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**\$15.00 COUCH for \$12.00**

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Frames are Solid Oak, golden finished, up-  
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**biggest values** we ever offered in an easy chair.  
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**Why do we make these offers?** Simply as an extra inducement to you to come to HOLMES so that we can prove to you that our values are as great as any other store.

**"Cuddel Your Brains"** no longer about that Christmas Present for the answer is—  
"GIVE FURNITURE"—and by this we mean give something practical, that will decorate while serving for utility too. How better can you prove true friendship for those you care for than by testifying to it in this helpful way.

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## UNRESERVED CREDIT SALE

An unreserved Credit Sale of Farm Stock, Implements, Hay and Grain will be held by Public Auction on Lot 16, Con. 15, in the Township of Townsend, on Tuesday, December 14, composed of the following valuable property:

40 Tons of ALFALFA HAY and 400 BUS. OATS.  
1 Bay Horse, 10 yr. old; 1 Gray Horse, 11 yr. old; 1 Bay Horse, aged.  
1 Grade Cow, fresh about 2 mos., 8 yr. old; 1 Grade Holstein, fresh 1 mos., 7 yr. old; 1 Grade Holstein, due to freshen in April, 3 yr. old; 1 Grade Durham, farrow, 3 yr. old; 1 Grade Durham, due to freshen in April, 4 yr. old; 2 Calves, about time of sale;  
1 Breed Sow, due about time of sale; 3 Shoats, about 40 lbs.; About 60 Chickens.  
1911 Reo Automobile; Democrat, 2 seats, almost new; Buggy; Set Farm Trucks with flat rack and extension; Milk Wagon; Set Bob Sleighs; Top Cutter, nearly new.  
Massey Harris Binder, corks for soft ground; McCormick Mower; 10 ft. Hay Rake; Hay Tedder; Wilkinson Plow; Diamond Harrows; Smoothing Harrows with levers; Set Discs, 14 plate; Planet Junior 2-horse Corn Cultivator; Steel Land Roller; Disc Harrow, Frost & Wood; Perfection Fanning Mill, seven 21, will clean all grains and seeds, 2 1/2 ft. Aymer Scale, new; 6 1/2 in. Jollette Grain Grind-er; Melotte Cream Separator, 600 lbs. capacity; Grind Stone, tread power; Grass Scythes; Etc.  
Coal Heater; 2 Churns; Washing Machine; Coal Oil Stove, 3 burner; Coal Oil Heater; Lawn Mower; Milk and Cream Cans; and other articles too numerous to mention.

The Sale will commence at 12 o'clock Sharp.

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under Cash; over that amount 10 months credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes, 6 per cent straight off for Cash on all Credit Amounts. The decision of the Auctioneer to be final.

D. J. LEMERY, Proprietor.  
JOHN DEMING, Auctioneer

If you would like to make a gift of a beautiful piece of Cut Glass, you can get it at R. Robertson, Hagersville.

The Minister of MILITARY completing arrangements to have a daily Canadian news bulletin service cabled to the soldiers at the front. It will probably be distributed in printed form.

## Great Day Dawning For this Country

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Bay, and to the fact that 80 per cent of the world's output of nickel was got from that region. Then there was Cobalt, which since 1905 has produced 200,000,000 ounces of silver, and paid out in dividends fully \$80,000,000. The Cobalt district, the speaker said, was now looked upon as a low-grade camp of silver, and was much more likely under these circumstances to be continuous in the production of that metal.

Coming to the Porcupine country Sir James ventured the prophecy that the history of Cobalt would repeat itself as to the rich income of gold in Porcupine which ere long would be to Ontario, in fact to Canada, what Johannesburg was to South Africa, so far as the production of gold was concerned. "These three mining centres in Ontario cannot fail to be a great source of encouragement to our people owing to the outcome of vast wealth, which will contribute to the advancement of the prosperity of Canada as a whole." Sir James made a graceful reference to Canada's prospects for doing business on a large scale with Russia after the war. The great ice-breakers of Russia, he said, are doing a grand work at Vladivostok at the present time, clearing an ice channel for the commercial outlook of the Empire of Russia with the Empire of Canada as soon as the war is ended.

Canada was also to be congratulated, Sir James thought, on the great decrease in tuberculosis. When the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, of which he has all along been an active member, was started fifteen years ago, the death rate from the disease was about 8,000, while to-day his recent investigation, extending from Victoria to Halifax showed that it had been reduced to 25 per cent of that figure. In this connection he paid a tribute to the late Sir James Whitney, who had forwarded the best interests of medical education to the advantage of our graduates, who are now performing the duties and responsibilities of professional life in the hospitals and health fields in a manner reflecting great credit on themselves and the medical schools in which they were educated.

"Whitney" the speaker added, was a truly great man, and I feel confident his mantle has fallen most gracefully on the shoulders of Premier Healey and his Cabinet, who will so discharge the duties and responsibilities of office as to advance the best interests of Ontario, the premier province of Canada.

The speaker considered there were many things which should encourage the people in the development of the trade and commerce of Canada, which was considered to-day the brightest jewel in the colonial coronet of the Empire. "The outlook of Canada never was brighter than at the present time." The war loan was undoubtedly evidence of a prosperity surrounding us, doubly subscribed, and our Government not only tested our pockets but the hearts of our people as well as developing a deeper confidence in the custodians of the rights and privileges of our people."

## THIS FINE BIG STORE IS FULL TO OVERFLOWING WITH Christmas Gifts . . . FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY.

YEARS ago, a little girl wrote to the New York Sun, then edited by Charles A. Dana, asking if there were really, truly a Santa Claus. And here is the classic answer that was printed by the "Sun"—

"Yes, Florence, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and devotion and generosity exist, and you know they abound and give our life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be this world if there were no little girls. There would be no child-like faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus? You might as well not believe in fairies. You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in this world.

"You may tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love and romance can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, little girl, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

"No Santa Claus? Thank God! he lives and lives forever. A thousand years from now, nay ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

## Santa Claus

SANTA CLAUS will be in our Toy Department Saturday morning from 9.30 to 10.30 and Saturday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock. He will be here for the joy of the children, and if there is any little boy or any little girl or any big grown-up who has the least bit of doubt as to the reality of the pleasure that he brings—well, just come in and meet him face to face and see for yourself.

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## A Big Display of Inexpensive Fine Furs

Will be made this week. We will save you a tidy little sum on—

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- Black Wolf Sets
- Natural Mink Sets
- Natural Sable (Skunk) Sets
- Natural Raccoon Sets
- Brown Fox Sets
- Marmot Sets
- Sable Coon Sets
- Fine Curl Bocaroon Sets
- Hudson Seal Coats
- Black Persian Lamb Coats
- Natural Rat Coats
- Odd Muffs
- Odd Neck Pieces

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