

Store closes evenings at 6 o'clock. Saturdays 11 p. m. UNION CLOTHING CO. 26 28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B. Old Y. M. C. A. Building, ALEX. CORRETT, Mgr.

CHICAGO TO MAKE WAR ON ITS 10,000 "MASHERS"

Evil Has Grown to Such Proportions That the School Board, the Y. W. C. A. and the Police Department Unite to Suppress a Public Nuisance.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Banded together in a determined effort to suppress what has come to be a menace to womanhood in the city of Chicago, says the Chicago Tribune, the compulsory education department of the public schools, the Young Women's Christian Association and the Chicago Police Department have instituted a city-wide crusade against the Chicago masher.

The aim of the work is to change things so that the mothers, sisters and girls of Chicago may go to one end of the city to the other, even go downtown shopping in the most crowded times and not suffer insult from the bold masher.

As things are at present they cannot do this. Mothers in the city, the neglected woman free from the danger of being insulted by a masher, if she goes shopping she is thrown into contact with the scores and scores of "lady killers" who make their beats the downtown store district.

QUAKES CAUSED BY SUN AND MOON

Theory Advanced by Noted English Meteorologists Predicts Seismic Disturbances of Varying Violence Over Europe in February.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—"There will be seismic and volcanic action of varying violence over Europe in February," said Hugh Clements, the meteorologist, who successfully predicted some of the recent terrestrial disturbances.

"The sun and moon, by means of their joint attraction from their common centre of gravity, are drawing up the air in large areas toward the east, and in consequence the winds are rushing in that direction to fill up the vacuum.

"Do not understand me to hold that the earth waves are increasing in violence and imperiling the human family. They are performing just as they have performed for countless ages.

WIFE SEEKING DIVORCE, ABDUCTED BY HUSBAND

State's Attorney is Asked to Compel Her Restoration to Family.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 4.—The family of Mrs. Bessie E. Sunderland, of Baltimore county, today asked the state attorney to take legal proceedings to have the woman brought to her home.

A WORD FOR THE COAL MAN.

During the recent severe cold snap in Vancouver there was a great shortage of coal, and dealers actually sold fuel to the people at less than cost to prevent suffering, going to special trouble to hasten deliveries.

CLASSIFIED ADS

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS. Let The SUN and STAR Do Your Hustling. ONLY 1 CENT A WORD DAILY. 6 Insertions for Price of 4.

TO LET

TO LET—From 1st May, the handsome suit of offices in the Bayard Building, 138 Prince William street, now occupied by Edwin K. McKay.

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Small family, 7 Paddock street.

CITY CENTRE

Garden street—Self-contained house, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, modern plumbing.

CITY—WEST SIDE

King street—Two self-contained upper flats, one with eight rooms, bath, modern plumbing, rental \$125; other seven rooms, modern plumbing, \$88 per month.

GREAT INCREASE IN POST OFFICE REVENUE

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—The revenue of the post office is showing a great increase this year. For the first seven months of the fiscal year the revenue was \$1,819,917 and increase of \$704,273.

Wanted at Once

3 Machinists. 3 First Class Boiler Makers. 3 First Class Axle Makers. 1 Blacksmith for Heavy Work.

For February... THE Greatest Reductions

EVER OFFERED IN ST. JOHN ON Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths. George E. Smith, 18 King St. Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Furs, Furs, Bargains in Furs

Money back has been our motto, if better values can be procured, quality considered. No come back's yet. BARDLEY, the Hatter, 179 Union St. Phone 409E. Your old hat blocked to look like new.

FISH SMITH'S FISH MARKET. TELEPHONE 1704. 25 SYDNEY ST.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE AUCTIONS. WALTER S. POTTS' Auctioneer.

WANTED—Workman at the Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Works, Crowchville. Steady work for good steady men. Apply at once to the Superintendent.

WANTED—Upper flat of 5 or 6 rooms, modern improvements, for family of three adults. State location and price. Address FLAT, care Star Office.

WANTED—A man with good building experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 3-11-17.

FOR SALE—House, 175 Prince St., West Side, formerly occupied by late Robt. Hannam. Apply on premises, 2-4-17.

FOR SALE—Horse 6 years old, about 300 lbs. Sound and kind in every way. Sell cheap as I have no further use for him. J. W. HUNTER, 33 Millidge Ave. 3-11-16.

FOR SALE—One electric motor at The 2 Barkers, Ltd., 109 Princess St. SPEEDY SALMON BOAT FOR SALE—That remarkably speedy salmon boat, built to the order of F. G. Spencer, last spring. A strong, roomy, and slippery craft, with specially made sails. Only one season old. Present owner is leaving city. Apply "SALMON BOAT," Star Office. 2-1-17.

FOR SALE—Framers 85c up. Hockey Skates 40c up. Acme Skates 50c up. Pocket Knives 5c up. Children's Snow Shovels, 15c; Men's 25c. Everything marked in plain figures at DUVAL'S, 17 Waterloo St. 6-12-17.

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery Wagons, 2 coaches, and 2 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted, a first class coach very cheap; also three outdoor carriages; best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairing. A. G. EDGE-COMBE, 115 and 119 City Road. 2-1-17.

GASOLINE ENGINES—The Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, having consolidated with The Defiance Iron Works of Chatham, Ont., makers of the Defiance Marine Engines, and now known under the name of The Canadian Gas Pumps & Lanchettes, Ltd., are in a position to fill orders for stationary, portable and marine engines. Stationary engines for dough mixers, cement mixers, grain grinding, threshing and other uses. Parties wishing to purchase a Marine Engine will please call and inspect our Solid Brass Engines, especially adapted for salt water, at 57 Water street, St. John, N. B. —CANADIAN GAS PUMPS & LANCHETTES, LIMITED. 2-1-17.

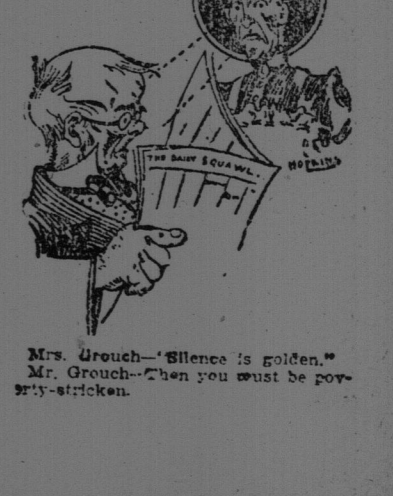
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 126 German street. Special attention paid to restoring Pianos and Organs to their original tone.

ROOMS TO LET TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 2-2-17.

WHOLESALE LIQUORS. WM. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 119 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1810. Write for family price list.



Cured. "He used to be crazy on the subject of second-hand bargains. I wonder what cured him?" "He married a brass widow."



Mrs. Grouch—"Blessed is golden." Mr. Grouch—"Then you must be pretty-stickin'."