

**3
STORES**

TODD'S

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wish YOU

a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year



**Santa Claus
Headquarters**

Last minute shoppers will find suggestions here that will solve most any gift problem. We've maintained our stock in pleasingly complete assortments to take care of this last rush but, obviously, there will be no more replenishing of Christmas stocks. Shop today and remember this page only tells half the story of our Christmas merchandise.

What'll I Get
? for
**DAD
BROTHER
Friend BILL**

Fountain Pens
IN CHRISTMAS DRESS
Waterman Parker
\$2.75 to \$7.00

Shaving Supplies
They're ever acceptable
Gillette and Auto Strop
Razors
\$1.00 to \$10.00

**Christmas
Greeting
Cards...** 5c.
up to
50c.

CIGARS
Popular Ones 25 to box
\$2.25

Hard to get some places, these boxes of 25, but fortunately we have plenty this year. Here's some favourites. Simon's, Tuckett's, Bachelors, Benson & Hedges

STATIONERY
A Man's kind of Paper
CLUB Stationery
Men buy this kind of paper voluntarily for their own writing requirements, for it's masculine in size and minus the frills so distasteful to men and therein is a "hunch"—buy him his own kind of stationery.
\$1.50 box

**BUY ONLY THE KIND
of CANDY**

- that beautifies the Christmas Tree.
- that graces the Christmas Dinner Table.
- that delights the taste
- thrills the enthusiasm of the receiver
- compliments the giver.

THAT CANDY Is

**Neilson's
Chocolates**

"The Chocolates That Are Different"

Pure, wholesome, delicate in texture, pleasing in flavour, always fresh

- 1 lb Christmas Quality.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
- 2 lb Christmas Quality.....\$2.50 to \$3.00
- 3 lb Christmas Quality.....\$4.00

Remember Christmas Time is Candy Time

**PRESCRIPTION BUSINESS
AS USUAL**
Christmas Rush Never Interferes Here.

**PERFUMES IN GAY CHRISTMAS
ATTIRE**

The best Canadian, American and finest foreign creations in fancy bottles and Christmas boxes—by far the most enticing assortment we've ever had. Every girl loves perfumes—these kinds. Coty, Houbigant, Gueldy, Yardley, Hudnut, Lazell, Jergens, Rigaud, Corson, Paradis and Cara Noma.

**CUTEX
SETS**
In Xmas Wrapping
\$1.00 to \$3.00

Potted Plants
For
Christmas
\$1.50 to \$10.00

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Wreaths, Bells, Red and Green Rope, Tinsel Rope, Tinsel Stars and Tree Novelties. Large Assortment.

**Todd's Drug Stores
LIMITED**

The Dependable Drug Stores

So Porcupine Schumacher Timmins
Phone 68 Phone 131a Phone 127

What'll I Get
? for
**MOTHER
SISTER
Friend SUE**

**Toilet Specialities
RESPLENDENT IN
SATIN BOXES.**
Three Flowers, Du Barry,
Mary Garden, Lazell
\$3.00 to \$20.00

STATIONERY
To delight the feminine eye.
Blues, Pinks, Green, Buff or
Plain White. Each style
distinctive.
50c. to \$5.00

Your Gift is Not
Complete
Without Its'
Wrapping and
**Tags
Seals
Stickers**

TOILET SETS
Always appropriate,
If she hasn't a Toilet Set
most assuredly she wants
one but before you invest
see the newest ones in shell,
two-tone and Ivory. They
are priced within reason.
\$6.50 to \$35.00

**TOYS,
DOLLS.
GAMES.**
For the Children
Large assortment to choose
from. All new stock this
year and low prices that will
surprise you.

**WE'LL DELIVER
PURCHASES
Freely, Promptly,
Cheerfully.**

Timmins and District Notes

Mr. T. H. Torrance is home to North Bay for the Christmas holidays.

Construction has been started on a new Government bridge at Shillington.

Mr Russell Fraser left today (Tuesday) for Elora, Ont., for the holidays.

Miss Blanche Courtenanche is home from Sudbury for the Christmas vacation.

Owing to the regular police court day falling this week on Christmas Day, police court here this week is being held to-day (Tuesday).

Weather forecasts say that the weather is to be much colder. There is one consolation, anyway! There won't be much more cold weather this year.

This issue of The Advance is published a day earlier than usual for the advantage of the business men and the public generally.

Mr. R. Brown, for the past six months a member of the Imperial Bank staff here, left last Thursday for Montreal where he will join the Imperial Bank staff of that city.

The S. A. Band was out several evenings recently serenading. The various sections visited were delighted with the good music furnished by the band, while the Army musicians were equally pleased with the kindness and hospitality shown by the people generally.

The Northern News recently issued a very creditable "Special Kirkland Section." The booklet is profusely illustrated and contains much information that will prove helpful for Kirkland Lake. In brief, the issue is a real boost for Kirkland Lake and for The Northern News, and a credit to both.

The Toronto Star recently published a picture of a Montreal man carrying a 2000-lb automobile on his back. Some years ago The Star also published a picture of a boy from Cincinnati who was supposed to be born and reared in the Hudson Bay region. The camera is not supposed to be, but you can't stop The Star as easily as that.

Many friends and acquaintances in this town and district will regret to learn that Sergt. Pascoe, of the R.C. M.P., is ill at his home in Haileybury. Owing to his illness there was further postponement in the cases against the four Chinamen arrested here several weeks ago for alleged breach of the Narcotic Drug Act. All will wish Sergt. Pascoe a sure and safe and speedy return to health and strength.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Macdonald leave this week for Toronto, where their only daughter, Miss Grace Macdonald, will be married on Saturday of this week, the groom being Mr. T. M. White, formerly of the Bank of Commerce staff here. On Dec. 5th at Wellesley Hospital, Toronto, Miss Macdonald was operated on for ear trouble, the bone near the left ear being affected. Drs. Alexander and McKelvie successfully performed the operation and Tuesday of last week the patient was able to leave the hospital, now being perfectly as well as ever.

Mr. T. Kelly is spending Christmas season at North Bay.

Mr. H. W. Hooker left this week to spend the holidays at Galt at Hamilton.

Born—In Timmins, on Monday, Dec. 22nd, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Hatton,—a son.

Born—In Timmins, Ontario, on Thursday, Dec. 11th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. M. Bowie, 18 Sixth Avenue,—a daughter.

Mr. Wm. Morris, of the staff of the Imperial Bank here, leaves this week for Sault Ste. Marie, where he will join the Imperial Bank there.

The many friends of Mr. A. G. Carson were pleased to see him able to be out and around again after being confined to his home for a few days owing to a bad cut made on his foot through the falling of an axe which he had in his hand. The cut required six stitches to close, but healed up speedily.

**FULL HOUSE AT SUNDAY
EVENING'S BAND CONCERT**

The New Empire Theatre was crowded for the Band Concert Sunday evening, and the programme presented was much appreciated. There were a number of well-rendered selections by the Band. The Band selections included: — March, "Sounds of Peace"; selection, "Anona"; selection, "Lily of Killarney"; selection, "Les Cloches de St. Malo"; overture, "Le Diadem." There was a good turnout of the Band, and excellent music was furnished under the conductorship of Bandmaster F. J. Wolno.

After the usual motion picture, G. A. Macdonald, President of the Band, in introducing the programme, made mention of the fact that the Band had given twelve of these concerts in the theatre this year, as well as twelve free open air band concerts at the park during the summer. In addition, the Band had furnished music for a number of other public and semi-public occasions. He took occasion to thank the public for the support accorded the Band and for the appreciation and kindly interest shown on all occasions.

The vocalists for the evening were Mrs. Richards, Mr. P. Molecki and Mr. J. E. Garrett, all of whom received enthusiastic encore. Mrs. Richards again delighted all with her pleasing rendition of attractive selections. Mr. Molecki though handicapped by an attack of the prevalent cold, gave a pleasing rendition of "My Wild Irish Rose," and was heartily encored. Mr. Garrett's fine baritone voice was heard to advantage, and as usual he pleased the audience with his singing. Messrs. Hale and W. H. Wilson played the accompaniments.

The special instrumental numbers were a clarinet solo by Bandsman T. Pappone, and a saxophone duet by Messrs. Pond and T. Stevens, the latter one of the Bandsmen, and Mr. Pond being a former member of the Band. The clarinet solo by Bandsman Pappone was "Eammbula," with Band accompaniment. It was particularly well received, being a very effective number. Messrs Pond and Stephens made a hit with their well-rendered saxophone duet, and were enthusiastically encored. The next Sunday evening band concert will be held in January.

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Open Evenings Opposite Goldfields Hotel

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Prosperous New Year

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