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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. MONDAY, AUGUST 10 1908

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Genuine Bargains. The balance of our Children's and Girl's White Canvas Oxford Shoes, Pretty Styles, Newest Shapes.

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KING STREET.

UNION STREET.

White English Longcloths, 36 in wide, 9c yd up. Victoria Lawns, 40 inch wide, 10c yd up. Madapolain, the soft finish Lawn, 12c yd. White Muslin, Navy Blue Ducks, etc.

A.B. Wetmore (Don't Miss the ) 59 Garden St

### Custom Tailoring, Fall 1908.

The new Fall woollens have arrived and are ready for your inspection. Even at this early date the bookings have been good. The advantage of ordering early is that you---not someone else---will get first choice of the limited patterns, that being in no great hurry for the clothes you can let us have plenty of time to give your order the very best attention. Yet, for any customer in a hurry, we can make as quickly as needed.

With the opening of the Fall season we wish to thank you for your generous patronage in the past, and will be glad to welcome all our old customers and many new ones.

# Glmour's, 68 King St.

CLOTHING AND TAILORING.

END OF FAMOUS WRITERS

Poor and Destitute

That Ouida should have died as she did in poverty and loneliness, an exile though a voluntary one, from the land of her birth was an undoubtedly pitiful ending to an exceptionally brilliant career, says Tit-Bits. Equally sad has been the fate reserved for some literary geniuses in the past.

For instance, Richard Savage, the gifted poet died in the debtor's prison at Bristol, after enduring the pangs of semistarvation for years. Chatterton, driven desperate through hunger, poisoned himself at the age of 18. Swift died mad, as he had all along predicted he would.

Shakespeare" is well known, was hanged for forgery. George Gissing, after suffering hardships that embittered his whole existence, died just as

tually consigned to the Fleet Prison for debt, where he remained seven years. Cottor also spent many years in a debtor's prison and eventually died there by his own hand.

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Robert Burns, writing only 14 days before his death, implored his friend Cunringham to use his influence with the Commissioners of Excise in order to get his salary raised from £25 a year to £50, "otherwise, if I die not of disease I must perish with hunger."

Llorente, the learned and talented

historiographer of the inquisition, was glad during the close of his brilliant and unfortunate career to hire himsel: out for a few sous a night to keep watch over the dead bodies at the Paris Morgue, and died eventually of starvation. Camoens begged his break from door to door until compelled to take refuge in an almshouse, where

tion of European Society," was twice driven by want to attempt his own life, and although he died a natural death in the end it was among the most lamentable surroundings "For 15 days," he says, writing to a friend just before the end came "I have lived upon the end came, "I have lived upon bread and water, without a fire; I have even sold my clothes."

D. G. SMITH DEAD.

Was Prominent in New Brunswick as a Newspaper Man and Politician

Stow, the famous antiquarian, author of the "Survey of London," became in his old age a licensed beggar, asking alms from door to door "through 36 counties." Wycherley, from being the spoiled idol of society, fell to the lowest depths of destitution and was eventually consigned to the Fleat Prison.

Sister, Mrs. Earle, of New York.

Mr. Smith was well known in St. John, having been here for about ten years while in charge of the city department of the Daily Telegraph.

While in St. John he, with J. S. Knowles, established a humerous fort-

vance," which he conducted until a

### REVOLTING TRAGEDY IN A NEW YORK BOARDING HOUSE

It is told of Ben Johnson that when in his last illness King Charles sent him a small sum of money he returned it. "He sends me so miserable a donation," cried the dying poet, "because I am poor and live in an alley. Go and tell him his soul lives in an alley."

Bertha Hood lying dead on the house for the house of the parlor of her little boarding for the normal daughter unconscious and dying from a bullet wound in the head, Ernest Seitz, a former boarder in the house, who had shot and killed the woman and fatally wounded the child, fied to the collar acro he give the west about a year and a half ago.

Very sad was the fate of Ulvick year.

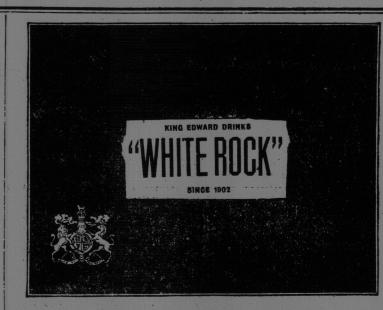
It is told of Ben Johnson that when of the house in the house on Bergen street, in Brooklyn, and brother, Alex. Gillespie, lost all his effects in the great fire at that place. Mr. Gillespie was a member of the firm of 'Gillespie and Lockhart. This firm conducted a large clothing and men's furnishings store. Mr. Gillespie and Lockhart. This firm the house, who had shot and killed the woman and fatally wounded the child, fied to the collar acro he give

## WAS "POISONED" BY WATERMELON SEEDS

Leads Crowd Chase ThroughHarlem After Feasting to Win Bet

Home Remedies Help Some, Stomach Pump Does More, Then Henry Explains

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.-Waving his new YORK, Aug. of the should and wildly shrieking "I'm poisoned!" a very black ness!" he should and again the five negro, about twenty-five years old, rushed from a house at No. 228 East 127th street about half-past five o'clock the doorman broke off a piece of soap esterday afternoon and ran as if for and forced it down the patient's throat. In the meantime a woman who turnmore men and women of his own complexion in hot pursuit. To Second avenue the chase led and then down to 125th street, by which time the crowd behind had grown to several bundred.



poisoned, the negro in front ran into a drug store, ran out again, turned in his tracks and fied to Third Avenue, thence north to 198th stracks.

### DELMAS MADE GOOD THING IN THAW CASE

Received Present of \$25,000 From Mrs. Thaw in Addition to His Fee.

# Fur Repairing.

Now is The Time to Get Your FURS Repaired or Made Over.

We can do that work quicker now and cheaper than later in the season.

Let us send for your FURS and submit an estimate.

### D. Magee's Sons, 63 KING STREET.

AMUSEMENTS.

QUEBEC TERCENTENARY PIC-

TURES AT THE UNIQUE. a drug store, ran out again, turned in his tracks and fied to Third Avenue, thence north to 126th street, and went toward Lexington avenue.

Lieut. Farr was at his desk in the East 126th street station when the bell and sent five policemen scrambling out to the street. They caught up with the fugitive at Lexington avenue and dragged him still shouting, back to the station house, with the crowd after him. Once past the door, the prisoner broke from his captors, ran behind the

WEEK.

The past is past, that's sure! Don't regret! Your friend's story of the good pictures she saw at the Bijou Saturday night or some other night needn't leave that aching void. The Bijou's going to have more good pictures, going to have them today, too! Six pictures for today and tomorrow makes a pretty good beginner for the week, eh? There's one in particular you shouldn't miss. "What Comes From a Night Off" it's called, and if you've ever read of the witches that followed Tam o'shanter after his night off, you'll get a little inkling of our friend in this picture. Too much of the ardent he zoes home and dreams, dreams that the "old boy" takes him on a trip through. "old boy" takes him on a trip through his fiery domains, and there you see him suffering all the tortures. In his agonizing cries his wife comes in and awakens him, then with loving cares-ses and fond embraces he vows never, ses and fond embraces he vows never to drink another drop. You've heard of "Sir Ralph the Rover" haven't you? Well, here's a picture of another of the same stamp. It's called "The Sea Wolf." He's a regular old brute, domineering, tyrannical and bound to accomplish his ends, matters not by what means. But he gets his "comeups" when he tries to destroy a light on the coast. I'd tell more about this picture only it would be like some one

on the coast. I'd tell more about this picture only it would be like some one telling you the story of the book you're going to read. It wouldn't be half so interesting as seeing. Then in "Skilful Policemen" we have a very clever piece of police work and you should see how they grab two desperados. In "Mashing the Mashers" is seen a picture full 'of laughable incidents and "The Deceivers" pictures a mix-up between two married couples which becomes very interesting before the finish. The sixth picture, "An Episode of the Franco-Prussian War" is true to its name and well worth seeing from its name and well worth seeing from an historical point. Mr. David Hig-gins will sing "Where the Silvery Col-orado wends its Way" and Mr. Dvke-man "In Dear Old Colorado."

ORATORIO AND OPERA AT HAPPY HALF HOUR TODAY. ,

Happy Half Hour today. Miss Holmes will sing that great favorite, "Scenes That are Brightest," from the popular opera Maritana. Ever since Mr. Buch-Happy Half Hour today. Miss Holmes will sing that great favorite, "Scenes That are Brightest," from the popular opera Maritana. Ever since Mr. Buchanan has been singing here there has been a very general request that he be heard in some sacred selections, and in response to these requests he will sing two sacred selections tonight and tomorrow night only. They have both been chosen from the well known oratorio, "Elijah," by Mendelssohn, and are as follows: The recitative "Ye People Rend Your Hearts," and the aria, "If With All Your Hearts," As Mr. Buchanan has been singing sacred music for some fifteen years, and has been a leading tenor in some of New York's leading Episcopal Churches it is needless to say these It is told of Ben Johnson that when house on Bergen street, in Brooking, Charles send house on Bergen street, in Brooking, bouse of the street, in Brooking, bouse of Bergat freet of that place, feet and the great free of that place, but the feet in the bouse of some fitteen search and provided with an alley."

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Sheep," a small portion only. The Transformation Artist is a comedy vaudeville picture. The above pictures, made an immense hit at the Auditorium Theatre, Chicago. Harry LéRoy sings When The Bluebirds Nest Again, and Prof. Titus sings Voices Of The Past, completing an hour's show and the greatest five cents' worth of

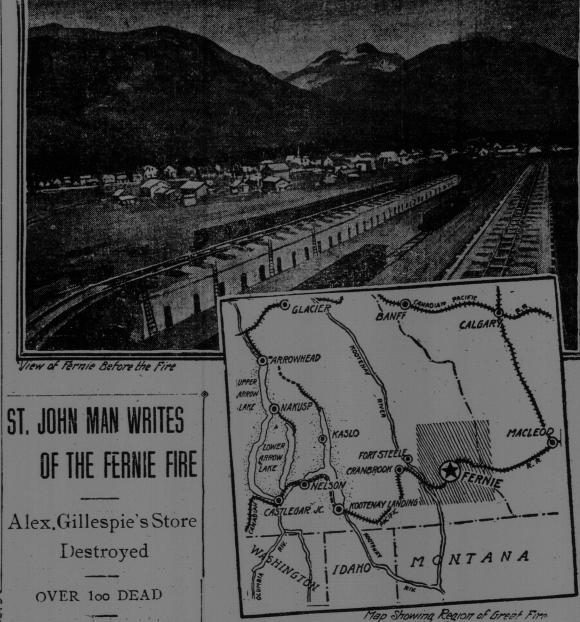
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-Chicago Record Herald.

Mingle a little gayety with your



LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S



Scenes Attending Conflagration Indescribable, Says Mr. Gillespie

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Leaving Mrs.
Bertha Hood lying dead on the floor ceived word from Fernie that his brother, Alex. Gillespie, lost all his ef-

FOUND GOACHMAN'S REMAINS IN FIRE RUINS

Montreal Stable Owner Makes Grue-

10 o'clock this morning the owner was going over the ruins when he came across the body of his employe.

McGilvie was evidently overcome by the smoke while trying to escape from the burning building. He was a widow-

se far been impossible to locate her.