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You Will Have a
Happy new Year
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BRITON A POOR IMMIGRANT.
As a Settler in Canada He Has Done
Little for Country.

Canada naturally has strong Eng-
lish sentiments, but the actual leaders
to affairs in the Canadian Northwest
admire that the English Immigrant
neither made a past nor assured a fu-
ture for their new empire. First came
the typical English "remittance man,"
who lived on money sent from home
and subsisted chiefly on whisky. He
was a lumberer of the earth and
spelled no progress whatever.
Then came the English colonist
from the cities, poor folk for the most
part and eager to better themselves;
willing to work, but in fitness genera-
tions behind the men who fought their
course across the continent by way
of the Appalachians and the Missouri
and the Rockies. Later there arrived
numbers of the agricultural classes of
England, peaceful, hard-working and
frugal, admirable settlers, albeit so-
what ignorant of the conditions of life
in a new country.
All these were welcomed in Canada,
but, although the English immigra-
tion numbers equals that of many
other nations combined, it does not
equal the American immigration alone
in striking power, in foot-pound ten-
sion of potent civilization.—Outing.

To Rural Free Delivery Patrons.
I am advised by The Fourth asst
P. M. General, that a recent court in
a certain County, of coins deposited
for the purchase of stamp supplies.
It was found that each Carrier in the
County was collecting an average of
115 one-cent coins each week. This
average applied to all the routes in
operation throughout the Country
would give the enormous total of ap-
proximately 300,000,000 one cent coins, as
most of these coins are deposited
loose in boxes it is desirable and you
are earnestly requested to provide
suitable Coin-holding receptacles for
your box and to buy stamp supplies
in quantities in advance of your im-
mediate needs as much so as is possi-
ble thereby greatly assisting your car-
rier, on these cold days, also prevent-
ing frequent actual money loss to him.
Patrons on routes emanating from
this office complying with the above
request will greatly oblige yours very
respectfully. M. E. Gorman P. M.

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This Week We Want to Call Your Attention to our heavy Winter Goods. Our Stock is Complete.
Quality and Prices to suit.

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1 Lot Childrens Hoods at 10c each. Ladies Fascinators & Shawls
25c to \$1.00 each
Our Shoe Stock is complete, consisting of Hamilton-Brown &
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saves the wearer the retailer's profit.
Our clothing Department is Complete in Men's, Youths' and
Children's Suits & Overcoats at prices not to be equaled.

"OUR MOTTO"

Under Buy and Undersell

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Two Sample lines of Men's heavy Weight Shirts & Drawers
values, 50c to \$1.25, your choice for 50c per Garment.
Ladies' Union Suits 50c to \$1.00 value at 50c per Garment.
Your choice. Boys' heavy fleeced Shirts 20c per Garment.
Men's fleeced lined Leather Mitts and Gloves 25 and 35c pr. Pair.
Boys' and Men's Cloth Mitts Double Palms & Thumbs at 5c pr Pr.
Men's Cloth Gloves at 6c per pair.
Ladies' cloaks & Jackets at \$1.00 to 7.50 per Garment worth
double the price.
1 Lot Sample caps for Men and Boys at 18c each,
2 Lots Boys & Men's Caps at 20c each,
Men's Hats 25c to \$1.00 each--good Bargains.
All Calicoes at 5c per yard. All Table Oil cloth 15c per yd.
Outing Flannel 5; 6 aud, 10c per yd.
58 in., All Wool Suiting at 50c per yd.
86 in Cashmere at 25c per yard.
80 in. All Wool Suiting at 25c per yard.

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Best Broken rice..... 4c per pound
Hand picked Navy Beans..... 5c "
canned corn..... 7c "
" Tomatoes..... 7c "
Crackers (Fresh) 7c " per lb
star and Horseshoe Tobacco..... 45c " per "
Signal Twist Tobacco! 3 Twists for 10cents
2 pounds Best Keg soda for 5 cents
One pound can Layton Baking Powder for 7cents per can
18 oz. can Everybodys Baking Powder " 8 "
1 lb. Punch " " for 10c "
1 gallon cans Best syrup..... 85
One-half gallon can Best syrup..... 20
Best Coffee 12 cents per pound
3, 5c Boxes Best Matches 10 cents
9 Bars Old Mill soap for 25c, equal to Silk
8 Bars silk soap for 24c

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