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Rubber Hose. Your Windows need washing. We have Hose both plain and wire bound. Prices for good quality, plain, 11c. per foot. Wire bound, 13c. per foot. ORDER NOW. W. H. THORNE & Co., Ltd.

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ATTENTION! After a hard winter your Roofs, Gutters and Conductors will need repairing. We make a specialty of this work, and guarantee satisfaction. Stoves, Ranges and Kitchen Utensils ALWAYS ON HAND. JOHN E. WILSON, 17 SYDNEY ST.

Have You Seen The Young Scholar? A Dongola Kid Laced Boot made up expressly for young School Girls. Neat and dainty, made on a foot-conforming last, with 1 1/2 inch heels. \$2.00 a Pair. Waterbury & Rising, KING STREET. UNION STREET.

FOR EASTER. 1st Prize Beef, native fed; finest fed Veal, raised by A. Northrup, Kingston; Hams and Bacon, best cures; Hensery Eggs, Poultry, Radishes, Celery, Lettuce, etc. GEO. S. WETMORE, CITY MARKET, Phone 1078. Two Leaders! THE FRANKLIN DERBY, \$3.00. THE BUCKLEY DERBY, 2.50. F. S. THOMAS, 555 MAIN ST. NORTH END

A Choice Assortment of Fresh Meats. Pork, Veal, Lamb, Mutton and Fowl. Butter, Eggs and Cheese. GEO. S. WILLIAMS, Stall No. 20, City Market.

All Records Broken. With the backward conditions of the spring and the weather of the day against us, the amount of business done here on Saturday, our third anniversary, beat all previous records clean out of sight. We start our 4th year with the brightest possible prospects, a large and well assorted stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing of every description. J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring & Clothing, 199 & 201 Union St.

DUNN BROS. MAY TAKE ACTION. Their Goods are Excluded from Country Market. Clerk Dunham, Who Shut Them Out According to Bye-Law, May Be Sued.

Legal complications are likely to arise over the action of Wm. C. Dunham, clerk of the market, in rejecting quantities of pork and meat products sent from the factory of T. B. Dunn & Co., Gypsy Settlement, Fairville, to the market for sale. The goods were sent in barrels to the market last week. Messrs. Dunn first sought to lease space to sell their goods on their own account. Clerk Dunham refused to lease any space. Messrs. Dunn then attempted to arrange with some of the market dealers to dispose of their goods for them. Clerk Dunham again interfered and absolutely forbade the sale of any goods whatever in the market owned by Messrs. Dunn and manufactured at their factory. Some of the goods are now in the market, standing to one side, awaiting removal by their owners. Hon. A. T. Dunn, representing F. B. Dunn & Co., has threatened to take immediate legal proceedings. Mr. Dunham warrants his rejection of the goods of the ground that the law relating to the market prevents his admitting them. The civic regulations specially provide that no person keeping a shop or place of business within five miles of the market shall be allowed to keep a stand within the market. The regulations even go further and provide that a lessee of a stand within the market shall forfeit his stand upon his becoming an owner of a shop or place of business within the five miles limit. Mr. Dunham says that if he allowed Messrs. Dunn to sell their products within the market he would have to extend the privilege to all the pork and meat factories in the city.

REQUESTS FROM THE CITY. Police Want More Pay—Cold Storage Warehouse Proposed—New Factory for St. John.

The common council will meet this afternoon when a number of important matters will come up. Among the matters to be considered will be a petition from the police asking for more pay. This petition is signed by all the officers from the deputy chief down, and sets forth the facts that the police of this city are about the poorest paid of any city of its size in Canada, receiving only from \$1.40 to \$2.00 per week for the cost of living in this city has greatly increased of late; that all the officers are married with families, and that the officers find it difficult to keep their heads above water. A letter was received from Messrs. Williams Thomson & Co. re the erection of a cold storage warehouse on this side of the harbor for the handling of apples. This letter says that it would mean a big increased shipment from this side of Nova Scotia apples and that the shippers would be willing to pay a fee of one cent storage and one cent top wharfage per barrel. A communication from the active Militia and Rifle clubs asks for a contribution of \$800 toward the erection of a proper shelter at the range. The Dominion government will contribute one thousand dollars. The building will cost \$1,800. The Seaman's Mission want a free supply of ferry tickets to bring sailors across the harbor to their meetings, also the free use of the McLeod building or a part of it as long as is convenient.

KEOKUK, Ia., April 4.—The trial of Charles Cackley, for an offence committed thirty-six years ago, commenced today. Cackley shot and killed Constable Reuben Fenstermaker at Farmington, Ia., July 5, 1868, escaped and has not been seen since. He had been at liberty. During the interval he married and raised a large family to whom his crime was not known. Having served in the civil war, he applied for a pension. His name attracting notice on the pension list, Cackley was arrested and was brought to Iowa for trial.

QUEBEC WIFE-MURDERER KILLS HIMSELF by Throwing Wound Open with His Fingers

ORIGINAL P. Q., April 4.—Joseph Menard, who murdered his wife and then attempted suicide on March 5, died last night at the county jail here, where he was removed from his home of the Brook on Thursday. Menard, who was under guard at his home, escaped recently by feigning illness, but was recaptured. His death was caused by his tearing the bandages from his head and opening with his fingers the wound he made with an axe at the time of the tragedy. This with exposure to cold brought on paralysis. Menard said that had he been confined in an asylum at New Years he would have committed no crime.

300 PAINTERS ON STRIKE. (Special to the Star). QUEBEC, April 4.—Three hundred painters have struck here for higher wages and all painting is at a standstill, causing much inconvenience at this season.

Mr. Rhea D. Christie, who had intended discontinuing her dressmaking business, desires to inform her customers that she will continue the same and will be pleased to receive all orders at her old address, 18 Orange street.

JAPANESE CAMPAIGN CAREFULLY PLANNED. 260,000 Men Now in the Field—60,000 More Coming—Will Have Three Armies of 100,000 Men Each.

SHANGHAI, April 4.—A letter received from Kobe, Japan, says the Japanese government has 260,000 troops in motion and fully 60,000 more under arms, in garrison and at the depots. These numbers are exclusive of the third reserves numbering 120,000, which have not been called to the colors. The exact number of troops which have left Japan for their various destinations are not known, but the entire first army had been landed and has been distributed throughout Northwestern Korea, with its main base at Chinampo. The Japanese General Staff still carefully guards the plan of campaign, but it is generally believed that it will operate three armies each nominally numbering 100,000 men, the second army landing west of the Yalu river and the third army east of Newchwang. The landing of the latter two armies will be easily accomplished, for the light cruiser squadrons can protect both movements. It is thought that the landing of a heavy Japanese force west of the mouth of the Yalu will force the Russians to abandon the fortifications which they have been erecting north of the Yalu for the purpose of opposing the crossing of the first army of Japan from Korea. It is also anticipated that these great Japanese forces will operate in conjunction, the third army swinging eastward from Newchwang, seizing or cutting the railroad and then engaging in a turning movement against the main Russian position. The Japanese are confident that the Russians will be unable to transport supplies sufficient to maintain in Manchuria a force larger than 300,000 men. The heavy detachments necessary to guard the railroad and supply bases will, it is claimed, reduce the Russian fighting force to about 200,000 men. The Japanese are requisitioning thousands of horses and it is probable that a considerable detachment of cavalry will accompany each army. Though the horses of the Japanese cavalry seem inferior to those of the Russians the Japanese officers say they will satisfactorily accomplish the work planned for them. Much Japanese artillery is departing for the front. The guns seem light, but it is believed that the Japanese have a number of heavy batteries equal in range to the best European field artillery. Japan also possesses a large number of excellent mountain batteries, which in a rough country will have a distinct advantage over the Russians. It seems certain that Vice-Admiral Togo's failure to effectually dispose of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur has delayed the Japanese land operations. A general thaw is now proceeding in Korea and Manchuria, rendering the country roads impassable and making it impossible to conduct general military operations until the ground hardens.

A FALL IN THE WORLD. English Visitor Starts the Week in Swell Hotel and Ends it in the Jail. Frank Reynolds is twenty-seven years of age and claims England as his home. For some days to come he will be on the register at the big King street hotel. This is a terrible condemnation for Mr. Reynolds.

HEARD MAN TO KILL. Negro Has Lived for Twenty Years With Knife Blade Imbedded in Skull and Brain.

MURDER HID 36 YEARS. After Eluding the Law Since 1868, Charles Cackley's Crime is Brought Home to Him.

CAN'T FIND CECILIA. The German woman Cecilia Kuhnrou, of whom much has been published of late, is now among the missing. She was last seen in Canada. The Canadian officers refused to take care of her and she was left in the immigration shed. The police also declined to interfere, and during the dispute the lady disappeared. The local police say she was a passenger on the Boston train Saturday night, and the U. S. immigration officials who watch that train, say she did not go out on it.

REV. W. L. BEERS RESIGNS. Unitarian Pastor Leaves St. John For Work in the United States.

REV. W. L. BEERS, pastor of the Unitarian church in this city for some time past, preached his farewell sermon last night. Mr. Beers' departure from his pastoral charge in this city will be greatly regretted by a host of friends. During his stay here Mr. Beers has taken a warm interest in the affairs of the community and has identified himself with different public movements.

TWO YEARS IN DORCHESTER. John Noakes, charged with forging the name of S. A. White and Co., came up before Judge Wedderburn in the court house in Hampton this morning under the Speedy Trials Act, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. WANTED—A reliable young man to drive delivery waggons. Apply to 171 Germain St.

THE MANUFACTURERS' PROTEST. Matters were very lively around the board of trade rooms today. This morning there were two meetings and several others are scheduled for later in the day. A committee of the manufacturers met to discuss just what recommendations they would make to the government re the factory act and it is expected that these recommendations will be drawn up and forwarded to Frederick either tonight or tomorrow.

THE RESTAURANT MUST BE CLOSED. Evangelical Alliance Takes a Strong Stand. Mass Meeting Will Make Protest Against Sunday Opening of Park Restaurant.

THE WEATHER. Monday, April 4. Forecasts—Fresh west to northwesterly winds; fair and cold. Tuesday—Westerly winds and fair. Synopsis—Weather is fine and becoming milder from Ontario westward. Winds are moderate, northeasterly near the U. S. coast, and strong westerly in the Gulf. Winds to Banks strong westerly, and to American ports fresh northwesterly.

THE "Acadian" \$2.00 Hats. We will introduce ourselves for Easter business by introducing the Acadia make of hats. This is the name we give our own make, and have adapted it as a trade mark. If you have never tried one, there is no better time to do so than Easter. We have other grades, but our \$2.00 hats are dressy, well finished and correct in style.

ANDERSON'S 17 Charlotte Street. Perforated Seats. Shaped and Square, Light and Dark. (Bring Pattern). Chair Seating—Cane, Splint and Perforated. L. S. Cane only. Umbrellas made, Recovered and Repaired. Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass and Putty.

DUVAL'S 17 WATERLOO STREET. Wood or Fibre Washtubs. Wood or Fibre Pails. Washboards, all kinds. Wringers, the Best in the Market—The Guarantee, Warranted for 5 years, \$4.00. The Bicycle 17 in. Ball Bearing, \$4.50. The Bicycle 11 in. Ball Bearing, \$3.75. Warranted 3 years. Any kind of Wringers repaired at short notice.

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