme. Xmas Special . . . \$2.25
- LADIES' HOSE—For a very acceptable gift we suggest a pair or two of this line, in Lustre Wool, pretty mottled effects in various windings. Xmas Special . . . \$1.20
- LADIES' HOSE—A great line, double weight Plain Black Hosiery, with heavy ribbed knee tops. Xmas Special . . . 49c
- GIRLS' GLOVES—These have gaudy wrist with fancy check tops, in Beaver and Grey shades; gifty looking. Xmas Special . . . 85c.



Gorgeous FUR COATS

Consider these rare and beautiful Fur Coats as your gift list—all this year's models in Hudson Seal and Persian Lamb with Sable Collar and Cuffs, others with self collar and cuffs, and some very handsome models in Beaver-ette and Mink-Marmot. Being Christmas time we make special prices; worth investigating.

- CHILDREN'S NIGHTGOWNS—In Cream Winceyette, they are snug and warm, with round collar and long sleeves, buttoned front, to fit about 2 years. Reg. \$1.50. Special . . . \$1.25
- SUSPENDERS—Ladies' Double Grip Suspenders, in shirred ribbon elastic, shades of Pink, Sky, Hello, Saxe and Rose, as a small gift, alright. Special . . . 35c.
- BOUDOIR CAPS—Dainty affairs, in Crepe de Chine and net, other silk and net and mercerized sateen, fine insertion trimmings. Reg. 45c. Special . . . 37c.
- INFANTS' CAPS AND BONNETS—In wool and silk wool, White, trimmed Pale and Pink, with ribbon and tassels, some plain others brushed wool. Reg. \$1.40. Special . . . 69c.
- DRESSING GOWNS—For children from 2 to 6 years, they come in fancy Blankette, grounds of Navy, Cardinal, Fawn and Grey, cord trim, round collar and long sleeves. Reg. \$2.40. Special . . . \$2.25
- NIGHTGOWNS—Ladies' Cream Winceyette Nightgowns, trimmed with silk Torchon Lace, round neck and 3/4 sleeves. Reg. \$2.60. Special . . . \$2.39



Give Gloves They Are expected Gifts

- Recognizing Gloves, as a popular medium for the expression of your good will at Christmas time, we specialize on the following lines and they're good, all of them.
- CAPE KID GLOVES—Gloves that are prized, in likeable shades of Grey and Brown, gauntlet wrist, strap-over style. Reg. \$3.50. Xmas Special . . . \$3.18
 - TAN KID GLOVES—Ladies' Silk-lined Tan Kid Gloves, very superior quality; as a gift—par excellence. Xmas Special . . . \$3.25
 - GAUNTLET GLOVES—Ladies' and Misses' beautiful all Wool Gloves, showing two-tone gauntlet wrists. The ideal gift. Xmas Special . . . \$1.20
 - SUEDE GLOVES—Gauntlet style with strap-over wrist; Grey and Fawn shades; ladies' sizes 6 to 7 1/2. She is sure to like these. Xmas Special . . . \$1.59
 - SUEDE GLOVES—In White and Natural, gauntlet wrist, fringed back; ladies' sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Distinctively gifty looking. Xmas Special . . . \$2.18
 - WOOL GLOVES—Ladies, wrist length, fine and heavy grades; in Light and Dark shades. A special as assortment for Xmas gifts . . . 85c.

WHAT SHALL I GIVE?

Interest centres round this store, eager shoppers throng each floor; Christmas wares are on display, to gladden hearts on Christmas Day.

This Store Aptly Interprets All Christmas Perplexities

- CUSHION COVERS—Dark Linen Crash Cushion Covers, some with frilled borders, others hemstitched; all nicely embroidered; gifty things and inexpensive. Reg. \$1.00. Special . . . 89c.
- CHILDREN'S SPATS—Sizes 6 to 10 in good shapely Felt Spats; shades of Fawn, Navy and Grey; leather bound. Special . . . \$1.55
- OPALINE CUSHIONS—Beautiful Opaline covered Cushions, art patterns, lasting; ornamental and useful gifts. 85c.
- ROUND CUSHIONS—A range of Chintz covered Cushions, circular shape, reversible. Reg. \$1.25. Xmas Special . . . \$1.10
- CUSHION COVERS—Wonderful range of art patterned Cushion Covers, some with frilled edge, others with twisted cord edge and loop corners. Reg. 89c.
- PILLOW CASES—Hemstitched and Embroidered Pillow Cases; gifts that any housewife would appreciate. 65c.
- PILLOW CASES—One of our better grades, and they are beautiful, beautifully hemstitched and embroidered. Reg. \$1.32
- SIDEBOARD CLOTHS—A very special lot, hemstitched and embroidered on fine white linen. Up to \$1.10 each. 89c.
- BEDROOM SLIPPERS—Men's warm Felt Slippers, in shades of Khaki, Grey and Brown, with soft Chamolli soles and heels. Our Special . . . \$1.28
- TEA CLOTHS—Large White Linen Tea Cloths, hemstitched and embroidered; very handsome. Cloths—Reg. \$1.15
- TEA CLOTHS—Some very handsome Cloths, hemstitched, and showing all-over blue linen embroideries; "Blue Bird" designs, etc. Reg. \$2.20. Xmas Special . . . \$1.85
- SIDEBOARD CLOTHS—An assortment in fine white linen, hemstitched, others scalloped edges all embroidered. Reg. \$1.60. Xmas Special . . . \$1.45
- TAN RUBBERS—Ladies' Dark Tan Rubbers, low cut style; a shape to fit every shoe; sizes 3 to 7. Special . . . \$1.12
- MEN'S RUBBERS—Men's Dark Tan Rubbers, Frisco last. You can depend upon this line of Dominion Brand Rubbers. Special . . . \$1.65
- BEDROOM SLIPPERS—Ladies' high grade Felt Slippers, in shades of Rose, Fawn and Saxe; turn-over tops, leather sole and heel; very dainty looking. Special . . . \$3.15
- INFANTS' BOOTS—Soft soled Boots in finest coloured Kids; sizes 1 to 4; ribbon trimmed; nice for small gifts. Our Special . . . 78c.
- BOLSTER AND PILLOW CASES—Irish Linen Sets, beautiful quality, plain with double hemstitched ends; decidedly gifty looking; each set—2 Pillow Cases and 1 Bolster Case. Reg. \$5.50 set. Special . . . \$4.95

FANCY LINEN SPECIALS

- at 49c each
- Beautifully grouped for inexpensive, yet practical Christmas Gifts.
- Choice of: Pillow Cases, Table Centres, Tray Cloths, Bureau Sets, Sideboard Cloths, Runners, Cushion Covers, D'Oilies.
- at 79c each
- Beautiful assortment of fancy linens—near and dear to the feminine heart.
- Choice of: Tea Cloths, Tray Cloths, Cushion Tops, Duchesse Sets, Cosie Covers, Shams, Pillow Cases, Cushion Covers. Dollar values.

Aprons, Purses, Waists, etc. All Suggestive of Practical Xmas Gifts

- MAIDS' APRONS—An unforgettable item on your gift list; these are wondrously good, in fine White Lawn, with body, Swiss embroidery and fine tucked edges. Xmas Special . . . 73c.
- BLACK BLOUSES—Black Sateen Blouses, with Holo collar and long sleeves; assorted sizes. Reg. \$2.00. Xmas Special . . . \$1.75
- BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS—Fine White Lawn Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners and hemstitched border. 3 in a box for 33c.
- PURSES—Real Leather Purses in Tan, Black and Imitation Crocodile, with strong metal clasp; a little gift and a useful gift. Xmas Special 59c.
- INFANTS' JACKETS—In White Wool, with crocheted edge of Pink, Sky and White and ribbon bows, roll collar and long sleeves; gifty looking. Xmas Special . . . \$2.49
- SEALETTE SETTS—Children's Seallette Sets—Stuff and Collar, in Grey and Beaver; quoted less than Half Price for Xmas. Regular \$3.50. Special . . . \$1.50

White Iveroid Novellies

MAKE MOST ATTRACTIVE XMAS GIFTS. And we show some very useful articles such as: Soap Boxes, Needle Cases, Hair Pin Boxes, Sewing Boxes, Trinket Boxes, Mirrors, Buffers, Infants' Sets, Files, Cuticles and Button Hooks, etc., suitable for lady's Toilet Table or Dressing Case. Your choice. 79c

TOYLAND CALLS YOU



Where the bulging Stocking dangles on Christmas morn—there, happy hearts will be found bringing memories of our own happy childhood days long ago. Toyland is ready—ready as it was never before, with countless things for little girls and boys. Bring the children, watch their little eyes open, watch them frolic and laugh and shout at our wondrous display.

Our toys are very moderate in price noticeably so. Come! while selections and assortments are unbroken. Come! to-day.

WADDLED QUILTS! ON SALE

Two splendid lines, showing up excellently in their pretty art coverings, light and dark blendings, heavily wadded; you probably know someone who would appreciate one of them.
Reg. \$4.80. Special . . . \$4.48
Reg. \$9.00. Special . . . \$8.45

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When there are many to provide for, this assortment is mighty helpful. Suitable Toys for girls or boys, all one price.
Tool Sets, Trains, Cars, Horses, Rattles, Motor Cars, Monkeys, Dogs, Cats, Horns, Bubbles, Spoon Sets, Dominos, Dolls, Washes and Xmas Balls, etc.

Offers a wonderful variety of Toys for tiny tots, inexpensive, well assorted and easy to select. Your choice of the following:
Toys, Trains, Street Cars, Drawing Sheets, Boats, Rabbits, Horns, Tea Sets, Rattles, Humpty Dumplings, Boxed Games, Card Games, Ash Trays, etc.



PRACTICAL GIFTS from The MEN'S & BOYS' SHOP

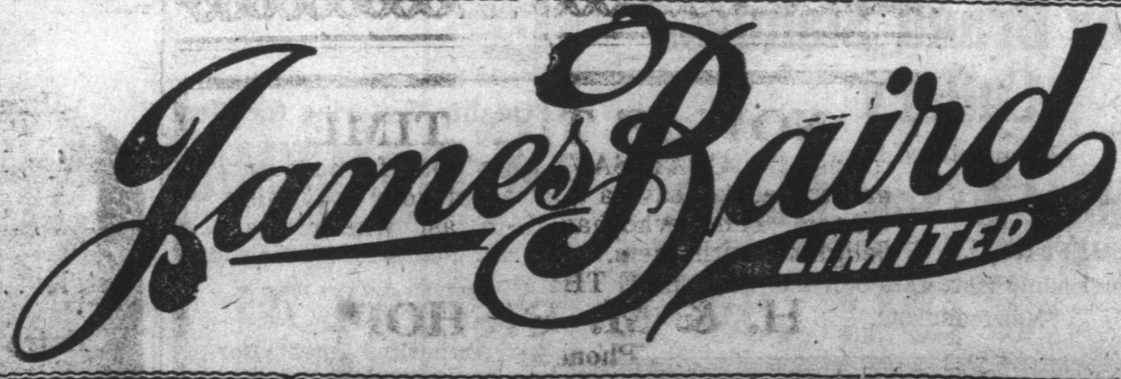
- WOOL MUFFLERS—He is expecting one. We suggest one of our special light-weight all-Wool Scarves; choice of light and dark, with fringed ends. 98c
- COLLAR BOX—All leather, last him a life-time round shape, surprise him with one. Xmas Special . . . \$4.35
- SHAVING SETTS—A very handy gift for any man; they show up splendidly in all nickel fittings and mountings; Mirrors, Soap Dish, Brush and Stand at various prices. \$1.70, \$3.00, \$3.70, \$4.40, \$4.90 up.
- POUCHES—Purse style, in Imitation Crocodile Leather; 2 dome fasteners; a man's gift. Xmas Special . . . 75c.
- GIFT BRACES—Neatly packaged for Christmas Gifts; the Braces come in silk elastic with gift mountings. Consider them. Xmas Special . . . \$1.50
- MEN'S SETTS—Contains one pair Arm Bands and one pair of Socks Supports; a combination package nicely gotten up. Xmas Special . . . 70c.
- MEN'S SPATS—Surprise him with a pair of our classy 4-button Spats; choice of Fawn or Grey shade; a gift he will like. Xmas Special . . . \$1.70
- MEN'S SUEDE GLOVES—Warmly lined Dark Tan Kid Gloves with one dome wrist; the kind he would buy himself. Xmas Special . . . \$2.65
- KNITTED NECKWEAR—When you give "Him" Neckwear of this kind you give something that will last him for years, making the memory of the done everlasting; nice range of shades to select from. Yours for . . . \$1.00
- ABERDEEN GLOVES—Likeable Gloves for Men; Grey and Light Fawn shades, closed wrist. He needs them, perhaps. Xmas Special . . . \$1.00
- LITTLE BOYS' GLOVES—Neat fitting Suede Fabric Gloves in Champagne and Grey shades, one dome wrist; a nice Glove for the little Miss as well. Xmas Specials . . . 65c & 75c
- MEN'S GLOVES—Imitation Suede finish, very dressy and neat for Sunday wear; Grey shade; 1 dome wrist. Xmas Special . . . \$1.10

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Nifty, has double mirror plain and concave, mug; brush and spirit lamp for heating water, high stand mirrors. What a gift! Xmas Special . . . \$7.00

Boys' Overcoats

Introducing a line of Classy Winter Overcoats for boys from 13 to 16 years, double breasted style, patch pockets, 3-piece belt, raglan shoulders, very pretty mixtures in Blanket cloths. Just for Christmas . . . \$14.75



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OUR HAT VALUES are always extra special, but during November we are bringing

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Cudgel thy brains no more about it, but BUY, for popular opinion has long since decided in favour of the charming quality and superb finish of the famous

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Pucks (Regulation, Practice and Youths), Knee-Pads, Shin-Pads, Jockey-Straps, Gloves, Goal-Pads, Whistles, Aluminum Protectors, Hockey Pants, Body Protectors.

Will any team needing Sweaters or Stockings in two or three colours, kindly leave their order with us as soon as possible, so that we can forward it to the factory by the first outward mail? We supplied several City Banks with Sweaters, etc., last season. Did you see them?

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IF YOU FAIL

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Is it your desire that your Estate should be dealt with in this manner?

We have often seen distressing results from neglect to make a Will.

We are always pleased to give our advice to those who contemplate making their Wills and to quote our fees for acting as Executor or Trustee.

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During this week Our Store will remain open until 11 p.m.

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BAY STEAMSHIP SERVICE—CLOSE OF NAVIGATION.

Bonavista Bay—Steamer leaves Port Blandford December 26th, for South Side of Bay, and December 29th, for North Side of Bay, making final trip for season.

Green Bay—Steamer leaving Lewisporte, December 29th, will make last trip for season.

Notre Dame Bay—Leaving Lewisporte, January 2nd, 1925, steamer will make last trip for season.

Humbermouth-Battle Hr. Route—Leaving Humbermouth, December 24th, steamer will make final trip for season.

Final Freight acceptance will be advertised in due course.

Freight for undermentioned Bays accepted at Freight Shed as follows:—

Bonavista Bay (North Side) Ports, Charlottetown to Wesleyville—to-day, Friday.

Bonavista Bay (South Side) Ports, Bunyan's Cove to King's Cove—Tuesday, December 16th.

Northern Steamship Service, S.S. PORTIA (Dock Shed)—Ports to Cook's Harbor—Friday and Saturday.

TO ALL CONCERNED.

The Railway will endeavour, as far as possible, to forward all freight and express matter via North Sydney and Port aux Basques, but reserves the right, whenever circumstances in the opinion of the Railway, require it, to forward freight and express matter originally billed via North Sydney and Port aux Basques, and designated steamers via Halifax or Louisburg, collecting extra charges over connecting lines between North Sydney and Louisburg, and also the right to forward same by any steamer owned or chartered by the Railway from North Sydney or Louisburg, or Halifax, direct to St. John's, or Newfoundland ports, other than Port aux Basques.

Shippers or Consignees, when effecting Marine Insurance, should bear this in mind, and have their policies covered accordingly.

HUMBERMOUTH-BATTLE HARBOR STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

Passengers leaving St. John's on express 1 p.m. Sunday, December 14th, will connect with S.S. HOME at Humbermouth for regular ports en route to Battle Harbor.

Nfld. Government Railway.

Farquhar Steamship Cos.

REGULAR SAILINGS OF STEEL STEAMSHIP "SABLE L"

Leaves Boston ... 4 p.m. Dec. 16th; Dec. 30th for Halifax. Leaves Halifax ... 11 a.m. Dec. 19th; Jan. 2nd for St. John's. Leaves St. John's ... 4 p.m. Dec. 23rd; Jan. 6th for Halifax. Leaves Halifax ... 11 a.m. Dec. 27th; Jan. 10th for Boston.

Passengers from Montreal, Boston, etc., arriving at Halifax by express train Thursday night, will connect with steamer leaving Halifax for St. John's.

Passengers from St. John's arriving at Halifax by "Sable L" Thursday, midnight, will connect with Friday morning's express train leaving Halifax for Montreal, Boston, etc.

Fare: \$30.00 to Halifax; \$51.50 to Boston, includes meals and accommodation.

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