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Linen and Cottons will be continued
until the end of March.

Shantung Silks at Bargain Prices.

New York femininity is going wild over these silks, and it is all because of the peculiar conditions prevailing. "The peaches hardest to get at are always the most tempting"—This applies to this particular make of silk. It is made by the Chinese women in the Province of Shantung, and woven on hand looms. Only a limited supply can be had for export. It is selling at fabulous prices in New York. We have been lucky to secure a second shipment of these silks. They came to hand on Friday by express, and here they are at exceptional prices. 36 inches wide, natural color at 75c. a yard. 27 inches wide, 63c. a yard in natural and white.

Japanese White Taffeta Silk
A material which has the appearance of the European made taffeta, but will wear very much better. It will wash and will not cut, is extra wide, 27 inches. The price is 55c. a yard. The same quality without taffeta finish, 47c. a yard, 27 inches wide.

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In all colors at 90c. a yard. This silk is taking the place of taffeta for waists. It is the usual width, 22 inches, and has the advantage over the taffeta—it will not cut.

Special Offering of India Silks
In three colors, white, natural and light blue. This is an exceptionally good wearing silk, and will wash. A piece which has been washed is on exhibition. The price is 65c. a yard. We are selling this lot while it lasts at 39c. a yard, 27 inches wide.

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California Lunch Hams 10c., Beef Steak 10c., Roast Beef 6 to 10c. at

CARPENTER'S, 131 and 133 MILL STREET.

Neckwear Bargains for Saturday.

25c. Ties for 19c.; 50c. Ties for 35c.

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WE WANT TO INCREASE OUR TRADE IN MILK.

We want more people to use our fresh Jersey milk that we always carry for the convenience of customers. Absolutely pure, rich and wholesome. Same price as you pay the milkman—6 cents a quart—and it's here when you want it.

We sell everything a good grocery ought to sell.

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ADVERTISE IN THE STAR.

LACE COLLARS.

We have just received 40 doz. Lace Collars that we will offer at about half regular values. Prices are 5c., 9c., 12c., 15c., 18c., 20c., 25c. to \$1.75 each.

LADIES' VESTS.

50 doz. Ladies' Summer Vests at 10c., 15c., and 20c. each. Three styles, long sleeves, half sleeves, and without sleeves. This is your opportunity to save at least 50 per cent.

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If you like a very Sweet, Juicy ORANGE, try the Bahamian. It is its first appearance in this market.

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An elegant combination in which are united the nutritive of Beef, the tonic powers of Iron, and the stimulating properties of Wine. As a nutritive tonic in the treatment of impaired nutrition, impoverishment of the blood, and in all forms of general debility, it is of great value.

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"DAYLIGHT LIGHT."

Tonight

A Money-Saving night at this store. Crowds come—be with them.

New Lace Collars, 4c, 9c, 15c each

Ladies' Linen Hdkfs, Plain Hem Stitch, 9c

Men's Police Braces, Strong and good, 25c

Boys' Braces, all sizes, 12c pair

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets. Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All changes of Ads Must be in Star Office, Not Later than 10 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts — Fresh to strong south-west to south winds; unsettled and mild with showers. Sunday, south-west to southeast winds increasing to gales by night; unsettled, mild and showery. — More unsettled conditions now prevail and a storm in the south-west states is likely to soon affect the maritime provinces. Wind to Backs and American ports, fresh to strong south-west to south until Sunday evening, then probably a gale. Highest temperature during past 24 hours, 40. Lowest temperature during past 24 hours, 30. Temperature at noon, 37. Two drunks were fined at the police court this morning. Johnson, L. O. L. will meet on Monday evening. Davis Bros. store door was left open last night and secured by the police. Officer Thorne ejected a drunken man from Jackson's oyster saloon last night. The police secured the store door of John A. Tilton, which was found open last night. "Why suffer from toothache when Gibbons' Toothache Gum will afford instant relief. Price 10c. Mrs. H. D. Wetmore and family wish to express their gratitude to all friends who so kindly remembered them in their late sorrow. Hot Baked Beans—Delicious, savory, appetizing, 10c. per crock—C. O. D. Send order by postal card to Mrs. H. S. Collins, 187 Sydney street. There were three marriages in the city last week and thirty-two births. Seventeen of the new arrivals were boys. There will be a musical demonstration at No. 1 Charlotte street barracks on Saturday night, March 18th, conducted by Ensign McElhenny, assisted by a large number of visiting officers. Wm. Alexander, Thos. E. Dibblee, Mrs. John Morrissey, George Hope, Whitfield O'Dell and Joseph Naves have been reported for driving vehicles in city for hire without a license. On Monday evening a concert will be given in the school room of St. David's Presbyterian church, under the auspices of St. David's Young Peoples' Association. The Fortnightly Club will meet at the residence of Mr. Hatheway, Wellington Row, on Monday evening next at eight o'clock. A paper on Compulsory Arbitration in Canada will be read by Mr. Fisher. The quarterly meeting of the St. John Branch and City Union will be held at the King's Daughters' Guild on Monday, March 20th at eight p. m. Reports of the work will be read and light refreshments served. All interested are cordially invited. A woman complained to the police magistrate this morning that her husband had ill used her. She did not want to send her husband to jail. The magistrate gave them some wholesome advice and let them settle the difficulty to their own satisfaction. When the jail gang was returning from work last evening, William Harvey, one of the prisoners slipped the handcuffs off and escaped. It was on the Marsh Road and Officer Beckett made a vigorous pursuit which was unsuccessful. Harvey is once more a free man. Some Nova Scotia ports have had a good deal of trouble with ice this winter. An instance is the case of the barkentine Dixon Rice, which was loaded for L. G. Crosby at Weymouth about New Year's. The vessel was laden with lumber for Porto Rico, but was frozen in at Weymouth about that time and is still in the ice. The revival meetings conducted in Berryman's hall nightly by Rev. W. H. Seed, continue with unabated interest. Daily afternoon services were begun yesterday at 3 o'clock. It is expected that on account of the large number in attendance and interest taken in the altar services, that these meetings will have to be continued into next month. Although the fire sale prices of China at Jas. A. Tufts & Son were about one half of the wholesale price, they have decided in order to have a clean sweep to make a further reduction. Tonight all 5 cent goods will be sold at 3 for 25 cents. All 10 cent goods at 4 for 25 cents. All 15 cent goods at 3 for 25 cents. All 20 cent goods at 20 cents. 50 cent goods at 40 cents; 75 cent goods at 60 cents. MISS MADGE BELTEA SENDS HER COUNTY TO THE TOP. The work of Miss Madge Beltea, of Shediac, in the arithmetic contest at the Currie Business University, Limited, in the past week has placed her county at the top. The following is the score up to Thursday night: Westmorland County 7.59 Queens County 7.57 West End 7.55 North End 7.17 Prince Edward Island 7.02 East End 6.73 Kings County 6.72 St. Martin 6.60 Charlotte County 6.39 Fairville and Milford 6.09 South End 5.99 York County 5.82 Sunbury County 5.16 Kent County 2.61 THIS EVENING. Fluke Stock Co. at Opera House. Meeting of the Prentice Boys in their hall West End.

A NARROW ESCAPE

Joseph Arsenault, a Young Sailor Nearly Drowned in the Harbor Last Night.

Joseph Arsenault, a young sailor, was nearly drowned in the harbor last night. He was rescued by John Abbott. For some time after being rescued he lay in a unconscious condition and some difficulty was experienced in getting medical attendance or conveyance. About 10.20 o'clock last night Abbott was rowing from the lower slip to Reed's Point, when he heard the faint appeal of a man for help coming from under the I. C. B. trestle, about 100 feet from the shore. He rowed quickly to the spot and found a man clinging to one of the piles. He grasped Arsenault by the collar and at the same time the unfortunate man became unconscious. Abbott tried to get him into the boat, but failed and he called loudly for help. Officer Ross went to his assistance, and let a rope down to Abbott, who put it under Arsenault's arms and he was raised to the top of the trestle. A handkerchief was procured and Arsenault was taken to the British street lock-up. The ambulance could not be taken there, as there was so much bare ground, but a sleigh well supplied with robes was sent from Golding's stable and Arsenault was taken to the central station, where he was restored to consciousness. He went to his shanty this morning.

TO-DAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Charles Hogan took place at 2.30 this afternoon from his home on Britain street. The service in St. John the Baptist church was conducted by Rev. W. F. Chapman. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery. In the account of the funeral of the late Mrs. D. H. Patterson and Mrs. F. W. Simmons in yesterday's Star the clergyman and burial places were transposed. Dr. Raymond conducted the service at the funeral of Mrs. Patterson and interment was at Fernhill. Rev. Canon Richardson conducted the service at the funeral of Mrs. Simmons and burial was at Cedarhill. CAPT. PEATMAN'S PREDICTION. Capt. A. L. Peatman, the veteran river pilot, was in town yesterday. He says he has retired from steamboating life to accept the "inspectorship" of roads in his parish, an office to which he is attached a great deal of traveling and hard work. The roads in that section have been in a bad condition for a long time, but the captain says he will endeavor to improve them and make them the best along the whole river. As to the opening of navigation he is of the opinion the ice will not break up and run out until near the last of April. LADY CURLERS GO TO HAMPTON. Two rinks of the St. Andrew's lady curlers left on the noon train for Hampton to play the Hampton team this afternoon. There were Miss Tuck's and Mrs. Barnes' rinks. The Hampton rink having only two sheets of ice, if the full team had gone it would have necessitated two of the rinks going on the morning train. Some of the ladies protested against getting around so early in the morning, as two of the rinks, Miss and Mrs. E. A. Smith's decided not to go. 8TH HUSSARS OFFICER'S VISIT. Capt. Campbell, of the Princess Louise Eight Hussars visited the True Blues Boys' Brigade Company in their armory, rear of Main street Baptist church at the last drill meet, and after putting the large company through several movements, spoke encouragingly. He expressed himself as well pleased with the manner in which the boys acquitted themselves. Interest is unabated among the lads in this company. PRETTY MILLINERY NEXT WEEK. Next week the milliners of the three lower provinces will be here to attend the big wholesale openings. Already there are a few enterprising young ladies on the scene, learning new ideas and becoming acquainted with the novelties in the workrooms of the big houses, which are now very busy in preparing for the displays of Wednesday and Thursday. The coming shows promise to be very pretty. A meeting of the executive of the Citizens' League was held this morning. Nothing of importance was decided on. The list of candidates has not yet been completed. TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. TO LET — 2 flats, 155 Britain street, city; 2 flats in fine house, 177 Winlow street, Charlton, rent \$98 and \$108. MRS. THOMPSON, 184 Guilford street. 18.3.5 TO LET — Desirable flat at 115 Carleton street. Apply on the premises. Rent \$150. TO LET — Flat containing eight rooms at 35 Sewell street. Apply on premises. 18.3.5 TO LET — Convenient flat, 17 Orange street, containing eight rooms, hot and cold water. Seen Wednesday and Monday afternoons. Apply MISS BAILEY, in rear of premises. 18.3.3 TO LET — The lower flat for workshop or warehouse, rear 175 Princess street. Apply to H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN, Princess street. TO LET — A corner shop, rent \$110.00. Enquire of M. J. WILKINS 291 Haymarket Square. FOR SALE — Freehold property 73 and 75 Chesley street, large store, with frost proof cellar and two flats of 7 rooms each, also two barns on leasehold lot. Apply to MORRILL & GEROW, Barristers, 102 Prince William street, city. FOR SALE — One bedroom set, "Happy Thought" stove, and dining table, and book-case. Apply to 52 Winter street. 18.3.6 WANTED — By lady, two or three rooms. Unfurnished preferred. Address B. L., box 223 city. 18.3.17 WANTED — A girl to wash dishes. Good wages and easy time. OTTAWA HOTEL, King square. 18.3.17

PERSONALS.

Alderman McGoldrick arrived in the city this morning on his return from a trip to Boston.

John Keefe is able to be in his office again after being confined to his home for some weeks as the result of being knocked down by a child who was coasting on Charlotte street.

Miss F. Gertrude Hamilton, who has been a victim, at Exmouth street Methodist parsonage, of a severe type of typhoid, is now satisfactorily convalescing.

James U. Dodge of New York is visiting relatives on Pitt street. Mr. Dodge has not been in this city for the past ten years.

The engagement of Miss Ada E. Fulton, daughter of Robert Fulton, of H. M. customs, to Frank G. Kingsford, of Providence, R. I., is announced.

Miss Margaret Brown, Amherst, is the guest of Miss Nora Barry, Waterloo street.

Henry McCullough, St. John, was registered at the Clarendon, Winnipeg, Monday.

Rev. J. E. Shanklin, B. A., of Newtown, is visiting in the city.

B. R. Macaulay is returning from England on the steamship Baltic. Mrs. Frank Wilson, of Sackville, passed through the city today en route from Washington, D. C. She was joined here by Mr. Wilson, and they proceeded to Sackville.

Mrs. R. Clive Mosher, of Tannersville, N. Y., passed through the city yesterday to her former home in Sackville.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Sixteen deaths occurred in the city this week from following causes: Heart failure 2 Phthisis 1 Infantile 1 Pneumonia 1 Sarcoma 1 Convulsions 1 Endocarditis 1 Hemorrhage 1 Acute Enteritis 1 Cancer of uterus 1 Gastric tumor 1 Premature birth 1 Capillary bronchitis 1 Inflammation of brain 1 Fracture of hip 1

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Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city. We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city. Gold filling from \$1.00. Silver and other filling from 50c; plates repaired, from 50c.

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26 inch Extension Cases, \$1.00

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Solid Leather Dress Suit Cases, 4.50

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If you prefer them wet—why just go without Rubbers these days. If you prefer them dry, bring your feet here and our Rubbers will give them protection.

For Men—Low cut, and Storm Rubbers, Self-Acting Rubbers, 85c, 95c and \$1.00.

For Women—Low cut, and Storm Rubbers, Croquet Rubbers and Footholds, 60c, 65c.

For Children—School Rubbers in high and low cut, 40c, 50c.

We handle no trash in Rubbers. We guarantee our kind of Rubber Footwear.

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Astrachan Jackets

Cheap to Clear.

\$20.00 and \$25.00 Will Buy a Jacket worth \$30 to \$40.

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100 PRINCESS STREET,

Make a Special Offer on Flour this Week:

Kent Best Family, only \$6.00 per barrel. Five X Best Manitoba, guaranteed equal to any sold, only \$6.40 barrel.

Purchasers of regular 40c. Tea, which we sell for 29c., receive 13 lbs. Best Cane Sugar for \$1.00. Sweet Bahama Oranges only 15 and 25c per dozen.

Probably you've heard about P. S. Bartlett Watches as long as you can remember, and you've always heard the same thing—GOOD WATCHES. We are offering them now in 20 year Gold-filled Cases at THIRTEEN DOLLARS. Better have one.

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MONDAY MORNING, 20th.

A GENERAL CLEAR-UP OF

Dressy Suiting Lengths,

Natty Trousers Lengths,

Boys' Fine Suit Lengths,

And Various Odd Lengths.

A Few Ladies' Cloths in the Lot.

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