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Grape Cream  
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### Bristol.

Rev Mr Beatty, who is holding special services at Bath, was in Bristol on Saturday.

Miss Alice Giberson, Miss Hope Crandall and Miss Ellen Giberson who have been teaching in Victoria County are home for their vacation.

Miss Flora Payne of South Tilley is visiting her friend, Miss Ellen Giberson.

Miss Alice Merritt is visiting friends in Caribou.

The Book and Literary Club met at the Manse, Florenceville, on Tuesday evening. The Rev J H A Anderson, who is soon to remove to St John was presented with a very handsome morris chair. The presentation was made by the President on behalf of the Club. Mr Anderson made a very happy reply. The ordinary routine of the Club was suspended, and a pleasant social evening was spent. Fruit and confectionery were served.

Mr and Mrs Wm Adam, Glassville, were in Bristol on Tuesday, the guests of Dr Somerville.

John Scott, of Glassville, while out gunning on Saturday last had three fingers shot off by the accidental discharge of his gun. He went to Woodstock for treatment.

J A Murdoch, of the GTP contractors is spending a few days in the village.

Gilmer Brown O.E. was in Bristol on Tuesday.

A number of the young men are out of the woods for Christmas and others of the GTP are going home for a few days.

### Andover.

Senator and Mrs Baird left for Montreal yesterday, where Mr Baird will enter the Victoria Hospital for treatment.

Paul Porter, John Currey and Miss Beatrice Welling are home from U N B.

Miss Helen Parley is here for a few weeks vacation from Edinboro, Penn the guest of her aunt, Mrs A J Parley.

W E Spike, Col of Customs, and Miss Helen Spike went to Woodstock, Tuesday.

Mrs Browning of River de Chute was in town Tuesday.

The two Italians who shot the pedler above Plaster Rock were brought down to jail this morning. They were found in a camp with hands and feet badly frozen.

The funeral of Mrs Merrithew of Red Rapids was on Sunday conducted by Rev Mr Hopkins.

Eddie Fournier who has been attending Grammar School left for his

home in St Leonards last Thursday. Miss Gene Kelly is at home for the Xmas tide. X Y Z.

### Middle Southampton.

The people of the United Baptist church of this place met at the home of Rev A A Rutledge on the 18th, and presented him with a purse of \$54.00 in cash.

Mr and Mrs W K Oldham are being congratulated on the arrival of a baby boy on the 19th.

N W Brown had the hay pressers the other day and in 15 hours there were 20 tons of hay pressed. Mr Cummins of Canterbury is a hustler.

Mr and Mrs Albert Patterson are visiting at Dunkin Patterson's.

Miss Ada Harkin is visiting her sister, Mrs Joseph Oldham.

G A Grant and family are spending their Xmas at the home of Mrs Grant's sister, Mrs P McDonald of Fredericton.

John A Young MPP, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs G Grant, has returned home.

Mr Lea Brown who is attending school in Fredericton has returned home for the holidays.

### A Place To Spend The Day.

Is at the new rink on the river near Queen St Station. This rink is 100 X 200 feet with a comfortable place to warm. No pains will be spared to make this the place to amuse you for the winter. Weather permitting will be open regularly on time. Rink is near Queen St Station. Come one, come all. Lots of room, and good lights. D L PARKS.

### Popular Vote in Federal Election.

	Liberal	Conservative
Ontario.....	224,821	226,919
Quebec.....	158,393	129,364
Nova Scotia.....	48,434	46,615
New Brunswick....	40,716	34,945
Prince Edward Is-land.....	14,496	14,280
Manitoba.....	28,196	34,890
British Columbia (incomplete).....	3,514	5,493
Alberta.....	18,565	19,290
Saskatchewan.....	27,221	19,883
Totals.....	574,856	542,685

George Hallett, aged twenty-eight years and belonging to Millville, York County, was killed in the Miramichi lumber woods Friday by a falling limb. His neck was broken and death was instantaneous. The body was brought to Bristol Saturday and sent to his home on the C.P.R. express.

### JOTTINGS.

Nearly everybody says the holiday trade was about thirty per cent under the usual.

Judge Thane M Jones went to Edmundston on Wednesday to spend Christmas with his children.

F B Carvell M P was in St John this week as counsel before the Central Railway Commission.

Remember the Army Childrens Concert and grand Concert in the Hayden & Gibson Theatre to-night.

W Jack Dibblee is spending the holiday in Montreal, and while absent expects to witness the big hockey matches.

The marriage of a popular local military man and an estimable young lady living here is said to be set for an early date.

The Advent Christian Conference will convene with the Woodstock Church on Thursday, 31st inst. Several outside ministers are expected.

The Masons will observe St John's Day, 27th inst, by attending divine service in the Methodist Church at eleven a. m. Rev Bro Fulton will preach.

Hon W P Jones K O has been retained by the representatives of the pedlar who was slain by the two Italians. He is acting for deceased's people at the inquest.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Dibblee, Le-Baron Dibblee and Miss B K Dibblee left Wednesday night for Montreal, where the Charles F K Dibblee family are having a reunion.

The town council met Monday night and heard Engineer Phillips' report on the Water Works. It was decided to ask the McDougall concern to complete their contract according to all the specifications. For the town election which will take place on January 18th the following returning officers were named: J C Hartley, Frank Foster, John Malaney and W B Nicholson. The substitutes are A W Fields, J R Brown, Frank McClement and W H Everett. The meeting of the council to-morrow (Saturday) night will probably be the last occasion on which the present council will gather.

### People Are With Laurier.

Some people are hard to convince. The conservatives do not appear to realize, judging from their press, that the people of Canada have rejected them. A majority approaching fifty should convince any reasonable man that the people are with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his government. No good can be accomplished by attacking individual members of the government. The people have heard all the evidence that can possibly be brought to bear upon any subject now in the public mind, and the verdict has been rendered and cannot be changed by the incursions of a disgruntled press. The people would be better pleased to see the Conservative press join hands and give assistance to the government in the measures for the public weal now under discussion.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will meet the new parliament higher than ever before in public estimation, and will proceed with his measures of reform knowing that the people are in sympathy with him. Large enterprises in the public interest which he will push to completion, or inaugurate, will have the added assurance and help which comes of the knowledge that the people approve of his plans and will stand behind him in any course he thinks is best to take in the interests of Canada. When the country returned Sir Wilfrid to power it builded better than it knew.

CHRISTMAS NECKTIES. The Woodstock Clothing Company are showing a very handsome range of Neckwear for Christmas buyers.

### NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned against negotiating a certain promissory note dated Oct 8th 1908, for \$300, signed by me in favor of J Melbourne Merritt, as I will not pay same, having received no value for same. JAKE WISE.

Houlton, Dec 12th, 1908.  
J. W.

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## AT PRICES YOU LIKE.

If you come to this store for a solution of your Gift Problems you will find it easy to risk a selection. Our stock is all fresh and new, direct from the manufacturers.

Men's Fancy Neckwear, in the season's Latest Colorings, all Nobby Patterns, 15 cents to 75 cts.

Men's and Boys' Gloves, Lined and Unlined, in Cape Kid, Mocha and Bucks' in, 50c to \$3.00.

Men's Fancy Vests, in Latest Patterns, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters, with open neck and closed neck, in all colorings and effects, 50c to \$2.50.

Men's Coat Sweaters, in Browns and Greys, \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Men's Fancy Shirts, Soft or Stiff Bosom, endless variety, 60c to \$2.00.

Men's Woollen Underwear, 75c to \$3.00 a garment.

Men's Mufflers, in square and made-up shapes, 50c to \$2.50.

Men's Bath Robes, warm and comfortable \$4.00 to 8.00.

Men's Smoking Jackets, Handsome Patterns, finished with silk braid, \$7.00 to 8.00.

Men's Umbrellas, 75c to 4.00 each

Men's Suspenders, in endless variety. We have the handsome Silk Suspenders, nicely boxed. We have the combination boxes containing one pair Silk Suspenders, one pair Silk Elastic Armbands and one pair Silk Elastic Garters. The best line of Suspenders in Woodstock—16c to 1.00.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, Plain and Fancy, and Fancy Borders, with or without Embroidered Initials, 50c to 1.00.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Wide and Narrow Borders, Hemstitched, 10c to 40c.

Men's Excelsior Handkerchiefs, Plain and Fancy Borders, with or without Embroidered Initials, 10c to 30c.

## A Whole Shopful of Christmas Cheer.

We are selling Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, AT COST, and in some cases less than cost, to clear. We are too heavily stocked in some of these lines and we want to get rid of them. We don't intend carrying any of them over.

## WOODSTOCK CLOTHING Co.

The Up-Town Store. - 4 Doors below Post Office.

Main Street, Woodstock.

## ACCEPT OUR BEST WISHES

## For a Happy Christmas

If you will allow us we can contribute to the days pleasure by supplying you with all seasonable good things, at right prices.



TEA  
29c lb  
4 lbs \$1



Coffee  
35c lb  
3 lbs \$1

### DRIED FRUITS.

Best Currants	10c Pkg
Seeded Raisins	12, 14c Pkg
Valencia Raisins	10c lb 3 for 25c
Fancy Table	18c, 25c lb
Best Dates 9c lb	3 lbs for 25c
Fancy New Figs	12, 15c lb
Best Quality Citron	25c lb
Orange and Lemon Peel	18c lb

### Fancy Valencia Raisins

25 lb Box	2.20
14 " "	1.12
7 " "	.63

### FINEST CANDIES

#### To Suit The Purse Of All

Daisy Mixture	10c lb 3 for 25c
Xmas "	10c lb
Brawn "	10c lb 3 for 25c
Jolly "	10c lb
Gum Drops	10c lb
Peppermints	10c lb
Conversation Lozengers	23c lb
Milk Caramels	20c, 25c, 50c lb
Ass'd Chocolates	45c lb
Burnt Almonds	15c lb
Barley Toys	

### NEW NUTS.

Best Mixed Nuts	15c lb
English Walnuts	15c lb
Filberts	15c lb
Brazil	18c lb
Almonds	15c lb
Fresh Roasted Peanuts	5c pt 10c qt
Cocoanuts	6, 8, 10c each

### LOOK

#### WHAT 25 CENTS WILL BUY

7 bars Yerca's Soap	25c
3 bottles Anania	25c
6 lbs Best Rice	25c
6 lbs Rolled Oats	25c
10 lb Buckwheat Flour	25c
7 lbs Bread Soda	25c
3 Pkgs Corn Starch	25c
2 Bottles Vanilla	25c
2 " Lemon	25c
1 lb Cream Tartar	25c
10 lb Onions Large	25c
14 lb " Small	25c

### NOTICE

Fancy Barbadoes Molasses 45c gal  
20 lbs Fine Granulated Sugar 20 lbs \$1.00 \$1.90 cwt  
Best Bread Flour (Granite) \$6.50 bbl  
" Blended Flour (Pilgrim) \$5.90 bbl  
" Pastry Flour (Monarch) \$5.65 bbl  
Best Bread Flour 2 1/2 lb Bags 85c

### FRUIT

Valencia Oranges	20c Doz
Jamaica Oranges	25c Doz
Florida "	25, 30, 35c "
Grape Fruit	10c lb 3 for 25c
Malaga Grapes	15c lb
Lemons, Fancy	25c doz

## Cape Cod Cranberries 15c quart.

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