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This Clean-Up Sale of ours means a clearance of some of the very best and most desirable clothing that comes to St. John. It is almost all 20th Century Brand Fine Tailored Garments. The manufacturers of it have a reputation as wide as the Dominion for producing the nearest to fine custom made clothes—and this best of Ready-to-Wear, we offer you at 20 per cent. discount. This sale should appeal to all careful buyers.

Suits from.....\$8.00
Raincoats from..... 6.38
Trousers from..... 2.40

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68 King Street.

Fresh Lamb, Green Peas, Beans, Cucumbers, Celery, at

H. R. COLEMAN, Cor. Spring & Winter Sts.
Phone 479.

SUMMER SALE OF Dolls and Toys AT SPECIAL PRICES.

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A New England Dinner.

Green Corn, Carrots, Beets, Turnips, New Potatoes, Green Peas and Beans, Chickens.

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California Bartlett Pears,

SWEET BOUGH APPLES, PLUMS, STRAWBERRIES, RASPBERRIES, BLUEBERRIES AND GOOSEBERRIES.

We expect some choice Strawberries this week. Order early; they will not last long.

FRED BURRIDGE, 285 King Street, West St. John.
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The Hardman Piano
50,000 IN USE.

FLOOD PIANO AND ORGAN CO., Ltd.
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PAPER FLOORS.
Wood pulp or paper floors are the latest fad in Germany, and the new idea has many points of advantage over the wooden floorings. A rough board floor is first laid, any sort of soft pine being used, since this is to serve merely as a foundation for the flooring proper. Over this is spread a special preparation of pulp which dries almost like a stone, and with an absorbent it can be painted or stained to imitate any wood, and as it is absolutely impervious to water, oil or dirt, it can be kept much cleaner than the best hardwood floor, and the absence of cracks prevents the gathering of insects under the baseboard.

It costs but two-thirds of what a hardwood floor would, and it is being adopted in the best houses, as well as in the cheaper apartments, where the item of cost is an important consideration.

Power of Advertising—Excited Gentleman—It's all through your wretched paper!

Editor (who is used to it)—What's the matter now?

Excited Gentleman—You stated the day before yesterday that a thief had entered my room, broken open my desk and stolen a sum of money, but that fortunately he had overlooked the gold watch which usually lies in the bottom drawer.

Editor—Well, the facts are stated correctly.

Excited Gentleman—They're correct enough. But what is the result? The infamous man came again last night and took the watch!

Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Colic, Stomach Cramps, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Seasickness, Summer Complaint, and all Looseness of the Bowels

may be rapidly and effectually cured by the use of

DR. FOWLER'S
Extract of
Wild Strawberry,

The medicine with a record of cures extending over 60 years.

You don't experiment when you buy it.

MISS MARY STRONG, Strongville, Ont., writes: "I feel it a pleasure to tell of what Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has done for me. I have had Summer Complaint several times and have never had to take more than 3 or 4 doses before being cured."

MRS. ELIAS A. MORRIS, Hortonville, Ont., writes: "I could fill a whole column citing the virtues of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It has been my firm friend for years, and once it saved the life of one of my little ones. I would not be without it."

REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.—Price 35c.—THEY'RE DANGEROUS.

Bargains!
I have 150 pairs Men's Low Shoes to sell for 98c.
a pair, worth \$2.00. Boys' of same for 65c.
At Brussels St. Store only.
REVERDY STEEVES, 44 Brussels St., 457 Main St.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

What have you to sell today -- house, lot, piano, safe, desk, set of books, buggy, gramophone, music box? Write your answer in the guise of a STAR For Sale ad, and your answer will bring you answers. Rate, 1-2 a cent a word, six insertions for price of four. No adv't less than 25c.

TO LET.
WANTED—Flat, seven rooms, hot water heating. All conveniences. Apply 147 Pitt street.
TO LET—Work shop No. 208 Union street. Apply on premises.
TO LET—Store 183 Waterloo street. For particulars apply on the premises.

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE
WANTED—A young girl to assist in light housework. Apply 24 Harrison street.
WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 31 Elliott Row.
WANTED—A girl to assist with housework, to go home at night. Apply at 194 Princess street.
WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of three. Apply 105 Erin street.
WANTED—An elderly housekeeper in family of three. Small flat. Address HOUSEKEEPER, Star Office.
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to J. T. WILCOX, 228 Duke street, West End.
WANTED—An assistant cook or general girl. Apply at 40 Leinster street.
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at No. 12 Mecklenburg street.
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. J. R. ARMSTRONG, 27 Wellington Row.
WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. References required. Apply in evening at 27 Coburg street.
GIRLS WANTED—Good operators on skirts or ladies' coats. Apply to WM. SHAPIRO, 14 Canterbury St.
WANTED—Woman to go to country to assist with housework. Also general work in the country preferred. Woman's Exchange, 193 Charlotte street.
WANTED—A capable girl for general housework in small family. Apply to MRS. W.M. SANBORN, 184 Main St.
WANTED—At once, an assistant cook at the W. C. U. Coffee Rooms, Germain street.
COOK WANTED—A good cook by the first of July. Female preferred. Apply to C. A. JORDAN, Dufferin Hotel, Digby.

MISCELLANEOUS.
BARGAIN SALE of good second-hand machines, including 2 New Williams, 1 New Home, and 3 Raymonds. Prices from \$6 up. F. F. BELL, 81 Germain street.
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J. S. Frost, 55 Smythe street; goods received, carefully stored, and delivered.
JAS. R. ANDREWS, carriage manufacturer, Rubber work, Repairing general blacksmith work. Repairing cheaply and quickly. 41 Elm street.
Rubber heels attached. 35c. Cheap boots and shoes. Repairing. D. FITZGERALD, 26 Dock street.
CARPET SWEEPERS REPAIRED. W. E. KING, 18 Waterloo street.
BARBERS TAKE NOTICE—A first-class barber can secure the lease of a well equipped two-chair shop at Digby. Rental moderate. Apply to C. A. JORDAN, Dufferin Hotel, Digby.
SHIRTS—Made to order—at TENNANT'S, 56 Sydney street.
THE SHINE THAT WON'T COME OFF at Ladies' and Gentlemen's shoe-shining parlors. JOHN DEANGLIS, 4 Water street, upstairs.
TRUSSES MADE TO ORDER—Perfect fit and comfort guaranteed. Fifty years experience in Europe and America. R. WOTTRICH, 254 Union street.
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S Calling Cards, 100 for 75c. SUN OFFICE, 37 Canterbury street.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
GET THE OPINION OF THE BEST PIANIST YOU KNOW.
Invite your musical friends to come here with you. Let them play on a Heintzman Piano and then give you a frank opinion of it. We want you to be sure of it before you buy it. This piano has tone qualities that have stood the test for half a century. It is today the favorite of many of the world's greatest artists. Will you come and look and listen.

Bell's Piano Store
79 Germain St.

HIS MAIDEN NAME.
(Atlanta Journal.)
When the writer first taught in a southern college she was much interested in the negro problem, although not connected with the school for the blacks. Meeting a shiny-faced little raggedy on the college campus one day, I said: "Well, my little man, what's your name, please?"
The miniature hottentot pulled off his tattered hat and replied: "Dey calls me Pete, but my maiden name's Moses."

WANTED
WANTED—Board or adoption for baby girl. Address A. S. Star Office.
WANTED—By a respectable family to adopt a bright healthy boy of three years in the country preferred. Address MRS. A. ALLAN, City.
WANTED—Small self-contained house or flat of six or seven rooms, modern conveniences, by a young man or woman. Address P. O. Box 65.
WANTED—To purchase a 15th or earlier. Address P. O. Box 65.
WANTED—Horse wanted, 1050 or 1100 lbs. Address P. O. Box 301, St. John, N. B.
WANTED—A roller-top or flat-top desk. State style, wood and price. Address "S." Star Office.
WANTED—To rent by Oct. 1st, a small self-contained house of upper flat in central locality with modern improvements. Apply to G. H. FLOOD, 31 and 33 King street.
WANTED—New or second-hand Eb Clarinet. Address, McADAM, Star Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE
WANTED—Woman will go to work by the week or by day to do general work or cleaning gentlemen's offices. Enquire at 225 Waterloo street.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE
WANTED—Boy aged 15, just leaving school wishes to learn a trade. One year in high grade. Address E. A. Star Office.
WANTED—Wanted for an hour or two daily, work of any description. Stenographic or doing up tradesmen's books a specialty. Address "J. W." Office of this paper.

SUMMER BOARDING.
FOR SUMMER BOARDERS—At Oak Hill House, pleasantly situated on the St. John River, about thirty miles from St. John. Comfortable rooms and good board. All steamers stop at wharf on premises. For terms apply to J. R. Shaw, Wickham, Queens Co.
SEA VIEW COTTAGE, at Lorneville, St. John County, one of the loveliest places on the coast of the Bay of Fundy for permanent and transient boarders. The proprietor, R. W. Dean, will arrange to take guests from and back to St. John, especially on Saturday and returning on Monday. Accommodation good, rates reasonable. City telephone No. 11, or long distance, Lorneville.
EARLY TO BED.
First New Yorker—I'm going to Chicago tomorrow.
Second New Yorker—What train are you going to take?
First New Yorker—I am going to take the train that leaves at 7 o'clock in the morning.
Second New Yorker—T'd like to see you off, old chum, but that's too late. All sensible people are in bed before 7 in the morning.
The two boys, Bill and Tom were fighting. Bill was on top.
"Let me up, damn ye!" bellowed Tom.
"Get up, or I'll tell Roosevelt on ye!"—Chicago Tribune.
Pompous Walter—Have you ordered, miss.
Timid Little Girl (taking her first meal at a restaurant)—No, sir; but I've requested—Chicago Tribune.

HYGIENIC BREAD
SURE to PLEASE.
Ask Your Grocer for it.
Hygienic Bakery,
E. J. HIEATT, Proprietor.
134 MILL STREET,
Phone 1167.
Branch—231 Brussels St.
Mother—Been fighting with that Murphy boy again, have you? Why didn't you say, "Get thee behind me, Satan?"
Benny—Behind me! Gee! I was wishin' he'd get behind me!—Puck.
"Do you think that a man is useless to society when he is 40?"
"It isn't true of all men," answered Miss Cayenne. "But a great many are just as useless at 40 as they were at 20 and 30."
"He told her that if she would be his wife he would get his life insured and stop using cigarettes."
"What did she say?"
"She said she would marry him if he would get his life insured and continue to use cigarettes."

August Furniture Sale!

These Prices Prevail During the Coming Month.

Extension Tables, golden finish, 5 legs, \$5.50.
Sideboards, golden finish, 14x24 beveled mirror, \$9.75.
Dining Chairs, golden finish, 55c.
Roll Top Office Desks, from \$14.00 upwards.
Parlor Suites, walnut frames, 5 pieces, at \$25.00.

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Everything reduced in price during this August clearing sale.

George E. Smith, 18 King St.
Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Close Saturdays at 1 p. m. during July and August.

PERSONALS.
Miss Lena Watters of New York, daughter of the late Judge Watters of this city, is visiting her aunt, Miss Priestly, at 161 Germain street.
Dr. Frank A. Gardner and daughter of Salem, Mass., are at the Park Hotel.
Rev. Arthur Baker will supply the pulpit of the Fairville Baptist church during the month of August.
Miss Ethel McLean, a graduate nurse, who has been visiting Mrs. D. McLean of 24 Peters street, left Saturday evening by the Calvin Austin for Greenfield, Mass., to resume her professional duties.
Miss Robertson of St. John, and Miss Veazey of St. Stephen, N. B., return service with the Canadian Methodist Mission, sailing from Vancouver by the str. Empress of Japan on August 14th.
Miss Maude Cathline, of Brimley street, who has been visiting friends in New York and Boston, returned on the Calvin Austin after a pleasant four weeks. Miss Cathline is much improved in health, having enjoyed herself very much while in New York.
Miss Jennie Thompson has gone to Sackville, to visit her sister, Mrs. A. R. Covey.
C. B. Foster, of the C. P. R., Toronto, came in on the Montreal train Saturday and went to Rothesay.
Mrs. D. Watson Moffatt and son, of Amherst, and Mrs. Moffatt's sister, Miss Johnstone, are visiting Mrs. G. G. Boyne.
E. Percy Howard, of Jarvis & Whitaker, will leave this morning for Skiff Lake, York county, where, with a camping party of Woodstock and Houlton ladies and gentlemen, he will spend his vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Golding and child, who have been enjoying a vacation up river, returned home Saturday.
Miss Katie McLaughlin, of Brooklyn, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. J. Gallagher, Union street.
KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 6.—The Bishop of Ontario has appointed Rev. Alfred Bareham, St. Martins, N. B., to the parish of Augusta, to take charge October 1st.

WIVES BOUGHT BY THE FOOT.
The Chinese purchase wives by the foot, but the smaller the measurement the greater the cost. When a Chinaman of the wealthier class desires to marry he sends around for samples, and finally selects a foot that suits him and is within the reach of his purse. A difference of an inch or so in length may make a difference of several thousand dollars, and a very tiny foot is worth more than its weight in gold.
Having decided upon the foot he thinks will bring the greatest joy to his household, the foot and the rest of the young woman are brought to his house in a sedan chair.
The would-be-groom, courteously receives the bride elect and makes certain that the foot is according to specifications. Then he judges the face, and if that be as pleasing as the foot he ceremoniously assists her to alight and conducts her within his house.
That act marks the formal marriage, and no further ceremony is gone through. If the door is closed with the bride-elect within the beauteous pick up the chair and trot back to the disappointed young woman's home, and the next applicant is sent for.
It is very saving in gas bills and florist's charges, and the Chinaman does not mind the omission of the romance, since he knows nothing of the fun he is losing.
"I have a great mind to get married after all," said the old bachelor. "It is so nice to have a woman to look after your clothes."
"Yes," replied the benedict, "but if they would only take as much interest in the crasses as they do in the pockets it would be much better."

UMBRELLAS ARE RECOVERED
DUVAL'S,
17 WATERLOO STREET.
4c, 8c and 12c per inch.
Chairs are Re-oiled
DUVAL'S,
17 WATERLOO STREET.
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Fruit and Produce
Receiving Each Boat From Boston:
Pineapples, Plums, Apricots, Bananas, Melons, Cucumbers, Cabbage, Beans, Peas, Tomatoes, Strawberries, etc.
WALTER S. POTTS,
Auctioneer and Fruit Broker,
North Market Street.
Phone 251.

The Scenic Route.
Stmr. Maggie Miller leaves Millidgeville for Summerville, Kennebecasis Island and Baywater daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 6.45 and 9.30 a. m. and 2, 4 and 6 p. m.
Returning from Baywater at 6, 7.30 and 10.30 a. m. and 2.45 and 5.15 p. m.
SATURDAY.
Leaves Millidgeville at 6.15 and 9.30 a. m. and 8, 5 and 7 p. m.
Returning at 8.30, 7.30 and 10.30 a. m. and 2.30 and 5.15 p. m.
SUNDAY.
Leaves Millidgeville at 9 and 10.30 a. m. and 2.30 and 5.15 p. m.
Returning at 9.45 and 11.15 a. m. and 5 and 7 p. m.
JOHN MCGOLDRICK.

Washing called for and delivered. Ladies' Waists, plain, 15c. Gentlemen's Shirts 10c. Cuffs 4c, pair, Collars 2c. each.

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FIRST CLASS HAND LAUNDRY

Good Milk and Cream are deliciously
Cooling and Refreshing in Hot Weather.
Healthful and nutritious, too, and very cheap considering their high food value. They must be good and above suspicion.
Hygienic methods strictly observed in our Dairy.
SUSSEX MILK AND CREAM CO.,
158 Pond Street.
R. W. WIGMORE, Mgr.
Phone 622.

NOT DEEP MOURNING.
Irishman (to shopman)—I want something for mourning wear, but I don't know exactly what the custom is. What do they wear now for mourning?
Shopman—It depends a little on how near the relative is for which you wish to show this mark of respect. For a very near relative you should have a black suit, a black band on your hat, and black gloves. For someone not so near and dear you may have a broad band of black on your left arm, or a somewhat narrower one for somebody more distant.
Irishman—Och! Is that it? Well, then, gimme a shoestring. It's me wulfe's mother!

The Frank W. Slater And Sovereign
are the best **\$3.50 Boots**
on the market for men. All the popular shapes and leathers, Box Calf, Valour Calf, Vici Kid, etc., all sizes.
E. O. PARSONS, WEST END.

Reduced Prices
On Boys' Youths' and Men's Tan Boots.
Boys' now selling at.....\$1.25
Youths' now selling at..... 1.00
Men's now selling at..... 1.48
Only a few pairs left of each line. Buy early while they last.
Central Shoe Store,
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