

JENKINS' GREETINGS.  
Merry Xmas to All.

SIXTY-THIRD YEAR—NO. 299.

# DAILY NEWS

KINGSTON, ONTARIO, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 24, 1896.

A CIRCULATION GUARANTEE  
Fifty per cent. over any other in King-  
ston, more than any other daily combined.  
The greatest mass of the population cannot  
be reached by any other medium.

PRICE TWO CENTS

## Holiday Merchandise

Wishing All a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

HAINES & LOCKETT.  
Kid Gloves, 50c to \$1.50.  
Shawls, 50c to \$6.  
Packets, \$1.50 to \$20.  
Handkerchiefs, 2c to \$1.50.  
Perfumes, 5c to 25c and in bulk.  
Silk Waist Patterns, \$1.25 to \$7.50.  
Dress Patterns, \$1.25 to \$10.  
Cushions, 45c to \$1.  
Cosies, 25c, 50c, 60c.

IF YOU ARE WISE  
Burn Scranton Coal.  
Big Value, Big Heat, Big Satisfaction.  
Jas. Swift & Co.  
123 Princess St., North Side - Kingston

Santa Claus  
On a Bicycle  
Has arrived at Sutherland's and joins us in wishing our patrons, one and all, a very joyous Xmas and Happy New Year.

Sutherland's  
Santa Claus Shoe Headquarters.  
No Reasonable Offer

Will be refused for any of our Fancy Goods, Collar and Cuff Cases, Dressing Cases, Novelties, etc., as our usual custom is to clear all of this class of goods before Xmas. We bought them to sell at 30 per cent. discount, and are determined to do so if low prices will do it.

E. C. MITCHELL,  
Chemist and Graduate Optician.  
Princess Street, 110 No. 10  
No. 10 for Sunday or Night Calls.  
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS  
FOR SMOKERS.

But Remember  
That your Xmas bill of fare is not perfect until you have secured something from us. Fruit Cakes, Currant Loaves and all seasonable Pastry and Confectionery. If convenient use the telephone and order early, as by so doing we are enabled to deliver all orders promptly and carefully.

DAN EGAN'S  
179 Wellington Street.  
STOP THAT COUGH  
ORIENT'S Cough Cure  
FOR 10c.

TOY'S KING STREET.  
Household Bug Bears  
The scrubbing brush and bucket, the wash tub, dish pan and cloth conquered.

## CANADA'S CHALLENGER.

NEW YORK WORLD'S DESCRIPTION OF THE TORPEDO.  
Describes the excitement in Kingston Over the Coming Iceboat Race—Takes Part in the Race—Takes Part in the Race—Takes Part in the Race.

Kingston, Ontario, is all aglow with excitement over the coming race. Capt. Lee's new boat is now on the stocks. The little shipyard is daily crowded with an admiring crowd of Kingstonians, who lovingly comment on the progress of its construction.

OUR MONOGRAM  
Is a burning character, which comes out in fire and flames. There's nothing like coal for a fire at any season of the year, and as all men like to have a fire, a fire is necessary. Our Coal is A1 for cooking purposes, and it's never a saving of either money, trouble or comfort to discard the old coal.

COAL THAT SUITS  
Foot of QUEEN ST.  
Telephone 9.

CRUMLEY BROS.  
The above lines are extra good value, very desirable, and at prices to suit hard time pocket books.

Silver Dust  
WASHING POWDER  
A day's work finished by dinner time. Try it and you'll see.  
For Sale by All Grocers.

Grand Opening  
OF THE  
KINGSTON COVERED RINK.  
ICE BAND AT THREE P.M.  
HOCKEY MATCH, SATURDAY EVENING.  
Princess Street, at Picket City Team.  
Admission 10c. Ticket holders free.

## SANTA CLAUS TELEGRAPHS.

St. Nick Advises the Whig That He is on His Way Here.  
Special to the Whig.  
FORT STYVEN, Hudson's Bay Territory, Dec. 24.—Dear Whig: I have had a very busy morning after an awful journey over the mountains of ice between the North Pole and here, and I hurry to advise you, and through you my many dear little children, that I'll be on my way to-night.

THE LITTLE TID-BITS GATHERED AS THEY FLEW.  
What the Dealers and Consumers are Talking About—The Whig's Special Reports—All Over the Land.

DEMAND OF THE TROOPS.  
They Want Their Wages and Clothes—A Captain's Report—The Troops are in Demand.

A KINGSTONIAN EXPRESSES  
Entire Satisfaction With the Results of a Policy in the North American Life Assurance Co.

THEIR FINAL MEETING HELD.  
Fire, Water and Light Committee of 1895 Wind Up.

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## THE CHRISTMAS TIDINGS.

THE CHRISTMAS BOXES GIVEN TO PRISONERS IN TORONTO COUNTY.  
Toronto, Dec. 24.—Judge MacDonnell imposed the following sentences this morning on prisoners convicted before him at the general sessions:

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## THEY PUBLICLY CANED HIM.

AND YET THE CAPTAIN REALLY ENJOYED IT.  
The Leader of the Queen Street Church Choir was Addressed and Overpowered by a Woman—That he Can Sport on Special Occasions.

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## WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

St. Lawrence (upper) - Northeast to northwest winds, fine and decidedly cold to-morrow.

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## Among the Holiday Gifts

To be found in a Dry Goods store are Handkerchiefs. Anyone appreciates a handkerchief as a present. They are also popular because they can be given to anyone whom you know ordinarily well. They vary so in price and quality that you may spend little or much. We have the various classes, low-priced, medium and expensive.

A Few Suggestions as to Christmas Gifts.  
FOR WOMEN—Fleece-lined Gloves in Merino or Kid, 80c, 75c, 90c, \$1 and \$1.35 per pair.

WHISPER BY THE WAY.  
One Little Incident in the Penitentiary.  
When the penitentiary investigation commissioners began their enquiry into the methods of management of the Kingston penitentiary during the past ten or twelve years a very interesting question was asked: "What has been said when you were not present to hear?"

CHRISTMAS SERVICES.  
The Churches Will Be Open to-morrow For Prayers and Prayer.  
St. Andrew's Methodist at eleven a.m. St. John's at eight and eleven a.m. St. Paul's at eight and eleven a.m.

TO BE LET.  
BRICK HOUSE, NO. 6 QUEN STREET.  
Apply to H. G. CLARKE.

MARTIN'S OPERA HOUSE  
CHRISTMAS DAY.  
GUS HILL'S  
New York Stars

EMERGENT MEETING.  
The Ancient St. John's  
No. 3, G.R.C.

New Goods.  
We have just received for the Christmas trade the latest London novelties in Silk Ties and Mufflers.