

THE STAR ST JOHN N. B., THURSDAY, JULY 18, 1907.

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Who Wear from 21-2 to 5.

A Patent Vamp, bright Dongola Kid Quarter, four bar Slipper, good medium toes, with a low, broad heel. The advantages of a Slipper like this is that they can be worn on the street as well as making a splendid Slipper for home wear.

Price, \$1.50 a Pair.

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Ladies' Soft Leather House Slippers, elastic front, low heel, All sizes. 75c pair.
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Special attention given to the Savings Department and interest credited quarterly on Savings Accounts.

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St. John Branch, - C. H. EASSON, Manager.

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We Always Have
Shoe Bargains.

WERE constantly weeding out of stock all slow sellers and odd sizes, so as to keep assortments in good shape. Nothing wrong with the Shoes in any way. Simply a clearance of styles—we don't intend to duplicate.

Infant's	28c to 98c
Children's	78c to \$1.28
Girls'	38c to 1.48
Boys'	98c to 1.68
Women's	98c to 1.98
Men's	98c to 2.48

Most everybody knows how low our prices are, especially people with families. We could save them a lot of money.

C. B. PIDGEON,

Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., North End.
CLOTHING, TAILORING and SHOES.

GETS JUDGMENT AND COSTS AGAINST THE HARMSWORTH NEWSPAPERS

LIVERPOOL, July 17.—The attempt made in the fall of 1906 to organize a huge soap combine in the United Kingdom, which rapidly came to an end under the pressure of adverse public opinion, had a sensational sequel in the assize court today when Wm. H. Lever, Liberal member of parliament for the Wirral division of Cheshire, secured judgment for damages of \$250,000 and costs against the Harmsworth newspapers, the Daily Mail and the Evening News, for libels published by them during the course of the controversy that followed the attempt to bring about the combination.

After a hearing that has lasted for two days the defendants this morning suddenly withdrew their plea of jus-

tification and agreed to pay the amount demanded.

Mr. Lever, it is declared, took a leading part in the efforts to establish the soap combine.

THE READER WHO SKIPS.

A good work of fiction, whether in prose or in verse—we are here speaking only of good works—is a work of art and can be rightly enjoyed only by entering into sympathy with the artist's mind and accepting his work according to his intention. In a perfect poem the place of every word, in a perfect novel the place, if not of every word, of every episode and of every paragraph, is important, and the reader who skips throws away the pleasure he has meant to derive from the work of composition, in which very possibly the beauty of the whole may chiefly consist, and despises the best part of the artist's labor. He might as well go to see a good play and then willfully miss every alternate scene.

AMERICAN PROPOSITIONS TO HAGUE CONVENTION

Peru Submits an Amendment Which Releases States From Undesirable Agreements.

THE HAGUE, July 18.—The American delegation has presented to the Peace Conference the following proposition:

"If for any reason a captured neutral vessel cannot be tried, the vessel must be released." The Peruvian delegation has presented the following amendment to the American proposition regarding the collection of contracted debts.

"The principles established by this proposition cannot be applied to differences arising from contracts between the government of one country and the foreign subjects of another when the contracts provide that these differences must be submitted to the judges of local tribunals. The Venezuelan Delegation presented a proposition on the same subject, making the same objection as Peru, with the addition that in case no contract exists, all diplomatic means of reaching an understanding must be tried before recourse is had to the permanent court of arbitration.

The Venezuelan declaration ends with these words: "It is understood that differences are to be settled through peaceful means without recourse to coercive measures implying the employment of military or naval forces."

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Hat Bargains!

Just to clear out some Travellers' Samples and odd lines of Straw and Cotton Hats for Men and Boys we have put them at three special prices—

15c., 25c., 50c., according to former value.

Lot No. 1—Men's and Boys' Straws, 15 cents. These were 40c and 50c goods.

Lot No. 2—Men's Straw and Cotton Hats, 25c. The former prices of these ranged to 75 cents.

Lot No. 3—Men's Straw and Cotton Hats—50c. The prices on these were 75c to \$1.00.

It will pay you to secure one of these. SALE STARTS WEDNESDAY.

D. MAGEE'S SONS,
63 King Street.

COMMERCIAL

Total clearing for week ending July 15th, 1907, amounted to \$1,412,019, amount for corresponding week last year being \$1,234,021.

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Opening prices of stocks for the most part followed the declining tendency in force at the closing last night. Exceptions were St. Paul with a gain of nearly a point and U. S. Steel a small fraction. The market opened easy.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 18.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased £705,000; circulation decreased £214,000; bullion increased £380,114; other securities decreased £1,923,000; other deposits decreased £1,678,000; public deposits increased £243,000; note reserve increased £664,000; government securities decreased £1,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 46 p. c., as compared with 43.71 last week.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

St. John, N. B., July 18.

Amalg. Copper ... 88 1/2
Anaconda ... 87 1/2
Am. Sugar Refs. ... 122 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Rfr. ... 118 1/2
Am. Car Foundry ... 44 1/2
Atchafalca ... 91 1/2
N. Y. Central ... 84 1/2
Brook. Rfd. Trst. ... 67 1/2
Balt. and Ohio ... 97 1/2
Can. Pac. ... 176 1/2
Chi. and G. West ... 115 1/2
The Colo. F. and I. ... 214 1/2
Consolidated Gas ... 119 1/2
Gen. Electric Co. ... 136 1/2
Erie ... 29 1/2
Erie 1st pfd. ... 69 1/2
Erie 2nd pfd. ... 41 1/2
Ill. Central ... 144 1/2
Kansas and Texas ... 245 1/2
Louis. and Nash. ... 116 1/2
Missouri Pacific ... 75 1/2
Nor. and Western ... 112 1/2
N. Y. Central ... 112 1/2
Reading ... 103 1/2
Republic Steel ... 27 1/2
Pennsylvania ... 123 1/2
Rock Island ... 21 1/2
Southern Ry. ... 59 1/2
Southern Pacific ... 73 1/2
Northern Pacific ... 132 1/2
National Lead ... 62 1/2
Tenn. C. and Iron ... 140 1/2
Union Pacific ... 142 1/2
U. S. Rubber ... 34 1/2
U. S. Steel ... 35 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd. ... 100 1/2

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Wheat ... 93 1/2
Oats ... 38 1/2
Corn ... 14 1/2
Dec. corn ... 51 1/2
Wheat ... 97 1/2
Oats ... 39 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom. Coal ... 55 1/2
Dom. I. and S. ... 21 1/2
Dom. T. and S. pfd. ... 45 1/2
N. S. Steel ... 66 1/2
C. P. R. ... 17 1/2
Twin City ... 92 1/2
Rich. and Ont. Nav. ... 65 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

August ... 11 1/2
October ... 11 1/2
December ... 11 1/2
January ... 12 1/2

FISH OF THE NORTH SEA.

Starting with the axiom that a given area of the sea can furnish only a limited amount of fish, a British expert points out that if the methods of capture tell more heavily on one kind than on another it is quite probable that valuable species may be largely displaced by inferior ones. This seems to be the condition of affairs in the North Sea, where the worthless dab is increasing at the expense of the plaice.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

BOARDING AND ROOMS—MRS. SHANKS, 1075 Princess Street.

WANTED AT ONCE—A First Class Cook or Chef. Good wages. Apply with references to P. O. BOX 3, St. John.

WANTED—Six girls wanted for Candy Factory, 16 years of age or over. Apply Mr. White, THE PHILLIPS & WHITE CO., Ltd., 124 Dock St.

THE ONTARIO FIRE INSURANCE Company.

Full Government Deposit. NON-TARIFF.

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ALFRED BURLEY, Gen. Agt. for N.B.

Agents Wanted.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

TENDER

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Stores Building, Truro" will be received up to and including WEDNESDAY, JULY 31ST, 1907, for the construction of a Brick Store and Office Building at Truro, N. S.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Station Master, Truro, N. S., and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., at which places forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager.

Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., July 18th, 1907.

13-7-10

OPENING OF "THE CEDAR"

Children Should Watch for the Band Wagon and Get a Free Ticket.

The old Union Hall presents a scene of unparalleled activity these days. Workmen are preparing for the new "Cedar" opening on Saturday afternoon at 1.30 p. m. The spacious hall has been completely transformed under the judicious touch of deft decorators and will be a place of beauty when thrown open to the public.

For the evening performances Master Len Callahan, assisted by "The Cedar" children's chorus, will sing "Why Don't They Play With Me?" Illustrated by beautiful picture slides. A full orchestra will be present and refreshments will be served free to all patrons. Manager Stanton will give away 2,000 tickets to the children on the streets Saturday morning. Watch for the band wagon.

The "Summer Fair" at F. W. Daniel Company's, Charlotte street, is certainly a new feature in the retail dry goods business, the way the store is laid out, every space filled with tables and counters loaded with all sorts of summer goods on sale. Prices are the great attraction at this time of year and any one paying a visit will surely find something to interest taste as well as pocket. One of the most successful features is the sale of pretty trimmed hats at perhaps the most reasonable prices experienced by the St. John buying public. Another feature has been added to this "Summer Fair" and that is a large purchase of men's shirts (not at great bargains) of all kinds from fine neat regattas to extra strong working shirts, all much under usual prices.

EXCURSION BY STEAM ELAINE

To Westfield on Saturday, the 20th inst., leaving at 2 p. m., returning at 4.30 p. m. Tickets 25c. This will afford a grand opportunity to view the sailing races at Westfield and enjoy a delightful sail on the river. The steamer will carry an excursion to Gagetown the same day, leaving at 5 p. m., returning Monday at 8.30 a. m.

N. H. S. FIELD-DAY.

Final arrangements have been made for the field-day at "Camp Nature on the Nerepis," the collecting resort of Wm. McIntosh and A. Gordon Leavitt, on Saturday, the 20th inst.

Train leaves at 1.10, returning at 10 p. m., and through the kindness of the C. P. R. will, both ways, stop at "Mount Hope," some distance above Nerepis station, thereby greatly lessening the walk to and from the camp.

The outing takes the form of a basket picnic and all members of the society and their friends are cordially invited.

Tickets may be had at the station at one single fare.

RETURNED

"Yes; this tower goes back to William the Conqueror."

"What's the matter? Isn't it satisfactory?"—New Orleans "Times-Democrat."

The hours we pass with happy prospects in view are more pleasing than those crowned with fruition.—Goldsmith.