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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1907

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SOMETHING SPECIAL

DRESS MATERIALS!

All Wool Venetian, 48 inches wide—already shrunk and warranted by the maker to be unspottable.

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A new material made from wool, but almost as fine as silk in the Delain, with silk over stripes and checks.

Also Spots, at two prices—35c and 55c a yard.

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White Cups and Saucers, 5c.
White Plates, 4c, 5c, 6c, each.

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Plain, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, to 25c.
Decorated Teapots, 25c, 30c, 35c, to 65c, each.

FANCY CUPS AND SAUCERS
5c, 7c, 10c, 12c, to \$1.25 each.
Just received a new lot of Japanese China and Glassware.

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Notice to Advertisers.

Owing to the increased Patronage which Advertisers are giving to the STAR, we are compelled to request those who require changes in their Advertisements to have their Copy in the STAR Office before 9 o'clock in the Morning, to Ensure Insertion Same Evening.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fine today and tonight. Saturday strong breezes and moderate gales southerly to southwesterly and showery.

LOCAL NEWS.

This is fine weather for sea bathing. About a dozen persons took advantage of the sunshine and high water at Bay Shore this morning and enjoyed the dip immensely.

John Conlon of Lower Cove, wishes to challenge any man in St. John, of sixty-seven years of age or over, to a rowing race in the harbor in ordinary skiff boats, the distance to be from one mile to one and one half miles.

The late Mr. Daniel Dooly was buried this morning. The funeral procession left his late residence St. James street and proceeded to St. John the Baptist church when Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Chapman. Interment was made at the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late Wm. Gaskin was held from his late residence Newman street this afternoon at 2.30. Members of the family acted as pall-bearers. Rev. David Hutchison conducted the service at the house. Interment was made at Cedar Hill cemetery.

J. William Smith and Geo. Langstroth left by early train Wednesday for Grand Falls, N. B., with a gang of men and will commence work at once on the large building for the Bank of Montreal there for which they have been awarded the contract—Sussex Record.

The police are still seeking for the thieves who stole the safe from J. S. Gibson and Co.'s office some time ago. The police suspect two men who were seen driving on Charlotte street early before the time of the break. The circumstances evidence against them is said to be fairly strong, but direct evidence is still lacking.

A case which will be decided in the police court shortly is that between Nalim and Livingston. Mr. Nalim complains that Mrs. Livingston retains a property on Pond street which really belongs to him. A. W. Baird representing Mrs. Livingston, G. H. V. Belyea representing Mr. Nalim.

In the police court this morning Charles Keane was fined eight dollars or one month in jail for drunkenness. Dennis Sullivan was fined eight dollars or two months for a similar offence. The two men Boutillier and Canton arrested some time ago on suspicion of stealing a ship's pump from E. Langston's premises Water street, were brought into court. The case was adjourned till two o'clock in order to procure a witness.

The police have several clues relative to the identity of the man who attempted to assault the young son of Capt. Potter yesterday. The children who saw the man have already pointed out several men saying that each one is the perpetrator. The police think the man was a tramp and a suspicious character answering the description was seen in Lower Cove last evening, but disappeared before the arrival of the police.

The New Brunswick board of fire underwriters have placed a rating on the new school house. The rate granted is 80 cents on the building and 70 cents on contents, or \$120 and \$140 for three years. It is understood that this is the lowest rate given on any building in the town, which speaks volumes for the quality of the structure. The rate on the old building was 90 cents, as a saving of 1-3 has been effected—Sussex Record.

GENERAL BOOTH WILL ARRIVE BETWEEN NINE AND TEN O'CLOCK

Train Will be a Little Later Than Was Expected—Citizens Invited to the Depot to Welcome Him.

Gen. Booth, Commander of the Salvation Army, will, so far as is now known, arrive in St. John last evening, nine this evening. His private car is attached to the mail special which left the Victoria at Rimouski early this morning.

Commissioner Coombs wired Brigadier Turner in St. John last evening, giving particulars of the proposed departure, and further advice were received this morning, making more definite the time of arrival of the train. Mayor Sears and a number of the aldermen will meet General Booth at the depot, where the mayor will welcome the distinguished visitor to St. John. There will also be in attendance a large number of Army officers from different parts of the province, while others are expected to arrive tomorrow. It is hoped that as many citizens as possible will be present at the depot this evening to welcome General Booth. Immediately after the short reception in the depot the General will proceed to the residence of Mr. John Bullock, Gorman St., where he will be Mr. Bullock's guest during his stay in St. John. The first meeting with him has been arranged for the General's visit will be in the new Army barracks on Charlotte street, on Saturday evening, and will be principally for the benefit of the members of the Army. It has not been definitely settled whether his programme before that time will include anything of a public nature.

On Sunday, General Booth will lecture in the Opera House on "The Secret of the Success of the Salvation Army." The chair will be taken at three o'clock by His Honor, Lieut. Gov. Tweedie. It is expected that a large number of leading citizens will occupy leading places on the platform.

WAGES IN WOODS LOWER THIS YEAR

Reduced Cut Will Make the Labor Market Easier

But Almost all the Supplies for Lumber Camps are Higher Than Last Season.

A review of the conditions of trade which have a direct bearing upon the purchasing of supplies for lumber camps, shows many important changes both in favor of and against the man who pays the bills.

No doubt the most important item in the list is the wages of the camp crews. For several years past the price of this kind of labor had advanced materially at the beginning of each season.

Five years ago an experienced chopper would have received from \$22.00 to \$25.00 per month, last fall men were hired at an average of from \$30.00 to \$32.00 per month. These figures were the high-water mark in this line and it is quite probable that it will be a long time before they are equalled.

This year the situation in this regard will be materially changed. Judge from all indications. It is somewhat early to say with exactness just what the prevalent rate of wages will be, but there is no possible doubt that the figures will be considerably lower all round than were paid last year. The principal factor in this change is that the volume of logs got out this year, not only in the lower counties and the far-up-river districts, but also in Quebec, on the Miramichi, the Restigouche, and on the rivers of Maine, will be much less than for several years past. Various estimates put the probable difference between the total cut of the coming winter and that of last winter at from 25,000,000 to 30,000,000 feet on the St. John River alone. Because of this curtailment men will be in less demand, and consequently wages are certain to slump.

The average wage of a competent chopper for the coming season will not be more than \$25.00, and in many cases \$27.00. Teamsters, as compared with \$25.00 last year, will this year be paid from \$23.00 to \$24.00 per month.

Wages is the only really important item in the list which shows a change in favor of the employer and buyer. In nearly all the principal lines of food supplies, the cost has increased, and it is safe to say that a great deal of the gain in wages will be toward the extra cost of feeding the men. Logging tools have also shown material advances, particularly axes, of which all but one of the standard makes have risen in price.

The price of horses is a feature in regard to which it is difficult to make a definite statement. The figures paid for the best of the sort of horses which are suitable for use in the lumber woods is ten per cent. higher than in the fall of 1906. The weight of such horses ranges from 1,450 lbs. to 1,650, and for a really good horse of this weight a buyer would at present be asked the vicinity of \$225. While there are no doubt good horses obtainable at as low a figure as \$200, nothing less than a figure of \$150 could be said to ensure the purchase of an animal suitable for the purpose. The price of oats has been boosted repeatedly during the summer, and at present would be quoted at St. John not less than 60c per bushel. The figure paid last fall for good oats was 50c per bushel. The present offerings in oats from the last of the old crop and the price quoted above is a remarkably high one even for this time of year. The first of the new crop will be on the local market about mid-October, and it is quite probable the price will then weaken considerably. While it is altogether a matter of conjecture, it is likely that quotations will show a decline of from 2c to 5c per bushel.

Another important change is in the price of plate beef. The buyer of supplies this fall will be asked from \$16.00 to \$16.25 per barrel. In the fall of 1906 the prevalent price was from \$15.50 to \$16.00 per barrel.

Beans were sold a year ago at an average price of \$1.75 per bushel. The price this year for the same quality of beans is \$1.90. Pork has shown no change, and at present there is little prospect of any alteration in price. Quotations for being made at from \$22.00 to \$22.50, which is practically uniform with the selling price of this time last year.

Peasies have shown a general advance of about 10 per cent. all round. The figures now at \$13.00 per doz. Five foot handles are selling at \$2.00 per dozen and 4 1-2 foot handles at \$2.80. Axes have increased in cost in nearly every line to the extent of about \$1.50 per dozen since the fall of 1906.

Blenkhorn, Campbell's and Fowler's single bits are selling at \$4.50 per doz., and double bits of the same makes now cost \$18.50 per dozen, as compared with \$5.50 and \$9.50 respectively for the same goods last year.

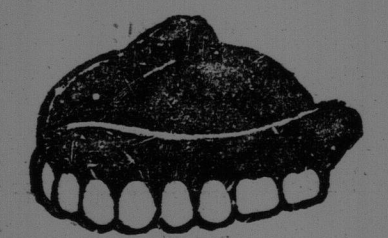
Campbell's XXX chopper has shown no change in price for several years. The line of goods is still quoted at \$5.50 per dozen for single bits, and \$14.00 per dozen double bits.

The baseball game scheduled to take place between the Marathons and Dan Britt's St. John's, has been declared off owing to a misunderstanding in regard to the division of receipts. Mr. Britt claims that the agreement was that his team was to get 40 per cent. of the net receipts after the expenses had been deducted and that Mr. Donald of the Marathons had agreed to this arrangement. Mr. Britt says that he was unaware of any other interpretation of the arrangement until he read in one of the papers a statement to the effect that the Marathons were to get the long end of the receipts and the St. John's the remaining 40 per cent. Mr. Donald claimed that this was the manner in which he had understood the proposition, and as neither side would make any concession the game was declared off.

HAD HIS HAND CUT OFF ON THE YALE

A Youthful Passenger Met With a Serious Mishap on the Trip From St. John.

About nine o'clock last Sunday morning a serious accident happened to a small boy on the steamer Yale en route from St. John to Boston. The boy was playing on the upper deck and put his left hand into one of the revolving fans at the top of a ventilator. In an instant the hand was almost torn from the arm and presented an awful sight as it hung by the tendons. Fortunately a doctor from Moncton was on board and attended the injured boy. On arrival at Boston the little fellow was rushed to the Massachusetts General Hospital and the doctor who attended him on the steamer said that the hand would have to be amputated above the wrist.



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CHOICE APPLES.....15 cents pk.
FRESH GROUND 35c COFFEE FOR.....15 cents lb.
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OUR 35c COFFEE FOR.....15 cents lb.
ONE PINT PACKAGE OF WORSTED SAUCE FOR.....10 cents
SCHUR BRUSHES.....5 cents
A QUART BOTTLE OF SUTTON'S SAUCE.....10 cents
12 GALLON BOTTLE OF OLIVES.....10 cents
POTATOES.....10 cents cask.

New Fall Dress Goods.

We have just placed on sale the best stock of medium-priced DRESS GOODS and COAT CLOTHS to be found in St. John. The assortment is large. Prices lowness and quality combined make this offering one of interest to thrifty people.

FANCY TWEEDS.....35c, 45c, 55c, 60c, 80c, yard.
HOMESPUN SUITINGS.....50c, 55c, 60c, 75c, \$1.10 yard.
BROAD CLOTHS.....27c, 28c, 45c, yard.
VENETIANS (all shades).....80c, and 90c, yard.
CASHMERE (in all shades).....35c to 60c, yard.
FANCY WAISTINGS.....20c to 55c, yard.
HEAVY COVERT CLOTH.....\$2.00 yard.
FLAIDS.....30c to 80c, yard.
HEAVY WINTER COAT CLOTHS (56-in. wide), 70c, \$1, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85 yard.

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