

Your Neighbors Will Tell You
that our Holiday Display of Dry-Goods and Clothing never was so complete. Remember shoppers will buy Needs--not extras, this year.

Underwear, Clothing, Furnishings, Neckwear Caps, Hosiery, Blankets, Suspenders, Armlets, Fine Shirts and Working Shirts.

They will make Suitable Gifts



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RYAN'S DRUG STORE
THE PENSLAR STORE

NEW PEELS

New English Peels for your Christmas Cooking. Also a full line of New Dried Fruits.

SPICES.

We have only the Best Quality.

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| Allspice | 35c. lb. |
| Ginger | 25c. lb. |
| Cloves | 40c. lb. |
| Mustard | 25c. lb. |
| Black Pepper | 30c. lb. |
| Pure Cream Tartar | 55c. lb. |

DRIED FRUITS

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| Choice Seeded Raisins | 13c. |
| 2 pkgs. | 25c |
| Fancy Seeded Raisins 14c. pkg. | |
| Seedless Raisins | 16c. pkg |
| New Table Raisins | 20c. lb. |
| Cleaned Currants (bulk) 18c lb | |

SUGAR.

For the Xmas Season, 12 lbs. Pure Cane Granulated, \$1.00.

PEELS.

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| Citron | 30c. lb |
| Lemon | 25c. lb. |
| Orange | 27c. lb. |

CONFECTIONERY

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| Ribbon Candy | 18c. lb. |
| Best Barley Toys | 20c. lb. |
| Reg. 40c. Chocolates | 25c. lb. |
| Fancy Boxes Chocolates | 10c. 25c. and 50c. Box |
| Xmas Stockings, 5 and 10c. ea. | |

MOLASSES.

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| Fancy Barbadoes Molasses— | 65c. a Gallon. |
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FRUITS.

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| Best Lemons | 30c. doz. |
| Oranges, 25c., 35c. & 50c. doz. | |
| Malaga Grapes | 20c. lb. |
| Tokay Grapes | 15c. lb. |

A FEW GOOD QUARTER TRADES

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| 6 lbs. Baking Soda | 25c | 1 lb. reg. 40c. Chocolates | 25c |
| 5 lbs. Rolled Oats | 25c | 3 pkgs. of Quaker Corn | |
| 2 cans Good Salmon | 25c | Flakes | 25c |
| 8 lbs. Good Onions | 25c | 5 pkgs. Toilet Paper | 25c |
| 4 Marguerite Cigars | 25c | 6 cakes Toilet Soap | 25c |
| 3 cakes Rising Sun | 25c | 9 cakes Cucumber Soap | 25c |
| 7 cakes Yerxa's Soap | 25c | 2 pkg. Seeded Raisins | 25c |
| 1 lbs. Rice | 25c | 2 lbs. Prunes | 25c |
| 7 Stogie Cigars | 25c | 2 lbs. Evap. Peaches | 25c |

Do your Christmas shopping early!

Yerca's

Branch Stores Woodstock and St. John.

THE POSITION OF NEUTRALS BECOMING UNBEARABLE

Holland Appeals to the United States to Take Leadership in Protesting Against The Deportation Policy of the Huns--- Tyranny of the Germans Should Not be Borne in Patience.

London, Dec. 11.—The Associated Press has received from Amsterdam an "appeal to the American people" by the Holland section of the League of Neutral States. The appeal is signed by President Mieneyer and Secretaries Delafaille and Walch. The appeal, in part, says:

"Your president has said that sooner or later a moment would come when the war would make the position of neutral nations unbearable. For us Hollanders that moment has arrived; not through our own sufferings, but because we cannot longer passively contemplate the ghastly suffering inflicted by Germany upon Belgium, our neighbor. To us the cruelty inflicted on the Belgians by Germany is more vivid every day. Every day numbers of fugitives, in spite of the deadly electric wire which the Germans have erected along the frontier, succeed in escaping to the Netherlands. From them we learn the painful details of the unutterable despair of the women and children who are left behind, and of the agonizing scenes which take place when husbands, brothers and sons, dragged from their homes and women-folk, are packed into cattle and freight cars and thus transported, virtual slaves, to an unknown destination and to an unknown fate.

"To put an end to this—to arrest this hellish scourge, which at this moment lacerates the whole of northern France and western Russia—there is but one way open, and that is collective action on the part of the neutral nations.

"And for you, citizens of the mightiest of the neutral states, it is, in our opinion, the right and duty to take the leadership upon you. This tyranny is not to be borne in patience, and the neutral nations can no longer stand idly by while in western Europe the most primitive laws of humanity, observed even by uncivilized races, are trampled under foot.

"We appeal to you to urge your government to energetic and decisive action, and to call upon the other neutral nations to rally around you. We do not hesitate to take it upon ourselves to speak with firm conviction in the name of humanity, and our hope is firmly fixed on that sense of justice which has always formed one of the most cherished traditions of citizens of the United States. Americans, we are convinced that you will not disappoint our expectations."

A. F. GARDEN PASSED AWAY AT WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, N. B., Dec. 12.—The community was shocked this morning to hear of the sudden death of J. Arthur F. Garden, the surviving partner of a well known drug firm, Garden Bros. While he had not been in robust health for the last two years, it was not considered that his condition was serious. He was around and about his duties yesterday as usual, being seized last evening quite suddenly with weak action of the heart, and passed quietly away near midnight.

He leaves a widow, who was Miss Georgie Stephenson, of St. Andrews. Mr. Garden was a son of the late H. M. G. Garden, C. E., and had been in business in Woodstock practically all his life. He was an upright, honorable citizen, and his departure is a distinct loss to the community.

While his political affiliations were with the Liberal party, he was very broad minded in his views on political as on other matters. A member of the Anglican Church, he had been for many years past one of the vestry. Possessed of fine literary and artistic taste, he had served most acceptably on the public library commission.

Mr. Garden was a charter member of the local lodge, I. O. O. F.

At the Gaiety.

Today Columbia Picture Corporation presents Viola Dana in "The Flower of No Man's Land" in five acts. It's a Metro. Gaiety's concert orchestra.

A WISE SELECTION.

It is highly improbable that any physician could be found who would deny there is a great big legitimate field wherein a good liniment proves a welcome and powerful ally. When need arises, therefore, it is only a question of wise selection on the part of the purchaser. If he obtains a liniment that can be used internally for coughs, colds, sore throat, cramps, chills, etc., and externally for sprains, strains, muscular rheumatism, various aches, pains, and almost any soreness, he is twice fortified against many of the common ailments that all flesh is heir to. For over 100 years Johnson's Anodyne Liniment has proved to be just such a double value liniment. This prescription of Dr. Abner Johnson's, an erstwhile old family physician, has attained its enviable record of more than a century of success purely on its wonderful merit. As a tribute to its remarkable healing, soothing and penetrating qualities, thousands of grateful users speak of Johnson's Anodyne Liniment as "an angel in disguise."

Sixty-Fifth Anniversary.

Large congregations attended the Methodist Church on Sunday, the occasion being the 65th anniversary of the building of the church. Rev. J. W. McConnell, a former pastor, of the church, was the preacher.

TERMS OF PEACE PROPOSED BY HUNS

Washington, Dec. 12.—Advices from Berlin to the German ambassador indicate that Germany's peace terms, in a general measure propose the restoration of the status quo before the war, with the exception of the establishment of the independent kingdoms of Poland and Lithuania.

They are understood to propose the complete restoration of the occupied portions of Belgium and France, in return for Germany's captured colonies, and to dispose of the Balkan situation, because of its extremely complicated nature, in the peace conference.

The Chancellor's Speech.
London, Dec. 12.—A wireless despatch from Berlin says that in his speech before the Reichstag today Chancellor Von Bethmann-Holweg announced that Germany, together with her allies, "conscious of their responsibility before God, before the crown, the nations and before humanity," have proposed to the hostile powers to enter into peace negotiations.

First Offence Case.
A local man appeared in the police court this morning on the charge of a first offence against the Canada Temperance Act. A number of soldiers gave evidence and Police Sergt. Chas. Marshall and Policeman Hughes also were on the stand. Mr. R. B. Hanson appeared for the prosecution. The alleged offence took place in an alleyway off Carleton street at night some time ago. The police found the soldiers there with a bottle of liquor, and charged the civilian with selling it.

WAR PROPHECIES.

The following war prophecies, made in 1914, are interesting reading today:

"Germany's whole vast military machine in the first months of the war goes down in blood and mire before little Belgium."—H. G. Wells.

"The war will end by Christmas, and Calais, Antwerp and Algiers will then be German seaports."—Maximilian Harden in Zukunft.

"The soil of both France and Belgium will be clear of the enemy by June."—War sharp Ashmead Bartlett.

"There will not be a three years' war nor anything like it. The Germans could not stand it. I doubt if the world could stand it."—T. P. O'Connor, M. P.

"It is foolish to say the war is a matter of life and death for England. I call on Lord Kitchener to tell the people that it is not a matter of life and death for us. Germany is already beaten."—Arnold Bennett.

"Peace will probably be asked for by a conquered Germany next week."—H. G. Wells.

"I promise you a victorious peace before Christmas, 1914."—The All Highest War Lord.

"Christmas will see us in Berlin."—Gilbert K. Chesterton.

"The Russians will march into Berlin before Christmas."—War sharp Hilaire Belloc.

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KINDERGARTEN SETS in Red, Green and Golden Colors.

DOLL BEDS in Brass or White Enamel. Each bed is fitted with Spring, Mattress, Pillows and Castors.

HIGH CHAIRS, ROCKERS, ROCKING HORSES and BLACKBOARDS. DOLL CARRIAGES with Wood, Metal or Reed Bodies, all have Rubber Tires.

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THE KYANIZE STORE. HARDWARE OF ALL KINDS.

CALIF of BAGDAD

CITY OPERA HOUSE,

WED., DEC. 13th.

COME AND HEAR "THE CALIF," AT A CONCERT TO BE GIVEN BY

FREDERICTON BRASS BAND

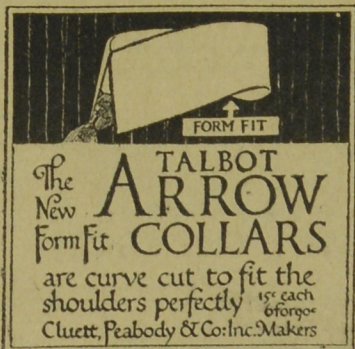
ASSISTED BY LOCAL AND OUTSIDE TALENT.

TICKETS—25c. and 35c. On sale at Ryan's Drug Store.

WHEAT PRICE TUMBLING.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Wheat prices came down with a rush today, crumbled by Germany's formal proposal of peace. The market was falling of its own weight before the peace message came, but then tumbled headlong, making a sheer drop of nearly cents a bushel.

The heyday of youth isn't in it with the payday of manhood. No woman ever got too old to be interested in a wedding.



Drafted to France.

Letters from members of the 104th Battalion in England state that the corps is to be used as a draft battalion. Already 350 men have gone to France having left England Nov. 25th. Other drafts are to follow. No officers have been sent to the front, all men in the draft going as privates. Lieut. Col. G. W. Fowler, officer commanding the battalion, recently returned from a tour of the front in France.

Gaiety

TODAY and TUESDAY

METRO PRESENTS THE DAINY STAGE FAVORITE

VIOLA DANA

IN THE FIVE ACT METRO WONDERPLAY

"THE FLOWER OF NO MAN'S LAND"

AN ABSORBING STORY OF A LITTLE SHINING STAR OF THE GREAT NORTH LAND, WHO MISFITS IN SOCIETY.

GAIETY TOPICAL REVIEW

GAIETY CONCERT ORCHESTRA—Latest Musical Hits.

Here Wed.—MAE MURRAY in "THE DREAM GIRL"—Lasky Paramount.