

The Spirit of Christmas

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If you desire to get any particular paper in the British Isles or the North American Continent ask us and we will endeavour to fill your want.

Through the smoke rings of a good cigar or pipe filled with good tobacco, the man who smokes can enjoy the true spirit of Christmas - - - peace and contentment.

The Strand Cigar Store is here to assist the men of Timmins to enjoy that true Christmas spirit - - - and a visit to our store will be a material aid in assisting you to dispose of the question - - - as to what gift is best suited for dad, brother or sweetheart.

Everything the man who smokes may desire for his personal comfort, from good pipes, tobaccos, cigars, cigarettes, cigar and cigarette holders, ash trays, smoking sets, etc., all neatly packed in Christmas parcels, may be obtained here, and will make a gift which will satisfy as no other gift can, the desires of the man who smokes.



The Strand Cigar Store carries only the highest grade of smokers' needs and necessities, and we are in a position, and will be glad to assist you to solve the question as to what gift will give husband, son, brother or sweetheart a proper conception of the true spirit of Christmas.

AT THIS SEASON ESPECIALLY, BUT AT ALL TIMES WE ARE HERE TO SERVE THE WANTS OF THE MAN WHO SMOKES.

Strand Cigar Store

OPPOSITE DALTON'S LIVERY TIMMINS, ONT.

Schedule of Junior N.O.H.A. Matches for the Season

Home and Home Games Between Iroquois Falls and Timmins Juniors. Practically a Match a Week at Each Town During the Season. First Game January 4th, at the Falls.

The very best of Junior Hockey is promised for this season and the matches will be looked forward to with keen interest. Both Timmins and Iroquois Falls have lined up good Junior teams, and a series of keen contests in Junior N. O. H. A. hockey may be expected. The schedule was definitely arranged last week and will comprise home and home games There is practically a game a week at each town. The opening game will be at Iroquois Falls on Monday January 4th. The first game at Timmins will be on Thursday, January 7th.

The following is the schedule as announced:—
Monday, January 4th—Timmins in Iroquois Falls.

Thursday, January 7th—Iroquois Falls in Timmins.

Monday, January 11th—Timmins in Iroquois Falls.

Thursday, January 14th—Iroquois Falls in Timmins.

Monday, January 18th—Timmins in Iroquois Falls.

Thursday, January 21st—Iroquois Falls in Timmins.

Monday, February 1st—Timmins in Iroquois Falls.

Thursday, February 4th—Iroquois Falls in Timmins.

Monday, February 8th—Timmins in Iroquois Falls.

Thursday, February 11th—Iroquois Falls in Timmins.

THE DOGGONE DOG WOULD NOT STAY "DOGGONED"

The American had discovered a fine collie dog, and he at once tried to induce its owner, an old shepherd, to sell him.

"Wad ye be takin' him to America?" inquired the Scot.
"Yes, I guess so," said the Yankee.
"I thought as muckle," said the shepherd; "I couldna part wi' Jock."

But while they chatted, an English tourist came up, and to him the shepherd sold the collie for much less.
"You told me you wouldn't sell him," said the Yankee, when the purchaser had departed.

"Na," replied the Scot, "I couldna part wi' him. Jock'll be back in a day or so, but he couldna swim the Atlantic."

SUCCESSFUL SALE OF APRONS AND HOME BAKING

On Saturday last the Rebekahs held a Sale of Aprons and Home Baking in the Oddfellows' Hall here. The array of aprons and the fine display of home cooking was up to the high standards always set by the Rebekahs. The event generally speaking was successful, but the attendance was not as large as it might have been. This was due to a confusion of dates made by The Advance last week. Through an unfortunate error the date was given as Thursday instead of Saturday. As a consequence many went to the hall for the event on Thursday while by the same token many missed going on Saturday when the event was really held. Had the error in dates not occurred the event would undoubtedly have been an outstanding success. As it was it did not prove a failure but the confusion in dates naturally caused loss in the attendance.

MODERN MINING METHODS TRIUMPHING IN CANADA.

"Canada," the illustrated journal published at London, England, has some interesting comments to make on what it terms a "new trend in the mining industry." "Canada" says:—

"The triumph of modern mining methods is being strongly emphasized in the revival of numerous old Ontario and British Columbia mining properties that were abandoned years ago as being unprofitable for further operation. Thus, while the old-time prospector gives up his attention to exploratory efforts in new fields, a more scientific effort is being put forth among the old properties of the late 'eighties. Here trained engineers are in charge of the effort. These trained men with their staffs are moving in certain definite areas, combing the rocks for indications of mineral wealth. It will be of interest to Old Country folks to know that the great bulk of this early day mining was by English groups, and English groups are playing an important part in the revival.

"Dr. W. L. Goodwin, dean of Ontario geologists, who now conducts prospectors' classes in the various mining camps of Ontario, so that the prospectors when they take the field will have a better "nose" for minerals, makes some interesting comments on this new trend which the mining industry is taking. What he notices most among the 1925 producing mines and the most promising prospects are the old abandoned ventures that have been taken up and worked extensively. Not only in the older districts, but in the newer as well, do we find old properties taken up and made into very successful ventures. An outstanding example of this is the Vipond, which was taken up by Dr. J. M. Bell at a time when it was practically abandoned as a hopeless project, and has since become a very successful enterprise. Dr. Bell's experience in this regard has been rather unique. He took hold of Keeley and made it a success. He took hold of the Maidens, also in South Lorrain, and after working on it as a prospect for several years, he is now bringing it to the stage of a successful producer."

NO TRACE OF T. J. McGRATH, MISSING SINCE SEPT. 28

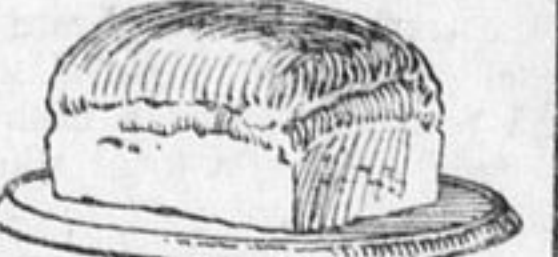
Last week there were reports brought to town that Mr. T. J. McGrath, who has been missing from his home here since the early morning hours of Sept. 28th, had been seen at Gowganda. Further enquiries by the police failed to substantiate these reports, and there seems to be reason for believing that the reports arose from a case of mistake in identity. Ever since his disappearance efforts have been made to locate the missing man or to learn his fate, but to the present all attempts to find out what happened to him or where he is have been without any results. A large number of circulars have been sent all over the country, giving his photograph and a description of the man, and the assistance of police officers at other places in this Province and in other Provinces have been enlisted but in vain. Up to the present there is no trace of Mr. T. J. McGrath.

Happiness sees all the beauties of nature, on her journey; gloom sees only the rough roads and mudholes.

The straight and narrow path is plenty wide enough for all the traffic it gets.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

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Standard of Quality for over 50 Years

ALL RADIO RECEIVING SETS MUST BE LICENSED

Warning has been issued to users of radio, by the Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, that all radio receiving sets must be licensed. Anyone using a radio receiving set without the necessary license is liable to a fine not exceeding \$50.00. Licenses, valid to March, 1926, may be obtained from Staff Post Offices, Radio Dealers, Radio Inspectors, or from the Radio Branch Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa. The proceeds from license fees are used to control broadcast reception conditions.

The fee for a Radio Receiving license is only \$1.00 per year (or fraction of a year), so all radio users would do well to see that they have the necessary license so that all trouble may be avoided.

Christmas Gift Suggestions

Practical Gifts sure to please the Feminine Fancy

Hosiery

The three tests of true quality in Hosiery are appearance, both when purchased and after laundering, length of life, in actual wearing service, and perfection of fit. These are the tests which every pair of our Hosiery must pass.

Venus pure silk.....\$1.50
Milo pure silk\$2.00
Venus silk & wool \$1.75

"Always Acceptable"

Gift Scarfs

Georgette and Crepe-de-Chene in a wide variety of printed, stencilled and hand-painted designs.

\$3.00 to \$5.50

Worthy Umbrellas

Specially constructed to withstand the blasting winds of any season.

Women's Coloured Silk Umbrella, extra fine quality.
\$10.00 and \$11.50

Cotton and Silk Mixture Umbrellas, priced
\$2.00 to \$6.00

Doherty Dresses

FOR PARTICULAR WOMEN

We are proud of Doherty Quality, and if you will take a few minutes to examine our stock of Doherty Dresses, you will agree with us that they have been made with particular care. This Christmas let a Doherty Dress make her particularly happy.

Lingerie

Intimate Gifts that are beautiful and practical. Silk or Voile Gowns, Silk Sets of Step-ins, Hose Supporter and Bandeau, Silk Knit Vests and Bloomers, Jaeger Pure Wool Bloomers, all colours and prices.

Maderia

Every preference in Maderia wants can be gratified from our showing, which is larger in scope than any other season.

Gloves

NEVER FAIL TO PLEASE

Novelty Chamoisette
Priced.....90c. to \$1.75 pr.
Novelty Silk
Priced.....\$1.25 to \$2.50 pr.
Fur-lined Gloves
Excellent quality.... \$6.75 pr.
Jaeger Wool Gloves
Priced.....\$1.00 to \$3.50

Kimonas

as varied in model as they are beautiful in colour and fabric.

\$6.00 to \$10.00

Handkerchiefs

Attractively boxed in a wide variety of colours and prices.

Men

We invite your inspection this Christmas

When your Gift combines the quality of usefulness to that of sentiment it is doubly appreciated. Our quality is your guarantee of satisfaction.

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