

Christmas Gifts!

The tendency in giving this year is more toward the useful and practical than heretofore. We have a large and select line of useful articles to select from.

HERE ARE A FEW SUGGESTIONS.

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| Fur Scarfs and Muffs, | Boston Bags, Wrist Bags, | Belts, Golf Vests, |
| Handkerchiefs, | Beaded Bags, Opera Bags, | Sweaters, Velvet Waists, |
| Umbrellas, | Handsome Sofa Pillows, | Silk Waists, Wool Waists, |
| Children's Fur Sets, | Table Cloths, Napkins, | Petticoats, |
| Gloves, Aprons, | Lace Curtains, Towels, | Dressing Sacques, |
| Chateleine Bags, | Blankets, Bed Spreads, | Fancy Articles, etc. |

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

We will make a 25 per cent reduction on Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets and Capes. What is more acceptable than warm Coats? Now is the time to buy one of these garments for yourself or as a gift to someone else.

PERRY & CAMP,

71 and 75 Main Street, Barre, Vermont.

Christmas Specialties!

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| Best French Walnuts, two pounds for..... | 25c |
| Best California Walnuts, per pound..... | 18c |
| Best Mixed Nuts, two pounds for..... | 25c |
| Fine Mixed Candy, three pounds for..... | 25c |
| Cream Bonbons, three pounds for..... | 25c |
| Ribbon Candy (made from pure sugar), two pounds for..... | 25c |
| Imported Figs, two pounds for..... | 25c |
| Delicious Dates, three pounds for..... | 25c |
| Best Popcorn in the city, per pound..... | 5c |
| Cranberries, three quarts for..... | 25c |

Merchant's Economic Grocery

BOSTON BARGAIN STORES

Holiday Memorandum!

We are willing to do all we can to help you select your Christmas gifts and are better prepared to do so than ever before. With a large, new stock of goods, at reasonable prices, we await your commands. We would suggest that you refer to this advertisement in making out your holiday memorandum, and if there are things that interest you ask to see them in either of our stores.

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| China Department.
This department is showing the finest line of Decorated Imported China ever offered to people in this vicinity.
New shapes and delicate colorings, sure to please the eye as well as your pocket-book.
Gifts suitable for old or young at any price you want to pay. | Pocket-Books.
Ladies' and Gents' Pocket-books, Wrist Bags, Card Cases, Cigar Cases, etc. |
| Fine Cut Glass.
An elegant assortment at lower prices than you ever paid before.
American and Imported Glassware. Lemonade Sets, Wine Sets, etc. | Cutlery.
Carving Sets, Shears and Scissors, Pocket Knives, Razors, etc. Every article warranted. |
| Crockery.
Dinner Sets, per set..... \$8.00 to \$54.00
Commode Sets, per set..... 2.50 to 10.00
Fancy Decorated Lamps..... .98 to 7.00
Fine Gold and Pompadour
Finished Lamps..... 5.00 to 17.00
Hanging Lamps, each..... 2.75 to 11.50
Hall Lamps, each..... 1.75 to 5.00 | Books and Bibles.
We have a line of Bagin's Bibles at \$1.00 to \$1.98 that are genuine bargains. Also the latest copyright Novels at \$1.19 and good standard Books at 15c, 19c, 25c and 35c each. |
| Silverware.
We carry only guaranteed goods and guarantee our prices to be rock bottom. You had better investigate. | Suit Cases.
A fine line of leather Suit Cases at from \$3.00 to \$10.00 each. |
| Fancy Goods.
Toilet Cases, Shaving Sets, Guff and Collar Boxes, Work Boxes, Manicure Sets, etc.
Toilet Sundries, Perfumes, Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets in silver and silver mounted backs, fancy Gold, Silver and Wood Back Mirrors. | Dolls of All Kinds.
The largest assortment of Dolls ever shown in our store.
Dressed Dolls, each..... 10c to \$3.50
Jointed Dolls, each..... 25c to 6.50
Kid Body Dolls, each..... 20c to 5.25
Unbreakable Dolls, each..... 65c to 1.25
Cloth, Worsted, China Limb and Patent Dolls, each..... 1c to 1.00 |
| Christmas Cards.
Fancy Calendars, Booklets, etc. Souvenir Postal Cards, 30c per dozen. | Toys and Games.
"Flinch" 45c, "Pit" 50c, "Golf" 85c, Crokinole and Carrom Boards at from 98c to \$3.50 each.
Pianos, from..... 25c to \$2.25
Dolls' Trunks, from..... 10c to 1.98
Dolls' Houses, from..... 50c to 1.75
Horses, from..... 10c to 1.75
Horse and Wagons, from..... 25c to 1.98
Sleds for Boys and Girls, from 35c to 2.75
Rocking Horses, from..... 95c to 7.80 |
| Photo Albums
For mounting, Kodak Pictures at 10c, 12c, 35c, 50c and 85c each. | Iron Toys, Automobiles, Fire Engines, Trucks, Mechanical Toys and Trains. "Choo Choo Cars," from 10c to \$1.98. Funny Banks and Combination Banks, etc. Blocks and Books for the Children. Tool Chests, Ten Pins, Children's Chairs and Rockers from 25c to \$2.00. |
| Stationery.
Fancy Box Stationery from 10c to 98c per box.
Memorgram and Souvenir Box Papers. | |

We cannot do more than give you a general idea of our Toy stock. The space devoted to it alone is as large as an ordinary store. We simply ask you to come here for Toys.

Store Open Every Night Until Christmas.

The Boston Bargain Stores,

(Barre and Montpelier)
 185-187 North Main Street, Barre. C. N. Kenyon & Co.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Big values in petticoats at Pitts.
 Read our ad on the last page. Veale & Knight.
 Rows Morrison went to Waterbury this morning.
 James Coutts went to Bethel this morning on business.
 Frank Rooney is clerking in Moore & Owens this week.
 Charles Northrop, the expressman, lost his horse Saturday night.
 Auction sale at the new auction rooms on Pearl street this evening.
 Miss Sarah Sanborn of Chelsea, Ill., is the guest of Miss Edna D. Perry.
 John Hardigan went to Cambridge, Mass., Saturday for a few weeks visit.
 Miss Alice Pape went to North Hyde Park Saturday to visit for a few days.
 Miss Lucy Harris, who has been visiting in the city, went to Warren this morning.
 Hugh Watson of Montpelier is clerking in Davis' drug store during the holidays.
 Mrs. C. P. Wetmore left this morning for a few weeks' visit in North Adams, Mass.
 Mrs. D. C. Keith who has been seriously ill at her home on Maple Ave., was a little better today.
 Mrs. Jesse Pike of Waterbury spent Sunday in the city with her daughter, Miss Bertha Pike.
 The regular monthly meeting of Barre Branch, G. C. N. U., will be held this evening at 7 o'clock in Miles' hall.
 W. A. Whitcomb has gone on a six weeks' trip, during which he will visit some of the new United States possessions.
 Miss Hazel Mackay of this city was the winner of one of the Christmas prizes offered by the Sunday Herald to its young readers.
 Lucie M. Townsend of Milford, Mass., arrived in Barre Saturday to attend the funeral of her father, Oren Eastman at Washington.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ira Howland, the latter of whom was robbed of \$900 by John M. Thompson of this city at Lowell, Mass., have returned to Montpelier.
 W. C. Jones has finished his large contract at East Andover, N. H., for the fall, and has taken his men and horses to Fairlee, where he has a large lumbering job.
 Ernest W. Worthen, Harold Swasey and Earl S. Waterman, who are attending the University of Vermont at Burlington, came to Barre Saturday evening to spend the Christmas recess.
 Dr. Joe W. Jackson of this city has been appointed first alchemist of Mt. Sinai temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, for the year 1904. Alex E. Brnoe of this city is an Arab of the same temple.
 William Gill, better known as Bill Gill, fell into the river at Ward's pond while cutting ice Saturday afternoon. Bill's quickness saved him from drowning but he crawled out of the wet in a sadly dejected state.

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

IF YOU CANNOT COME RIGHT AWAY, COME AS SOON AS YOU CAN TO SEE OUR UNEXCELLED DISPLAY OF CHRISTMAS GOODS FOR GENTLEMEN.

PLEASANT AND EFFICIENT SALESMEN TO WAIT ON YOU. OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

A. A. SMITH & BRO., Miles' Granite Block

A Christmas Greeting

A Man's Christmas!

You can hunt the map all over and you can't find another store in this vicinity where there are so many appropriate gifts for men and boys. Come to a man's store for a man's things. We know what's right and correct and we know what men like.

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| Overcoats, Suits, Rain Coats, Hats, Silk Umbrellas, Dress Suit Cases, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, | Beautiful Neckwear, Handsome Mufflers, Gloves of all kinds, Mittens of all kinds, Pajamas, Fancy Half Hose, | Suspenders, New Fancy Shirts, Soft Shirts, White Plaited Bosom Shirts, Umbrellas, etc., etc. |
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Again we say a man's store for a man's things. Everything for boys, too. Prices right, and your money back if you want it.

FRANK McWHORTER,

One Price Clothier, Hatter and Men's Outfitter.



SOROSIS
TRADE-MARK

Put a pair of Sorosis Shoes in the Christmas Stocking

Tilden & Willey, Sole Agents,
Wood Block, Barre, Vermont. Next Door to National Bank.

The Holiday Trade!

Special Cut Prices!

In making the following deep cut prices in good-selling Winter Garments we are not only giving you a chance to get a Christmas Garment at a little price, but it is helping us to close our stock down while the demand is still at its best.

Misses' and Children's Garments.

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| Children's Long Coats that were \$ 1.00 for | \$.69 |
| Children's Long Coats that were 2.00 for | 1.29 |
| Children's Long Coats that were 2.50 for | 1.49 |
| Children's Long Coats that were 3.50 for | 1.98 |
| Children's Long Coats that were 5.00 for | 2.98 |
| Misses' Long Coats that were 6.50 for | 3.98 |
| Misses' Long Coats that were 10.00 for | 5.98 |
| Misses' Long Coats that were 12.00 for | 7.98 |

Ladies' Coats.

We do not usually make so deep a cut in such reasonable garments while the stock is so full of good sizes, but the whole stock must be moved before February 1st and we want your help, hence the following prices:

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| Ladies' Coats in large sizes that were \$7.50 for | \$2.98 |
| Ladies' Long Coats in small sizes that were \$12.00 for | 4.98 |
| Ladies' Coats in an assortment of sizes, our leaders at \$10.00 and \$12.00, for | 5.98 |
| Ladies' Coats in all sizes that were \$17.00 for | 9.98 |
| Ladies' Coats that were \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$35.00 at equally prices. | |

Ladies' Capes.

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| Ladies' Fur Trimmed Capes at half price. | |
| Ladies' Plain Black Kersey Capes that were \$6.00 now | \$3.98 |
| Ladies' Kersey Capes that were \$9.50 for | 5.98 |
| Ladies' Kersey Capes that were \$12.00 for | 7.98 |

Ladies' and Misses' Furs.

We are making special prices on all Furs. You should make your choice while the assortment is good.

A. P. ABBOTT & CO.



FOR EVERYBODY

And may you all make it a merry one for your friends with gift remembrances or X-MAS FURNITURE

From our large stock. Santa Claus always gives Furniture where it is needed. See to it that none of your friends are slighted. Buy today from our special offerings of useful goods, a few of which we mention below:

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| Oak Morris Chairs, each | \$ 5.00 |
| Oak Arm Rockers, upholstered in pretty colors, each | \$3.50 and 4.50 |
| Two Solid Oak Sideboards, each | 13.00 |
| Ladies' Polished Desks, each | 5.00 |
| Couches, each | 10.00 |
| Oak Chiffonieres, each | 5.00 |
| Oak Dining Tables, each | 7.00 |
| Bissell Carpet Sweepers, every one guaranteed, each | \$2.50 and 3.00 |
- and hosts of other things that will make useful presents.

Those Solid Oak Eleven-Piece Chamber Suits at \$25.00 are making customers for us every day. We will store your Christmas gifts and guarantee a satisfactory delivery on or before Christmas day.

B. W. Hooker & Co.,

Park Block, Barre, Vt. City Undertakers.

For Christmas Dinner!

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| Three pounds of Malaga Grapes for | 25c |
| Three pounds of Christmas Candy for | 25c |
| California Walnuts, per pound, | 15c |
| Three quarts of Cranberries for | 25c |
| Cranberry Sauce, our own make, per quart, | 15c |
| Large assortment of California and Florida Oranges, Grape Fruit, etc. | |
| Popcorn that will pop and nice red Table Apples. | |

Meat Department.

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| Fancy Grain-fed Turkeys, per pound, | 25 to 28c |
| Nice Chickens, per pound, | 18c |
| Nice Fowls, per pound, | 16c |
| Home made Mince Meat, per pound, | 10 and 15c |
| Pork Roasts, native pig pork, per pound, | 11 and 13c |
| Legs of Spring Lamb, per pound, | 17c |
| Lamb Chops, per pound, | 18c |
| Beef Roasts, heavy Western beef, per pound, | 12 and 15c |
| Lettuce, Celery and Vegetables of all kinds. | |
| Holly for sale. | |

F. D. LADD, Leading Cash Grocer.