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FOR SALE—Two covered carriages, single and double, will sell cheap for cash. Apply to W. McGrath's Furniture and Drapery Stores, 170-172-174 Main street, St. John, N. B.

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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Splendid business opportunity for party with small capital and good references to take over business and lease of premises at 27 Union street. Apply on premises.

LOST

LOST—Hand satchel in street car on Saturday night, containing sum of money. Finder, please return to this office. 1061-12-29. LOST—Lady's gold hunting car watch, with monogram, C. B., and attached to a jet bob. Finder please return to 169 Duke street and receive reward. 170-4.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—We have an unusual premium proposition, every person will be interested. No outlay necessary. Apply B. C. I. Co., Ltd., 228 Albert street, Ottawa, Ont. 1062-41. AGENTS WANTED—A line for every home. Write us for our choice list of agents supplies. We have the greatest agency proposition in Canada today. No outlay necessary. Apply B. C. I. Co., Ltd., 228 Albert street, Ottawa. 1254-11.

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IN having a set of new sign markers, have just received. Print your own Christmas cards and price tickets. No retail business can afford to be without them. Save you all kinds of money. Also everything in rubber stamps, dates, automatic numbering machines, etc. Call on J. J. Logan, 73 Germain street, opp. Canadian Bank.

BUSINESS CHANCES

PLENDID opportunity for anyone wishing to start in the barber business without capital. Store and all accessories for barber business to let at 47 Brussels street. Also store on 223 Union street. Apply Ashkin, 221 Union street.

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Flat of eight rooms, corner City Road and Meadow street. 172-4. TO LET—Flat and furnished light house-keeping rooms. Phone West, 31. 1078-12-29. TO LET—Self-contained flat, 40 Exmouth street, modern improvements, possession immediately. Apply W. H. McDonald, Grand Union Hotel. 1708-4. TO LET—One flat, corner Brittain and Charlotte, 1 flat 230 Charlotte street, with patent closets. Apply direct to E. V. Godfrey, 30 Pausley building. 1901-4.

WANTED

SALESMAN WANTED for nursery stock, seed potatoes and automatic sprayers, other or all. Cavers Bros., Galt, Ont. e. o. a. 5-31. WANTED—Children to save the yellow coupons inside of the packages of Tea and get prizes, brooches, linen dolls, etc. See the yellow coupon. Tiger Tea is pure. WANTED—A young man with knowledge of wholesale millinery business. The Smith, Runciman Co., Ltd., 71 Germain street. 10613-1-1.

WANTED

WANTED—May let, self-contained house or flat with four bedrooms and modern improvements. Apply starting next, N. Y. Times office. 2312-31. WANTED—Male cook immediately. Apply 111 Union street, West End. 1062-12-30. TWO BOYS WANTED. Apply J. & A. McMillan. WANTED—Experienced dressmaker. Apply Mrs. Dinges, 522 Main street. 10638-1-2. YOUNG ENGLISHMAN, of excellent education and address, strictly sober, seeks employment any sort. Character well preferred. Has hotel experience. Apply Box "Excellent."

TO LET

STERLING REALTY, LIMITED. Flat 222 Brittain street, rent \$12.50 a month. Basement flat, 102 Metcalf street, rent \$6.00 per month. Buildings Bought and Sold. Apply to JAMES W. MORRISON 85-12 Prince Van street STEPHEN B. BUSTIN, SOLICITOR, 62 PRINCESS ST.

SALESMEN WANTED

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WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—A boy about eighteen years of age, living in the south end, to care for horses, drive, and work in store; good opportunity afforded to learn business. Apply at Emery Bros, 52 Germain street. 10615-12-29. WANTED—Boy for office work, about 15 years of age. Graduate of eighth grade. Apply in writing, stating references. O. H. Warwick Co., Ltd. 172-4.

BOY WANTED

AT ONCE—Men wanted to learn Barber trade; expert instructions; constant practice; tools free; always sure employment for a barber; write for particulars. H. J. Greene, Barber College, 714 Main street, Corner Mill street, St. John, N. B. 1593-4.

STOVES

GOOD LINE of Second Hand Stoves, well repaired, will sell cheap, also new stoves of all kinds, 165 Brunswick street 1308-11. H. Milley.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Two experienced waitresses. Apply at Edward Hotel Restaurant. 1726-4. WANTED—Dish washer at Edward Hotel Restaurant. 1726-4. GIRLS WANTED—Hart's Cigar factory, 72 Prince William street. 10620-1-4.

WANTED

WANTED—A respectable young or middle-aged woman for company and help in small family. No children. Apply "H" Times office. 10688-1-6. WANTED—General girl, references required. Apply Mrs. Frank Longhurst, 77 Mecklenburg street. 10680-1-6. WANTED—A smart neat girl for dentist's office. Apply by letter to "Dentist's" care Times-Star. 10689-12-30.

WANTED

WANTED—General girl. Apply Mrs. McAfee, 109 Princess street. 1723-4. COOK WANTED—Apply to Mrs. R. H. Emerson, 190 Germain street. 10620-1-3. GIRLS WANTED. Experienced operators on men's pants, linens, etc. also girls to learn; steady employment. L. Cohen, 212 Union street, entrance Sydney. 10621-2. WANTED—Capable Girl for general housework; no washing; also a Nurse Maid, one who can go home at night preferred. Apply to Mrs. Fred A. Foster, 65 Hazen street. 10637-1-2. WANTED AT ONCE, a girl for general housework to go to Eastport; good wages. Apply Women's Exchange, 138 Union.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fur turban, almost new, will sell cheap. Apply 122 City Road. 10601-12-30. FOR SALE—Sleigh and Fur Robe. Apply 27 Brittain street. 10728-12-29. FOR SALE—Strictly fresh eggs for sale. Apply "Eggs," Times office. 10701-13. FOR SALE—Xmas Toys, Dolls, Carriages, Cards, Express Wagons, Frames, Sleds, Horses, Clogs and Fancy Goods of all kinds. McGrath's Furniture, Toy and Departmental Stores, 170, 172 and 174 Brunswick street.

MUSIC

EXPERIENCED MUSICAL DIRECTOR will be at liberty January 1st. Church or chorus work. Bass soloist will organ and supply extra voices necessary. Box 17, V. W. Times Office. 10637-1-2.

STORES TO LET

TO LET—Store, North Market street. 111 Prince. 1074-4.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

WE have engaged the services of an expert amateur window and dynamo repair man, and are prepared to carry out repairs at our own workshops. The Amer Light Co., Percy N. Woodley, mgr., 31 and 33, Dock street. 10637-1-2.

TOMMY'S QUESTIONS.

Tommy's grandfather was telling him how he won the Victoria Cross. After Tom's mother thought Tommy asked: "And you won it from all the other boys?" "And the shot and shell fell about you?" "Yes, and you were, and you were never hurt at all!" "Well, what a fine dodger you must have been!"

EXPENSIVE TO BE SPINSTER IN THAT LAND

A Tax Upon Them in Greiz As Well As Upon Bachelors NEW LAW PROTESTED

Sorry Plight of the Fair Sex in a Country Where There Are Not Enough Men to Go Around

(Times Special Correspondence) Leipzig, Dec. 15.—Spinster and bachelors all over the world will do well to watch the experiment to be carried out in Greiz, in the romantic White-Elbe valley. On January 1 the new anti-spinster law is to come into effect, and thereafter every man or maid who has reached the age of thirty unprovided will be called upon to pay an extra five per cent income tax if he or she earns between \$100 and \$1,500 a year, and ten per cent if he or she earns more. Not until they are fifty do the unfortunate bachelors and spinsters escape from the punishment. Reports from Greiz—probably exaggerated—affirm that 100 beautiful and penniless maidens await the incoming trains and fall on the necks of handsome visitors with the importunate war-cries: "Marry me, marry me, marry me! I am assessed at twenty marks four and seventy pennings under our shameful anti-spinster law. Greiz is the haughty metropolis of the province principally. Reuss of the Olden Line," whose oppressive parliament, consisting of twelve hen-pecked husbands, has passed this law on the unfortunates. That men should be penalized for not finding wives is natural enough and not without precedent, but the shame of the Reuss legislation is that they penalize women, too. Only one of the twelve had the spirit to oppose it. If I have four unmarried daughters over thirty, said the leader of the opposition, "and the fifth is twenty-nine." Incidentally the law has caused a split in the royal family. Princess Hermine of Schönlach-Carolath, a daughter of the Reuss ruler, has championed the cause of her sex and has had frequent witty passages with the Regent, Prince Henry XXVII, who is strongly in favor of the placing of penalties upon the unprovided maidens of the province. As the day when the law is to come into force draws near, some 112 women of Greiz are looking anxiously for husbands. The forty-five local bachelors are taking things coolly. They have not yet decided whether it is cheaper to pay per cent extra income tax, or to pay for a single Paris hat. So visitors of the gentle sex to Greiz do not feel captivated by the beauty but the danger is great for men who venture near husband-thirty Greiz. And already it is said that the local bachelors have fallen off by half.

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