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Xmas Specials at Brown's This Week

15 lbs. Gran. Sugar.....\$1.00	1 gal. Extra Fcy. Molasses 65c
7 cans Tomatoes.....1.00	3 boxes Matches.....35c
7 cans Corn.....1.00	5 lbs. bulk Soda.....25c
8 cans Peas.....1.00	2 lbs. bulk Cocoa.....25c
17 cakes Soap.....1.00	3 lbs. bulk Rice.....25c
1 lb. reg. 75c Tea for.....70c	5 lbs. best Yellow Eyed or
1 lb. 70c Best Bulk Tea.....60c	White Beans.....34c

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Here are some of the Cash Specials Commencing Dec. 5 until Dec. 25

2 15 oz. pkgs Seedless Raisins.....32c	1 lb. Peanut Brittle.....25c
2 15 oz. pkgs. Seeded Raisins 31c	1 lb. Assorted Kisses.....23c
1 16 oz. pkg. Currants.....18c	1 lb. Mixed Candy.....17c
1 lb. Citron.....65c	1 lb. Chocolates.....23c
1 lb. Lemon Peel.....39c	1 lb. Peanuts.....17c
1 lb. Orange Peel.....39c	1 lb. Walnuts.....21c
1 1/2 pound box Mixed Peel 23c	1 lb. Almonds.....24c
1 lb. Shelled Walnuts.....51c	1 lb. Filberts.....26c
Bordeaux Halves.....51c	1 lb. Brazils.....28c
2 lbs. best Dates.....21c	1 lb. Mixed Nuts.....25c
2 lbs. large Prunes.....21c	2 cans Peas.....30c
1 lb. Pure Cream Tartar.....24c	2 large cans Tomatoes.....30c
1 lb. best Orange Pekoe Tea 51c	2 large cans Corn.....29c
5 pounds for.....\$2.50	2 lbs. best Cocoa.....23c
1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee.....53c	2 lbs. Frosting Sugar.....21c
1 lb. Fresh Shredded Cocoa.....31c	2 lbs. Oatmeal.....52c
2 lbs. best Cream Sodas.....28c	10 lbs. best Onions.....29c
4 cakes Comfort Soap.....25c	10 lbs. best Yellow Eyed Beans.....67c
4 cakes Surprise.....25c	5 lbs. Soda.....25c
4 cakes Pearl White Soap.....25c	1 gal. best Fancy Barbadoes Molasses.....63c
3 cakes Wool Soap.....25c	ORANGES, CRANBERRIES, GRAPES, GRAPE FRUIT, LEMONS AND APPLES
1 large pkg. Princess Soap.....23c	Always on hand.
3 large pkgs. Matches.....31c	I also have a good assortment of
5 lb. can Swifts or C. P. C. Pure Lard.....\$1.12	XMAS. TREE DECORATIONS, GAMES and PAPETERIES.
5 lb. can Shortening.....90c	
1 lb. Ribbon Candy.....23c	
1 lb. Barley Toys.....27c	

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SHANKLIN

Dec. 8.—And again we have come to the very last month of the year. Only a short time now until Old Sol begins to creep slowly back to this Northland and our days begin to lengthen.

The scribe was rather amazed when looking over the gardens to find the leaf buds on the lilacs, showing green, and perennials, such as oriental poppy double buttercup and iris, sending up new leaves.

The sympathy of friends is extended to the immediate family and relatives of Miss Elsie Bell, who was laid to rest on Saturday afternoon in Browns cemetery.

Once more the deluge of rain prevented our service in the hall. We hope for more favorable weather next time. Arthur Ryan was a guest at the Irvine home on Monday.

Robert Shanklin spent Sunday at his home here. Mrs. Edward Burchill and Thomas Burchill were recent guests of the Desmond family at Loch Lomond.

Miss Frances Patterson spent a short time Saturday, guest of Mrs. Wilson.

Nov. 30.—St. Andrew's Day, when all good Scotchmen pay homage to patron saint.

Mrs. Leonard Patterson and son Arthur have gone to spend the winter in St. John, where Mr. Patterson is working.

Lumbering seems to be the chief subject of conversation at the present time, and several camp crews are at work.

C. Commary has a crew of about 20 men at work, and expect to cut a million and a half of lumber.

Lamb and Black have a crew in, and expect a good winter's work. Charles Ellis and his men expect to lumber on what is known as the Estey land.

Frank Irvine has gone to St. John to work.

F. N. Bamford has again returned to take up his work at the winter port.

Mrs. Parker, little Miss Mary and John Verner were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ellis.

Alfred Cutler and a small crew of men have been making some road repairs.

Nov. 23.—Mrs. J. Wilson and Miss Dorothy, who have been suffering from a rather severe type of grippiness, are rapidly convalescing.

Mrs. L. J. Patterson and son Arthur spent Thursday with Mrs. Bayley.

Members of the Community Club met at the Shanklin home Thursday evening and mapped out a programme for the Christmas entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Duffy were re-

cent guests of Mrs. Duffy's father, Mr. Irvine.

F. N. Bamford has built a new store which will greatly add to the convenience of both clerk and customer.

Harry Bamford has been busy all week, hauling freight from the siding.

Mrs. Bayley was a guest of Mrs. W. L. Patterson on Friday.

Raymond Ellis shot a wild cat the other day, whose large size caused much comment.

Robert Shanklin has gone to haul pulpwood to Tynemouth Creek for W. Armstrong.

HIGHFIELD

Dec. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Murray Pearson and children spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, Ann-dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Crealock, Pearsonville, spent Sunday in this place with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thompson.

Mr. C. I. Pearson, who was in Saint John, arrived home Monday morning.

Mr. Edward Smith, Thomond, was calling on friends here on Monday.

The Misses Bertha Pearson, Laura Thompson and Dora Small were guests of Mrs. H. McManus on Monday.

Mr. Isaac Pearson went to Cody's on Tuesday last.

Mr. Murray Pearson has been hauling lumber and loading cars at Cody's.

Hazen Pearson was calling on friends in Pearsonville on Tuesday.

Mr. Everett Crealock was in this place Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Fred Pearson was visiting Mrs. Annie Burns on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carmichael were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pearson's on Sunday.

The Misses Bertha and Lucy Pearson and Elsie Eldridge were, visiting in Pearsonville on Saturday.

Miss Alice Stewart spent the week-end with Miss Emma Ward.

Miss Alice Stewart and Miss Emma Ward spent Sunday afternoon the guests of Mrs. John M. Pearson.

Mrs. Orin Northrup is visiting at her home in Knightville.

Mr. Orin Northrup has had another attack of appendicitis.

Mr. Hanford Pearson is working with Mr. Archie Crealock.

Miss Eva Johnston and Miss Emma Ward spent Friday evening guests of Mrs. Geo. Murray.

A number of young folks spent Friday evening at Mr. Chown's camp, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orin North-

rup.

PASSED AWAY

John W. Tays

The death took place on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 6, of John W. Tays, of Hillsdale, Kings Co., after an illness of several months' duration. Deceased was a prominent and faithful blacksmith and has worked at this corner for upwards of forty years, where he leaves many friends. He was born at Passakeag, King Co., in the year 1853. He leaves to mourn, a wife, two sons, William W., of Upham, and Charles M., on the homestead and two daughters, Mrs. Robert Scott, of Hammond, and Mrs. Roland Haynan, of St. Stephen, N. B. Interment took place on Wednesday afternoon at Titusville.

Samuel C. Osborne

The death of Samuel Cleveland Osborne occurred on Monday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Errol Miller, Saint Martins. His health had been impaired for some time and two weeks ago he had a paralytic seizure. Mr. Osborne, who was 70 years of age, was one of the best known men in this district. He had been parish constable for many years and was well known as an auctioneer. He served on the committee of the Agricultural Society and was also a vestryman and communicant of the Anglican church. He was school janitor for years and was greatly respected by all the children who affectionately called him "Grandpa."

Mr. Osborne was a widower and is survived by four sons, three daughters and two sisters. They are Samuel and Ernest, of St. Martins; William, of Saint John; Roy, Mrs. Clyde Colpitts and Mrs. H. S. Fiewelling, of Boston; Mrs. Errol Miller, of St. Martins; the sisters are Mrs. J. B. Hodsmayth, of St. Martins, and Mrs. Colpitts, of Wakefield, Mass. The funeral will take place on Thursday, service at Holy Trinity church at 2.30.

Thomas Quirk

Thomas Quirk, a highly respected resident of Ward's Creek, passed peacefully away at his home on Tuesday, Dec. 1st, after a lingering illness. The deceased was 85 years of age and his sudden passing will be learned with much regret by his many friends.

He leaves to mourn besides his wife, three sons, James of Miami, Florida; Fred, of Sydney, N.B.; and William, of Smith's Creek. Four daughters, Mrs. John McMackin, at home; Mrs. Stephen O'Regan, of White's Mountain; Lillian and Florence, of Belle Isle, and twenty-three grandchildren.

The funeral was held on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home to St. Francis Xavier Church, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Hannigan. Interment was made in the Roman Catholic cemetery of Ward's Creek. The pallbearers were William Quirk, John McMackin, James McMackin, Daniel McMackin.

U. S. FORESTRY SITUATION

The output of 36,000,000,000 board feet as shown by the U. S. Census Bureau's lumber statistics for 1924, reveal in part the extent to which America's virgin timber stands are being drained to meet the nation's requirements. The fact that nearly all important industrial and agricultural regions are consuming billions of feet of timber from the south and far west, and growing but little on the forest lands within their own boundaries is far from reassuring to those interested in forest conservation. Figures compiled by the forest service show that in 1923, when lumber production had reached its highest point since the depression following the world war, 28 States produced less lumber than they consumed. Prominent among these are the populous states in the northern and eastern sections of the U. S., where more than 30,000,000 acres of heavily timbered, now contribute but little to the nation's lumber cut.

A RIVER THAT LOSES ITSELF

Poets and others have taught us to accept rivers as more or less prosaic features in Nature's general scheme of things. Tennyson, for instance, has held up the brook as a model of virtue and longevity. It is both refreshing and interesting to discover, therefore, that there are streams which do not conform to this estimable standard, but which, very much like human beings, do things they are not supposed to do according to the accepted theories of convention.

There is a river in Canada which loses itself completely and thereby has earned a rather outstanding reputation. This is the Maligne River which rises in Maligne Lake, in Jasper National Park, Alberta, and, after playing its pranks, tumbles—as if it were applauding itself for its cleverness—with a great rush and roar into the staid waters of the Athabaska.

After it leaves Maligne Lake is flows for a goodly number of miles with nothing in its appearance to indicate that soon, so to speak, it is going to sow some wild oats. It is when it reaches the Maligne Canyon, situated about five miles from Jasper Park Lodge, that it begins its pranks. Here it dips suddenly and, without warning, nose dives into a narrow gorge it has cut for itself out of solid rock.

Within a distance of fifty yards, it reaches a depth of several hundred feet and it is hard to see the water which has lessened in volume. This diminution continues until only a trickle is left. Yet, before the Athabaska is reached, the river is again a roaring torrent. Only one explanation seems possible, that somewhere the river loses itself in an underground passage. The canyon is one of the many interesting spots for those who visit this magnificent playground in the Canadian Rockies every year.

This is but one of the many scenic spectacles that the tourist meets in this land of never-to-be-forgotten beauty.

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EARLY MARRIAGES

A Chicago judge, who has heard the divorce cases of 20,000 men and women, recommends early marriages. "I'm not advising marriages of minors or runaway marriages after a week's acquaintance," warned Judge Joseph A. Sabath. "But if a young man, say 21, has it in him to support a wife, rear a family, and build a little love nest bit by bit, the earlier he gets married the better for him. He will prove a far more devoted husband than the man who has waited until he is 30."

The economic obstacle to early marriage is a large one, these days. Rents are high. Furniture runs into money. Love in a cottage isn't nearly so simple a proposition as it once was. But the Judge is talking from his experience. He has had an unusual opportunity to observe. And he finds the chances of happiness are greater for those who marry young.

Those who make such a venture, are likely to have a struggle with poverty. But the struggle may strengthen affection. The very fact that a girl is willing to wed before they can have everything as fine as she has been accustomed to at home, is a sign that she puts love before material things; and while the young man should not impose upon this spirit of self-sacrifice by marrying before he has a steady job and some money in the bank, he may well prize the young woman who shows that attitude.

Aerial Warfare Makes All War Unthinkable

A French aviator expert declares 120,000 bombs of the kind that modern bombing planes can carry would be capable of blotting either London or Paris out of existence. Five hundred planes could carry over half the quantity of bombs named and could reach either Paris or London from the Rhine in two hours. Inside of two hours, therefore, barring successful defence, Paris or London could be paralyzed by aerial attack. A second attack, made on a second journey during the same night, by these same planes, could, even after allowance for casualties, complete the work of destruction. With its capital and centre of government gone, and means of communication and direction broken up, a country would be left helpless, and continued resistance merely mean continuance of the work of destruction in detail.

Is any further argument necessary to show the imperative need of the abolition of war and ending controversies that lead to war? If civilization is to continue some means must be found of substituting Reason for Force in the adjustment of international relations.

What key in music will make a good officer? A sharp major.

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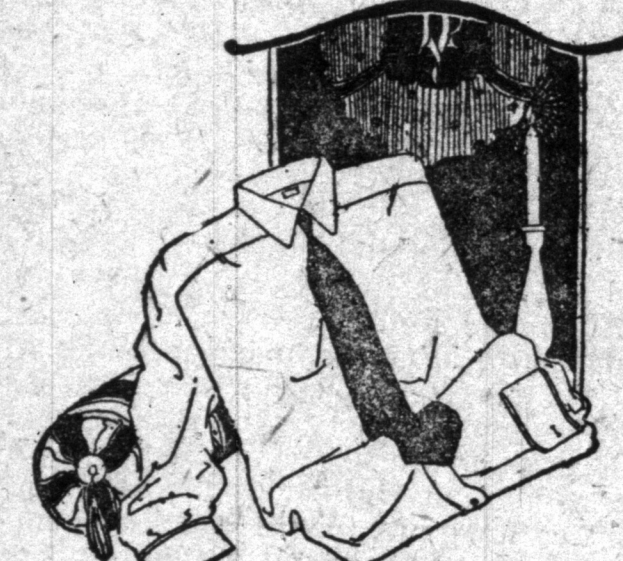
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