

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. FRIDAY, APRIL 12 1907

Store Open Evenings Until 8 P. M. Saturdays 11 P. M.
UNION CLOTHING CO
26 28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.
Old Y. M. C. A. Building, ALEX. CORREY, Mgr.

The Right Store to Buy Clothing is Here.
Seeing is believing. So come, see for yourself, our High Grade Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing—all of the very latest fabrics and styles marked to sell at the very lowest margin of profit, should entice all keen buyers to do their shopping here.

These Prices Ought to Tempt You.
MEN'S \$12.50 SUITS, Special This Week, at \$9.98.
MEN'S \$3.00 TROUSERS at \$1.98.
MEN'S TOP COATS, in Black and Fancy, at \$8, \$10, \$12, \$15 to \$18.
Special lots of Men's Working Trousers, lots of patterns to select from, at \$1.10, \$1.40, \$1.60, \$1.75 to \$2.15.
BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS, worth \$2.50 to \$3.00, now at \$1.98.
BOYS' GOOD KNEE PANTS at 40c to 75c a pair.
MEN'S GOOD BLACK OVERALLS at 48c a pair.

WE SELL PROGRESS BRAND CLOTHING.

UNION CLOTHING CO.

FREE until May 15th

The St. John Railway Company
will, until May 15th, sell

GAS RANGES at Cost and Connect same Free.
ONE MONTH'S TRIAL ALLOWED.

Any style GAS RANGE sold on Monthly Payments.
If you are interested Telephone 923 and our representative will call.

All styles of WELLSBACH LIGHTS put up on trial. They out your Gas bills in half.

RAILROAD KING LEAVES HIS THRONE.

(Mall and Empire).
Louis Warren Hill, who succeeds his father as president of the Great Northern Railway, is the second son and one of a family of nine. His elder brother, James N. Hill, stood in line for the position until three years ago, when ill-health caused his retirement from the railway. Louis was born in 1861, and ever since has been in training for some big railroad job. He has had experience as a railroad president for many years, his father having broken him in the business in two or three of the many companies that are subsidiary to the Great Northern. It is only reasonable to assume that he is competent, for his father is much too shrewd a man, and the Great Northern is too dear a possession to be trusted to any capable man, no matter what his relationship to the retiring president.

TRAINING THE SONS.
The training the father has given his three sons in railroad matters has been thorough. They have had to earn their salary from the beginning, and on one occasion, when his father was in Europe, he "played hooky" from work, trusting that his father's position would save him from rebuke. In this he reckoned without the conscientious scruples of his immediate superior. The young man found himself suspended, and had to get back to the office until his father returned. The official got a raise in salary, and the youngster was reprimanded. Louis Hill was married in 1901, his wife being Miss Maud Van Courtland Taylor, a New York society girl, who took to nursing as a pastime. As a nurse she met Mr. Hill, and their marriage was the result.

IN THE DAYS OF THE PANIC.
Stories of the father, who is retiring after one of the most remarkable careers in the business history of the United States, are going the round of the American press. For the truth of them we cannot vouch, but the specimens are so good, and so offered for what they are worth. This is said of them at least—they are truthful in their representation of Jim Hill's character as it is known to those interested through a mere staidlight on Hill's ability to make friends, another man being the hero of the episode. It appears that at the time when the financial world was convulsed with the Titanic fight between Hill and Harman for the control of the Union Pacific, when the shares of this stock soared to fabulous figures, an old Scotchman was discovered living in Als-Bainne, France, who held enough stock in Hill properties to turn the tide against the president of the Northern. At once a representative of the Harman interest was sent to him, and an attempt was made to buy him out. He was offered a profit of \$5,000,000 on the deal, but he steadfastly refused to sell. "I have enough millions," he said, "and Hill has helped me to make them. I will not go back on my friend."

TWO HILL STORIES.
One of the rules on the Great Northern is that after a freight has crossed a trestle a watchman is to go to the trestle and see that no water spot where there is a hole in the pall that the fireman was supposed to use in the inspection of the bridge. He stopped his special and went back to the man, whom he discharged on the spot. On another occasion he went with an expert to look for a bed of gravel, great quantities of which were needed for ballast. The expert scoured the country in vain, but could not find a sign of gravel. Whereupon Mr. Hill picked up a small weed from the spot where they were standing, and said, "William, you needn't look any farther; whenever you find this weed there is gravel," and so it proved.

AN ALL-ROUND SPECIALIST.
Hill's career has proved that the

specialist reaches his highest development as an all-rounder man. To become the greatest transportation genius of his time, it was necessary for him to be a politician, a financier, a student of foreign countries, a stock raiser, a lumberman, a mining man, and several other things. To thoroughly understand the railroad business he had also to understand a dozen other businesses that were affected by it.

ONE OF THREE GREATEST AMERICANS.
The late Senator Arthur Pue Gorman once said of Hill: "If I were asked to name three men of the United States who tower above their fellows in the things that make men great in this world, I should name James N. Hill as one of the three, and it would need less than three minutes to make the nomination. He is the greatest genius of transportation the world has ever seen, and in many other ways he looms an intellectual giant." The fact that Mr. Hill is a Canadian by birth is not made a daily prominent in the reminiscences in the press of the United States. Nor is it known that Mr. Hill himself does any boasting on the subject. Any particular pride that this country might have in his achievement is so much less than the pride he is entitled to have in his native land that it is hardly worth noting. It is an interesting historical fact, however, that he was born near Guelph, and was a clerk in the Royal City. Later he went West, and earned his living as a dock hand in St. Paul. He became a station agent, agent for a packing company, and owner of a transportation and fuel business.

HIS LOVE ROMANCES.
When he was station agent near St. Paul, he boarded at the Merchants' Hotel, where one of the waitresses was Mary McGehee. They fell in love, and the girl consented to let him pay the expenses of the education she had not been able to secure in the struggle for existence. Afterwards they were married, and the romance has turned out very happily, although our authority for this statement remarks that Mr. Hill's favorite amusement is playing solitaire. Mrs. Hill is a Roman Catholic, which explains Mr. Hill's gift of \$50,000 to endow a Roman Catholic college near St. Paul. It cannot be said that he had been especially celebrated for his philanthropy, although he is reputed to be worth \$100,000,000. But the reason probably is that his head and his heart are filled with big things than philanthropy in the conventional sense of the word. World problems are his in as real a sense as they are those of any living statesman or potentate. There is hardly any branch of human activity that he does not translate into terms of freight for the railway he has created; and in making this road the greatest in the world, for this is his ambition, he feels that he is doing one of the greatest and most beneficent works that ever engaged the energies of a man.

CANNO STEAMER SINKS WHILE TRYING TO CUT THROUGH ICE.
CANNO, N. S., April 11.—A serious accident was narrowly averted near Canno today when the steamer Olive, bound for White Head with several passengers, was sunk by breaking of a plank in trying to force her way through the body of old ice in Dover Run.

Passengers, including several ladies, were with difficulty landed on the ice and by walking several miles reached the settlement of Dover, thence returning to Canno. The steamer is owned by the Whitman Fish Company and is employed by that company in collecting fish around Chedabucto Bay and Westward. It is hoped that the steamer will be raised and repaired.

KING EDWARD'S CIGAR PRESENT.
LONDON, April 11.—An immense box, containing 1,000 cigars, arrived at Buckingham Palace. It was a present from Baron Rothschild to King Edward. For over thirty years His Majesty received a similar present from the Baron. The cigars are worth about \$2.65 each.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kamford Headache Powders, 10 cents.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or STALL. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by 7,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.
6 insertions for the price of 4

TO LET.
BAKERY TO LET—55 Sydney St. Apply to C. J. WORDEN on premises. 12-4-6
TO LET—House of six rooms, 24 Clifton street, West End. 10-4-6
TO LET—New flat, 80 Chapel street. Apply on premises. 10-4-6
TO LET—During the summer months a six room flat completely furnished, in central location, suitable for young married couple or small family. Box 106, Star office. 9-4-11
TO LET—A small flat, four rooms. Apply to MRS. DRENN, 140 St. James Street. 9-4-6
TO LET—Upper flat off Douglas Avenue. Apply 461 Main street. 9-4-11
TO LET—1 Shop, corner St. James and Sydney streets. Inquire on premises. 9-4-6
TO LET—From May 1st store, 609 Main street. Apply 143 Union street. 9-4-6
TO LET—Store and flats 26 Douglas Ave. Apply to Miss G. M. Robinson, 627 Main street. 8-4-1mo.
TO LET—For summer months, house at Brown's Flats, commanding fine view of the river. 7 rooms. Furnished or unfurnished. Pure artesian water on premises. Particulars apply Box 109, Star office. 8-4-6
TO LET—One work-shop, suitable for carpenter or painter. Apply to WILLIAM PETERS, 268 Union street. 6-4-6
TO LET—Self contained house, 23 Richmond. Thirteen rooms. Modern improvements. MRS. MAHER, 17 Golding street. 4-4-12
TO LET—For the summer months, cottage at Riverside, pleasantly situated, good barn and excellent water on the premises. Apply to J. H. ROW, 44 Main street. 9-3-11
TO LET—Upper flat, 149 Winlaw street, Carleton, containing 6 rooms and bathroom. Rent \$130. Can be seen Tuesdays from 2 to 4. Apply on premises. 29-3-11
TO LET—Two flats, 6 rooms each, 121 Brussels street. Modern improvements. 29-3-11
TO LET—Shop, 1 Haymarket Square. Inquire on premises. 19-3-11
TO LET—Three naps and shop on the corner of St. James and Charlotte streets. Flats can be seen on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Pugsley Building. 12-4-11
TO LET, at Croucheville, that pleasant and conveniently situated cottage (second house from Kane's corner), owned by J. H. Magee and occupied for some years by the Rev. H. D. Marr. Nine rooms and clothes closet. Stable and barn privileges. Rent moderate. Apply to RICHARD G. MAGEE or F. W. Bilzard. 12-4-11
TO LET—May 1st, cottage, corner of St. James and Charlotte streets. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Pugsley Building. 12-4-11
TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 791 Haymarket Square. 8-4-11

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.
FOR SALE—At 24 Barker street, private sale of household furniture. Can be seen any time during the day. 11-4-6
FOR SALE—Baby carriage, almost new. Apply 62 Mecklenburg street. 11-4-4
FOR SALE—Hallett & Davis Square Piano in splendid condition, originally cost \$600, will sell for \$35 dollars. Must be sold. Box 108, Star Office. 11-4-4
FOR SALE OR TO LET—Furnished five room cottage at Adams Station. Apply C. F. FRANCIS & CO., 141 Charlotte street. 9-4-11
FOR SALE—Two story and a half house leasehold, 104 Brussels street, containing fifteen rooms. Also barn all for seven hundred and ninety dollars. 9-4-6
FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILE TOURING CAR SEATING FIVE. Two cylinders, 14-horse power. For particulars address AUTO, Box 14, St. John. 8-4-6
FOR SALE—Quantity of household furniture. Near Wilson's. For particulars address AUTO, Box 14, St. John. 8-4-6
WANTED—Old silver plated tea tray oval shape. Address W., care Star Office, Waterloo street. 6-4-6

FOR SALE.
Handsome, Brass, household Gas Fixtures—2 light, 2 light and 1 light. Will be sold at a decided bargain. Apply A. POYAS, 545 Main. 1-4-11
FOR SALE—A leasehold property No. 170 Adelaide street, containing two houses. For particulars apply on premises or to W. H. TURNER, 440 Main street. 29-3-11
FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery Wagons, 2 coaches, and 2 horse, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a first class coach very cheap; also three outboard carriages; best place in the city for repairing. A. G. EDGE-COMBE, 115 and 119 City Road. 12-4-11
GASOLINE ENGINES—The Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, have consigned with The Defiance Iron Works, of Chatham, Ont., makers of the Defiance Marine Engines, and now known under the new name of The Canadian Gas Powers & Launches, Ltd., are in a position to fill orders for stationary, portable and marine engines, cement mixers, grain grinding, threshing and other uses. Parties wishing to purchase Marine Engines will please call and inspect our Solid Brass Engines, especially adapted for salt water, at 57 Water street, St. John, N. B.—CANADIAN GAS POWERS & LAUNCHES, LIMITED. 12-4-11

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS IN GENERAL.
WANTED—Man and wife to run boarding house. Man can have work around works or on farm. References. THOMPSON MFG. CO., LTD., Grand Bay, N. B. 12-4-11
WANTED—A private boarding house which would accommodate two young ladies for dinner only, between twelve and one, daily, at moderate rates. Apply, stating terms, to "K. C." care of Star Office. 8-4-6
WANTED—Old mahogany furniture. Will give highest cash prices. W. A. KALIN, 116 Germain street. 12-3-11mo
HAVE YOUR PAINTING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done early. I am looking orders for spring work already. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDDLESTON, 63 Sydney street, Home, 10 Market Square, Telephone 1611.
WM. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR TO M. A. FINE, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 118 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1874. Write for family price list.
GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 128 Germain street. Special attention paid to repairing Pianos and Organs to their original tone.
MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD., St. John, N. B., manufacturers of everything in wood that enters into the construction of a house. Cut the trees in the forest and deliver the finished product to the consumer. 3-2-11mo
JAMES G. MCGIVERN, Agent, No. 5 Mill street, sells coal, good coal, hard and soft, and delivers promptly. Tel. 11-4-11

SITUATIONS WANTED.
WANTED—Work by day. Apply 141 St. James street. 8-4-6

ARTICLES LOST AND FOUND.
LOST—Black silk scarf with white squares. Finder will be rewarded on leaving with Mr. MITFORD, Victoria Hotel. 11-4-2

ROOMS AND BOARDING.
ROOMS AND BOARD.—Parlor to let with board. 143 Union street. 11-4-6
ROOMS WITH BOARD—And from May 1st, one large bright front room, suitable for two gentlemen. 10-14-6 Row.
TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 22-3-11

WANTED—By young married couple—four unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping in central location. Address Box 107, care Star Office. 10-4-11

ST. JOHN FUEL CO. can give you cheaper dry wood than any other fuel company in St. John. We also keep in stock the celebrated Springhill Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Heels attached. 6-3-11 yr.

WILLIAM H. PATTERSON, Graduate Doctor of Optics, 55 Brussels street. Glasses perfectly right, two years ago, may be far from right now. We will examine your eyes FREE and only recommend a change if absolutely beneficial. 8-3-11 yr.

A. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Heels attached. 8-3-11 yr.

F. C. Wesley Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 58 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 382.

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 1 Coburg St. J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. 29 Brussels street.

HOUSEHOLD HELP WANTED.
WANTED—Laundress to take washing and ironing home. References required. Apply by letter only to Box 110, Star Office. 12-4-11
WANTED—Housekeeper. Good wages. OTTAWA HOTEL. 12-4-6
WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Wages fifteen dollars. Apply with references to 123 King street. 11-4-6
WANTED—Widow and kitchen girl. Apply at once GRAND UNION HOTEL. 11-4-6
WANTED—A good pantry and kitchen girl. Apply STEWARD, Union Club. 10-4-6
WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at J. T. FLOOD'S, 18 Brindley Street. 11-4-6
WANTED—A pantry girl at the VICTORIA HOTEL. 9-4-11
WANTED—Chamber Maid. Good wages. OTTAWA HOTEL. 12-4-6
WANTED—At once, a capable girl. References required. MRS. W. TREMAYNE GARD, 148 Germain St. 12-4-11
WANTED—By the middle of May, experienced girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. BROCK, Rothsay. 4-4-11
WANTED—Girl for general housework. Family of three. References. Apply 46 Carleton street. 1-4-12
WANTED—Competent cook. Apply MISS THORNE, 15 Mecklenburg Terrace. 2-4-11
WANTED—At Clifton House, one chambermaid and one kitchen girl. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 12-4-11
WANTED—A cook. Apply MISS STONE, 171 Germain St. 12-3-11

OFFICE AND TRADE HELP WANTED—FEMALE.
WANTED—At once, a dressmaker. Apply to M. REED, 272 Germain St. 12-4-6
GIRLS WANTED—Apply to Patterson & Co., 107 Germain street. 10-4-11
WANTED—A young lady for a grocery to wait on counter and attend books. Apply by letter to Grocer, Star office. 12-4-6
GIRLS WANTED—For stripping tobacco. A. & I. ISAACS, Princess street. 8-4-11
WANTED—Girls wanted for mangle work at Ungar's Laundry. 8-4-11
WANTED—A strong active girl, permanent situation. Apply American Laundry, Charlotte St. 9-4-11
WANTED—Girls to learn pantmaking. Paid while learning. Inquire A. LEVINE, 19 Canterbury St. 12-3-11mo
WANTED—Girls to sew by hand. Good wages paid. Steady work. Apply at once J. SHANE & CO., 71 Germain street. 29-10-11.
IF YOU WANT male or female help or a better situation in St. John or Boston, try GRANT'S Employment Agency, 69 St. James Street, West End. 11-4-11

REPUSED HIM AFTER ALL.
HAMILTON, Ont., April 11.—Some time ago Smith H. German, of Southey, Sask., inserted an advertisement for a wife in several eastern papers. Among the answers he received was one from a Hamilton woman.
The two corresponded and a few days ago German came here expecting to make her his wife. She, however, refused to have anything to do with him. He has started for home without his wife and minus about \$400, which, he says, the trip cost. He consulted the local police about his matrimonial troubles but they could not do anything for him.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!
ENTIRE STOCK OF Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths. At Less Than Manufacturer's Prices. If you have the smallest Furniture need to fill, come to this Store, for the money savings are most remarkable. Come Here and Profit by them.

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

They're All Here.
As there is no standard shape of face and figure, so no shape of hat will suit all men. That is only one reason why we have in stock HATS of all the different shapes, styles, grades and prices.

J. B. Bardsley, THE HATTER, 179 Union St

SMITH IS SYNONYMOUS WITH SATISFACTION
The pioneers of the Retail FISH trade in St. John. Choice New Native Haddock and Haddock, Gasparreux, Cod, Lobsters and Fresh Shad. Our phones—1704 and 1977—our phones. Most commodious, brightest, cleanest and best FISH STORE in the Maritime Provinces.
—25 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS FISH CATERER, 25—
SMITH'S FISH MARKET
TELEPHONE 1704. 25 SYDNEY ST

AUCTIONS.
Horses! Horses! By Auction.
2 Greys, weighing 1100 lbs. each. Bay, weighing 1280 lbs. Chestnut, weighing 1200 lbs. Driver and Express Horse. On Market Square, Saturday morning, April 13th at 11 o'clock. W. S. POTTS, Auctioneer. Phone 221.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
APRIL Edison Records. With a large stock of other selections just received at BELL'S PIANO STORE. BARGAINS In Used Upright and Square PIANOS. At BELL'S Piano Store. SEWING MACHINES. Best value in St. John. New Home, Ideal, Standard and other kinds to select from. Several Second-hand Machines from \$5.00 Up. At BELL'S PIANO STORE 79 Germain St. - St. John.

Wanted at Once
1,000 Laborers for Railroad Construction. Must pay transportation to Winnipeg. Hotel Waltham. Apply to D. J. McRAE, Globe Building, St. John, N. B.

REAL ESTATE.
Flats to let at 70 Bentley street. J. W. MORRISON, Real Estate Agent, Ritchie's Building, Ring 1943.

MILLIONAIRESS OF 80 STARVES HERSELF IL
Miss Gibbes, Astor's Cousin, Locks Doors and Goes Hungry.
NEWPORT, R. I., April 11.—Though she was found ill and very weak for the want of food a few days ago, it is believed tonight that Miss Emily O. Gibbes, sister of Mrs. Edwin A. Post, of New York, and second cousin of the late Mrs. John Jacob Astor, mother of William Waldorf Astor, will recover.
Miss Gibbes who is said to be worth several million dollars, lives in a handsome villa overlooking the beach and city.
Miss Gibbes, who is nearly 80 years old, has not been well for many years. Recently she discharged all the servants and locked herself in her room. A faithful gardener brought her food, which she refused. After several days she and a friend entered an entrance and found the old woman nearly dead from starvation.
A physician and nurse were put into the house and a new regime of servants engaged. Under treatment Miss Gibbes is slowly regaining her strength, though she is still confined to her bed.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS
Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 24, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.
Entry must be made personally, at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate.
The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:
(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
(2) If the father or mother, if the father is deceased) of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.
(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.
Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be held to account.
Answers to the following addresses are held at the STAR Office uncalled for:—
Mr. Carl Titus, Tourist. J. F. G. K. E.

THE PARTIES FOR WHOM THESE ANSWERS ARE INTENDED WILL CONFIDANTLY CALL FOR NAME.