

JAS. REDDEN & CO.

Column of Good Things

OLIVES

ALL SIZES—ALL PRICES

- Olives stuffed with Pimentos
Olives stuffed with Nuts
Olives stuffed with Celery
Olives stuffed with Capers
Olives assorted stuffed
Olives, per bottle, 10c.
Olives, per bottle, 20c.
Olives, per bottle, 25c.
Olives, per bottle, 35c.
Olives, per bottle, 40c.
Olives, per bottle, 60c.
Olives, per bottle, 75c.

Our complete fall importation of Crosse & Blackwell's goods arrived as usual, and, while costing us more, we are selling at old prices, with one or two exceptions—

Cross & Blackwell's

- Mixed Pickles
Chow-Chow
Walnuts
Gherkins
Olive Oil
Malt Vinegar
Tarragon Vinegar
Chile Vinegar
Bengal Club Chutney
Mango Chutney
Tirhoot Chutney
Bombay Chutney
Anchovy Sauce
Mushroom Catsup
China Soy
Parisian Essence
Browning for Gravies
Harvey Sauce
Anchovy Paste
Bloater Paste
Chicken Paste
Potted Ham
Potted Tongue
Potted Ham and Tongue
Sardine Paste
Crystallized Ginger, 1-2 lb. tins.
Parmesan Cheese
Etc., etc., etc.

Cadbury's Chocolates and Rowntree's Chocolates are ready for inspection. Make your selections early.

JAS. REDDEN & CO. PHONES: 20 and 990

Santa Claus Up-To-Date

Paul Fletcher was in the drawing room waiting for Lida to come. Lida lived with her brother, and every time Fletcher called to see her either the brother's wife or his children were in the room, so there was never a chance to say anything to her alone.

At length, after what seemed a very long waiting, some one was coming. He stood up and looked eagerly toward the doorway. The portiere was thrust aside, and in walked Teddy—Teddy, who, in Fletcher's opinion, was the worst pill in the whole box as far as staying power and keen observation were concerned.

"Hello, Teddy," he said, not very cordially. "I thought you had gone to spend Christmas with your grand-ma."

"I didn't go," said Teddy. "Did you expect a visit from Santa Claus to-night?"

"Oh, F's pose so," wearily. "I'd just like to see him, though!" His manner grew more animated.

"What, what would you do?" "I'd tell him what I think of him."

"And what is that?" "Oh, that I think he's a fraud! Pretending he comes in a sleigh when the ground has been bare for a month! And reindeer, too! Who does he think is going to believe that? Why doesn't he come on a bicycle?"

"His fur overcoat would be rather in the way," said Fletcher gravely. "And he's pretty old, too, and maybe does not know how to ride, and besides, how would he bring me the presents?"

"What's the use of presents, anyway? I never have anything that's any good."

"I think you have the blues to-day," said Fletcher, and then he did not speak again, although Teddy tried to draw him out.

He seemed to be in a brown study, and nothing roused him till Lida came in, and even then he did not say much and stayed only a short time.

It was in the evening that a card was brought to Teddy. On it was written "Santa Claus." Teddy's eyes sparkled. "Tell him to come in," he said grandly.

A moment later Santa Claus stood before him, a tall, fur-clad figure with flowering hair and beard. Teddy shook hands and introduced the guest to his aunt.

"What did you find it good sleighing?" Teddy asked. "And how are the reindeers?"

"I did not come on runners, young man," said Santa Claus. "Perhaps you did most know that there is no snow on the ground."

"Bicycle?" asked Teddy. "No, I came in a motor carriage."

PRODUCE AND PRICES. What Is Paid For Country Stuff On Market.

Kingston, Dec. 18.—The meat prices: Meat—Beef, local, carcass, 10c. to 11c.; hind quarters, 15c. to 16c. a lb.; carcass, cuts, 10c. to 12c.; mutton, 8c. to 12c. per lb.; live hogs, carcass, \$8 per cwt.; dressed hogs, 10c. to 13c.; pork, 12c. to 13c.; per lb. by quarter; veal, 8c. to 12c.; lamb, 13c. to 14c. per lb. by carcass.

The Dominion Fish company reports the following prices: Whitefish, 15c. lb.; pike, 12c. lb.; blue fish, 15c.; chinook salmon, 30c. per pound; salt water salmon, 15c., 20c., 25c. lb.; fresh haddock, 12c. per lb.; steak cod, 12c.; salmon trout, 15c. per lb.; bloaters, 5c. a doz.; pickled, 5c. per lb.; kippers, 6c. a doz.; fresh salt water herring, 40c. dozen; smnan haddies, 12c. per lb.; oysters, 50c. and 60c. a quart; fillets, (smoked), 15c. a lb.; fresh smelts, 20c. to 25c. lb.; mackerel, 15c. lb.; blue fish, 15c. lb.

Poultry—Fowl, 50c. to \$1 a pair; chickens, 60c. to \$1.10, or 10c. to 12c. a lb.; ducks, 10c. to 12c. a lb.; turkeys, 10c. to 15c.—a lb.; live fowls, 50c. to \$1 a pair; geese, 10c. to 12c. a lb.

Dairy—Butter, creamery, 33c. to 35c.; prints, 30c. to 33c.; rolls, 25c.; eggs, 40c. to 45c.

Vegetables—Onions, 80c. to 90c. a bush; beets, 50c. per bushel; cabbage, 50c. to 75c. per dozen; potatoes, 60c. a bush; apples, 30c. to 20c. peck; pumpkins, 5c. to 10c. each; turnips, 60c. a bag; carrots, 50c. a bush; celery, 5c. to 10c. a bunch.

R. H. Toyo quotes fruit thus: Bananas, 20c. a dozen; oranges, 20c. to 60c. a doz.; cranberries, 10c. a quart; Malaga grapes, 20c. a lb.; grape fruit, 5c. to 10c. each; new figs, 15c. to 20c. a lb.; mix nuts, 20c. lb.; hickory nuts, 10c. a qt.; dates, 10c. a lb.; Messina lemons, 20c. a dozen; Sunkist seedless lemons, 30c. a dozen; hot house tomatoes, 30c. a lb.

John McKay, limited, hide department, reports the following quotations on hides and skins: Hides, trimmed, green, 12c. a lb.; hides, cured, 13c. lb.; sheep skins, fresh taken off, \$1; decons, \$1; veal skins, 15c. per lb.; tallow, fine rendered, 6c. lb.; wool, washed, 24c. lb.; wool, unwashed, 15c. per lb.

HATRED TOWARDS ENGLISH. Germans As One In Feeling Absorbing Passion.

The intense animosity displayed in the German press and by German writers towards Great Britain, and the passionate hatred for Britain to which many public writers give vent deserve to be studied. An article by Werner Sombarth, which has appeared in the Berliner Tageblatt, is a fair example of what is being said and thought in Germany at the present time. Two paragraphs indicate the character of the whole. For example Herr Sombarth writes:

"I am quite sure that the whole German people, from the last taxidriver to the highest official, are at one in their flaming hatred towards the English. In England we feel our enemy. We are waging the war against England. We shall not consider the war terminated till England lies at our feet, crushed and humbled in her innermost consciousness."

"I believe that if England were granted an honorable peace even the quiet German people would be driven into revolution. I have never seen in the Germans so much passionate feeling as at present if the word England is uttered."

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Silk Underskirts at \$1.69 up
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Night Dresses, flannelette special 89c
Parasols at 39c, 69c, 98c, \$1.69
Skirts, special, serge, at \$2.29
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