



"PEACE ON EARTH TO MEN OF GOOD WILL."

To the Ladies of Scranton, Greeting:

That peace which is won by good will and affection is God-given and lasting. It is the peace of the home, of the friends--the peace that brings God's blessings upon those who have won it. It is for such peace we rejoice at this season of the year. The hand that rules the babe is the hand that commands the peace of nations. It is fitting and customary for the victors to annually show their gratitude for the peace that is given us. The Christmas tree that the wise and prudent wife will decorate is the man who honors and protects her. Anything that is spent in clothing or dressing him is a profitable investment, and one that he will appreciate more than anything else a wife can give. And mothers, how much better you will enjoy the gladsome season if you put on your son something that will keep away winter's blasts, and at the same time make him as neat and handsome as the other young men of the town. Money invested in clothing is money wisely spent. Of the wives and mothers of Scranton and vicinity we have been thinking for some time. We know they want presents for their husbands and sons. We know sweethearts want presents for their beaux, and that sister wants some token of affection for brothers. We have been giving your wants some attention for months. Now we want your attention and your presence at our store during the season. Respectfully,

COLLINS & HACKETT,
FINE CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS, 220 Lackawanna Ave.

HERE ARE A FEW ITEMS WE WANT TO CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO:

ITEM NO. 1.

OUR GOODS are the best, and the prices--well, you can see for yourself. If you wish to spend only fifty cents, well and good; we have a score of articles at that price. If you wish to spend fifty dollars, we can accommodate you at that figure also--and whether fifty cents or fifty dollars, we assure you a hearty welcome and fair treatment.

ITEM NO. 2.

PERHAPS you think nothing presentable can be had for half a dollar. That is a mistake. We have scarfs innumerable at that price. Some as low as a quarter. Fifty cents you can get something better; for one dollar the best--anything more expensive in the way of neckwear is extravagance; but if you will, why, we can give you something at two dollars, or even three.

Come and look them over. We have all the latest shapes and effects as well as the old stand by--ascots, four-in-hands, puffs, bows, etc. Ready-made ties and ties you tie yourself.

Lawn ties for evening wear--just the thing for Christmas and New Year parties. Three, in enameled pasteboard box, fifty cents.

ITEM NO. 3.

COLLARS AND CUFFS.

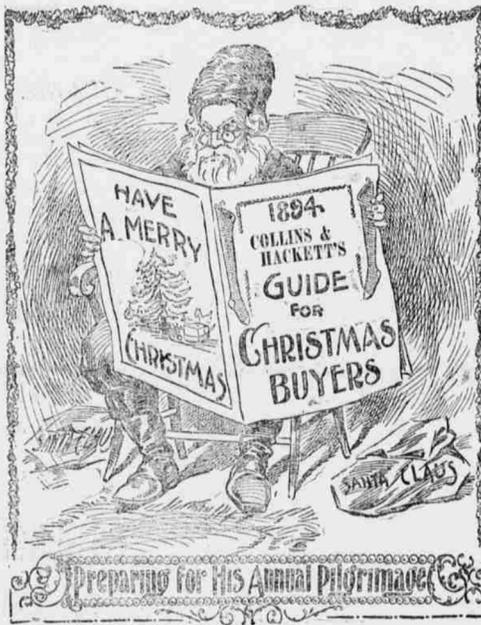
WE have these in as great a variety as the scarfs. The price whatever you like to pay. Good collars at sixty cents a dozen. Better ones at one dollar and a half. Cuffs from twenty-five cents a pair upward.

Make a note of the size collar you want and the style, whether "standing" or "turn-down." Cuffs also, the size, and whether the old fashioned "buttoned" cuffs or the more stylish "link" is desired.

ITEM NO. 4.

SHIRTS.

NO more acceptable gift than shirts could be thought of. No man ever had too many of them. We have them in all styles and of all materials. Open-back shirts, shirts that open in the front, and shirts that open back and front. Plain shirts and fancy shirts; cotton, linen and percales.



HERE ARE SOME MORE:

ITEM NO. 5.

WHETHER a man smokes or not, a Smoking Jacket is as comfortable a garment to lounge about in after dinner as one could desire. We have them in all styles and at all prices. Your choice of jacket from \$4.00 to \$15.00. Dressing Gowns, some very handsome ones, quilted silk lining. These are really elegant presents, if you wish something costly.

ITEM NO. 6.

HOSIERY.

CHRISTMAS would not be Christmas without the stocking, and hosiery seems about as appropriate and useful a gift as one could wish for.

For steady everyday wear we have the plain unbleached socks and solid black, color guaranteed fast. We can show you also a fine variety of fancy colors and designs. All materials, cotton wool, lisle thread, silk, etc. Prices, like the goods, are right.

For \$2 you can get half a dozen pairs of heavy woolen socks, just the thing for winter wear, or if you prefer it you can expend the same amount on a single pair--silk, of course.

—TO—

Collins & Hackett's HEADQUARTERS.

ITEM NO. 9.

GLOVES AND HANDKERCHIEFS.

THESSE are, perhaps, the most popular of all Christmas gifts--articles that make a good show for a little money. For \$1.50 we can give you as good a pair of gloves as a man would care to wear. For the same money half a dozen hemstitched linen handkerchiefs, with embroidered initial or without, just as you like.

The handkerchiefs we put up in a pretty card-board box with "Merry Christmas" embossed in gilt on the cover.

SUSPENDERS.

At any price you like from 25 cents to \$5. Some very handsome ones at \$1.50.

ITEM NO. 7.

UNDERWEAR AND NIGHT ROBES.

USEFUL presents these, for husband, father, brother or son, and we have some real bargains to show you.

Heavy flannel at \$1.00 per suit.
Woolen underwear at \$2.00 per suit.
Camel's hair at \$3.00 per suit.

There are some good things to be had in the way of night robes also:

Cotton,	50c.
Pure linen, embroidered bosom,	75c.
Silk,	\$1.50.

Sanitary and hygienic underwear a specialty.

ITEM NO. 8.

UMBRELLAS AND JEWELRY.

A LARGE assortment to select from. Umbrellas from \$1.50 to \$5. A first class twenty-eight-inch Gloria for \$3. You can make no mistake in selecting any of these goods.

COLLINS & HACKETT, FINE CLOTHIERS, GENTS' FURNISHERS, ETC.

220 Lackawanna Avenue, Scranton, Pa.

