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Dine here, where you know you can always depend upon what is served and how it is served.

We have set a standard of quality that few restaurants in St. John equal and none excel.

We serve dainty dishes, as well as the more substantial food, such as steaks, chops, fish, etc., and at popular prices, too.

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Entrances: King and Germain Sts.

The Royal Hotel

NEW ARRIVALS IN Playthings
For Fall and Winter Seasons

The shortening days of autumn with cool, early nightfall, bring with them the return to town from summer haunts and a growing preference toward indoor play on the part of the younger ones, who should be well supplied with

Toys, Dolls, Games

of which we have just received a comprehensive range, which includes:

DOLL CARRIAGES each \$1.25, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$5.25, \$7.00, \$7.75
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LOCAL NEWS

MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS
Nine marriages and twenty-three births, fifteen boys and eight girls, were reported to the registrar during the week.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
The East St. John Soldiers' Comforts Circle gratefully acknowledge check for eighteen dollars from local option fund, North End, through W. J. Forbes, chairman, M. D. Austin, secretary, Herbert Roberts, treasurer.

BAPTISM AT BAY SHORE
There was a baptismal service yesterday afternoon on the Bay Shore. Two women and a man were immersed. The water, according to the few swimmers who still take a daily dip and are used to the cold water, was even more than ordinarily biting.

DOOR PRIZE CHANGED
At the Soldiers' Christmas Stocking Fair at West St. John tonight the door prize will be a handsome oil heater instead of an oil painting as previously announced. This change has been made with a view to warms in the coming winter.

WAS HERE TO GET MEN
Amherst News—Superintendent Boyd R. Brownell of the International Engineering Company returned this morning from St. John, where he made arrangements to have a shipment of foreigners hurried to Amherst to be used in connection with the company's large marine orders.

MISS EFFIE FISHER
The death of Miss Effie Fisher, aged sixteen years, occurred after a short illness on Friday, September 21, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fisher, 241 Duke street, West St. John. Besides her parents, she is survived by one brother, Peter, and one sister, Miss Elizabeth, both at home. The family will have the sincere sympathy of their friends in their bereavement. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon from 241 Duke street, service commencing at two o'clock.

MARGARET ANGLIN'S PLANS
Margaret Anglin is reported to have leased Daly's Theatre, New York. Her season will probably open with The Broken Gate, a drama by William Hurlbut of Emerson House's new novel of the same title. This year, it is expected, she will make her long-expected production of the cycle of Greek plays in which she won such acclaim on the Pacific Coast two years ago. Shakespeare may also be represented in her offerings, including The Taming of the Shrew, Twelfth Night, As You Like It, and Anthony and Cleopatra.

CHANGE IN STREET CAR SERVICE
Owing to repairs to track work at head of King street commencing Monday morning, the Haymarket square cars will only operate from Hawley's corner (Mill street and Paradise row) to head of King street.
Main line passengers will transfer at head of King street.
The regular service will probably be resumed Friday the 28th.
The Seaside Park service will be discontinued after September 30th.
Commencing October 1st the Glen Falls line will operate 17½ minutes each way.

AMERICANS ENTHUSIASTIC
Duncan McKellar of the customs staff has returned after two weeks' vacation in the New England states. He was greatly impressed with the enthusiasm for the war that is everywhere manifest. At Portsmouth, N. H., he saw 1,000 splendid young fellows training for New York to join warships, and at the Portsmouth navy yard there was tremendous activity, with work at high wages for every available man. In Boston and Lynn, and wherever he went, the young men were rallying to the colors, and the people showing greater interest in the war and war work than is shown at the present moment on this side of the border.

SHELL WHICH WOUNDED JAMES MULHERON KILLED TWO COMRADES

James Mulheron, formerly of Fairville, who went overseas with the 140th battalion and who was transferred to another unit at the front, has been wounded in the right arm.

Writing to his sister, Miss Margaret Mulheron of this city, from a Manchester hospital, he says that two of his comrades were killed by the same shell which wounded him.

MORE THAN 100 OFFICERS AT SALVATION ARMY CONGRESS HERE

The Annual Congress of the Salvation Army is to be held in St. John in the near future. More than 100 officers from all over the maritime provinces will be present. The congress will be conducted by Commissioner W. J. Richards, head of the army in this territory, who will be bringing a large staff with him from Toronto. The congress will last about a week, during which matters affecting the work of the army in the maritime provinces will be dealt with.

In connection with the congress there will be public services with two great mass meetings in the Imperial Theatre. At the principal public meeting, Commissioner Richards will lecture and His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Gannon will preside.

FIVE DEATHS THIS WEEK WERE CAUSED BY CHOLERA INFANTUM

The Board of Health reports eighteen deaths in the city this week, five from cholera infantum, three from pulmonary disease, two from heart disease, and one due to each of the following: Infantile enteritis, melancholia, meningitis, peritonitis, malnutrition, heart failure and enterocolitis.

WHERE'S THE FOOD CONTROLLER?

A citizen asks whether the food controller would be interested to learn that potatoes are selling in a store in one part of St. John at forty cents a peck and in another at twenty-eight cents a peck. He figures it out that the cost of living would be reduced very considerably if a few maximum prices were fixed, with a reasonable profit to the seller instead of adding, for example, twelve cents to what one dealer regards as a fair price for a peck of potatoes.

The Man In The Street

Cooler today, and even an amateur weather prophet would predict that it will be still cooler before that 10,000 ton shipment of hard coal arrives.

A contemporary asks what has the fuel controller done that he should be subjected to criticism. Exactly; what has he done?

Von Bethmann-Hollweg accuses Ambassador Gerard of violating the ethics of diplomacy, or in other words of treating them like a scrap of paper.

Russian women soldiers, fresh from scenes of battle, seek diversion by indulging in a riot and beating a mere man to death. The sweet things, aren't they?

Mr. Root says: "Russia is sound at the core but, if they don't brace up, Russia will be like the small boy's apple of which he remarked: 'There ain't going to be no core.'"

Housekeepers who have been trying to follow the food controller's menus will be relieved to find that they may use the remains of last Tuesday's and Wednesday's roasts on Sunday and Monday the condition of the meat—and the Board of Health—permitting.

Premier Borden says there will be a union government after the elections, if not before. How does he know what the next premier will do?

Taking the pledge is to be popular once more, but it is mother instead of father and old dad who is asked to sign, nowadays.

First prohibition, and now food pledge! Some one is always taking the joy out of life.

The labor congress would not go on record as being opposed to conscription; they merely record the fact that they were opposed to it the last time they met and that they have not changed their minds.

Voluntary enlistment having failed, it looks as if the government was going to try voluntary registration.

The announcement that Von Bernstorff wanted \$50,000 to swing the U. S. congress will be regarded as a deadly insult by some congressmen; it makes them like like-pickers. Only \$50,000! We have done better than that in New Brunswick.

The Dominion government still refuses to allow "The Fiddlers" to be published or sold in Canada. Are they afraid to face the music?

Canadians are reported to be squeezing the Germans at Lens, a "squeeze" which can be distinguished quite easily from an affectionate embrace.

To Fill the Vacancy

They were having a violent controversy over the phone between the office and the "booming room" of a local wholesale establishment.

"Hog-wash" boncheads have you up there? The thing's dead, demanded.

"None come on up," was the cordial response.

In the Millionaire Class

"What has happened to Brown? He's as pleased as a cat with two tails this morning," a workman was overheard asking his neighbor.

"Got a two dollar raise from the boss and he's feeling pretty well satisfied with himself."

"Tally, that's nothing to get stuck up about; I had bacon for breakfast this morning and I'm not putting on any airs about it."

ONE LIQUOR CASE COMES FROM ANOTHER

George Galbraith Now Charged for Supplying to Man Arrested for Drunkenness

Two prisoners were brought before Police Magistrate Ritchie at nine o'clock this morning charged with drunkenness. One of them made the surprising statement that he had forgotten what he drank and where he first began to drink it. He was sent to jail until his memory revived. The other said that he had got his liquor from George Galbraith; this was while he was still under the influence of liquor.

Galbraith was up this morning on trial, and Harry Dever corroborated the statement of last night's prisoner that he had changed a \$10 bill in Dever's store in order to have \$3 ready for the liquor. On \$100 bill Galbraith was allowed to go until Monday at 11 o'clock.

The magistrate instructed Inspector Crawford to leave no stone unturned in order to ferret out these liquor cases. Any witness who was found swearing falsely, he said, must be indicted for perjury and left for the attorney-general to deal with.

CAR GOES INTO DITCH

Auto Party Has Narrow Escape at Renforth

A serious accident was narrowly averted last night at Renforth near the railway bridge when an automobile driven by G. H. Magee, of this city, and in which were his wife and child, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Warren, and Samuel Vranous, came to grief in a watery ditch while turning. The car was backed in order to make a turn, and plunged into a four foot ditch. By some freak of good fortune the wheels on the road side caught on the edge of the ditch, while the other wheels fell, the car thus hanging side-occupants out into the bushes at the side of the road. It was pitch dark and it was with some difficulty that the occupants of several other cars that came along at the time could right the car and get the driver from underneath. All were surprised when it was found that no one was hurt, except for a few slight bruises and that the only damage to the car was a bent guard. The party was able to proceed at once on their way back to St. John.

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Our Stores Open at 8.30; Close 6 p.m.; Saturday's 10 p.m.

Saturday's Notable Sales
Include the Following and Innumerable Other Specials Throughout Our Stores

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 - \$4.75 BLOUSES at \$2.49. Crepe de Chine. Colors: Sky, flesh, navy, brown, champagne.
 - LADIES' COMBINATIONS, Autumn weight, white ribbed cotton, fleece finish, at 98c. All sizes, high and low necks, short and long sleeves.
 - LADIES' WHITE FLANNELETTE GOWNS, medium weight, velour finish, lace and embroidery trimmed, \$1.00.
 - \$1.00 CORSETS, made of medium weight Coutil, low and medium bust, four hose supporters, extra special value. All sizes, 19 to 30 in. Our price, \$1.00.
 - BATTENBURG LACE CENTRES, 18 inch, 25c.; 30 inch Centres, \$1.25.
 - HAND-EMBROIDERED HEM-STITCHED LINEN CENTRES, 9in., 39c.
 - COTTON HUCK TOWELS, 24 in. x 42 in., in Damask bordered ends, 85c. a pair.
 - BUREAU SCARFS, SHAMS, hemstitched and embroidered, at 50c. each. Scarfs, 17 x 50 in., Shams, 30 in. square.
 - SOCKS FOR SOLDIERS
- Splendid Value in Heavy-weight, Soft Finish SOCKS, at 25c. to 60c. a pair.

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\$2.25 THERMOS BOTTLES—Size 1 pint. Special, \$1.69

\$2.25 1X OVAL WASH BOILERS. Special, \$1.89

\$1.30 NO. 8 STOVE POTS. Special, \$1.09

\$1.10 FRANCO FLASHLIGHT. Special, 89c.

\$1.50 FRANCO FLASHLIGHT. Special, \$1.19

\$1.75 FRANCO FLASHLIGHT. Special, \$1.49

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Silver Moon
Winner Hot Blasts

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FOR THREE DAYS

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Each
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No, it isn't strange either. Such men are vain, selfish and thoughtless. Why I've often seen a man spend as much on one theatre party—tickets, autos and supper—as it would cost to nicely furnish a whole room. And his wife needed the furniture too. Theatre parties are O. K. but I think furniture comes first.

As ever—HELEN
P. S. I hope men will become better and let their wives have all they need of the good Furniture they keep at 91 CHARLOTTE STREET

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