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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. All marked in plain figures at prices that are bound to maintain the reputation this store has gained for giving the best clothing values in St. John. We wish to thank all who have so generously patronized us in the past and trust to receive a continuance of the same.

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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 F. 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 day, that the cost of living in this city has greatly increased of late; that all the officers are married men with families, and that the officers find it difficult to keep their heads above water.

A letter will be read 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 for the range. The Dominion government will contribute one thousand dollars. The building will cost \$1,800.

The Seamen'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.

The Retail Merchant Brokers Co. of Toronto call attention to the fact that the B. and I. patent bias fitted Corset Co. are desirous of moving their place from Toronto. It is a pushing concern and at present employ forty hands and four travellers. If they could locate here they would greatly enlarge their present capacity.

The annual report of the director of public works will be presented.

DETERMINED TO DIE.

Quebec Wife-Murderer Kills Himself by Tearing Wound Open with His Fingers

(Special to the Star.)
ORIGINAL P. Q., April 4.—Joseph Menard, who murdered his wife and then attempted suicide on March 3, 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 reopening 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 he had 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.

Mrs. 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, 38 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 and nominally numbering 100,000 men, the second army landing west of the Yalu river and the third army east of Newchwang. The landings 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 reorganizing 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 comedown for Mr. Reynolds.

He arrived in the city just a week ago and for two days put up at the Victoria hotel, paying two dollars and a half a day for the pleasure, at least this is what he told the police of this city. On Wednesday he went to the Grand Union. Thursday he stopped at a lodging house on the harbor front. Friday he could not account for his movements. Saturday night he was wandering about King street at midnight, when he was locked up. He was very sorry he had parted with his money so easily and was now anxious to get out of town. He will not for some time.

MURDER HID 36 YEARS.

After Eluding the Law Since 1868, Charles Cockley's Crime is Brought Home to Him.

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

CAN'T FIND CECILIA.

The German woman Cecilia Kuhnert, of whom much has been published of late, is now among the missing. She was brought to this city from Boston, she was insane, with the request that she be sent back to her native land, as she offered 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.

BROKERS FAIL.

NEW YORK, April 4.—The brokerage firm of W. B. Mack & Co. has suspended. The firm traded in cotton, and had a stock exchange membership. It had a mercantile rating of from \$125,000 to \$250,000.

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—Boy for office work and messenger. Apply to J. E. GIBSON & Co., Smythe street.

WANTED—A reliable young man to drive delivery waggon. Apply to 171 Germain St.

THE RESTAURANT MUST BE CLOSED

Evangelical Alliance Takes a Strong Stand.

Mass Meeting Will Make Public Protest Against Sunday Opening of Park Restaurant

The Evangelical Alliance held its regular monthly session this morning. Rev. C. T. Phillips in the chair. There were present Revs. Dr. Fotheringham, Dr. Wilson, P. J. Stackhouse, C. W. Hamilton, S. Howard, C. Burnett, B. Beatty, W. T. K. Thompson, Mr. Ferguson and J. C. B. Appel.

There was received from the secretary of the St. John Horticultural Association an acknowledgment of the receipt of the resolution of the alliance condemning the opening of the restaurant in the park.

A letter relating to the opening of the restaurant in the park was received from the secretary of the St. John Christian Endeavor Union. The letter conveyed the information that the union intended to take action to prohibit the opening of the proposed Sunday restaurant by sending petitions to the different churches of the city with a view of creating a strong feeling against the project. A mass meeting of the public is to be called in the near future and addresses will be delivered by influential men. The Evangelical Alliance has been asked to take charge of this meeting.

The matter of opening the park restaurant on Sunday came in for considerable discussion and in some instances heated discussion this morning. A statement embodying the views of the alliance on the matter is to be prepared and will be submitted at an adjourned meeting of the alliance to be held next Thursday. It has come to be felt that some immediate action should be taken in view of the nearness of the time when the park restaurant will be thrown open to the public.

Rev. Mr. Ferguson, of the Carleton Free Baptist church, was introduced this morning by Rev. P. J. Stackhouse. A warm welcome was extended to him and he took an active part in his meetings.

The rest of the morning was taken up by the reading of a paper entitled "The Doctrine of the Holy Spirit," by Rev. P. J. Stackhouse. The paper evinced careful and scholarly preparation and was commended by those present. Mr. Stackhouse was tendered the thanks of the alliance for his paper.

The alliance then adjourned to meet Thursday, when the matter of the park restaurant will receive its undivided attention.

WE ALL FEEL IT.

(From the Montreal Herald.)

King Edward is spending more money on household expenses than his mother did; still everybody knows how the price of living has gone up.

The North End police made one arrest this morning.

Rev. G. Burnett will assist the pastor, Rev. B. N. Nobles, in special services on Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week in the Carleton Baptist church.

HARD MAN TO KILL.

Negro Has Lived for Twenty Years With Knife Blade Imbedded in Skull and Brain.

WINTER SAILINGS, 1903-1904.

ST. JOHN, N. B., TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT. From St. John, Tue. Mar. 15—Lake Champlain. Sat. Apr. 1—Tue. Mar. 22—Lake Erie. Sat. Apr. 2—Tue. Apr. 12—Lake Manitoba. Sat. Apr. 12—LONDON, ANTWERP, AND ST. JOHN, N. B. From London, Steamer, St. John Mar. 15, Mar. 22—Montreal. Sat. Apr. 12—Steamers marked * do not carry passengers eastbound.

The Steamers of this service call at Halifax, St. John, and then to London. Steamers for Liverpool sail from West St. Mar. 15, shortly after the arrival of the C. P. R. train from the West.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First Cabin, \$5 and upwards. Round trip tickets at reduced rates.

Second Cabin, to Liverpool, \$27.50; to London, \$30.00. Round trip, \$11.25. London, Glasgow, Belfast, Londonderry and Queenstown. Call on nearest C. P. R. Agent, or For Freight Rates apply to J. K. SUTHERLAND, G. P. A., C. P. R., St. John. For Passage Rates apply to D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John.

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.

Accompanied by his wife and family, Mr. Beers left his morning for Union Springs, New York, where he will enjoy a needed vacation. He will afterwards probably assume the pastorate of some Unitarian church in the United States.

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 tonight or tomorrow.

The other meeting was one of the council of the board of trade to consider several matters now pending.

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.

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Umbrellas made, Recovered and Repaired.
Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass and Putty.

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Washtubs, all kinds.
Wringers, the Best in the Market—The Guarantee, Warranted for 5 years, \$4.00.
The Bicycle 17 in. Ball Bearing, \$4.15. The Bicycle 11 in. Ball Bearing, \$3.75. Warranted 3 years.
Any kind of Wringers repaired at short notice.

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Ben Lomond House & Lands

BY AUCTION.
The lands belonging to the late T. P. Raymond, to be sold at Chubb's Corner, Saturday, April 2, at 12 o'clock, noon. Consists of over 60 acres of land, with Hall, Cottages and Hotel thereon, known as Ben Lomond House. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

Ladies' Suits, Skirts, Dry Goods by Auction,

ON SATURDAY EVENING at 7.30 o'clock and each evening until entire stock is sold. I will sell that large Stock in store No. 625 Main street, North End, consisting in part of Gent's Furnishings, Ladies' Skirts, Ladies' Rain Coats, Ladies' Suits, Carpets, Mattings, Dry Goods, Cloths, Dress Goods and a large assortment of other goods. All must be sold. Terms cash. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer. Salesrooms 8 Germain street.

EVERYTHING NEW FOR EASTER

We are now showing an aggregation of Novelties for Easter, practically unlimited in range and variety, and combining the vital features of high-class style and quality with genuine price-cheapness!

Fancy Silk Collars, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50, 55, 75 cts. each.
Fique Collars (white and colors), 25 and 35 cts. each.
White Embroidered Collars, with tabs, 10, 15, 25 cts. each.
Black Silk Belts, 25, 30, 40, 50, 55, 75 cts. each.
Black Silk Elastic Belts, 50 cts. each.

White Fique Belts, with gilt trimmings, 20 cts. each.
Crushed Leather Belts, 60 cts. each.
Dressed Kid Gloves, in all the latest shades, 75 cts. and \$1.10 pair.
Black Kid Gloves, 75 cts. \$1.00, 1.10, 1.25 pair.
Suede Gloves, black or colored, \$1.25 pair.

Men's Furnishing Dept.

REGATTA SHIRTS, 50c., 60c., 75c., \$1.00, 1.10, 1.25 each.
NECK TIES, in all the latest shades, 25c., 35c., 50c. each.
KID GLOVES (sweet shades), 50c., \$1.10, 1.25 pair.
BOYS' SUITS, \$1.25 to \$5.75 each.
BOYS' REGATTA SHIRTS, 50c., 60c., 75c. each.

SHARP & McMACKIN,

335 Main Street North End.