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ST. JOHN STAR.

SOME CIRCULATION FACTS. Advertisers who may have been bewildered by large but indefinite and unsupported circulation claims made by some city newspapers are commended The average daily circulation of the

28th. was 6009.

This is an increase of more than 1200 over the corresponding period last But a new tomorrow will gleam ahead.

5,500 papers are sold on the streets or distributed by carriers to regular subscribers in the city. The rest are sold on the trains or sent to subscribers

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An advertisement placed in the Star will be seen by hundreds more St. John people than if placed in any other news-Other city papers make circulation claims but the Star is the only one to prove its assertions by the publication of correct figures.

HISTORICAL REPITITION.

fringes upon the constitutional rights of the new provinces. Those in the

It is impossible to expect a government member of parliament, sitting under the finger of the machine to renow, when ministers by the dozen were lic should be admitted as spectators resigning on this very question, the vote the remedial bill easily through. These were confident they had acted

ests of the country. They went to their constituents sure of endorsement and received instead condemnation. This is the coal that makes the Ket-tle boil, and cooks the meat, and bakes

The same may be the case again if the Liberal M. P.'s who have had the independence to resist the proposed coercion should be induced to with-ND RILEY'S, draw their opposition by anything less than the elimination of the obnoxious

> "An elephant mad with pride," is the description of Sir Wilfrid Laurier given by a prominent Liberal member of parliament to the Toronto World. "It is incomprehensible," said the same indignant Liberal, "that in the absence of both Sifton and Fielding, without consulting either of them, Sir Wilfrid should launch upon the country a measure fraught with such fateful consequences as the separate schools clause of the autonomy bill. Either he placed an extraordinary reliance in the loyality of his colleagues or he was under extraordinary obligations to the hierarchy. He could not voluntarily and in ordinary expectation of party loyalty have pursued such a dictator

The unanimity of the Liberal press that policy in the knowledge that it would arouse protest and with the intention of subsequently withdrawing way retain the friendship and support both of those who favor and those who or pose separate schools and federal encroachment upon provincial rights.

TIME IS MONEY. has at least got the measure ready ture at the first session since the extension was definitely decided upon, which is all that could be fairly ask-

While it is improbable that any opposition will be presented to the bill and and Boston.

Returning from Boston at 9 a. m. via in the legislature—there are no possible the interests of the city, that the discussion thereon will be full enough and No extra charge for the extra trou-ble we take with your laundry at Unsure to be discovered later on in the

THE ST. JOHN STAR is published by courts to their great financial loss and to the injury of the work for which it

for haste. No effort should be spared Robert Dalton, harbor master at Into make the perfected bill law without diantown, died at her home yesterday, inadequate supply has brought.—Sun. ductor J. R. Dalton of Calgary.

TO-MORROW.

Today was tomorrow yesterday; Another tomorrow will wait to dawn, And the glow of tomorrow, tomorrow shall spread O'er the new tomorrow that lies ahead,

Joy is forever beyond somewhere: Tomorrow is hope and today is care; The glow of glory spreads out before, Star for the six months ending Feb. For the glory we grasp is glory no Tomorrow tomorrow's joys will be

-S. E. Kiser.

BOARD OF TRADE CHANGES.

New Plan to Increase Membership Proposed by S. Schofield Will Be Con-

ing members of the Board of Trade ride down with the coal. The arrange-Council. After the routine business ment is entirely novel in its character, tion with communication between back, thus travelling about forty miles
Prince Edward Island and the mainland, and some discussion on the mat-

ter took place.
S. Schofield submitted to the board ong others the following suggestions be made the basis of a compromise for increasing membership and influ-The offices of president and vicenot be accepted by the country at president should not be held two successive years by the same person.

The council should be increased to The membership fee should be re duced to five dolairs. The banks and large mercantile con ouse who surrender their opposition porations should be asked to make of the board. The secretary she

special contributions to aid the work give his whole time to the work and be properly paid. All important matters should be dealt with by the board itself, and the council should make a full report once a month of all the bus ness it had done. Notice should be given of all important matters to come pefore the board and the movers should prepare their arguments so as not to waste the time of the board. The puband addresses should be given on important subjects.

It was decided to have a copy of the suggestions printed and mailed to the members of board and a meeting will be held in the course of two weeks, when the matter will be thoroughly

LINCOLN'S HONESTY.

By forty Abraham Lincoln had got the sobriquet of "Honest Abe." There money honesty, for though he was long so poor, and was so often in debt, chains were taken from him by a sher iff's levy, and he was not out of debt until he went to Congress, he seems to have paid all. Professional honesty; for as a lawyer he would not take a case if he saw his client had no rightful claim. After listening one day to a client's statement of his case, Lincoln, who had been staring at the ceiling, suddenly swung around in his chair, and said:

Well, you have a pretty good case in technical law, but a pretty bad one in equity and justice. You'll have to get some other fellow to win this case for you. I couldn't do it. All the time while talking to that jury I'd be thinking, "Lincoln, you are a liar," and I believe I should forget myself and say

discovered that his client had falsi- olis, a few weeks ago to escape a storm fied his position to him, he left the She touched on the foul ground, but courtroom and went over to a hotel. remained on only two hours and was The judge sent for him to come back. not damaged. The schooner remained But he said to tell the judge he would not return, for he "had to wash his orable wind sailed for Sagua. She in advising the government to change hands." Personal honesty. He could suit. Both vessel and the cargo of lumber are insured. Capt. E. C. Elkin guised his felings. His pictures show will leave New York for St. George's the burden of inward sorrow during the on Monday in the interests of the ownday or so ago, that Laurier advanced war, which he said was killing him. ers.

LOCAL NEWS

Outside of this the greatest need is Mrs. Margaret J. Dalton, wife of insurance burdens which the present Annie Dalton of St. John, and Con-

WHY RAINBOW.?

All the qualities of light are revealed Plug Smoking Tobacco.

THE OLDEST RAILROAD.

From time immemorial it has been believed that George Stephen was the 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2 and 10 inches. first railroad engineer, and that the Stockton & Burlington road was the first line to open for the purpose of transportation of freight and passen-Both these distinctions belonging to England, sheared early railroad achievements in this country of much

of their glory. Few of the people, says the Easton, Pa., Free Press, who have been over the Switchback Railroad at Mauch Chunk, knew they were riding over the oldest as well as the first railroad built in the world. Yet such is the hard, cold fact and one agreeable to American love of precedence. The Mauch Chunk road was built to com mines on the Summit Hill with Lehigh

River, nine miles distant. An historical account of the road The regular monthly meeting of the states that it was begun in January St. John Board of Trade was held yes- and was completely in operation in terday afternoon in their rooms, Prince May, 1827. The account explains that "the transportation of coal is done by William street. About fifteen members were present, many of them be- turned to the mines by mules which had been transacted, reference was and enables the mules to make two made to the state of affairs in connec- and a half trips to the Summit and

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"There's nothing like good oatmeal porridge," said Sandy, until he tried a 51b. Bag of Gritz at 25c. Gritz makes fine pancakes and excel-

DEATHS

lent muffins.

DALTON-In this city, March 7th, Margaret J., beloved wife of Robert Dalton, aged 72 years, leaving a sor rowing husband, three daughters and one son to mourn their loss. Funeral service from her late residence 23 Victoria street at 2.30 Friday, 10th.

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ATER'S AGREEPER For malaria and agree. DOWLING BROTHERS, 85 and 101 KING STREET.

delay and to begin as soon as possible the work of extending the system which is to place St. John in a position of comparative safety from fire and to relieve its property holders from the insurance burdens which the present support of St. John, Miss Annie Dalton of St. John and Control o

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English make with fancy colored borders. Size 60x80 inches; regular \$3.00 quality now \$2.50 pair. Only a few pair left at this special price.

100 dozen Ladies' Stock Collars and Bows; goods worth up to 50c., now all one special price—25c. each. Stock Collars with Tabs, Bows, Flowing ends, Hem Stitched, Lace Trimmed, Corded with ruche tops, faggotting stitched, Embroidered and silk port hole Collars; all the latest shapes; a large variety

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36 inches wide, regular 12c. cloth. Special 10 yards for \$1.00. At the price cottons are selling today this is a bargain. Only a limited quantity left.

Heavy Linen Towels,

Large size 20x38 inches, all white or red, hemmed ends, 30 dozen of this Special Towel at 15c. each or 2 for 25c.

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