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"Erasmic" Soap and Perfumes!

Raven or golden tresses, plain face or beautiful, the great delight of every woman of any age is to make the best of herself. A thousand attributes of mind, looks, manners and art, make the distinctive quality we call personal magnetism.

T. B. CLIFT, Newfoundland Manager.

One Result of Irish Settlement.

Better Understanding Between Britain and America -- Three Thousand Political Prisoners Released by Royal Proclamation -- Canadian Liberals Have Bare Majority.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. A profound effect on relations between Great Britain and the United States is foreseen here by reason of settlement of the Irish question.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7. The Canadian elections added 613 seats to the Dominion Treasury, 613 seats according to latest returns.

TORONTO, Dec. 7. The latest Dominion election returns show Liberals 22, Progressives 37, Conservatives 37.

LANTIC SUGAR COMPETITION

We sent Lantic Sugar Recipe Books to each competitor; let us know if you didn't get yours.

The \$10.00 prize was won by Miss Evelyn Boone, 5 Cummings' Street, whose list contained 75 words as follows:

- A—Ant, act, ail, aga, ai, art, an, at, ait, ala, as, air, ana, ani, ara, arc.
B—Bat, can, car, cur, cut, cit, cal.
C—Cat, can, car, cur, cut, cit, cal.
D—Dad, day, dig, din, dit, dit, dit.
E—Eat, ear, ear, ear, ear, ear, ear.
F—Fad, fan, fan, fan, fan, fan, fan.
G—Gas, gun, gin, gut, gan, gnu, gar.
H—Hut, hit, hit, hit, hit, hit, hit.
I—It, in, its, is.
J—Jag, lag, lit, lug, la, lar, li.
K—Kag, kit, nit, nul, nil, nil.
L—Lag, lag, ran, rat, run, rig, rut, ras.
M—Mac, sal, sat, sit, sag, sir, sic, sun, sig, sug, sin.
N—Nag, tan, tun, tig, tin, tug, tar, tac.
O—Orr, us.

We checked the above list with Webster's Revised Unabridged Dictionary, 1914-16 Edition, disallowing obsolete words, also prefixes and suffixes.

NOW, BOYS AND GIRLS, don't be downhearted, carry on saving up the Red Balls which are on all Lantic Sugar packages.

We shall have another competition by and by, in which the number of Red Balls that you send us will count, and we shall have several prizes in this new competition.

Colin Campbell, Ltd.

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Steer Brothers Big Sale THE GREAT ATTRACTION Get Your Share of the Bargains.

Boots at Half Price. LADIES' HIGH LACED. The School Chum Gun Metal Calf, low heel, solid, well made and smart looking; just the boot for big girls.

LADIES' HIGH GRADE BOOTS. In Vici and Gun Metal, Black and Brown; all smart dressy styles. Regular from \$10.00 to \$15.00. Now \$5.00 to \$7.50.

MEN'S BOOTS. In Gun Metal Box Calf and Vici; unequalled values. Regular \$8.50 to \$15.50. Now \$4.65 to \$7.75.

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Raincoats, Raglans, Winter Caps, Soft Felt Hats, at Half Price

LADIES' CARACUL COATS. Dolman style. Regular \$45.00. Now \$15.00. CHILDREN'S COATS. To fit from 4 to 9 years. Regular from \$7.00 to \$8.00. Now \$3.85.

DRESS GOODS. All Wool Navy Serges. Regular \$5.00. Now \$2.50. Regular \$6.00. Now \$3.00. Regular \$7.50. Now \$3.75.

SHIRTS. Men's Fancy Striped Flannel Shirts with saaten bands. That were \$4.80 to \$5.50. Now \$2.75. FANCY STRIPED FLANNEL. For Shirts or Pyjamas. That was \$1.35 to \$1.70 yard. Now 75c.

STEER Brothers.

social evening will be on next Friday evening when all the "gang" are expected, and President Chafe will give a hearty welcome to the dance in the C.L.B. gymnasium, Dec. 7th.

Dons. And Something About Proctors. Tell me not in idle chatter 'Dons are very wicked men; It is no important matter 'What they are, or how, or when.

ASK FOR ALVINA The Improved Tonic Preparation of an Extract of Cod Liver Oil. Persistently Recommended for Persistent Coughs, Bronchitis, Anemia.

Public School Atmosphere. The modern undergraduates find themselves living in the atmosphere of a larger public school. To each "Freshman" is assigned a tutor (a "Dosh") who advises him as to his course of reading, maps out his lectures, and generally acts as guide, philosopher, and friend.

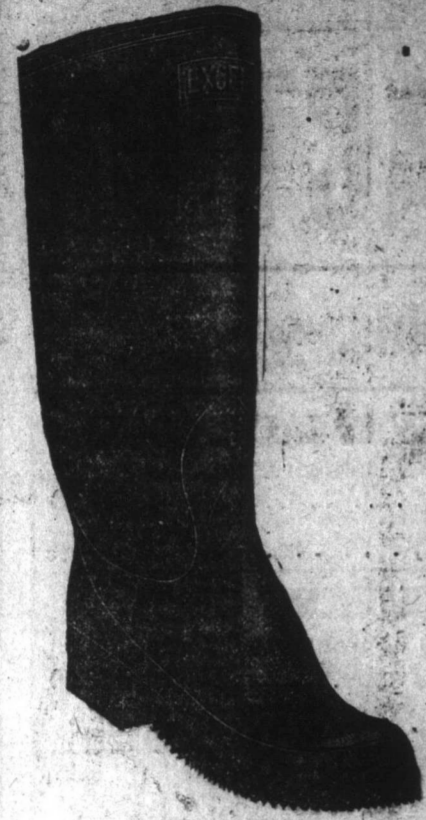
Glorified Felleman. The two Dons who are, undoubtedly, the most dreaded by undergraduates are the Proctors. These two gentlemen, who are elected annually, are, in a sense, glorified policemen. Accompanied by two college servants, nicknamed "bulldogs," they patrol the streets usually from 8 p.m. to 12 p.m.

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made up of two parts. The first crown was offered by the Pope to Duke Stephen in the year 1000; the second was given by the Emperor Michael to Duke Geisa in 1073. This latter crown more a curious inscription, which spoke of the Duke as the King of the Turks.

Household Notes. Meat should not be kept directly on ice. Filled bread should snap when broken. Sliced bananas are good with lemon depth. Add a little vanilla to the chocolate cake.

# Fishermen! Here's the Boot for You-"EXCEL"!



"EXCEL" Made 'All in One Piece'

## "EXCEL"

### The Fishermen's Friend

All fishermen know from experience what happens to ordinary boots when used in fishing. You've seen how salt water seems to take the life out of rubber and how the upper crack and the soles wear through in a surprisingly short time.

The "EXCEL" is a different and better kind of boot. It has been made especially to stand up under the unusually hard use a fisherman's boot gets.

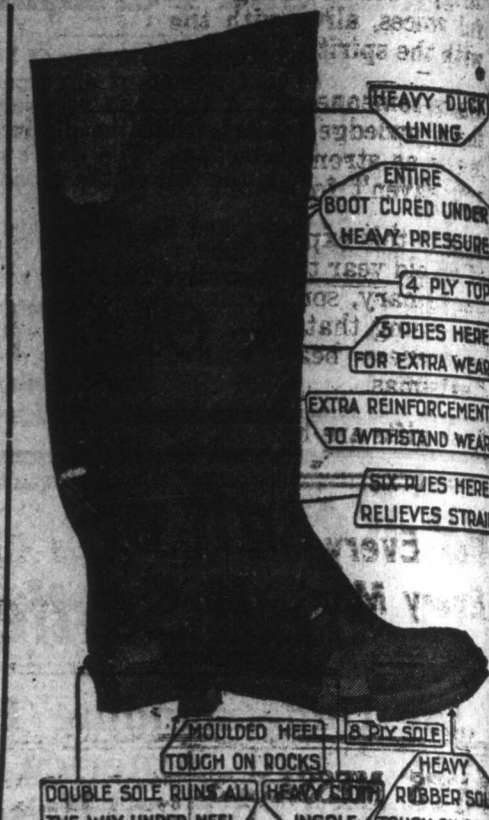
The rubber and fabric in "EXCEL" boots are of the very highest quality. But it is the special method of curing, under tremendous pressure, that makes the "EXCEL" so wear-resisting. The pressure forces the layers of rubber and fabric together so that they are actually "one-piece", without losing the least bit of the

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These are exclusive features of "EXCEL" boots. The picture, at the right, of an "EXCEL" boot cut apart, with every detail of construction visible, shows how "EXCEL" boots are reinforced at every point of

strain. There is not a single feature but what has been proved necessary and desirable by tests of severest use. Your own experience will tell you that a boot with these features simply must be a better boot.

Study this picture. Learn these features. Remember them when you compare "EXCEL" boots with ordinary boots. And remember, too, that very important point which the picture cannot show, namely, that "EXCEL" boots are cured under tremendous pressure, which leaves the rubber pliable, weatherproof and wear-resisting. It is only by the use of this tremendous pressure combined with highest quality materials that the best results are obtained.



Pliable Uppers. Weatherproof and Wear Resisting. Tough Tire Tread Soles. Made "All in One Piece."

"EXCEL" Boots are sold by all reliable dealers from Coast to Coast.

**PARKER & MONROE, LIMITED, Distributors**

#### Quaint Customs of a Quaint People.

Melilla, Morocco, (Associated Press) The customs of the two Berber tribes whose territory has just been recaptured by Spanish troops as a result of their recent victories, are very interesting. These tribes are known as the Beni-Buyahi and Beni-Bu-Ifrar, including the settlements of Segangan and Zeulan, extending to Monte Arruit, Tstutin, Batei and Garot. According to the best information they number about 15,000 of whom about the last 15 years their number has been reduced from about 40,000 of both sexes by inter-tribal fighting and migration because of bad harvests. The tribes are divided into nine factions all of which quarrel frequently between themselves, a practice common of the Berber stock from which they descend. They become mixed with the Arab invaders in the seventh century. They are nomads who settle temporarily in places where the pasturage is plentiful, for they possess large numbers of camels, sheep and cattle. They live under large tents, which they pitch in circles, thus forming an aduar, or settlement. The tents are made of sheep's wool mixed with camel or goats' hair for the more wealthy among the tribesmen, while the poorer members of the tribes must content themselves with grass-fibre.

#### POLYGAMY ACCORDING TO MEANS.

The men are of changeable mood, at times seeking adventure in rapine and

at others indulging in prolonged periods of laziness. Polygamy prevails among them in proportion to their means of providing sustenance for the women. These poor creatures in every part of Morocco lead the most miserable lives. They look after the cattle, grind the grain, make the bread, churn the butter, hew the wood, draw the water which often has to be carried long distances, shear the sheep and goats, card and weave the wool and hair as well as the grass-fibre, do all the ploughing and sowing, and generally are treated by their lordly husbands even worse than the animals to whom they are yoked for field-work. Their only consolation is in eating. They consume four meals daily, at which they drink great quantities of weak tea, and before they retire for the night, devour large quantities of alcoholic balls composed of flour, water and honey. They are very careful with the cattle and never forget to put them to pasture facing away from the sun, so that they will not lose their sight through the brightness. Among the chief festivities are those connected with births and the giving of names, which occurs eight days after birth, when the father sacrifices a sheep and, sprinkling the blood, pronounces the name to be given to the child in the name of Allah.

#### WEDDING CUSTOMS.

At 20 years of age, it is customary to marry. A young man then announces to his father his desire to wed a certain young woman. The father communicates with the father of the chosen bride and sends his brothers to sacrifice a sheep in front of his tent, at the same time appealing to the father to give his daughter in marriage to their nephew. If the father consents, the price of the young woman and the dowry she is to bring with her is agreed upon. The day of the ceremony is settled, the bride knowing nothing about it. When the wedding day arrives, the parents of the bride groom go in procession to the tent of the bride's father, to whom they bring the half of the price to be paid for the bride, receiving in return therefor the half of the bride's dowry. The men fire three rifle shots and the women about with joy. The couple, although the ceremony is yet incomplete, go to their future tent together. The real

wedding ensues the following day when the bride is taken in procession on the back of a camel, covered with silks and followed by her body-slave if she is wealthy enough to possess one, to the tent of the bridegroom, where she is welcomed by his parents and the remainder of the price and dowry changes hands. The wedding is completed to the accompaniment of much feasting. A bride who proves unfaithful may be sent back to her father's tent dressed in sackcloth.

#### When We Feel "Jumpy"

Our Medical Correspondent on Nervousness.

Nervousness is due either to a want of nerve-force or to a failure to control and regulate its action. In other words, its cause is either of purely physical or of mental origin. Nerve-energy is a real force, as real as electric energy, and is best conceived as a fluid having points of resemblance both to electricity and magnetism. It is being generated continuously in the great nerve-centres, the brain and spinal cord, which may be regarded as central disterns. This generation of nerve-energy in the nerve-cells has been clearly demonstrated, and it has been noted that in the chemical composition of these cells there is a high percentage of phosphorus.

#### Feeding the Nerve-Cells.

Most of us are aware that our nerves contain phosphorus, and that we should eat foods rich in phosphorus, such as fish, in order to build up and maintain a strong nervous system. Milk and the yolk of eggs are in the same category, containing as they do a complicated chemical compound called lecithin, which includes many necessary things besides phosphorus.

#### ECZEMA

When nervousness is due to an insufficient supply of phosphorus to the nerve-force generating cells, a diet

consisting of high-power phosphorus, to be found in milk and eggs, is called for.

But, as a matter of fact, all good food has a beneficial influence on the nervous system, which requires beyond everything foods of a fatty kind. Nerve-starvation (neurasthenia is often called the cry of a hungry nerve for food) is the main cause of low nerve-tone and neurasthenia. Glycerous feeding in the correct treatment. Fat people are seldom "nervous," or possessors of irritable nervous systems; whereas lean people are, as a rule, nervous and easily irritated.

The acute sensibility, or rather sensitiveness, of the great actor, painter, musician, or poet is a common source of a form of nervousness termed "stage-fright." It exhibits itself in temporary loss of self-control prior to or during a public appearance.

Victims of this kind of nervousness can cure themselves only by self-suggestion of ideas of courage, of perfect control—by concentrating their minds on what they are doing, not on why or how they are doing it. They can thus become quite unsusceptible to outside influences.

Exactly nervous people must learn to restrain their emotions and control their muscles by making an effort of will, backed up by the practice of self-suggestion every night before going to sleep, and at intervals during the day.

#### Power of Suggestion.

By self-suggestion is meant in this case the building into the mind of the idea of ability to remain calm and collected, by the repetition with conviction of such sentences as: "I control myself, my nerves, and my emotions"; "I have a firm grip of myself at all times"; "I am master of myself in all circumstances." Such ideas, dwelt upon when drowsiness is supervening, sink most easily into the subconscious mind, become in time a part of it, and operate automatically.

#### ECZEMA

It should be obvious to anyone that nervousness due solely to certain states of mind and emotional disturbance can be cured only by first correcting the cause through mental treatment along the lines just indicated.

origin, must be treated by physical methods. These should include, besides the special kinds of food mentioned above, the ensuring of a sound digestion, of pure blood, of fresh air, and due circulation of both of these by exercise.

#### World's Most Famous Ship.

TINY VESSEL WHICH BROKE ALL RECORDS.

To write of any one particular ship as the most famous in the world seems rather a tall order. Yet, probably, every sailor alive would agree that no other vessel at present afloat can match the astonishing record of that famous old clipper, the Cutty Sark.

Built fifty years ago, in 1868, this wonderful vessel can look back upon a series of records unmatched in the history of sailing ships, and to-day she is still afloat, and still carries money.

The Americans built the first big, fast sailing ships. We followed, and beat them, and the British Thermopylae held all records in the late sixties.

Mr. John Willis, of London, determined to have a vessel that would beat the Thermopylae, and gave to one of his young captains, George Moodie by name, the task of seeing the new ship completed.

Her Wonderful Voyages. She was christened in November, 1869, by Mr. Moodie. Her name, of course, comes from one of Burns' poems; and means literally "Short skirt."

## Free, Frank and Fearless.

Efficiency, economy, conservation of the present income earning power of the city, and development of new sources of revenue--Policy of Hon. Tasker Cook, as outlined in his manifesto to the taxpayers.

## VOTE FOR COOK FOR MAYOR

First name on the Ballot Paper. Tasker Cook Must Win.

Once, in 1864, the Thermopylae beat her by one day, but Cutty Sark's average passage was nearly five days better than that of her great rival.

Captain Moodie was succeeded by Captain Woodgett, who commanded her far longer than any other skipper. Captain Moodie, by the way, is still alive at the age of ninety-two, and resides at Auchtermuchty, in Scotland.

Cutty Sark had but one serious mishap. That was in November, 1877, when she ran into a furious storm in the Channel and had to put back into the Downs. There she anchored, but both cables parted under the fury of the hurricane, and she crashed helplessly into two other ships. A tug came to the rescue and she was saved. The tug got £2,000 salvage, for at that time ship and cargo were valued at £25,000.

As Fast as a Steamer. In the middle nineties Cutty Sark was sold to a Portuguese firm and became the Ferreira. For her new owners she sailed as well as ever, and has carried cargoes to almost every large port in the world.

with coal, she again met with disaster. In a terrific storm she was dismasted, but luckily she was picked up by a Liverpool steamer and towed into port. It took a long time to repair her because a new mast had to be fetched from Portugal. Yet repaired she was, and is still sound and seaworthy.

It is said that on one occasion Cutty Sark covered 365 knots—that is more than 400 miles—within twenty-four hours.

But "T. E. E." to whose article in "Sea Breezes" the magazine of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company, we are indebted for much of our information, doubts this record.

This speed of 365 knots in twenty-four hours works out at a fraction over 15 knots an hour, a speed equal to that of the average modern passenger steamer.—T. E. E.

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#### WHY CERTAINLY SPIVIS HAS NOTHING ON MUTT.

#### By Bud Fisher







# Christmas Sales at the Royal Stores

## The Store of Practical Gifts



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Just What Everyone Wants at Just What They Want to Pay

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## Christmas Sale

## of Furs

**FURS—The Ideal Christmas Gift!**  
Can you imagine any gift that will bring greater joy to wife, mother or sister, or can you think of one more useful?  
**Black Wolf Sets.**  
Regular \$43.50 Sets . . . . \$26.80  
Selling for  
Regular \$50.00 Sets . . . . \$30.00  
Selling for \$45.60  
**Skunk Sets.**  
Regular \$109.50 Sets . . . \$65.00  
Selling for  
Regular \$115.00 Sets . . . \$72.00  
Selling for  
Regular \$145.00 Sets . . . \$80.00  
Selling for



Our entire stock re-marked 1-3 to 1-2 less than regular prices.  
The Furs sold by this store cannot be depended upon absolutely. The styles are the very newest.  
**Fur Stoles and Collars.**  
Rose Foxline Stoles.  
Regular \$1.25 each . . . . \$2.40  
Selling for  
Regular \$16.50 each . . . \$14.50  
Selling for  
**Black Wolf Collars.**  
Regular \$18.00 each . . . \$9.75  
Selling for  
Regular \$23.50 each . . . \$21.50  
Selling for  
**Taupe Lynx.**  
Regular \$38.00 each . . . \$24.00  
Selling for  
**Persian Lamb.**  
Regular \$9.50 each . . . \$3.75  
Selling for  
**Black Wolf Muffs.**  
Regular \$23.50 each . . . \$14.00  
Selling for  
Regular \$30.00 each . . . \$15.00  
Selling for  
**Taupe Wolf Muffs.**  
Regular \$25.00 each . . . \$9.00  
Selling for  
**Black Fox.**  
Regular \$48.00 each . . . \$24.00  
Selling for  
**Grey Fox.**  
Regular \$35.00 each . . . \$16.80  
Selling for  
**Russian Rat.**  
Regular \$40.00 each . . . \$26.50  
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**Children's Wear**  
**Infants' Dressing Gowns.**  
Made of fine Corded Velvet in assorted colors; round collar of Sky and Pink; girthing at waist. Reg. \$2.00 each for \$1.10  
**Muslin Dresses.**  
For infants 6 to 12 months old. Fine Muslin Dresses with embroidered yokes and trims; assorted styles. Reg. \$2.00 ea. \$1.65  
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For children of 2 to 6 years; embroidered yokes and fronts; frilled skirt; in White only. \$1.30  
**Infants' Booties.**  
Pink, Sky or White Knitted Wool with leather soles; assorted sizes. Regular 60c pair \$52c.

### Gift Suggestions in Fancy Linens

**TRAY CLOTHS**—Size 18 x 24; pure Linen, neatly embroidered corners and hemstitched borders. Reg. \$2.35 each for \$1.60  
**FANCY LINENS**—A lot of Sideboard Cloths, round and square; "Cloths" in various styles, made of White Linen and trimmed with colored embroidery, scalloped edges. Reg. 1.00 each for 85c  
**TRAY CLOTHS**—Size 18 x 24; pure Linen with wide lace edging and insertions. Reg. \$1.00 each for 85c  
**TABLE CENTERS**—White Linen, size 12 x 12; hemstitched borders and fancy embroidered corners. Reg. 40c each for 28c  
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**CUSHION COVERS**—All-over Lace Cushion Covers; pretty designs; sizes 20 x 20. Reg. 90c ea. for 84c.

### Women's Sweater Coats Astonishing Values

**Wool Sweater Coats.**  
Jandy models in Wool-knit Sweaters; colors of Brown, Navy and Tan; button-up style; finished with pockets and belts; medium sizes. Reg. \$5.20 each for \$3.65  
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All-wool knit; colors of Rose, Coral and Flesh, with white bar effects; V-shaped neck, finished with tassel; sizes 36 to 42. Reg. \$5.00 each for \$2.95  
**All Wool Spencers.**  
Colors of Navy, Sage, Black and White. Reg. \$3.75 each for \$1.85  
**Angora Wool Scarves.**  
Size 11 x 63 inch; colors of Turquoise and Sage, with fancy bar and fringed ends. Reg. \$2.50 each for \$2.08  
**Women's Beaver Hats.**  
Very newest styles. Black and Colored Beaver, underlined with Velvet, finished with Silk cord ribbon bands. Reg. \$12.00 each for \$9.90  
Reg. \$13.00 each for \$10.50  
Reg. \$10.00 each for \$7.50  
**Dainty Camisoles.**  
In colored Muslin and Jap Silk; shades of Pink; sizes 38 to 42; assorted designs, trimmed with silk and shadow lace, also ornamented. Reg. \$3.00 each for 98c  
**Coat Collars.**  
In Crepe-de-Chino, Poplin and silk; shades of Rose, Fawn, Black and White; finished with hemstitching and Pleat edge; values \$1.25 to \$2.10  
Selling for 25c  
**ORGANDI ROLL COLLARS.**  
Finished with colored embroidery. Regular \$3.00 each for \$2.75  
**Dressing Jackets.**  
Made of heavy Ripple Cloth in dainty shades of Rose, Pink and Pale Blue; medium sizes; fancy silk facings of contrasting colours on collar and front; long sleeves. Reg. \$8.00 each for \$7.20  
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Made of strong White Canton; size 20 to 30 inches; high bust; lace trimmed tops; elastic supporters. Regular \$1.60 pair for \$1.40  
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Stanfield's make; sizes 40 to 48 inch; round neck, short sleeves, knee lengths. Reg. \$9.00 a garment for \$6.75  
**Tweed Skirts.**  
Made of fancy Tweeds, smartly cut, high waist effects, button trimmed. Reg. \$7.50 each for \$6.00

## TOYTOWN TOPICS

By Daddy Tallhat

Millions of Toys, Dolls, Games, Books and Novelties—all the old favourites: Cinderella, Jack the Giant Killer, Hans in Doubt, Humpty-Dumpty and the rest of them are here waiting to greet you.

Bring Mother and Daddy with you, for they will not only enjoy this wonderful land of Toys, but will be agreeably surprised to see how low the prices are this year.

**THE COLUMBIAN EXPRESS**—with a full load of Building Blocks. Reg. 75c each for \$1.25  
**HEAVY WOOD ANIMALS**—Horses, Camels and Elephants. Reg. \$1.50 each for \$1.25  
**HUMMING BIRD TOPS**—Large Size. Reg. 30c each for 25c  
**METAL PLAINERS**—with enamel alphabet. Reg. 17c each for 14c  
**DOLLY PET HOUSEHOLD SETS**—Everything for Dolly's House. Reg. 40c set for 35c  
**SICKE GUNS**—Large Pop Guns. Reg. \$1.10 each for 95c  
**NOAH'S ARK**—With animals. Reg. 35c each for 20c  
**POP GUNS**—Army Rifle. Reg. 25c each for 20c  
**TIN WHISTLES**—Colored Tin with note. Reg. 15c each for 13c  
**TABLES AND CHAIRS**—Strongly made. Reg. \$1.30 each for 96c  
**SNOW SHOVELS**—Good practical sizes. Reg. 45c each for 38c  
**CLOCKWORK TRAINS**—Complete with cars and tracks. Regular \$3.75 each for \$3.15  
**DOLLY TRUNKS**—With cover and tray; also 9 x 9 x 16. Regular \$2.25 each \$2.65  
**CHILD'S CHAIRS**—White Enamel. Red. Reg. \$3.50 each for \$2.65  
**BUBBLE BOOKS**—Each containing three Gramophone Records. Regular \$1.20 each for \$1.20

**Women's Gloves**  
**DENT'S KID GLOVES**—In Tan and Brown shades; sizes 5 1/2 to 6 1/2; long wrist. 2 domes. Regular \$2.50 pair. \$2.20  
**WOOL GLOVES**—Aberdeen knit, leather bound 2 domes; Grey and Heather mixtures. Reg. \$1.10 pair for 97c

### Infants' Sox

In all Wool, Cashmere, dainty shades of Blue and Pink.  
Size 3. Values to 50c pair for 25c.  
Size 4. Values to 25c pair for 20c.  
Size 5. Values to 40c pair for 30c.

## The Gift Store Supreme for Men and Boys



Here you will find a variety of everything that will make "His" a Merry Christmas.

**Knitted Scarves.**  
In colored Mercerized Cotton; sizes 9 x 45 inches; shades of Grey, Green, Brown, Sage and White; assorted stripes and bar effects, fringed ends. Regular \$2.50 each for \$2.10  
**Men's Winter Underwear.**  
Yogas and Pants, extra heavy knit garments, in all sizes from 38 to 48 inch. Special per garment \$1.65  
**Full Dress Shirts.**  
Soft pleated fronts, full lengths, stiff cuffs, perfect fit; all sizes. Reg. \$4.50 each for \$3.80  
**Pullman Caps.**  
3 dozen all wool knit Caps in assorted sizes; colors of Brown, Green, Grey and Heather, with tassel on top. Reg. \$1.25 each for \$1.05  
**Wool Nansen Caps.**  
In Navy and Brown Wool; assorted sizes. Spec. \$1.30  
**Men's Braces.**  
Each in fancy box; superior elastic webbing, good leather ends. Reg. \$6c pair for 50c  
**Knitted Silk Scarves.**  
Fancy knit effects; in Blue, Fawn, Grey and Green; assorted bar ends, fringed ends. Regular \$7.20 each for \$6.00  
**Negligee Shirts.**  
Fine soft Percale in striped patterns; double cuffs, cont shape; all sizes. Reg. \$1.60 each for \$1.60  
**Pin Striped Shirts.**  
Soft; Negligee styles; assorted colored pin stripes on white ground; sizes 14 to 16 1/2. Regular \$2.25 each for \$2.40  
**Boys' Night Shirts.**  
Striped Flannellette, extra special values; Polo collars; to fit boys of 8 to 14 years. Reg. \$2.75 each for \$1.25  
**Men's Ties.**  
Wide flowing ends, plain, Spot and fancy designs, in the latest colorings. Reg. 95c each for 87c.  
Reg. \$1.15 each for \$1.25  
**Men's Lined Kid Gloves.**  
Dent's Make. Reg. \$4.86 pair for \$4.86  
**Heather Hose**  
Women's all-Wool Cashmere Hose; shades of Brown. Reg. \$1.20 pair for \$1.10

### First General Election.

On December 8th, 1922, the polls in the first general election for Newfoundland were closed, after 74 days of voting. The reason for this delay was that there was only one polling officer in each district, and he had to visit and record the votes in each booth. The following gentlemen returned to form the first Parliament:

St. John's—John Kean, William Thomas, Patrick Keough, Robert Paak, Peter Cropley Bay, Chas. Cousins, James Power, Thomas Bennett, Cropley Bay—John Bingley Garland, Perryland—Robert Carter, St. Mary's—R. F. McManis, John Willis Martin, St. Lawrence—William Hooper, Fort St. John's—H. W. Hoynes, Bonaville—William Brown.

### Officers Elected.

**OLD COLLEGIANS MEET.**  
The following officers were elected at the meeting of Old Collegians held at the Methodist College, "Hall" last evening—Honorary President, Hon. R. Babo, Chairman of the Board of Officers, Sir R. A. Squires, Sir J. C. McManis, President, C. P. Ayre; Vice-Presidents, J. P. Blackwood, Joseph McManis; Secretary, William White; Treasurer, Wm. Tucker. In addition to those above the following were elected members of the Council, Miss Hester, Miss Mitchell, C. Quick. The election of officers was conducted by Mr. R. Defer, who before leaving the hall, extended congratulations both to the organization and the officers and their election, response to which was made by the President. Previous to the election of officers, some amendments to the constitution were adopted. Great enthusiasm is being manifested by the members of the organization.

What does CERTIFIED mean? Ask your grocer for a pound of Wilson's Bacon and you will know what the certification means. Dec. 10.

### C. C. C. Band Dance To-Night.

To-night the C.C.C. Band will open their series of weekly dances in their own hall. The dance starts at 8.30 and will be over at 11.30 p.m. During 3 hours of dancing, but during the 4 hours a regular programme of games will be gone through, and they will consist of 3 Lancers, 4 Waltzes, 3 Fox-trots, 2 Fox-trots. There will be no waltz, no long drawn out inter-vals, it will be short snappy and enjoyable dance, and it will be over in time to catch the last street-car home. The band have prepared all new music, and these waltzes are arranged of an enjoyable dance at reasonable prices. This will be the last dance before Xmas, but beginning the New Year a regular weekly dance will take place every Tuesday night through the winter. The prices will be 50c to-night, as the dance starts at 8.30 on the tick of 8.30 not at 9 the next hour—adv.

### Everybody is saying it: We will Whitty, Whitty and Whitty. We'll vote for Whitty, the Labour Leader. Dec. 21.

### Cathedral Women's Sale.

A large number of people attended the sale of work held in the Canon Wood Hall yesterday afternoon and night by the Cathedral Women's Association. A large variety of goods was displayed for sale, and the hall was well patronized. The goods were of a high quality, and a Christmas spirit pervaded the sale. The work of the year was an interesting one, and the women were very busy with their work. The sale was a complete success, and a substantial sum was realized.

### Breakwater Demolished.

A message to the members of Parliament and St. Mary's District, from Mr. P. Wilson of Trepassay, received yesterday, stated that the breakwater which protects Trepassay harbor on the western side, had been carried away during the storm of Monday, December 5th. The breakwater was some 100 feet long, and only about two feet high at its base, and was destroyed by the wind. The breakwater was built by Mr. B. Hooke.

### Schr. B. Hooke Lost.

Last evening the Deputy Minister of Customs received a message from the Collector of Customs at Lamaline stating that the schooner "B. Hooke" was Lamaline to Grand Bank with a cargo of green fish had been lost at St. John's Point during Tuesday night. The crew landed safely.

Set MRS. STEWART'S HOME Telephone Dec. 11, 620.

### Fancy Guest Toweling

Linen finished Draper; 19 inches wide. Reg. 58c.

# The Royal Stores, Ltd.

### Heather Hose

Women's all-Wool Cashmere Hose; shades of Brown. Reg. \$1.20 pair for \$1.10

### To the Electors of St. John's.

**LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,**  
Having been pressed by numerous friends to enter the Municipal contest, I have decided to offer myself as a Candidate in the forthcoming Election. The outstanding features of my policy will be the conservation of the Taxpayer, and amongst the necessary improvements which I intend advocating will be the inauguration of a Public Market Place and the extension of the Street Car Service to the Higher Levels.

**TAXATION HAS REACHED THE LIMIT.**  
If this is to be a place fit to call home, we must call a halt and get back to the simple life. Instead of looking for more sources of taxation to worry and harass the already overburdened Taxpayer, my frank and honest conviction is, if Council work was put out to tender and contracted for, there would be ample funds for all our needs if public monies were conserved and not played fast and loose with. We have a huge city debt, and our duty is to see that it is not increased but reduced. Our slogan must be **ECONOMIZE.**

**PUBLIC MARKET PLACE FOR ST. JOHN'S A NECESSITY.**

It is obvious to all who have visited any country outside Newfoundland the great blessing it confers on producer and consumer alike. Beside, the Town or City which possesses such a valuable asset. In Towns in England, Ireland and Scotland, where the population is from 10,000 to about 15 or 20,000, you find a weekly market, and in larger ones a daily one. It would encourage the producer to increased production, lower the cost of living to the consumer. The money that would change hands would go into the shops and stores. Market Day would be our Red Letter Day.

The development of Agriculture would be encouraged. Tens of thousands of acres of valuable land now lying waste would be filled. Idle lands like idle hands are a curse to any country. In 1898 the late Hon. E. M. Jackman got a Government grant of Ten thousand dollars for the above purpose. With accrued interest there is available about \$20,000 (now in Bank).

**THE STREET CAR SERVICE TO THE HIGHER LEVELS.**

Next summer this shall have my hearty support. In conclusion, you can judge best of my merits or demerits.

I thank you in anticipation for your vote and influence.

Believe me, respectfully,  
**THOMAS PEEL,**  
Late Water Street.

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**Island Brand Boneless Codfish,**  
1-lb. cartons.

**Flaked Codfish,**  
6 oz. cartons.

"Pure as a Sea Breeze."

**Your Grocer Has It.**

### STUDEBAKER!

We steadfastly urged this premier Motor issue at and under \$70 claiming it was good for a quick 10 points. Yesterday it touched 17 points higher than its recent low constituting excellent profit-taking for early purchasers, in addition to dividend \$1.75 declared meanwhile.

We suggest selling now, believing it will react to probably five points down.  
Traded at \$12 per share.

**J. J. LACEY & COMPANY, LIMITED,**  
STOCKS AND BONDS. TELEPHONE 114.

### MOREY'S Coal is Good Coal!

The latest arrival from North Sydney, schr. "Notherton", with 400 tons Best Screened N. S. Coal, sent home while discharging at \$16.50 per ton.

**Best Screened North Sydney & American Anthracite.**  
All sizes, at current rates.

**M. Morey & Co., Ltd.**  
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Advertise in The Evening Telegram

### Masonic Dance.

#### GREAT RECEPTION FOR NEW ORCHESTRA.

The dance held by the Masonic Entertainment Committee in the Temple last night was a great success from every viewpoint. A large number of people were present and all had a thoroughly enjoyable time. The new dance orchestra, which was recently formed by Messrs. E. Fox and A. Noseworthy, was heard for the first time in public. This orchestra consists of eight members, two of whom perform at the piano, whilst there are two violins, two saxophones, a clarinet and drum and effects. The very latest dance selections had been specially imported and were rendered in a manner which drew forth rounds of applause. The time kept was perfect. After the National Anthem had brought the dance to an end, all those present cheered the new orchestra to the echo. During the evening support was given by the Ladies' Committee under the direction of Mrs. J. R. Bennett. This dance was the first of a series of entertainments which will be held fortnightly during the winter season.

**TEAPOT SALE.**—A remarkable sale in Fancy Teapots is being made at STEELE'S Crockery Store. If you have not really made your purchase we advise you to do so without delay.

### Society United Fishermen.

**ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 5.**  
The annual meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 5 of the above Order was held in the Society Room on Tuesday evening last. Following the reports of the Purser and Secretary, which showed that good work had been done during the year now about to close, the chair was taken by P.M. Bro. R. LeDrew, who assisted by Bros. McGilvary and House and scrutineers conducted the election of officers for the ensuing year, the choice of the Brethren falling upon:  
Bro. Harold Rendell, Worthy Master.  
Bro. Eliezer Dawe, Chaplain.  
Bro. H. Hynes, Chief Officer.  
Bro. Harry Taylor, Second Officer.  
Bro. W. Musford, Quartermaster.  
Bro. J. Harnum, Purser.  
Bro. H. LeGrow, Secretary.  
Bro. Wm. Duffin, Lookout.  
The R.W.G.M. will install the W.M. and Officers elected on Tuesday evening, January 3, 1922.

It is worth your while to see the **LADIES' FUR COLLARS, MUFFS, STOLERS and NECKLETS**, also a splendid selection of Child's Sealette Sets, going at **HALF PRICE** at BOWRING'S. VALUE AL. dec13, eod

### Arboriculture Advocated.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir.—It is not generally known that we have two varieties of pine in Newfoundland, viz. the soft or commercial pine, and the hard pine which in Newfoundland is only ornamental. But it is ornamental and very sturdy, and I write in the hope that some attention may be given to its culture by those who love trees.

Through the kindness of Mr. Geo. Chant, of Middle Brook, Gambo, I have received three nail bags full of cones of both varieties. The soft pine cones are nearly all fertile. By placing them before the fire, the buds soon open and the seeds are easily detected and broken out. They ought then to be dried thoroughly and left in dry earth, until next April. In dry earth, until next April.

We have had a very wet autumn and most of the seed will rot on the ground unless the cones are gathered. An arbour day in the autumn might add considerably to the wealth of our country in days to come.

Yours truly,  
**AUGUSTUS G. BAYLY.**  
Bonavista, Dec. 5, 1921.

### Germans Capturing China's Trade.

#### GOING INTO PARTNERSHIP WITH CHINESE.

London.—The Germans are gradually returning to China and picking up the threads of their former business; not trading for the present under their own names but in partnership with Chinese, says a report on the commercial situation of China, by H. H. Fox, Commercial Counselor of the British Legation in Peking. German dyes and paints, needles, metals, drugs and sundries are beginning to appear on the Shanghai market, the report goes on, and it is stated that several important orders for machinery and electric plant have recently been booked by German firms. There is no doubt, the report says, that the Germans, assisted by the comparative cheapness of their products, will gradually recover the share they held in China's foreign trade before the war, but the process will be slow, as they have lost valuable connections; the business organizations they had so laboriously built up have been shattered, and they have suffered a serious loss of prestige in the eyes of the Chinese.

## Whatever You Do, Get the Best for Your Money's Worth, and Here's Where You Get it---

### LADIES' UNDERWEAR

**LADIES' FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR.**  
Vests and Pants, heavy winter weight garment \$1.00

**LADIES' SHORT SLEEVE FLEECE LINED VESTS.**  
Just the garment for those desiring a Vest with short sleeves and low neck; finished with fancy beading around neck, garment \$1.00

**LADIES' SUPER-GRADE VELVET FLEECE UNDERWEAR.**  
The right weight for cold winter wear. The garments are correctly proportioned and carefully finished, garment \$1.50

### FLANNELETTE NIGHTDRESSES

FOR LADIES.

Large full make, with and without collars. Flannelette in striped, \$1.50, \$1.80, \$2.00.

White Flannelette, \$2.00.

Cream Winceyette, daintily embroidered, \$4.20.



### Fleece - Lined Drawers

FOR LITTLE GIRLS.

Regular Price 70 cents.  
Only 49 cents.

### Ribbons, Ribbons

THE PRETTIEST OF RIBBONS IN EVERY WIDTH AND COLORING.

Among the assortment is the ever popular Dresden Ribbon in dainty effects, as well as the regular standard colorings and widths.

PLAID HAIR RIBBONS . . . . .45c. yard

DRESDEN RIBBONS . . . . .50c. yard

ROSE, PINK, SKY, SAGE, RED, BLACK 20c. and WHITE, yard

### CHILDREN'S ALL-WOOL CAPS.

All shades. Caps among this lot worth up to 80c. for . . . . . 49c.

### BOYS' COMBINATIONS or SLEEPING SUITS.

Exceedingly cheap; all sizes from 24 to 34.  
All one price, 98c.

### MEN'S WINTER CAPS.

A big variety of Tweed Caps with ears. The quality a winner.  
Prices: \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.



## MILLEY'S

EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES!

### DRESS GOODS

A new shipment per S. S. Digby of that already popular

### MELTON CLOTH

at 90 cts. yard

In colors Navy, Brown, Green, Cardinal, Grey and Black.

## Coat Sale

Fur Collared Caracul Coats in a Final Clean-up Selling.

The sizes are complete, but the quality in material and making give you in this Sale one of the biggest opportunities for real economy. Regular \$28.00.

**Now 13.95**



Brighten Up the Home for Christmas with

### Blue Bird Curtain Scrim.

Double width, 36" wide, only 19c. yard.

Single Width Scrim with lace edge, only 15c. yard.

### HOSE FOR CHILDREN.

In heavy rib; an extra grade of full seamless, hard wearing Hosiery for children; best grade yarns,  
35c. and 40c. pair.

### LADIES' FLEECE LINED HOSE,

30c. pair.  
3 pairs for 85c.


Finer grade, extra heavy Fleece Lined Hose, pair . . . . . 55c.

### LADIES' HEATHER HOSE.

In plain and fancy ribs and leading shades,  
\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.40 pair.

### CAMISOLES.

A big assortment, including Pink Silk.  
Prices from 55c. to \$2.30.



## MILLEY'S

### HANDKERCHIEFS



FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS HANDKERCHIEFS ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE.

Why not give a box of dainty Handkerchiefs? Some are plain, others are done in fancy embroidered designs. A sure-to-please and inexpensive Gift.

From 30c. to \$2.00 per box.

### DAINTY APRONS

A DAINITY GIFT.

Here are Aprons for all occasions, for afternoon tea or for sewing.

Prices 25c., 90c. and \$1.10.



### TAMS

Velvet Tams in assorted colors, including Silk Velvet and Mirror Velvet. A big assortment to choose from. All one price. . . . . 49c.

### SPATS

Ladies' White Spats; very special lot. Worth \$2.50. Now . . . . . \$1.50

Large variety newest as worn to-day, in Brown, Castor Taupe, at . . . . . \$2.35

Regular Price \$3.30.

### BOYS' WINTER CAPS.

Warm, comfy Wool Caps in Pullman and Nansen styles.  
55c. to \$1.80.



### MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.

Get him some Shirts out of this lot, for such low prices for such high quality will not be repeated. All sizes, neat patterns and colors.  
Only \$1.80.




### GENT'S NECKWEAR.

Flowing End, in large variety, plain and fancy designs,  
90c.



### MEN'S ALL-WOOL SOX.

In Navy, Black and Heather mixtures. Regular Price up to \$1.25  
For 89c.





# Sensational Furniture Sale

## At Below Cost Prices THERE'S BEAUTY IN Just in Time OUR FURNITURE for Christmas

Let our Store be Your Store!—We have decided that we must make sweeping reductions in our Furniture Department. We are offering much of our stock at figures that are actually below those we paid for it. Choosing the approaching Xmas

Season for our big sale we advise you to profit by our loss. This Xmas you can give splendid Furniture Gifts that will delight your friends at prices that will delight you!!

A wide range of beautiful Furniture as we offer for your approval in a sale that is absolutely without parallel from every standpoint—variety, beauty, richness of qualities, and lowness of prices.

Never before have bargain prices included such

### Music Cabinets

Just what you need for keeping sheet music from getting soiled and torn when not in use. Finished in polished mahogany with mirror back these Cabinets are a handsome addition to any sitting room.

- Music Cabinets, Mahogany finish, highly polished. **\$34.50**  
Regular \$46.50 for . . . . .
- Music Cabinets, Mahogany finish, with plate mirror in back. Regular \$59.50 for . . . . . **\$45.00**

### A Word about Desks

We offer two special lines of Desks that are the most approved models for the up-to-date business man. Built of solid Oak these Desks give an air of prosperity to the plainest office.

**Special Book-keeper's Standing Desks, 34 inches deep by 6 feet wide, 3 large deep drawers, solid Quartered Oak, Golden finish. Regular \$125.00 for . . . . . \$100.00**

Typewriter Desks with one pedestal, drawers on one side, solid Oak, Golden finish. Regular \$45.00 for . . . . . **\$35.00**

### Dining-Room Furniture

Your Dining Room should combine comfort and good taste with dignity. This combination—plus the added charm of the very lowest prices—is ready for you in any of the lovely Dining Room Suites in the attached list.

**Complete Dining Sets, Queen Anne style, 9 pieces Jacobean Oak, consisting of 1 Buffet, 1 China Cabinet (2 doors), 1 Round Extension Table, 6 Chairs including Carver, upholstered with solid leather slip seats. Good value at \$660.00 for . . . . . \$495.00**

**Complete Dining Sets, Queen Anne style, Walnut, 9 pieces consisting of 1 Buffet, 1 China Cabinet (2 doors), 1 Round Extension Table, 6 Chairs including Carver, with solid leather slip seats. Good value at \$660.00 for . . . . . \$495.00**

**Complete Dining Sets, very massive, Mission style, Fumed Oak, 9 pieces consisting of 1 Buffet, 1 China Cabinet, 1 pedestal Extension Table, 6 Diners including Carver, upholstered with solid leather slip seats. Reg. \$730.00 for . . . . . \$550.00**



### Book Cases

Books are among your best friends. Do you treat them as such? By using dust-proof Book Cases you not only protect them, but you can always find the book you require at a moment's notice.

- Sectional Book Cases, solid Oak in Fumed or Commercial finish, \$85.00 for . . . . . **\$65.00**
- Large Book Cases, 3 doors, Quartered Golden Oak, highly polished, \$110.50 for . . . . . **\$86.50**
- Combination Book Cases and Secretaries, Colonial style, Quartered Golden Oak, \$110.50 for . . . . . **\$86.50**

### Dining-Room Chairs

Chairs in a Dining-room are constantly used, and even though carefully handled, sooner or later they grow shabby. Perhaps yours have reached that stage, if so, now is your chance to renew them at hitherto unheard-of reductions.

- 6 piece Quartered Oak Dining Sets (1 Carver and 5 Diners), Golden finish, upholstered seats, \$105.00 for . . . . . **\$80.00**
- 6 piece Quartered Oak Dining Sets (1 Carver and 5 Diners), Golden finish, upholstered slip seats, \$105.00 for . . . . . **\$126.50**
- 6 piece Dining Sets (1 Carver and 5 Diners) Fumed finish, upholstered seats, \$110.00 for . . . . . **\$83.00**
- 6 piece Dining Sets, Queen Anne style, Golden or Fumed finish, upholstered seats, \$89.50 for . . . . . **\$70.00**
- SPECIAL—High Class Dining Chairs, 6 pieces (1 Carver and 5 Diners), Colonial style, Quartered Oak, Golden finish, highly polished, upholstered in solid leather slip seats, \$245.00 for . . . . . \$175.00**

### Parlor & Living Room Suites

Rich, silent hangings, gleaming floors with velvety rugs, softly shaded lights, subdued richness and cozy luxury—all this is suggested by some of our lovely Parlor Furniture. All of it is of the most elegant design and workmanship, and many suites are accurate replicas of genuine Adams, Dutch, and 18th Century French designs. The price? So low that you'll hardly believe dollars can be made to go so far or buy so much.

- 5 pieces Mahogany finish frames, upholstered in Velours or Tapestries, \$95.00 for . . . . . **\$62.50**
- 5 pieces, massive construction, Mahogany finish, highly polished, upholstered in extra quality plain Green Cut Plush, \$235.00 for . . . . . **\$164.50**
- 5 pieces, massive construction, Mahogany finish, highly polished, upholstered in beautiful Tapestry, \$235.00 for . . . . . **\$164.50**
- 5 pieces, beautiful frames, massive construction, Mahogany finish, upholstered in Blue Velvet; special design, \$195.00 for . . . . . **\$144.50**
- 3 pieces, solid Mahogany, Louis XVI style, upholstered in beautiful Silk Tapestry, \$210.00 for . . . . . **\$158.00**
- 3 pieces, Adam style, Mahogany finish, highly polished, upholstered in plain Green and Gold Striped Plush, \$181.50 for . . . . . **\$141.50**
- 3 pieces, William and Mary style, solid Walnut, upholstered in Crimson and Gold Brocade, \$175.00 for . . . . . **\$136.00**
- 3 pieces, special massive Suite of Adam design, Mahogany finish, highly polished, upholstered in rich Tapestry, \$220.00 for . . . . . **\$155.00**
- 3 pieces, High Class Living Room Suite, cane backs, English Brown, Mahogany finish, beautifully upholstered in rich Blue and Gold Silk Plush, with loose cushions, \$625.00 for . . . . . **\$475.00**

### Buffets

For the beautifying of your Dining Room we offer the handsome Buffets listed below. The Colonial, Queen Anne and William and Mary designs are strongly represented, while one very special attraction offered is: 12 only large Sideboards, Surface Oak finish, with British bevel mirror, size 14 x 24. Price \$65.00. **Now \$45.00**

- China Buffets, Quartered Oak, Colonial style, Golden finish, highly polished, \$150.00 for . . . . . **\$110.00**
- Buffets, Colonial style, Quartered Oak, Golden finish, highly polished, \$165.00 for . . . . . **\$126.50**
- Buffets, Colonial style, in highly polished Quartered Oak, Golden finish, very large and massive; size of top 25 by 60 inches, \$265.00 for . . . . . **\$185.00**
- Buffets, Colonial style, in highly polished Quartered Oak, Golden finish, very large and massive; size of top 25 by 60 inches, \$275.00 for . . . . . **\$195.00**
- Buffets, Colonial style, Quartered Oak, Golden finish, highly polished, \$230.00 for . . . . . **\$165.00**
- Buffets, Queen Anne style, Golden finish, \$110.50 for . . . . . **\$83.00**
- Large Combination Buffets, Surface Oak, Golden finish, \$124.50 for . . . . . **\$95.00**
- Buffets, Surface Oak, Golden finish, \$71.00 for . . . . . **\$52.00**
- Buffets, William and Mary style, Golden Oak, \$125.00 for . . . . . **\$95.50**

### Smokers Chairs

Our Smokers' Chairs are the height and depth of solid comfort. Ease and good workmanship is in every line of their build. Can you find a better Christmas Gift for a man than one of these delightful Chairs?

- Smokers' Chairs, upholstered in Leather Cloth, hollow seats; very comfortable, \$32.50 for . . . . . **\$20.00**
- Smokers' Chairs, upholstered in Leather Cloth, spring seats, \$36.00 for . . . . . **\$25.00**
- Smokers' Chairs, upholstered in Green Velours, hollow seats, \$42.00 for . . . . . **\$30.00**
- Large Wing Easy Chairs, very comfortable, nicely upholstered in Tapestry, \$78.50 for . . . . . **\$55.00**

### TO OUR OUTPORT FRIENDS

We address this word particularly to YOU—our customers out of town, in an effort to present to you our vast stock of Furniture. Never since we commenced business have our prices been so greatly reduced, and we would like you to share in some of these wonderful values.

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The "odd" bits below are very varied in their style. All of them are just right for Christmas offerings, and the price of all are heavily reduced.

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Notice is hereby given that Milton James Trumble of Los Angeles, in the United States of America, Chemist, proprietor of Newfoundland Patent No. 245 for "New and Useful Improvements in Process and Apparatus for the Evaporation of Liquids", is prepared to bring the said invention into operation in Newfoundland and to license the use of same or to sell the same.

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### Russian Officers' Status

WILL BE RESTORED.

RIGA, Latvia. (Associated Press).—The Russian army officer, stripped of most of his authority by Premier Kerensky at the very start of his regime in 1917, and persecuted in the early days of the Bolshevik rule as the personification of all that was to be despised in a "bourgeois" or aristocrat, is about to be restored to practically the same position he held before the revolution. The authority of an army officer in the field has been recognized by the Bolsheviks during the past three years, and nowhere has discipline, at least on paper, been stricter than in the Red army; but, as a rule, officers did not find their work attractive. Their pay was not very higher than that of the men, nor was there any great difference in their rations, while the responsibility was heavy. If they came from the old officer class, they were constantly under suspicion and surveillance by the Communist commissars, one of whom was attached to each separate military unit.

Giving Them an Upward Step.

Now the Soviet Government has come out with an admission that officers and men cannot be treated alike and that in order to secure sufficient officers, they must be provided for on a much higher scale than the soldiers, and "it should be realized that the principle of equality is not acceptable." From the very beginning of the Bolshevik regime, many officers of the army of the late Emperor Nicholas have served the Reds. Some were compelled to do so, others were attracted by the promise of food at the time civilians were starving, while still others, liberal minded politically, volunteered, considering the Red army, after all, Russian to the core. Their numbers have been constantly increasing during the past year, due to Trotsky's insistence that the Russian army be as efficient as any other in the world, and also to the gradual progress made toward bettering their lot. To supply the army with well-trained, junior officers, the Bolsheviks have opened scores of training schools. The "Kursants" as these young officers aspirants are termed, are spick and span and as well set up as American West Point cadets. In addition to school training, they are given actual battle practice at every opportunity, being sent into the field as "shock troops" against counter-revolutionary or "bandit" bands in the Ukraine. They greatly distinguished themselves in the revolt at Kronstadt last March.

### A Treasure Trove

FOR ANATOMISTS AND SCIENTISTS.

London. — (Associated Press). — Scientists say the Darwinian theory that Africa may have been the original home of the human race received partial corroboration from the discovery just made in northern Rhodesia of a fossilized skull which gives a new orientation to the early history of primitive man. The skull, which is complete save for the lower jaw, resembles that of the ape man (Pithecanthropus erectus) discovered in Java in 1892, which has been regarded as the most primitive human skull known until now. The Java skull, however, lacked a face. In this respect, the Rhodesian fossil reveals a type curiously similar to what is known as the Gibraltar skull. Moreover, a collar bone, a leg bone and part of a hip bone believed to belong to the skull have also been unearthed, and these may enable anatomists to reconstruct the main parts of the whole Rhodesian

skull's Limestone used by Physicians

Hill mine, already famous for the beauty of its stalactites and stalagmites and for the remarkable fact that composed have been largely replaced by phosphates of zinc and lead. It was the commercial value of these formations that led to the transformation of this cave into one of the strangest mines ever worked. The floor consisted of a mass of fossilized remains of elephants, lions, leopards, rhinoceri, hippopotami, antelopes, birds, bats and small mammals. Hundreds of tons of these animal remains had been removed, but no trace of man was discovered, until a depth of 60 feet below water level was reached, when the bones of a

skeleton. The scene of the discovery was the "Bone Cave" of the Broken cribed were found surrounded by soft friable lead conglomerate.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT! 8.30 SHARP!—C.C.C. Band Dance, C.C.C. Hall, at 8.30 sharp, all new music, no waltz, no long drawn out intervals; a short, snappy and enjoyable Dance, over at 11.30. The regular programme of 12 dances as follows:—3 Lancers, 4 Waltz, 3 One-Steps, 2 Fox Tots. Prices: Gents' 80c., Lady's 30c. Remember the hour of starting: right on the tick of 8.30.—dec 8, 11

### McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Dec. 8. In addition to a good consignment of Mol's Christmas Candy, we note the arrival of a fresh lot of Page and Shaw's Chocolates, some of the latter in handsome presentation packages which we are sure will give delight to those who are lucky enough to receive these boxes as gifts at Christmas. We commend these good things to all our customers. We have had several inquiries lately for Urodonal, and we would now say that we just opened a small consignment of this salt, so much thought of by sufferers from rheumatism and gout. Price \$4.50 a bottle.

### Schr. Ruby W.

Abandoned

CREW TAKEN OFF. Minister of Shipping, W. E. received the following message Cape Race from the Danish ship run Maerak:—

"Dec. 7th, latitude 48.00 longitude 56.02 W., steamer Maerak from Philadelphia, Genoa, rescued the crew from a wrecked three-masted schooner 'Ruby W.' of St. John's. The crew and dangerous situation. Captain suffering with an arm, one sailor with broken knee, others all well." The schooner Ruby W., of Cape Race, was on her way to port in ballast from Port au Prince when she was abandoned, about 100 miles off the coast. Owned by Johnston & Co., the vessel amongst the finest of the local fleet. The crew has suffered a second within a short while, as only a few of the schooner's crew were wrecked in the Mediterranean. Ruby W. was built in 1918 at Cape Race, N.S. She was 375 tons net, and had auxiliary power.

### From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, Today. Wind Northwest, fresh with squalls; the schooner's crew Elyne passed in this morning, 23.50; Ther, 23.

The LLEWELLYN Club will meet this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when the President will lecture on "Politics and Religion"—an address for all times. All men are welcome.

### Personal.

Mrs. A. T. Tulk, wife of the late of Port of Cape Race, has returned from General Hospital, where she underwent an operation, which was highly successful.

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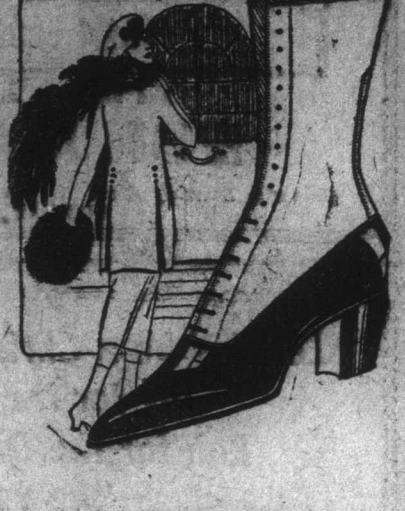
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## Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

**REGARDING LETTERS.**  
What a feast a good letter is! My eye just rested on a letter which I had answered yesterday and was about to destroy, and the sight of the closely written pages and the glimpse of a sentence which caught my eye, brought back the taste of the joy that I had had in reading it.  
A Model Letter.  
The letter that was first placed in my hands was the first I had written before and answered the letter I wanted answered. In the second place it had just the interesting high lights from the writer's everyday life that she knew would interest me. Then it had the talk of books, books she had advised me to read or not to read, and she had heard others talk of and wondered if I had read them. The writer's feelings about various matters came in, as she is a woman who does not think there is anything indecent about talking of serious subjects. And to spice the whole, there were several interesting bits of gossip (in the legitimate sense) about mutual friends.  
No wonder I always feel as if I had had a present when a letter comes from that woman.  
How few people, comparatively, write such letters, and yet if anyone would really make the effort to save up bits of news and so forth to write, it should be perfectly simple for anyone to write a letter like that to anyone with whom he or she had interests in common.  
It Takes An Artist to be Interesting Sometimes.  
Of course, where one has a merely formal relationship with anyone, a good letter is much harder to write. Only the letter writing artist can accomplish it then.  
But often even when common interests exist, people write letters that seemed to have been designed to exclude all that might be interesting.  
A neighbor of mine writes every week to his mother. I happened to be at the post office one day when he received his letter and, as I have met her, asked what the news was.  
"There isn't anything," he answered. "There never is in her letters. She says 'yes' to everything I said in mine, says she has been busy, and

that's why she didn't write sooner, hopes I am well, and sends her love to the family."

The Kind of Letter Some People Write.  
Then he read me a few sample sentences.  
"Yes, we have had a wonderful stretch of weather. That certainly must have been a terrible dog fight. Too bad Patay was hurt. I am glad the children are enjoying their school work."  
"That's what her letters always say," he concluded. "Yet when I see her she has plenty to tell me that she might have written. I wonder what her idea is?"  
Personally I should say it was a lack of idea of how needless her letters were rather than anything else, shouldn't you?  
If we looked on letters as mental gift boxes and tried to fill them as full as possible of what the recipient would enjoy, I wonder if we couldn't all write better letters.

Stafford's Ginger Wine for sale at Knowling's Stores, East West and Central. Price 20c. per bottle.—dec.11

**Plants Which Bring Ruin.**  
Prickly pear, a sort of cactus, was foolishly imported into Australia. It now covers twenty million acres of Queensland, and is extending at the rate of a million acres a year. The land it seizes becomes absolutely valueless, and the Government is fighting the pest by every means in its power.  
This is not the first time that Australia has suffered by the importation of a foreign plant. The terrible Bathurst burr which got in, no one knows how, becomes fixed in millions in the wool of sheep, and is so difficult to get out that such wool is worth only about half the usual price.  
Some enterprising settler planted watercress in a New Zealand river. The plant has run riot, and turned rivers into swamps, doing incalculable damage.  
Similarly, the blue South American water-hyacinth which was imported into Florida completely blocked the great St. John's River, covering it with a raft of vegetation so solid that even steamers could not plough through it. Millions have been spent in fighting this beautiful pest.  
Another pest that was imported into the Southern States was the passion-flower from South Africa, which, finding a climate to its liking, invaded the fields, covering them with a tangle so thick that the plough cannot penetrate it or turn it in.  
One more example is that of the sweet brine in Tasmania. There it grows three times as big and thick as in England, forming vast thickets. Nothing destroys it; even goats refuse to eat it, and it still spreads steadily.



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## Wire Steers Ship During Mutiny.

Capt. George F. Poppe, skipper of the schooner Lillian E. Kerr, entered the Federal Court at Boston, November 23, with charges of mutiny on the high seas against Frank Howell, a negro sailor, and with high praise for the conduct of his wife, Mrs. Edna Poppe, during what he said was his fight for life with Howell. The woman held the wheel of the vessel while the men fought on the deck, Howell with a knife, her husband with a pistol. She kept the schooner on her course, the negro crew meantime grouped on another part of the deck offering no help. Capt. Poppe said that after he found Howell, who was shipped at Jacksonville, asleep across the wheel on November 13, Howell attacked him with a knife. Mrs. Poppe gave her husband his revolver and the skipper said he shot Howell when he was attacked a second time. The seaman said Capt. Poppe fired first.  
After Howell was subdued, Mrs. Poppe was relieved at the wheel. **WORKING PEOPLE!** Have you any strength? If so, then show it for once and elect E. J. WHITTY, the Labour Leader. dec.7/21

## Gaeties of the French Court.

When the late Eugenie, former Empress of the French, was holding her court at the Tuilleries, two sentries were always stationed at the palace gates with instructions to maintain themselves absolutely immovable, silent and expressionless during their turn of duty. One day, the empress, accompanied by a gentleman of her household, passed near the statuesque sentries and remarked, "I am convinced that the stolid pose of those men is mere affectation, and that it would take very little to upset it."  
"Your Majesty may test the matter for yourself," was the reply.  
Eugenie frowned and, speaking harshly, reproached one of the guardsmen for his lack of smartness. Seeing that she did not succeed in moving him, she boxed his ears; he did not move or utter a sound. The next day she sent him five hundred francs.  
Another bit of court nonsense is related in the True Story of the Empress Eugenie by the Count de Solsons, and perhaps it is the same invariable sentry that figures in it. Old M. de Saint-Aubin was playing his addresses to the young and pretty Mlle. Bouvet who was reader to the empress. One day he brought her a bouquet and a bag of bonbons; at first she refused the sweetmeats, but the little old gentleman insisted, and at last in order to get rid of him she accepted them. Not wishing to eat them, she was puzzling how to dispose of them when the Baron de Bourgoing happened to pass.  
"My dear baron," she cried, "I was waiting for you; he so kind as to give these sweetmeats to your little Irene." And she left him.  
The baron was going for a ride, and the dainties were a nuisance. So when he saw Dr. Combes coming he accosted him. "I was lying in wait for you, doctor. My daughter Irene asked me to give you these sweetmeats for your son."  
The physician was much annoyed. "I shall return home very late," he said, "and I cannot carry those sweetmeats about with me for hours."  
But at that moment the little Prince Imperial rushed in, and the doctor, bowing profoundly, cried, "Monsieur, here are bonbons that I brought de la part de mon fils!"  
The prince began eagerly to munch the dainties, but a severe voice exclaimed, "What, Louise! I have forbidden you to eat sweetmeats!" It was the empress, accompanied by her reader. Taking the bag from the child, she handed it to Mlle. Bouvet, and everyone began to laugh heartily.  
When they told the empress of the little adventure she turned to Mlle. Bouvet, and said, "You will have to eat them."  
The pretty reader made a grimace of distaste; what she could not suggest that the dainties be given to

## Shivery Signs.

Are you a "shivery mortal"? If so, do you know why you shiver? You may say that you guess you shiver from cold, but that is not quite correct. You shiver because (1) you are below par in health, or (2) because you are not generating sufficient bodily heat, or (3) because you are protecting yourself wrongly or insufficiently—not against the cold, but against the loss of bodily heat.  
Shivers, those of the long, creepy sort especially, are usually a sign of below-par health. We know that anyone not in good health shows it facially, but it is not so easily gripped that the whole skin is affected also. The tiny nerves, the perspiration glands, the veins are each and all influenced. The texture of the skin is changed, and the result, when cold weather comes, is "shivers." A tonic, doctor-prescribed, would stop them.  
The second point—sufficient bodily heat not being generated—can be remedied easily. Your food is the body's fuel. You require fuel that will produce heat. Sugar will; so will fats, so will porridge. Treble your sugar ration, compel yourself to eat fat bacon, pork, oily kippers, and so on, and your body warmth will jump amazingly. Shivers will depart. Exercise, of course, will spread the heat all over the body.  
The third point—wrong or insufficient protection—can be adjusted by remembering that the main function of clothing is to prevent the undue escape of body heat. The prevention of the ingress of cold is quite secondary. So wear wool, because it holds the heat in itself, and wear it loosely. Thus you get a barrier of warm air between you and the outside cold. Assuming that you wear outer clothing sufficient to repel searching winds, you cannot possibly shiver.  
So—keep well; eat fat; wear finer clothing which will hold the body-generated heat, and outer clothing which will repel wind, and you could not shiver if you tried.  
The transparent hem is seen on frocks with very wide skirts.

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**HARTLEY'S JAMS;**  
Strawberry.  
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**Household Notes.**  
Shredded cocoon may be colored a delicate shade to match the fabric. Serve spiced prunes salad with cream cheese balls and toasted crackers.  
Zwieback is excellent dipped in egg and milk and fried. Serve with macaroni.  
Chopped raisins and nuts, mixed with macaroni make a good salad with filling.

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Get it early, your Christmas Gift Camera. We would suggest that you make it a **1A KODAK**  
Giving a picture 2 1/2 x 4 1/4 this beautiful little Camera is very easy to use, and convenient to carry, while the 20 per cent. reduction makes it both a delightful and reasonable Christmas offering.  
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## Brighten Up for Christmas



**CURTAIN LACES**—Uncommon looking striped lace pattern in Lace Curtains; very neat. Reg. \$1.10. **Friday, 60c.**  
**FACE CLOTHS**—Pure White Turkish Face Cloths, with worked edge of Hello, Gold and Pink. Reg. 25c. **Friday, 19c.**  
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**BOXED STATIONERY**—High class Stationery neatly boxed; always acceptable as a Christmas gift. This lot offers you "Cocidian", "Cambridge", "Cards and Envelopes, and "University". Notepaper and Envelopes, 70c. and 90c. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, the box, 49c.**

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**CREPE PAPER STREAMERS**—In a wide range of shades; 60 ft. rolls. each **14c.**  
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**BEST GRADE CREPE TISSUE**—In beautiful rich shades; 10 feet long; very fine texture; you could use a piece or two effectively; the piece **23c.**

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Make your Christmas parcels, your Christmas Gifts, more nifty looking. See our well selected range of new ones. The package **5c.**



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**WOMEN'S FELT JULIETS**—Offering extraordinary good value; comfort for the wearer and joy to the giver; warm felt makes shades of Navy, Green, Grey, Wine and Black. Reg. \$4.00. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$2.79.**  
**LADIES' SPATS**—Trim fitting Felt Spats, 8, 10 and 12 button height; shades of Navy, Brown, Fawn and Grey. Reg. \$2.00. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.05.**  
**GIRLS' FELT SPATS**—Children's and Misses' sizes, in warm Felt Spats; shades of Navy, Fawn and Grey; high leg style. Notice the value. Reg. \$2.75. **Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, \$1.98.**  
**WOMEN'S GAFFERS**—22 button height (cast-iron), with warm lining, medium heel; indispensable Footwear for Miss or Matron. Reg. \$4.00. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$3.59.**  
**GIRLS' BATHERS**—Button style, last Black, warmly lined; they look for the comfortable pair. Special prices for **Friday and Saturday, Children's Sizes—Reg. \$2.70 for \$2.49.** Misses' Sizes—Reg. \$3.20 for **\$2.89.**

### SPECIAL! GIRLS' 3.30 SNUG GOAT JERSEYS for 1.90

They come to you just in time for Christmas Gifts, and what could you offer as a more serviceable one; shades of Saxe, Maroon and V-Rose; belted, snug-set turn-over collar and pockets; were \$3.30 each. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$1.90.**

**NOVELTY PINS CUSHIONS**—Pins Cushions of almost every shape, some in Velvet; others bright Art Silk coverings, and others in small patterned Chintz. Dainty little Gifts. Reg. 50c. **Friday, Saturday, & Monday 29c.**

### TURKISH HEARTH RUGS

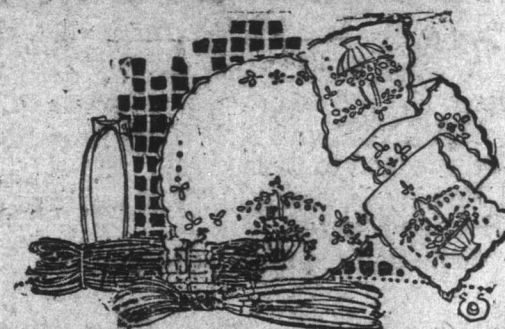
Reversible Turkish patterned Hearth Rugs, with fringed ends; good color blendings, uncommon patterns and Rugs that will give you serviceable wear. Special reductions on these during our Christmas Sales. Reg. 7.80. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$5.75.** Reg. \$10.50. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$7.65.**

**PHOTO FRAMES**—See our assortment of classy Photo Frames; sizes to suit any size Photo, and very suitable where a small gift is needed. You will find their prices just right; the variety includes French Ivory, Silverite, Gilt, Bronze, etc. Prices range from **35c. to \$2.95.**

### CHRISTMAS CARDS. Here is a Special

Splendid assortments to select from; this line we mention would satisfy the most exacting; all folding Cards worth the price. You can see **6 for 12c.**

## Headquarters for Fancy Linens



**EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES**—Strong, serviceable and good looking Pillow Cases; full size, nice fine quality; hemstitched and embroidered ends. Reg. \$1.00 value. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 85c.**  
**MORE PILLOW CASES**—5 dozen of American Cotton Pillow Cases, embroidered and hemstitched ends. To clear. Reg. \$1.00. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 65c.**  
**CUSHION COVERS**—Dark Linen Crash Cushion Covers, frilled and embroidered. Special needed at all times and sure to be welcome. Reg. up to \$1.50. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.20.**  
**TABLE CENTRES**—A very special assortment of these; some in Silk Poplin; others Dark Linen Crash; some fringed; others worked and waved edge; beautifully embroidered. Prices range from **80c. up to \$2.80.**  
**TEA CLOTHS**—Embroidered White Linen Tea Cloths, hemstitched border; dainty cloths. Reg. \$1.40 value. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$1.10.**  
**IRISH LINEN TEA CLOTHS**—Hand embroidered Irish Linen Tea Cloths of rare excellence; Come and see some beautiful examples of hand embroidery. Reg. \$8.00. **Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, \$6.50.**  
**SIDEBOARD CLOTHS**—Wide lace trimmed Sideboard Cloths, with plain White Linen centres. Reg. \$1.30. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.18.**  
**DUCHESS SETS**—Four-piece Duchess Sets, showing pretty draw thread effect and hemstitched ends. Reg. \$1.50. **Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, \$1.25.**  
**BATTENBURG CENTRES**—Deep pointed Battenburg Lace Table Centres, medium size. Reg. 60c. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, 48c.**

## You Should see these Men's GLOVE VALUES

**MEN'S WOOL GLOVES**—Best value for years in sensible Gloves for men; warm woolen make; shades of Grey, Brown, Khaki and Heather mixtures. Reg. up to \$1.30 pair. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, 69c.**  
**MEN'S WOOL GLOVES**—A better grade of Woollen Gloves, many of them up to \$1.70 pair; the most popular shades that men like. All one price **Friday, Saturday & Monday, 98c.**

## Contributing Values from the Men's Department

**MEN'S BATH ROBES**—Finest quality Fancy Turkish Bath Robes, buttonless, with girdle; assorted shades; a thoughtful gift for Daddy. Reg. \$8.00. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$4.80.**  
**MEN'S SILK SHIRTS**—Finest grade pure White Silk Shirts, coat styles; distinctive Shirts for all occasions. Were \$14.00 ea. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$5.00.**  
**TOBACCO POUCHES**—Crescent shape, pure Rubber Pouches; Black or Tan; ample size; much appreciated as a gift. Dollar value. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, 85c.**  
**MEN'S MONIE SLIPPERS**—Fine Dongola Kid Rubber, for home wear or for wearing in gutters; a sensible gift for Him. Reg. \$3.50. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$2.79.**  
**LETTER CASES**—Finely stitched Black Leather Kid lined Letter Cases; very compact; an appreciative gift. Reg. \$3.50. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$3.20.**  
**CIGARETTE CASES**—High Electro-plated Nickel Silver Cigarette Cases; very neat. Reg. \$3.00. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$2.50.**  
**SHAVING SETS**—Stand Sets for his dressing table; Bevelled Mirror, Shaving Brush and Soap Dish, nicely finished. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$4.60.**  
**TOBACCO POUCHES**—No. 1 Pouches for cigarette or pipe tobacco; patent closing, fine suede make, rubber lined. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.50.**  
**FULLER'S SLIPPERS**—A surprise gift for Daddy or Brother; finest Crocodile finish Kid, soft soled, and fold in neat wallet. Were \$7.50. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$4.95.**  
**SILK HANDKERCHIEFS**—Full size finest 100% Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and initial. Dollar value. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, 90c.**  
**MEN'S FELT SLIPPERS**—The comfort of a pair of warm Felt Slippers will keep Daddy home at night; Grey or Black Felt with leather sole and heel; sizes 6 to 10. Reg. \$3.70. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$3.19.**



## Now is the Very Best Time for Santa Claus to select Toys, Games, Books, etc.

Our Toy Section to-day furnishes the reminder that once again Christmas is approaching and with it, inseparable ever, the eagerness and longings of the little tots for the Gifts of Santa Claus—longings that must be satisfied; for, after all, Christmas is the children's own particular time, and it's Santa's delight to provide the gladdening things for the youngsters.

**CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS**—Assorted sizes; you must have one for their Christmas mornings; assorted prices. 10c, 17c, 25c, 70c.  
**MUSIC BOXES**—Fancy painted metal with wire handle; musical; each **44c.**  
**GO-CARTS**—Fancy painted Go-Carts, with long wire handle; strong; each **20c.**  
**BUGLES**—Nifty ones; nickel finish; handle and cord; each **38c.**  
**CHILDREN'S SETS**—Kitchen Sets, metal; boiler, saucepan, kettle, tea pot and jug. **50c.**

**TEA SETS**—Japanese Tea Sets; a delight to the little girls; each **75c.**  
**BEDROOM FURNITURE**—Dolls' miniature 2-piece wood Bureau and Chair. **50c.**  
**TIN TEA SETS**—Strong fancy painted Tea Sets; lasting; the set **95c.**  
**EDUCATIONAL RECORDS**—Set of fancy coloured birds, animals; you can play these on your gramophone; ea. **20c.**  
**ROCKING HORSES**—Chair style; very strong; hardwood make; were \$1.70. **Now \$1.39.**

**Children's Books**  
A splendid assortment, and perhaps the best value in Books for years, to suit children of all ages; large size Books profusely illustrated; side covers. We have for gotten their old prices. You will appreciate their new prices. **39c.** **Friday, Saturday & Monday.**

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## Leaders always on Your Gift List KID GLOVES

**LADIES' FUR-LINED GLOVES**—Real Nappa Kid Gloves, very superior quality; fur-lined; long wrist; wool lined palm and fingers. Reg. \$5.50. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$4.95.**  
**GIRLS' CHAMOIS GLOVES**—Dent's special Chamois Gloves, washable; serviceable and distinctive for Sunday wear; 2 button wrist; assorted sizes. Reg. \$2.50 pair. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.35.**

## SEEN IN THE SHOWROOM

**ALL WOOL UNDERWEAR**—"Phoebe Snow" All-wool Underwear of excellent quality, showing high neck, long sleeve vests and ankle length pants. You could not desire anything softer or warmer. Value for \$4.00 garment. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$3.08.**  
**BLACK SILK POPLIN WAISTS**—This line suggests a delightful gift for MOTHER; just what she would appreciate—a good Black Silk Poplin Waist; some with roll collar, long sleeve and neatly trimmed; others high neck and hemstitched front; sizes 38 to 44 bust. **Reg. \$8.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$3.89.**  
**FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS**—Finely Mercerized Handkerchiefs, white, centre and plain or fancy coloured hemstitched border. Reg. 25c. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 19c.**  
**WIDE WOOL SCARVES**—Fashionable broad spreading Angora Wool Scarves, in pretty stripe combinations; Blue and White, Pink and White, Mauve and Cream, Green and Fawn, Corn and White. Were \$9.00 each. **\$5.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday.**  
**FRABY'S HIBER CAPS**—White-Blue Caps with ear protection and strings; the baby's gift alright. Reg. \$2.50. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$2.50.**  
**FRABY'S FITTING BRACES**—For particular dressers; embroidery yoke, hooked front, laced at sides; sizes 34 to 44 bust. **Reg. \$1.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday, \$1.25.**  
**FRABY'S HIBER CAPS**—Turkish quality Frabys, hemstitched ends; pure White. Reg. 45c. **Friday, Saturday & Monday, 45c.**  
**COLGATER PERPUMES**—Daintily gotten up in neat bottles and pretty gift boxes; assorted odors: Apple Blossom, Caprice, Cashmere, Bouquet, La France, Rose, etc. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, 79c.**  
**TEA SPONGES**—Sure to find a place on your list; this lot will please the round shape with Swiss insertion and trim; very neat. Regular \$1.30. **Friday, Saturday and Monday, \$1.18.**





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