

Suggestions For Christmas

People will buy necessities this year—not extras.

THE WORKING MAN WILL APPRECIATE Working Pants, Underwear, Overalls, Shirts, a Mackinaw, Caps, Hosiery, Mitts, Gloves, a Sweater Coat, Neckwear, Braces, Armlets, Garters.

PLEASING GIFTS FOR MOTHER OR SISTER—Hosiery, Gloves, a nice Sweater, a pair of Bath Towels, a Cloth Skirt, a Waist, a bed spread, a nice quilt, a pair of blankets, ladies' handkerchiefs, nicely packed in boxes, and many other lines.

FOR THE BOY—A Snappy Suit, a Warm Mackinaw, a Sweater, Hosiery, a Cap, a Pair of Gloves, Armlets, Handkerchiefs and Underwear.

Peter Farrell & Co.

Agents for Progress Brand Made-to-Measure Clothing.

SQUIBB'S PURE GROUND SPICES

Cinnamon, Allspice, Red Pepper, Mace, Cloves, Black Pepper, Ginger, Nutmeg, etc., in 2 oz. Sprinkler Tins, at

RYAN'S DRUG STORE

THE PENSLAR STORE

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL VOTES \$5,000 FOR HALIFAX RELIEF

York County Council at Informal Meeting Monday Afternoon Took Necessary Action---Mr. Charles Fitz-Randolph to Have Disposal of That Amount.

The Municipal Council of the County of York at an informal meeting held yesterday afternoon voted \$5,000 of the county funds as an appropriation for Halifax Relief. The vote was unanimous after an amendment to make a temporary appropriation of \$2,000 had been voted down. The amount mentioned will be placed at the disposal of Mr. Charles Fitz-Randolph of Fredericton who went to Halifax Saturday night as the representative on the ground of the Fredericton Relief Committee.

Those Present.

Warden Neill of Devon, presided at the meeting which was called hurriedly in order that immediate action might be taken prior to the regular annual meeting which will take place in the first week of January. Other members present were Coun. Christie, Coun. Grant, Coun. Harry Smith,

Coun. T. M. Brewer, Coun. Goodine, Coun. Thompson, Coun. Dougan, Coun. Lawson, Coun. Embleton, Coun. Nelson, Coun. Frank Smith, Coun. Robert Graham, Coun. King, Coun. Hallett, Coun. Jones, Coun. Pat Graham, Coun. Stairs, Coun. Young, Coun. Douglas Clarkson, Coun. H. H. Pickard, Coun. Allen, Coun. D. E. Pickard.

The Proceedings.

Warden Neill after calling the meeting to order, stated the object of this informal session and mentioned the severe blow which had fallen upon the city of Halifax. It appeared to be the duty of the county of York to do something for the stricken city and its people.

Mr. J. S. Neill on behalf of the Fredericton Relief Committee then addressed the council and told of what had been done already by the people and City Council of Fredericton, and governing bodies in the neighboring places. The need was for cash to provide the necessities.

Coun. Lawson seconded by Coun. Harry Smith then moved that the sum of \$5,000 be appropriated for Halifax Relief and be placed at the disposal of Mr. Charles Fitz-Randolph.

Speaking to the motion Coun. Lawson said that any amount less than \$5,000 would not be creditable to a municipality the size of York county and that Mr. Fitz-Randolph was a man in whose integrity all had the utmost confidence.

Coun. D. E. Pickard on behalf of the town of Marysville expressed the opinion that the town would prefer to make its contribution independent of the municipality and Coun. H. H. Pickard of the town or Devon expressed a like opinion with regard to his town.

In amendment Coun. Grant seconded by Coun. Pat Graham moved that the sum of \$2,000 be appropriated for the immediate needs of Halifax Relief. Both mover and seconder stated that it was his idea that that sum be supplemented at the regular meeting in January if deemed necessary.

The amendment was lost and the Coun. Allen expressed the belief that Marysville would be willing to take part in the municipal grant. original motion carried.

On the motion of Coun. T. M. Brewer seconded by Coun. Harry Smith, it was decided that the cheque for the amount named be made out to Mr. Charles Fitz-Randolph.

Wheat Raising.

Warden Neill made a brief report on the conference with the Provincial Agricultural Department with regard to Seed Distribution. The great necessity was wheat and New Brunswick must grow enough wheat to supply the needs of its people. The municipal councillors were asked to canvass their parishes and find out the seed requirements, reporting to the Agricultural Department.

The council then adjourned.

UNIONIST MEETINGS

In the interest of **UNION GOVERNMENT** In this Constituency, will be held as follows:

TUESDAY, December 11th—Fredericton
Williamsburg
Millville.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 12th—Cross Creek
Pokiook
Lakeville Corner

THURSDAY, December 13th—McNutt's Mills
Campbell Settlement
McAdam
Brewer's Mills
Burton Court House
Douglas
Estey's Bridge
Blaney Ridge.

FRIDAY, December 14th—Marysville
Hardwood Ridge
Minto
Bear Island
Harvey Station
Penniac
Woodlands.

Why not a Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet as a Christmas Gift

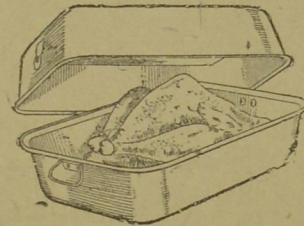
This Christmas will be a Christmas of practical giving and what gift is more practical than a HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINET Consolidate your family funds and buy Mother a gift that she will be thankful for every day of her life.

A gift that will save her miles of weary steps.

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BLACK'S-- The Useful Gift Store

Is well prepared to cure all Gift Troubles for Ladies and children. Ladies' Kimonos in crepe, eider down, etc., at \$1.25 to \$10. Children's Kimonos, \$1.50 to \$2.50. Silk Camisoles in white, black, pink, maize, blue, etc., 75c. to \$2.25. Envelope Chemise 75c. to \$6. Wool Mufflers and Caps, \$1.50 to \$3 per set. Fancy Neckwear in boxes 25c. to \$2. Gloves in wool, kid, suede, chamoisette, silk etc., in fancy boxes, 50c. to \$2. Handbags and Purses, 25c. to \$3. Our Fancy Goods and Handkerchief counters are busy places these days.

R. L. BLACK, YORK STREET
AGENT for STANDARD PATTERNS

Christmas Cooking

You will soon want to be doing your Christmas Cooking. Our main stock of Dried Fruits have not yet arrived from California. We hope to soon have them and give our customers the advantage of our low prices.

PEELS	NEW RAISINS
Best Citron 38c lb	Seeded Raisins 15c lb
Best Orange and Lemon 30c lb	Not-a-Seed 14c lb
	Currants 27c lb
SUGAR	MOLASSES
We have Granulated Sugar 10 lbs. \$1.00 While it lasts.	Fancy Barbadoes 85c. gal. Not more than 5 gallons to a customer.
FLOUR	TEA
Try our Blue Banner Flour. Barrels \$12.25 Half-bbl. bags 6.00	"Blue Banner" Tea is splendid tea—49c. lb.
COFFEE	CANDY and FRUIT
Our celebrated "Blue Banner" Coffee is the same quality and same low price 35c. lb.	Watch our prices for Xmas.

Travelling is good. Don't put off your Christmas Shopping.

A FEW QUARTER BARGAINS.

3 Cakes Rising Sun 25c	4 cakes Comfort Soap 25c
3 lbs Buckwheat Flour 25c	1 lb. Good Chocolates 25c
1 Large Can Peaches 25c	3 cans Old Dutch 25c
2 cans Blueberries 25c	1 pkg. Quaker Oats 25c
3 cans 2-in-1 25c	5 lbs. Baking Soda 25c
3 lbs. Gran. Cornmeal 25c	3 lbs. Rice 25c
5 cakes Toilet Soap 25c	2 pkgs Corn Starch 25c

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GEM THEATRE

MONDAY & TUESDAY

Do You Believe In Fairies

WHETHER YOU DO OR NOT COME YOURSELF, AND BRING THE CHILDREN, TO SEE THAT CHARMING LITTLE ACTRESS,

Mary Miles Minter

— IN —

"CHARITY CASTLE"

A PLAY WITH AN INTERESTING STORY FOR "GROWN-UPS," WHO WOULD BE YOUNG AGAIN, With

Mary Miles Minter

SIXTH INSTALMENT

"THE FIGHTING TRAIL"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY — GEORGE WALSH in "SOME BOY."

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

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America's Greatest Exponent of the Smile, in His Newest Offering

TODAY and TUESDAY.

"DOWN TO EARTH"

From the story by the versatile star himself, presenting his own optimistic view of life in a riot of fun—An Art-craft Picture.

Extra Today—THE PATHE NEWS - - All the News

Coming Wed.—SESSUE HAYAKAWA in "HASHIMURA TOGO"—A Paramount Picture.

Thursday Night this Week Entire Gross Receipts Go to Halifax Sufferers.

NEGROES HANGED.

(Canadian Press direct wire.) San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 11.—Thirteen negroes were hanged at Fort Sam Houston at 7.15 a.m. for complicity in the riot at Houston on Aug. 23.

Miss Hazel Palmer left last evening for Toronto to take up her abode. Mr. and Mrs. G. DeVeber of Gagetown, are at the Queen.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Cards requesting information about seed will be distributed in a few days by the school teachers. These cards are for information only and no person is bound in any way by them.

Every man receiving one is requested to fill it out immediately and return to the teacher.

If any do not receive cards, state seed requirements for 1918 to the Secretary of an Agricultural Society, or to the N. B. Department of Agriculture, Fredericton.