

EIGHT

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1909.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

## DYKEMAN'S HIGH CLASS SKIRTS

Manufacturer's samples, made by a firm that caters only to the highest class of trade. They are the very latest style. The principle cloths used in the making are Panamas and Voiles. They are of the light weight dressy style of skirt that is so suitable for Spring and Summer wear.


The prices were up as high as \$15.00 but the highest in the lot is now \$8.50, that is you can get

A \$15.00 SKIRT for	\$8.50
A 10.00 SKIRT for	6.50
An 8.00 SKIRT for	5.00
A 7.00 SKIRT for	4.50

They are shown in Black, Brown, Blue and Myrtle and made in a large variety of styles. The illustration gives you an idea of some of them. This skirt is priced \$7.50 and is made from a nice Panama Cloth, the regular price is \$12.00 handsomely trimmed with Silk and Satin buttons.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,**  
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

## Shower-Proof Clothing For Men



Forget the umbrella! What's the use of luging around a "rain shield" fastened to a stick, when you can have a stylish, elegant outer garment, equally desirable in sunshine or storm?

Besides our line of popular rain-or-shine coats which are good for showery spring days, we sell **REAL WATER-PROOF** coats that will shed any deluge that the skies may empty on you.

Some of these are cloth surfaced, water-proofed beneath with real rubber. Others are rubber surfaced.

All are **GUARANTEED** absolutely waterproof.

We sold many of them last year, and only one turned out faulty! Keep dry! Wear a raincoat that is **GUARANTEED** to do its duty!

We extend to you a cordial invitation to call and **SEE** these guaranteed rain proof garments.

**A. Gilmour, 68 King Street**  
Tailoring and Clothing

## Wall Papers.

Great values in Wall Papers. 10,000 rolls to be sold at 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c, 14c, 15c, 16c, 17c, 18c, 19c, 20c, 21c, 22c, 23c, 24c, 25c, 26c, 27c, 28c, 29c, 30c, 31c, 32c, 33c, 34c, 35c, 36c, 37c, 38c, 39c, 40c, 41c, 42c, 43c, 44c, 45c, 46c, 47c, 48c, 49c, 50c.

Window Shades on Rollers, 15c up.  
Brass Curtain Rods, 5c, 10c, 15c.  
Wood Curtain Poles, 25c and 35c.  
Lace Curtains, 25c to \$4.00 pair.  
A good assortment of Curtain Muslins at 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, to 50c.

Yard  
Hosiery, Gloves and Underwear.

**Arnold's Department Store**  
33-35 CHARLOTTE ST.

## New Books

**The Bronze Bell** — By the author of **The Brass Bowl**  
**Special Messenger** — By Chalmers  
**The Royal End** — By Henry Hartland

**E. G. NELSON & CO.,**  
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts

**HAND-IN-HAND**



with high quality goes reasonable price in our establishment. Every article is of the finest, but no extortionate charges are made. Here you will find a bewilderingly beautiful collection of plain and fancy Rings for lady or gentleman, Watches, Chains, Charms, Brooches, Bracelets, Hat Pins, Lockets, Breast Pins, Trillies, Metal Clocks, Opera Glasses, and everything that should be found in an up-to-date jewelry store.

**A. FOYAS,**  
Watchmaker and Jeweler, 16 Mill St., St. John, N. B. — Phone Main 1307.

## PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

By Keeping Quality Up and prices Down

WE have grown to one of the largest Dry Goods and Gen's Furnishing Stores on Charlotte St.

See our 4 Windows If You Want a Fit wear the best grade of

## P. C. Corsets

like we sell at 50, 75 and 1.00 pair.

Corner Duke & Charlotte Sts  
Store Open Evenings

### THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate to fresh variable winds; local showers; but pretty fair and cool today and Saturday.

### LOCAL NEWS

The Adriatic mails have left New York and are due here at midnight.

"A" Company, 1st Regiment, St. John Fusiliers, will parade at the drill shed this (Friday) evening at eight o'clock for company drill.

The Manchester Shipper, of Manchester Line, sailed at 2 o'clock. She carried two hundred head of cattle in addition to a general cargo.

"Never again" will I put up that long price for an ordinary suit. The man who gets next to Pidgeon's quality and Pidgeon's prices, at the corner of Main and Bridge streets, is very apt to make that resolution.

At the residence of Mrs. Elida Bell, of St. John West, the marriage took place of Charles Edward Swainson, of St. John West, to Christina Nielsen, of Denmark. Rev. W. H. Sampson performed the ceremony.

The Marathon baseball team expect to turn out for their first practice on the Every Day grounds tomorrow. The boys have been greatly strengthened by the addition of new material, and definite announcement of the make-up of the team will be made shortly.

A box containing boutonnieres of beautiful red and white roses for the staff of the Sun and Star was received at this office today with the compliments of the St. George's Society. The handsome present was greatly appreciated and the staff are all Englishmen for the day.

Johnston Ladies L. O. B. No. 19, and friends, called at the home of their worthy Mistress Mrs. G. O. Akery, 185 Waterloo street, Wednesday evening and greatly surprised her. Rev. L. A. McLean, on behalf of the company, presented to Mrs. Akery a handsome gold locket and chain. Music and games were indulged in and refreshments were served.

### WILL REMOVE TEA SIGN FROM REVERSING FALLS

In consequence of several requests from the New Brunswick Tourist Association and other bodies, as well as prominent ladies, the Union Blend Tea Co. has decided to take down their large sign at the Reversing Falls.

Charles H. Howell, the vice-president of the concern, told a representative of the Star this morning that there had been complaints that the sign marred the view of the landscape. He stated the intention in erecting the sign was for an advertisement chiefly to serve the attention of the American tourists, who spend some time on the river during the summer months. The firm has a branch in Boston and dispense of a considerable portion of tea in the States. The sign has been in position about eight months, and its erection cost about \$100. The work of taking it down will probably be started next week. The sign is about 80 feet high, and the task will be a heavy one.

Mr. Howell declares that the firm is tearing down the sign purely to satisfy the wishes of the Tourist Association and other citizens. Speaking of their tea business Mr. Howell stated that the United States is consuming large quantities of the Union Blend tea and the output is being materially increased.

### IN THE COURTS.

#### PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Emma Jones, wife of Hiram Jones, intestate: Petition of Francis Nice setting forth that the deceased died on 22nd August, 1908, intestate—that she was twice married; her first husband—Mungo, having died over twenty years ago and she subsequently married Hiram Jones, the holder of her first husband's estate which estate is now claimed by the petitioner by gift.

The second husband of the said Emma Jones has since died. She left no children, but she left her surviving brother and the children of a deceased brother, George Nice, and of a deceased sister, Albina Waterfield. One of the nephews having filed a caveat a citation is issued to show cause why administration should not issue to the brother, returnable on Monday, the 31st May next. Hon. H. A. McKewen, K. C., proctor for the petitioner. Mr. John Willet, K. C., proctor for the caveator.

#### COUNTY COURT.

The case of Francis & Vaughan v. H. T. Stevens, of Moncton, was referred to S. A. Corbett, an expert accountant, by His Honor Judge Forbes in Chambers this morning. This is an action for goods sold and delivered and as the account was somewhat complicated His Honor felt inclined to hand the matter to a referee. J. K. Kelley appeared for the plaintiffs and A. A. Wilson, K. C., for the defendant.

#### PERSONAL.

Mayor Chipman was a passenger to the city on the Boston express today. Geo. E. Miller came in on the C. P. R. express.

E. D. Milne is welcomed back to the city. He arrived on the C. P. R. express.

T. B. Ryan was a passenger to the city on the C. P. R. express today.

H. E. C. Sturdee and Percy W. Thomson were passengers on today's C. P. R. express.

James Kelly went east at noon today.

Dr. McNehey and John E. Wilson came in from Fredericton at noon today.

Thomas L. Hay came in on the Boston express today.

### WANTED—First class Salesman, to travel in the Boot and Shoe line, all through the Maritime Provinces, for a Quebec well responsible firm. Must be very competent, and a good trade connection already established. Reference requested, mentioning salary. Address, PRUDENTIAL, the St. John Star Office.

### PROGRESS OF PLANS FOR CHURCH UNION

#### Proposed Amalgamation Gradually Taking Shape.

#### Baptists Practically Decided Against It—

#### There Will be Four Big Denominations in Canada.

Although developments have been going along quietly of late in the proposed church union, the clergymen of the city, as well as several others, are not allowing interest to wane. The subject is regarded as one of more than ordinary importance.

It would appear that the Baptist denomination have practically decided not to enter the union.

The star learns that the Baptists are not adverse to the union, but consider the time has not arrived to make a change. In Toronto on Good Friday last a meeting of representatives from the various Baptist boards in Ontario and Quebec was held. The convention after fully discussing the proposed union passed a resolution to the effect that the proposed union might be beneficial, but it was not thought time to amalgamate the Baptist forces into the other bodies.

It is understood that the chief objection of the Baptist boards to the union is in reference to baptism. They give the classical interpretation to the Greek word for baptism.

While the Methodists, Congregationalists and Presbyterians would accept this interpretation, on the other hand the Baptists can not see their way clear to concur in the meaning held by three other bodies.

In certain quarters there is a feeling that the Methodists, Congregationalists and Presbyterians will unite, and it would not be surprising if preliminary arrangements were perfected for such a step. Clergymen declare that the fact that the Baptists do not desire to unite, should not prevent the other bodies from continuing deliberations.

A strong denomination would undoubtedly result should the union eventually take place.

The Rev. David Hutchinson was asked by a representative of the Star last evening his opinion of the present religious situation. He did not think the Baptists would enter the union, after what had transpired at the recent meeting.

There will be four great religious bodies in a few years. These will be the Roman Catholics, Church of England, Baptist and a fourth denomination composed of Methodist, Congregational and Presbyterian followers.

Mr. Hutchinson declared the outlook for union of the three other bodies was not promising and that they would gradually come together.

It will be remembered that the Anglicans desire to enter into the union from the first. They desired the other denominations to recognize the "historic episcopacy."

### CAN CHICKEN

Large Cans 25c.

### Maple Syrup

by gallon, quart or pint.

—AT—  
**JAMES COLLIN'S**  
210 UNION STREET  
Opp. Opera House.

### Bardsley's Complexion Cream

contains neither fat, oil or grease; will keep your skin soft and rosy.

At **BARDSLEY'S,**  
109 BRUSSELS ST.

### CASES OF DIPHTHERIA LESSENING IN NUMBERS

Board of Health Will Commence Annual Inspection Early in May.

A Star representative asked Secretary T. M. Barnes, of the Board of Health, the date for the starting of the inspection of premises. He stated that the board would wait until the tenants have settled in their new premises. The inspection have been appointed and the first visit will be made about the middle of May.

Mr. Burns states that there are few cases of diphtheria in the city at present. The numbers have been lessened until now only five or six cases are recorded at the board's office.

Since June 15 last, there has not been a smallpox patient in the Isolation Hospital on the Sandy Point. This is an unusual record. The hospital is kept in excellent condition and is fit for the reception of patients at any time.

### FLAGS FLY IN HONOR OF SAINT GEORGE

The Day Will be Loyalty Observed in St. John.

In honor of St. George's Day, the flags were flying on several of the leading business houses, as well as on the Government buildings. The rose was worn by many of the citizens on the streets. St. John's celebration of the day will take place this evening, when the St. George's Society will give a ball in Keith's Theatre Assembly Rooms. It is expected that nearly four hundred persons will be in attendance. The rooms present a handsome appearance. The supper room is beautifully decorated in red and white, while the reception room is neatly arranged. Flags, bunting and shields are prominently displayed.

Dancing will begin this evening about 8:30 o'clock and will be preceded by a short program.

The harbor presents a fine sight today as all the shipping from the smallest tug to the big Kingness of Ireland and Tunisian are gaily decorated with bunting in honor of St. George's Day.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Power took place from Hampton this afternoon on the arrival of the C. P. R. train.

## "MUM"

A delicate deodorizer for the toilet

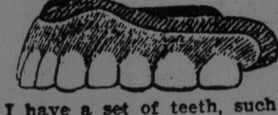
**Crushed Rose Talcum Powder**

—AT—  
**The Royal Pharmacy,**  
King Street.

---

### AN UNBREAKABLE SET OF TEETH

There is a class of patients who do not object to paying a fair price for artificial teeth, if they can really secure comfort, usefulness and naturalness.



I have a set of teeth, such as is unobtainable in any other office in this city, to my knowledge. It is out of the ordinary line and unlike the teeth in general use. Its beauty is at once apparent and it is practically unbreakable.

It will pay those who are desirous of obtaining the best to be had in the dental line to call and inspect this for themselves. I will gladly demonstrate its superiority over other plates, even if you have no immediate intention of investing.

**Dr. J. D. MAHER,**  
Boston Dental Parlors  
527 Main St. North End  
Telephone 683

## Brighten Up Your Furniture!

"RELIABLE" **ROBB,** The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte Street.

## Fashionable Suits for Men

### Topmost Style, Dressy Patterns, Garments of Excelling Worth

M. R. A. Suits reflect the very newest expression of fashions dictates for the season. Nobby, dressy models, perfectly tailored and faultless in fit, especially designed to meet the exact requirements of critical men. Certainty of entire satisfaction in material, making and wearing qualities explains the growing popularity of M. R. A. apparel.


The cloths are worsteds and saxony's in fetching, broad or pencil stripe effects in a bewildering array of striking patterns. Olive shades predominate in light, medium and dark, with tans, browns and grays in much favor. The new spring coats are cut longer, some with two buttons, some with three. The lapels are broad and long; many coats have fancy cuffs and pocket flaps, some creased in back, others creased in sleeves. A large number of coats have a pronounced dip from back to front.

**Prices, \$10.00 to \$24.00**

CALL AND SEE THE SHOWING BEFORE SELECTING YOUR ATTIRE

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

**MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON Ltd**



## Prices Talk

That's true and you know it. Our special offerings up here at the North End Store furnish no end of interesting shop talk because we have the interesting prices to back up sound statements.

Here are some offerings that may interest you:

BOYS' SUITS \$1.98 to \$3.98  
MEN'S SUITS in great variety of styles and patterns \$1.98 to \$3.48.  
We guarantee to save you from \$2.00 to \$5.00 on your Spring Suit.  
MEN'S OVERCOATS in standard Black and Grey Cheviots, silk-lined, \$11.48 and \$12.48.  
MEN'S RAINCOATS at reduced prices, \$6.48 to \$12.48.

BARGAINS IN SHOES FOR ALL THE FAMILY

**C. B. PIDGEON,**  
Corner Main and Bridge Streets.

## Discount Sale of Wall Paper

For the balance of this week we are offering some tempting designs. 2,500 rolls at Bargain Prices for this sale.

**25c Goods for 121-2c. - 15c Goods for 9c.**  
**12c Goods for 8c.**

Our 1909 lines is now complete. Have you seen it? Let us save the privilege of showing you our Wall Papers and quoting prices before placing your orders. We can save you money.

**84 King St. - D. McARTHUR.**

## Table Covers

Our stock of Plain and Fancy Table Covers is one of the most complete in town. All new designs, and of the best material to be obtained. Come and see the many things we have to offer.

Chenille and Tapestry Table Covers—75c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.25, 2.45, 2.75, 3.85 each.  
Damask Table Covers (White with Red Border)—70c, 75c, 85c each.  
Damask Table Covers (Red and White, or Red and Green)—\$1.00, 1.35.

**S. W. McMackin,**  
335 Main Street, North End.