

TO LET

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, without board. Apply to MISS NOWLIN, 20 Wellington St.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—At 111 Elliott St. Cheap rent. Apply on premises.

TO LET—From May next, a very comfortable, well furnished dwelling house, new occupied by George H. Horton, Esq., No. 149 German street, corner Havelock, containing 3 rooms, bath room, hot and cold water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Apply to W. TREMAYNE GARD, 48 King street.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

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WANTED—By a young man a position as engineer. Good recommendations. Apply to J. A. L. care Star Office.

WANTED—A boy of about 15 or 16 years old to work around a grocery store. Apply at the BLUE STORE, cor. Brunswick and Elmwood streets.

WANTED—A boy to learn the printing business. Apply at SUN OFFICE.

WANTED—A number of good laborers. Apply to J. P. CLAYTON, Superintendent Fernhill Cemetery.

WANTED—Two agents for the largest wholesale importing house in this line in Canada. Every family customer. Anyone can make sales. Best inducements given to good solicitors. Special attention given to beginners. Steady employment. Yearly contract. New proposition. COOPER, 225-C Clarence street, London.

WANTED—Boy for printing office. Apply to PATTERSON & CO., 107 German street.

WANTED—A young man who has had about two years' experience in a machine shop. Apply to SUN PRINTING COMPANY.

WANTED—A young compositor, a boy who has had about three years' experience. Apply at SUN OFFICE.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special accident, sickness, identification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write Box 275, Montreal.

HELP WANTED FEMALE.

WANTED—Girls wanted to learn paper box making. Apply to THE D. F. BROWN CO., Ltd., Canterbury street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. W. H. STURLING, 31 Sydney street.

WANTED—Paint Makers. Steady work at A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, 64 German street.

Brylcreps, Eczema, Eruptions on the face or body, Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum, Blood Poisoning of Wounds, Ring Worm, Hives, Redness or Bad Skin, and all inflammatory wounds or swellings are quickly cured with

BIDDY MARTIN'S EXTRACT.

For sale by all druggists.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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MUSIC—If you want the best strings for your Violin, Banjo or Guitar, you can always get them at LANDRY'S MUSIC STORE, corner King street. Also the latest popular music.

WANTED—Furnished Parlor for one or two lodgers; centrally located. Inquire at 120 Charlotte street.

REMOVAL NOTICE—Removed to 105 Princess street, third store from Charlotte street, only agency for the Electric and New Home Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and Parts, and Repairs. Headquarters for Edison Phonographs and Records. Call and save the commissions paid to agents. Wm. CRAWFORD, 105 Princess street, opposite the White Store.

FOR SALE.

HORSE FOR SALE at a bargain at JOHN WEATHERHEAD'S STABLE. A horse weighing about 1,200 pounds.

FOR SALE—Private sale of furniture at residence of John Carroll, 117 Brunswick street. Parlor Suite, Oak Bedroom Suite, Oak Bedroom Suite, Iron Bedstead and Spring, Oak Sideboard, Dining Table, Kitchen Furniture and sundry small articles.

FOR SALE—Wood Frame for Canvas Canoe, 12½ feet long, ready for canvas. Apply at 26 Summer street.

FOR SALE—One 14 in. Pine Door, 6 ft. 6 in. x 3 in. x 1 in. glass pane. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of revolver or other ammunition. No 25. Call at CRACK SHOT, Star office.

FOR SALE—An acre land, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and iron, 4½-in. round weights. Apply at Sun Office, St. John.

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 500 pounds. It has a fire brick lining, with smoke and ventilating pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

A NEW HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Organized for Collection of Historical Matter Re Methodist Church in Provinces.

A historical society in connection with the New Brunswick and P. E. Island conference was organized last evening before the regular session of the conference began. This organization is called The Methodist Historical Society of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. The object is the collection and preservation of historical matter relating to the Methodist Church, especially within the bounds of the maritime provinces; for the promotion and study of local church history.

Twenty charter members handed in their names, all of whom were present last evening at the first meeting.

The following officers were elected: President, Rev. Dr. Paisley; 1st vice president, E. D. Scott; 2nd vice president, Rev. F. A. Wightman; secretary, treasurer, Geo. A. Henderson; curator, Chas. D. Stewart. The executive includes the above and the following: Rev. Dr. Spranger, Rev. Dr. Read, Rev. James Rogers, Rev. G. M. Campbell, Rev. G. W. Fisher and Rev. Thomas Marshall.

It is proposed to hold annual meetings and to preserve at Mount Allison the records and archives that may be collected.

DEATHS.

CAMERON—On Tuesday, June 23, at St. John (West), George H. Cameron, aged 29 years, leaving a wife and one child to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father. Funeral on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, 171 Water street.

The next two weeks promise to be very dry in Halifax, owing to the presence in port of the German warship, which is expected to arrive in a day or two.—Halifax Mail.

MORNING'S NEWS

LOCAL.

ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., JUNE 24, 1902.

METHODIST HISTORY AND OTHER HISTORY.

Methodism in the maritime provinces dates back to the Yorkshire immigration of 1774, or nine years before the arrival of the loyalists. The early Methodist missionaries here were correspondents of John Wesley, who watched with deep and affectionate interest the work of Mr. Black and his associates. Except for the few Congregationalists and Episcopalians on the St. John river, a Baptist congregation which came to Sackville in 1783 and the little Dutch settlement at Shepody, the Yorkshire people were the first settlers in this province under the British regime. For nearly one hundred and thirty years this body of Christians has had its share in the religious and temporal life of Eastern Canada, and much of local history is contained in the records of the church. In the early days, when Methodist ministers reported directly to the society in the old country and until the middle of the last century, the mother organization was supreme in British North America. The colonial organization first took the form of a conference, with a representative of the British conference in the chair. Then came the independent conference of Eastern British America, which was subsequently divided into three, all now included in the Methodist Church of Canada. The records and papers connected with these conditions are of great value as historical documents and it would be of great advantage to have a good local collection available for reference.

The principal historian of Methodism in Eastern Canada was the late Rev. J. Watson Smith, of Halifax, who had a remarkable gift for research and possessed the true historical spirit. There is no better work of history relating to the maritime provinces than Dr. Smith's two volumes. The author's fine collection of records, manuscripts and books has been presented to Mt. Allison university library.

The Methodist Historical Society of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island organized yesterday for the purpose of collecting and preserving records relating to the history of their church, and for historical study in that direction has a common purpose with a larger and more general organization in Toronto. It will probably be followed by a similar association in Nova Scotia and Newfoundland. All such societies, if they do their work, will perform great service to historical research in general. Writers and students of political and national history find church records one of their chief sources of information. They throw light on local and current events, and are often the only data available to clear up disputed questions. They reveal the moral, educational and social conditions of their time, and often disclose to some extent the economic and political conditions. The man who is interested in church history is usually interested in all history.

OTHERS WE CAN'T SEE.

It is difficult for the people of the United States to believe that the Russian authorities could not identify and convict most of the perpetrators of the outrages on the Jews. But Wilmington, Delaware, is a very small city compared with Kishineff, and yet it has been impossible to identify more than one of the four thousand people who took part in the recent lynching of a negro. The one person discovered is a boy of sixteen, who was seriously injured and had to be taken to the hospital. Again, a prominent public man was shot in broad daylight with a rifle in a Kentucky court house. A crowd of persons were present who saw the act and watched the assassin as he departed. But only one man has been found who has ventured to name him. That man has had his house destroyed by fire, and has had several narrow escapes with his life. All the insurance companies cancelled their risks on his life and property the day he began to give evidence. Russians are not the only people whose "wisdom" is limited.

The discussion of the Grand Trunk Pacific terminus is interesting, but the end will be as the Grand Trunk official told the Portland paper. So far as the company can control the traffic it will go to the Maine port. Probably the only way to make sure of this winter traffic for a Canadian port is to make it a condition of the subsidy contract that the company shall build a port in the maritime provinces, and shall provide a complete terminal equipment at such a port.

Fredrickton has been visited by a porcupine which paraded Queen street and sought to enter the express office, and finally established himself in a drug store. There is no game law for the benefit of porcupines, and the animal was slain before he was able to visit the other quill drivers in the newspaper offices.

Mr. Oliver of Alberta represent a constituency very far from the seaboard. He thinks that the main thing is to get the western grain to the most convenient winter port. That is why he favors St. John.

History repeats itself even in the establishment of party organs. So the Chatham World contends in the article which is reprinted in the Star today.

It is reported that the Evening Times will be a "reprint" of the Telegraph.

The Furness liner London City left Manchester yesterday for Halifax and St. John with general cargo. The Str. Nordcap sailed from Halifax yesterday afternoon for this port to load deals. Pilot Traynor is on the vessel.

Last night's despatches announced that the barkentine Eva Lynch, bound here from Stamford, Conn., had put in to Glen Cove for shelter.

Bright Lady Napier, from Savannah, with hard pine for J. A. Lyle, reached port yesterday. She had a long run up.

Str. Berghenhus, deal laden, from St. John's, reached Manchester Monday.

Str. Anala, from this port via Sydney, got to Preston the same day.

The West India str. Oruro sailed yesterday for the islands via Halifax.

She looked in at St. John a cargo equivalent to 4,000 barrels.

SAFETY BOARD.

A special meeting of the safety department was held yesterday afternoon for the consideration of matters generally, but particularly to look into the tender received for the installation of the new fire alarm system. The decisions reached with respect to the fire alarm business were the acceptance of the tender of James Hunter for 12 miles of wire for use in this connection and the recommendation that the tender of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company of New York for installation of the system complete with the exception of the provision of these twelve miles of wire. All the wires will be strung by the Gamewell concern in the event of the council approving of the safety board's recommendation. The total cost to the city will be \$3,550, of which the Gamewell people will receive \$2,822. The offer of this concern was lower than that of Mr. Hunter for the 12 miles of wire decided upon by the city some time ago, but as the New York concern did not put in a tender, believing that the city had already secured this part of the system, their offer could not be considered.

Chairman Maxwell was in the chair and there were present Aldermen McMulkin, Hamm, Tully, McGoldrick, Macrae, Bullock, Trites and Allan. Chief of Police Clark, Chief Engineer Kerr of the fire department and Director Wisely.

Chief Clark asked for an office telephone and reported that the park prisoners were doing good work.

The following tenders for coal were recommended:

75 tons anthracite coal for police station, fire stations and City Hall, J. S. Gibbon & Co., \$4 per ton.

750 tons soft coal, J. S. McGivern, at \$3.65.

The Fleming concern offered to put a pump and water heater in the north end light station for \$375. It was stated that the estimate for the cost of this arrangement was \$500. The tender was accepted.

FREDERICTON NOTES.

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 23.—Justice of the Peace White this morning at Burton gave his decision in the arson case, sending the accused man Talmage Carr up for trial at the next Sunbury circuit, which meets in October next. The accused was released on his own recognizance.

The lost stealing case from Kingsclear was before the police magistrate this morning, when Henry Hilyard of St. John gave evidence, identifying the marks on some of the logs sold by the accused man Goodine at Springhill this spring. Owing to the absence of O. S. Crockett, counsel for the accused, the case was further adjourned until Tuesday next.

WHERE IS THE GAME COMMISSIONER?

Emack Bros. have among the many natural curiosities in their establishment something of a curiosity in the shape of a baby moose eight days old, which has just been mounted by them and makes a very pretty ornament. The young animal is about as large as an ordinary sized dog, and was captured by John Kilburn's drivers near the Seven Islands, and was mounted for Mr. Kilburn. While the drive was about Seven Islands, a cow moose with her calf appeared on the bank and started to swim the stream which at that point was about four to five feet deep. The river was full of running logs at the time and the baby moose had some difficulty in following its mother. The cow whenever it came to a log would jump over it, but the calf was unable to do this and was gradually carried down stream and caught in a jam of logs. It was finally extricated by lumbermen in a half dead state and carried to the shore but it did not long survive the shock. The cow moose also died, and the loss of her young wandered up and down the opposite shore for two days and not one of the lumbermen dared to confront her in her savage spirit. Mr. Kilburn brought the calf to this city as a curiosity.—Gleaner, Tuesday.

MORE BRUTAL ASSAULTS.

ST. LOUIS, June 23.—Two women, one white and the other colored, were assaulted and left for dead about three and a half miles east of East St. Louis this afternoon and a posse is looking for a negro described by one of the victims. If he should be captured it is believed there will be a lynching.

One of the victims, Mrs. Annie Green, colored, aged twenty-five, was clubbed about the head, her skull fractured and her left arm broken. Just before reaching into unconsciousness, she told of the assault and described a light colored negro who paraded Queen street and sought to enter the express office, and finally established himself in a drug store. There is no game law for the benefit of porcupines, and the animal was slain before he was able to visit the other quill drivers in the newspaper offices.

A brother of Miss Flora Bruno returned home and found his sister lying on her bed in an unconscious condition. Her skull was fractured, both arms were broken and she was suffering from other injuries. The young woman had been at home during the afternoon. Young Bruno spread the alarm and when the other assault became known a posse was rapidly summoned.

The Southern Baptist Association, which includes the counties of St. John, Kings and Charlotte, will meet with the United Street Baptist church of St. Stephen from July 4th to 6th.

MARITIME BANKS TO UNITE.

The latest in financial circles is a scheme to amalgamate several maritime banks upon a large scale. The Halifax Chronicle publishes the following:

"Now comes word of another big deal in the banking world. The Chronicle on Saturday announced that application was being made in the house of commons by John F. Stairs, president of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co., and others for the incorporation of the Alliance Bank of Canada. This interesting announcement is said to foreshadow one of the most important transactions in the history of maritime banks. The Alliance Bank will be capitalized at \$5,000,000 and on its directorate will be John F. Stairs of Halifax, Harvey Graham of New Glasgow, one of the most prominent men in the Nova Scotia Steel Co.; Geoffrey Morrow of Halifax and R. E. Harris, K. C., also of this city.

"The promoters of this institution have kept their plans well obscured, but it has transpired that negotiations are about to amalgamate a number of the smaller banks in the maritime provinces. The Bank of New Brunswick and the People's Bank of Halifax are, really, but transients that negotiations are about to amalgamate a number of the smaller banks in the maritime provinces. The Bank of New Brunswick and the People's Bank of Halifax are, really, but transients that negotiations are about to amalgamate a number of the smaller banks in the maritime provinces.

"According to the last government statement of the chartered banks, the Bank of New Brunswick has a paid up capital of \$500,000, and a reserve of \$750,000. People's Bank of Halifax paid up capital \$700,000, reserve \$300,000; Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island, paid up capital \$300,000, reserve \$200,000; People's Bank of New Brunswick, paid up capital \$100,000, reserve \$100,000, which would give a total paid up capital of \$1,600,000 and a total reserve of \$1,450,000.

"Just how far the negotiations have proceeded is not known, but the application for the Alliance charter was taken by keen observers of banking affairs to indicate that considerable progress has been made. The close connection of Mr. Stairs with the Union Bank of Halifax, the new stock issue of which was underwritten by that gentleman and his associates, has associated the name of that institution with the deal, but the Chronicle is informed that there is no likelihood of the Union being included in the merger.

"It is stated that Mr. Stavert, the bright young manager of the Bank of New Brunswick, will be made manager of the new Alliance Bank."

Mr. Stavert when seen yesterday, while not denying the report, said it was at least premature and would give no information upon the subject. Jas. Manchester, president of the Bank of New Brunswick, declined to talk of the matter at any time.

The Sun is informed that negotiations with some such object in view have been going on for some time and will probably take more definite shape in the near future. The project, it is understood, is to amalgamate the above mentioned banks into a strong financial institution, with headquarters at St. John, probably in the present Bank of N. B. building, with W. E. Stavert as manager.

The presidents of the banks concerned are: J. J. Stewart, People's Bank of Halifax; Benjamin Heats, Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island; A. H. W. McLaughlin, People's Bank of New Brunswick.

It is also stated that the Union Bank of Halifax is in the deal.

PERSONAL.

Walter H. Belding, of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, and Chas. McNeil left yesterday for a week's visit to P. E. Island.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Rice and their son, Rev. M. Rice, went to Jacksonville, Carleton county, yesterday to see another son, Rev. H. C. Rice, married there today. Miss Frances Plummer, daughter of C. W. Plummer, of Jacksonville, Rev. Mr. Ross also went along. The three clergymen of the Rice family and also Rev. Mr. Ross were excused from the closing sessions of the Methodist conference to allow them to go to Jacksonville.

Says yesterday's Fredericton Gleaner: "Harry McAl. Law, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John, arrived in the city yesterday and will take the position in the Bank of Nova Scotia here vacated by Charles E. Babbitt. Miss Jeanette Beverley left for St. John this morning. Mrs. T. A. Peters and family left this morning for Duck Cove, where they will spend the summer."

Allan G. McAvity, son of John A. McAvity, graduated today from the technical school in connection with Harvard University. Mr. McAvity has secured a position with the Buffalo Forge Company, in Buffalo, N. Y., and assumes his new duties about September 1st.

John McAvity has gone on a fishing trip to Annapolis, with some friends from New York.

Mrs. Joseph Walsh (nee Lannon) will receive on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, June 24 and 25, at 411 Main street.

Miss Alice Grant left by C. P. R. yesterday for the White Mountains, N. H.

Mr. J. de Soyres left Monday for New York, sailing next Wednesday on the Majestic for England.

Mrs. Ramsay of Brockton, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. McDermott, Duke street.

Mrs. J. H. Wilson and J. Stanley Wilson of Denver, Col., who have been on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson, left last night for home via Boston and New York.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson and Mrs. Geo. D. Murchie of Calais are at the Royal.

Prof. Hutton of Mount Allison, who has been attending the Methodist conference, returned to Sackville yesterday.

Rev. Samuel Howard leaves for Montreal tomorrow, where he takes passage for various European points.

Mrs. Harris L. Wallace, son and daughter of Montreal, arrived in the city yesterday to visit Mrs. Daniel A. Morrison, Douglas avenue.

Mrs. J. Leverett Robinson (nee Warren) of Marysville, is visiting her parents, Mecklenburg street.

Miss Emily R. Nase of Westfield Beach, who has been studying nursing in the Melrose, Mass., hospital for three years and graduated last week, is now visiting her mother at Westfield.

Albert L. B. McKell of Greenwick, Kings Co., who has been spending a year at Victoria, B. C., has returned home to take up life again in New Brunswick.

Sheriff Joseph A. McQueen of Dorchester, arrived in the city last evening, and is at the Royal. The sheriff

Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited. Flags for Dominion Day.

ALL WOOL HUNTING FLAGS, best English manufacture, re-enforced ends and corners—Union Jack, British Ensign, Dominion Ensign, St. George's Ensign. Sizes 11-2 to 51-2 yards long. Prices from \$1.50 to \$12.00.

Silk Flags, Cotton Flags, Tri-Color Ribbons.

LADIES' BLACK UNDERSKIRTS. \$2.00 Each.

At this price we will offer an odd line of Ladies' Superior Quality Black Mercerised Saten Underskirts. They are nicely made and particularly well finished. \$2.00 is a very small price for these goods.

Also a small sample lot of Ladies' Black Mercerised Saten Underskirts

much under regular prices. Sale at Centre Counter, ground floor.

LADIES' NEW BLACK SEPARATE DRESS SKIRTS.

In Cloak and Costume Department, Second Floor, we are now displaying the most complete range of Separate Dress Skirts we have ever shown in mid-summer. The styles and values leave nothing to be desired.

BLACK DRESS SKIRTS, lined and unlined, \$5.00, \$6.75, \$7.00, \$7.25, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.25, \$8.50, \$8.75, \$9.00, \$9.25, \$9.50, \$10.75 and \$12.00.

For an idea of what these Skirts are, see our King street show window, or better still, examine the garments in the Cloak Department. They will stand the closest scrutiny.

School Closings.

Boys' Shirt Waists and Blouses
Boys' Wash Suits.
Boys' Separate Pants.

BOYS' AMERICAN SHIRT WAISTS. For ages 4 to 10 years.

Perfect fitting and every pattern new this season.

Fancy Unlaundered Collar attached, 60c.

Fancy Laundered, Collar attached or separate, 75c., \$1.00.

White Shirt Waists, collar attached or separate, 85c., \$1.00.

BOYS' AMERICAN BLOUSES. For ages 5 to 13 years.

All made with double collar. Fancy Oxford Cloths, 75c., \$1.00.

BOYS' WASH SUITS. Sailor Styles in Grass Linen, Striped Galatea and Fancy Cambrics, 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25.

BOYS' NAVY SAILOR SUITS. The Suit of all others for Boys' Summer wear. Our leading prices, \$1.75, \$2.30, \$3.50, \$4.25.

BOYS' NAVY SERGE AND FANCY TWEED TWO-PIECE AND NORFOLK SUITS. Thoroughly reliable cloths, \$2.75, \$3.30, \$3.75, \$4.50.

BOYS' THREE-PIECE NAVY AND FANCY TWEED SUITS. Single or Double Breasted. Unapproachable values, \$3.75, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$6.00.

LARGE SIZES IN BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS. For Boys of 14 to 17 years.

Fancy Cheviots and Tweeds, \$3.00, \$3.50. Having no Vests. These make a cool Summer Suit, and are the proper style to wear with soft front shirts.

BOYS' SEPARATE PANTS. For ages 5 to 11 years.

Wash Pants in Striped Galatea and White Duck, 55c., 60c.

Boys' Navy, Brown and Fawn Corduroy Pants, 95c.

Boys' Navy Serge and Fancy Tweed Pants, 75c. to \$1.25.

Boys' Separate Pants, for ages 12 to 16 years. Fancy Tweed and Navy Serge, 95c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.65.

Sale of Waist Lengths and Remnants of Silks—Under Price.

We have placed on sale in Silk Room a large number of Remnants and Waist Lengths of Black and Colored Silks—the season's most desirable styles at prices that will be appreciated.

It is one of the best remnant collections we have ever featured. Sale in Silk Room.

M. R. A'S. UNRIVALLED \$10.00 SUITS FOR MEN.

Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited.

The Attractions of Our stores are Their Low Prices.

D.A. KENNEDY

(Successor to Walter Scott).

32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B.

No Dull Days at This Store.

Quick Sales and Small Profits Keep Us Busy.

Ready-Made Pillow Slips.

300 Ready-Made Pillow Slips, size 42x34, at only 1.0c. each. Made from a good strong cotton, and well worth 20c. each.

Hamburgs and Laces

Some wonderful Bargains to be had here in Hamburgs and laces at greatly reduced prices for this week. Come in and see these goods, it will pay you.

Muslins and Gingham

A grand clearing sale of Muslins and Gingham. All imported goods from 10c. a yard up. Come early for first choice.

Men's Regatta Shirts

For one week we will hold a big sale of Men's Regatta Shirts.

The Improved White Mountain Freezer

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