



The Magic of Christmas

When the bells tinkle and the white snow fills the air on the dawn of Christmas day, the whole world suspends work during the universal reign of Peace, Happiness and Good Will.

Make the most of Christmas. Fill it up with practical, useful gifts that gladden hearts and bring joy to your family and friends. Joyous Christmas need not be a costly day. Little things—thoughtfully chosen, crown it with happiness that far outlasts the year.

We are now prepared for the busiest Christmas in the history of this store. Every indication points to a great demand for furniture as Christmas gifts. Fortunately we have gathered the largest and most complete line of holiday furniture and home furnishings ever brought to this city. We can therefore safely promise complete satisfaction for all coming here for Christmas gift things.

From end to end and from top to bottom this store is crowded with the most attractive of the latest offerings in the line of home furnishings. No matter what may be the amount you have reserved for the purpose of buying holiday goods, we feel certain of our ability to give you the most value for that sum.

Framed Pictures

We are showing some very good specials in Framed Pictures at 30c, 35c, 60c and \$1.00. Something new, just in. See them in our windows.

A 5x7 postcard-size Frame in Gilt, Light and Dark Oak, Mission with square and oval mats with glass, 15c each, with 10c extra if we fit the picture.

B. W. Hooker & Co.
Vermont's Largest House Furnishers

A Big Special on Stationery and Office Supplies

Look at these specials and compare the quality with others that you have been paying more than twice as much for: 1 lot of first-class fabric finish Envelopes, never sold for less than 10c per pkg.; at only, per pkg. . . . 5c, 6 for 25c 1 lot of Writing Tablets, Berkshire fabric, regular price 10c each; our special, each 6c, 5 for 25c 1 lot of Filing Cases, regular value 25c each, at only . . . 15c 1 lot of Typewriting Paper, regular values 45c, 75c and \$1.00 per box, at only, per box 29c, 48c and 62c 1 lot of Mercantile Pads, regular value 5c, our special at, each 2c, 3 for 5c 1 lot of large Desk Blotters, regular value 5c per sheet; our special at, per sheet 3c, 2 for 5c 1 lot of Desk Blotters, reg. value 5c, at only, each 2c, 3 for 5c 1 lot of 5c Note Books at, each 3c, 2 for 5c See our specials on China and Glassware. Now is the time to buy that Christmas present and save money on it.

WE WILL HAVE A NICE LINE OF DOLLS AND TOYS IN A FEW DAYS
Watch our window for Specials
THE C. N. KENYON & CO. STORE

W. H. Westcott, Manager
Orders taken for matching all Dinner Sets.

Select the Gifts You Want Before the Crowds Come to Buy

The earlier you buy Christmas gifts, the better are your opportunities for selection. Goods are bought by us to sell. We advertise them, and we plan to sell them. We do not want to carry them over. We offer unusual gift ideas and unusually low prices, and we know the crowds are going to flock here and take this stock, so we warn you to select early and to buy early. Get the best choice by early selection and complete your Christmas shopping without distress or inconvenience. Then those dearly beloved ones will not be disappointed on Christmas morning.

Please notice that our goods are plainly marked with everyday prices—NOT HOLIDAY PRICES. It will be a pleasure to show you our holiday gifts.

Drown's Drug Store
48 NORTH MAIN STREET

TALK OF THE TOWN

Black Cat hosiery at Abbott's. Trimmed and untrimmed hats at half price. Mrs. C. R. Wood. J. E. Roberts of Albany, N. Y., was a visitor in the city Saturday. Notice! All kinds of stove repairs at E. A. Prindle & Co., Pearl street. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Lewis of Spaulding street left Saturday for a few days' visit in Boston.

For the real, old German frankfurter, try the Baltimore Cafe. The allies can't touch it!—adv. Miss Faun Barney of St. Johnsbury is spending a few days as the guest of friends in the city.

Arthur Parks of Pleasant street began work this morning for the Lane Manufacturing Co. in Montpelier. The largest stock of batteries and flashlights in this city at the Royal Billiard Parlors. Geo. H. Lander, prop.—adv. Miss Beatrice Callaghan of North Main street went Saturday to Moretown, where she will visit friends for a week or more.

Miss Florence Moore, who has been visiting Miss Hattie Lander of South Main street, returned yesterday to her home in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Magnaghi, S. Marchasi, and D. Peduzzi returned Saturday from Pittsfield, where they have been since the opening of the deer season.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Guillet have returned to the city, after having been called to Winoski by the illness and death of Mrs. Guillet's father, Joseph Devino.

Miss Mabel C. Dow, who has been visiting relatives in the city, has gone to Montpelier for a short stay with friends before returning to her home in Newton, Mass.

Conductor Austin Emery, who has been acting in charge of the day trains over the Barre branch, returned Saturday to his home in St. Albans. During the illness of the regular conductor, James J. Kanaly of Montpelier, who is confined to the house by an attack of rheumatism, Mr. Emery's place is taken by Conductor Charles Bushaw of St. Albans.

A hunting party consisting of H. F. Cutler, George E. Bond, Leon Abbott, Mark Cutler, E. A. Brown and B. W. Hooker, returned Saturday from their camp in Essex county, where they spent the latter part of the deer season. Messrs. Hooker, Abbott and Bond each brought back a deer. A. P. Abbott and James Mackay, who returned earlier in the week, also secured a deer each in the same locality.

Houghton & Robins

- Bulk Raisins, per lb. 10c
- Seeded Raisins, per lb. 10c
- Not-a-Seed Raisins, 2 pkgs. for 25c
- Boiled Cider, quart bottle 25c
- 3 pkgs. Grandmother's None Such Imperial Mince Meat for 25c
- Quaker Hominy Grits, pkg. 10c
- Quaker Cracked Wheat, pkg. . . . 10c
- Quaker Cracked Wheat, 2 pkgs. . . 25c
- Puffed Wheat, pkg. 10c
- Puffed Rice, 2 pkgs. for 25c
- Quaker Cornflakes, 4 pkgs. for . . 25c
- Post Toasties, 3 pkgs. for 25c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

- CABBAGE FREE MONDAY AND TUESDAY WITH CORNED BEEF
- Home-Cured Ham, per lb. 20c
- Home-Cured Bacon, per lb. 20c
- Pork Sausage, per lb. 15c
- Cranberries, 2 quarts for 25c
- Sweet Potatoes, 7 lbs. for 25c

FRESH AND SALT FISH

Specials for Monday and Tuesday

- GRAPEFRUIT**
SIX, FOUR AND THREE FOR 25c
- Florida Sweet Oranges**
12c DOZEN UP TO 16c DOZEN
- LEMONS**
25c PER DOZEN—25c PER DOZEN
- PINEAPPLES**
TWO FOR 25c
- BANANAS**
12c DOZEN UP TO 16c DOZEN
- TANGERINES**
25c PER DOZEN
- NEW CLEAN DATES**
THREE POUNDS FOR 25c
FREE DELIVERY

United Fruit Store

GEORGE MANIATTY, Proprietor
TEL. 248

Fresh Fish

- Groceries
- Meat
- Vegetables
- Fruit
- Poultry
- Bread
- Pastry

Granite City General Store
1-13 Granite St. Telephone 121

A. P. ABBOTT CO. A. P. ABBOTT CO. A. P. ABBOTT CO. A. P. ABBOTT CO.



AS WE SEE IT

Conditions that All Will Have to Contend With!

As people have just begun to learn the cheaper way of sending goods, deliveries by parcel post will have to be a little slow. You should plan deliveries fully one week ahead. Two weeks before Christmas, the Barre Savings Bank and the Quarry Savings Bank pay to their Christmas Club members several thousand dollars. This money goes to buy Christmas gifts. Stocks are unusually large. It is going to take you longer to make your selections. Unless you start right in at once, you are not going to get as good service as Barre merchants usually give, or would like to give. We will be the busiest this Christmas that we have ever been. The more you help us by early shopping, the better we can please you.

We are putting out several very tempting values that won't last but a few days. These are on our tables and in our Garment Department.

Our Bargain Basement will furnish lots of sensible gifts at a price saving. This is the one part of our store that you should visit every time you are shopping.

Holiday Specials

All Linens have advanced in price. Most of ours were bought before any advance. We are selling at old prices. This is 15 to 25 per cent. under today's prices, making a \$1.25 Damask of to-day only cost you \$1.00 per yard. All other Linens, same special value.

Linen Towels at old prices. This means to-day's 65c Towels at 50c and 35c ones at 25c. Toweling by the yard, same special value.

Fancy Huckes for Towels or Fancy Work.

Plain Linens in fine and coarse weaves for fancy work. The largest assortment in this part of Vermont at old prices.

A most complete line of Ivory Pyraline. This is displayed in our showcase at the front of the store.

Silk Hosiery will be big for Christmas. All colors and sizes. Now that Silk Hosiery is not expensive and gives satisfactory wear, they make ideal gifts for ladies.

Silk Hosiery in Christmas boxes at the same prices as not boxed. We do this to increase sales and help the giver to a better, more acceptable present.

Holiday Specials

You who have been privileged to see and buy Marshall Field & Co.'s Handkerchiefs know that you always see the best line imported into this country. We have a full selection of that same line.

Christmas Umbrellas with new style handles. Made up for our select trade. A special \$1.50 Gloria Silk Umbrella at a sale price of 98c each.

New lot of Christmas Jewelry in Hat Pins, Brooches, Baby Pins and Buckles.

New Hand Bags and Pocket Books; quite a change in style and make-up from last season.

New Feather Bos. These are extra good sellers and make very pretty, useful gifts. Good ones from \$2.98 up.

Fancy Turkish Towels are having a great run. We have a nice line of the different sizes. Many manufacturers are sold ahead to February 1. We get ours by hunting the market when in New York.

We parcel post free all goods ordered by mail.

Clean-Up Sale of Suits

We are putting prices on a lot of Suits that will interest those who want a good Suit value. These are Suits in quantities that have been our season's best values.

At \$7.98 we are giving you a fine, All-Wool Serge and Poplin Suit, that is made in the season's best style. Is a Suit that sold at \$12.00 and \$12.50.

At \$9.98 we will give you your choice of about 20 Suits, in as many different models—Suits that have been among our best models that sold at from \$15.00 to \$18.00. These are Suits picked from our stock to close at once; colors, Blues, Greens, Browns, and Mixtures.

At \$12.98 we are giving you a chance to make a selection from a lot of Suits that are our best models, in quantities that sold at from \$18.00 to \$22.50. These Suits are made up from good weight Poplins, Serges, Gabardines, Mixed Goods. This is a chance to get a Suit at about the price of the goods alone, and in some cases less.

Ladies' Separate Coat Sale

Those who want a good warm Coat will be interested in the following Coat values that we are putting out this week.

Last week we put out a lot of odd Mixture Coats at prices that cleared them out very quickly. This week we are putting on two racks a lot of odd Plain Cloth Coats in a variety of styles and colors—Coats that are our season's best styles, but models we cannot duplicate.

See how good a Coat you can get for \$7.98.

See those Coat values we are closing at \$9.98.

There are other good values at \$12.50 and \$15.00.

Silk and Cotton Waists

We have just opened some very good Waist values that are very attractive.

These are some new Christmas numbers that we bought for this sale. There are some very prettily colored Striped Waists, also a fine White Linen Waists; Crepe de Chine; Taffetas, and Tub Silks. See these values in the next few days.

Christmas Toys and Dolls

The largest line of Dolls that you have seen in a long time is now in our Bargain Basement. Large assortment of Mechanical Toys, Brass Flower Urns, Silver Mounted Military Brushes, Perfumes in small bottles, Toilet Sets, Jewelry Cases, Silver Flower Vases, Trains of Cars, Teddy Bears, Games, Paints, Air Guns, Sets of Furs for Dolls, Tin Horns, Automobiles that wind up and run, Doll's Dishes, Dishes for larger girls, Drums, Cupie Match Holders, Traveling Bags, Suit Cases, Baby Rattles, Crying Dolls, lots of other things usually carried with this class of goods. These will be displayed in our window for a few days; after that all will be found in our Basement.

Beginning To-day and Continuing for the Balance of the Week, a Most Important Demonstration and Sale of Genuine, Guaranteed Human Hair Goods

Mr. and Mrs. Enders of New York City will conduct this sale and give you the benefit of their expert knowledge of Hair Goods and modes. An extensive stock of Human Hair Switches and Transformations in every conceivable shade, from Black to the rarest shades in Gray. A guarantee label attached to each piece, warranting it to wash in soap and water without fading or losing the wave or luster, and will not turn red.

Switches formerly \$3.50 to \$30.00, now \$1.95 to \$15.00
Transformations formerly \$5.50 to \$12.50, now \$3.50 to \$8.50

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's display of boxed handkerchiefs. See the silk waists, \$1.25, \$1.98, at Vaughan's.

All goods sold at cost price. Paris Shirtwaist House—adv. See display of dolls in Miss Rowell's Pearl street window—adv.

Mrs. James Beaton of South Ryegate, who has been visiting friends and doing Christmas shopping in Barre, has returned home.

The Ladies of the Church of the Good Shepherd (Episcopal) will hold their annual Christmas sale Wednesday and Thursday, afternoons and evenings, Dec. 15 and 16, at the church—adv.

Mrs. C. H. Brown and daughter left the city this morning for their home in Melrose Highlands, Mass., after a two weeks' visit at Frank Bradbury's on Troy hill. Mr. Bradbury returned home a week ago.

A few of the people recently purchasing pianos from the Bailey Music Rooms are as follows: J. Frayer, Ivers & Pond; Ralph Hayes, Kohler & Campbell; Miss C. Howley, Ivers & Pond; Miss St. Clare, Montpelier, Ivers & Pond; Prof. Landi, Lester upright grand; Park theatre, Packard; John Spadolini, Kohler & Campbell; James Greenawald, Ivers & Pond—adv.

The Burlington Free Press says: "Without doubt, 'Honey-moon Lane' was one of the most successful amateur productions ever given in Burlington, and the audience that witnessed it poked the theatre. Applause was frequent and prolonged and numerous repetitions had to be given." A cast and chorus of 65 of Barre's best singers and dancers will present this musical comedy at the opera house next Thursday and Friday—adv.

Just received, a shipment of the famous Guesney earthen cookingware, which consists of the newest patterns and designs in earthenware, set in beautiful nick-of-frames; soup-turens beautifully decorated, in various shapes and sizes; omelette cups, casseroles, etc. These are beautifully finished, good designs, especially for the holiday trade. The low price I can make you on these goods will well repay you for the little extra distance you are required to go. Now on display at residence, 47 Merchant street, Barre, Vt. C. N. Kenyon.

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Big line Christmas handkerchiefs at Knight's. Christmas goods put in fancy boxes at Vaughan's.

North pole game, the game for everyone. Mrs. William Jack, 29 Keith avenue.



ALL INTELLIGENT, ENERGETIC MEN

and women know of the strength - building nourishment of wholesome meats. Their safety-first sense directs them to the sanitary shop whose quality meats and courteous service encourage their appetites and whose punctual delivery-when-promised does not delay their dinner.

Hamburg Steak, 2 lbs. for 25c
Round Steak, per lb. 23c
Corned Beef, lb. 12c to 18c

We have the Cabbage, Carrots, Beets, Turnips and Parsnips for a boiled dinner. Vegetables are cheap for this time of the year.

Boneless Smoked Shoulders, only 18c per lb. "Green Mountain Brand" quality.

Sour Kraut, Dill Pickles, Sweet and Sour Cucumbers, New Mustard Pickles, 2 lbs. for 25c.

Smith & Cumings Co.

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Extra sale silk and cotton waists at Vaughan's.

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Come to Vaughan's—Barre's Christmas store—adv.

DOLLS

Come in and see The Cotton Family, also the Dressed and To-Be-Dressed Dolls, Jointed Dolls, Embroidery Dolls, Unbreakable Dolls, Celluloid Dolls, Character Babies, Kewpie Brides, and Kewtie, the newest Rubber Doll.

W. E. Rowell, 161 North Main St.

Monday Special

FOUR CANS OF SWEET CORN TO-DAY
NET PRICE 25c
This means a saving of at least 10 cents on every purchase, or 40c on \$1.00 worth of Corn

GILT EDGE COFFEE

- Gilt Edge Coffee, price reduced now, per lb. 35c
- Wood's Primrose Tea in packages, a high grade Tea, Orange Pekoe, in 1/2 lbs. 30c
- Wood's Fleur De Lis Tea, 1/2-lb. packages 25c
- Ask us how to get a Coffee Percolator for Christmas at wholesale price.
- Grapefruit, 13c size, 3 for 25c
- Grapefruit, 10c size, 4 for 25c
- Florida Oranges are cheaper and good.

Just received, a barrel New Pack Fancy Labrador Herring.

The F. D. Ladd Company