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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1906

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Ladies' and Gentlemen's CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS!

We have had these made up especially for the Xmas trade and they are the most attractive we have ever shown.

The ladies' umbrellas are 2 inches longer than the usual size. We had them made this way because most ladies complained of the usual size being too small. All of them have dainty handles and silk cases—excepting in the lowest priced ones which have no silk covering. These umbrellas are made by a reliable maker. They roll close—have paragon frames and finest quality steel rods. Bone—gun metal and sterling silver handles predominate but the time tried congo handle is still in evidence and a favorite.

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In ladies' umbrellas with silk case and very fine silver mounted handles at \$2.25—worth ordinarily \$3.00.

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PROCLAMATION

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We have a large advertisement there and one which is of great interest to Christmas shoppers. Don't miss it.

E. W. PATTERSON,
29 CITY ROAD.

Useful Gifts for All the Family.

WOMEN'S SLIPPERS 48c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.35
MEN'S SLIPPERS 78c, 98c, \$1.08, \$1.18 and \$1.28
GIRLS' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS 48c, 58c, 98c, and \$1.28
DOZEN \$1.80; MEN'S \$1.48
BOYS' HOCKEY BOOTS 75c, 98c, \$1.18 and \$1.35
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SWEET JAMAICA ORANGES, 30c. lb.
NEW DATES, FIGS, LAYER RAISINS, etc., at

—THE TIDY STORE—
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Cribbage Sets, Bridge Sets, Cribbage Boards, Chess, From 45c. to \$4.00 each.

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We Use Pure Drugs.

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THE WEATHER

Forecasts — Moderate variable winds today, Tuesday winds increasing to gales from the westward, rain or snow Wednesday, cold wave. Storm signal No. 3 was displayed at noon.
Synopsis — There are strong indications that the storm will develop near the middle Atlantic Coast and that it will affect the Maritime Provinces, to Banks and American ports, moderate variable winds today, followed by easterly gales. Sable Island, southwest wind, 10 miles, cloudy, Point Lepreau, north wind, 11 miles at 11 a. m. Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 52.
Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 24.
Temperature at noon, 30.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Allan Line's Laurentian sailed at one o'clock this afternoon for Halifax and Liverpool with a large general cargo and fair passenger list.

Steamer Olinda, of the Pickford and Black line, sailed from Bermuda on Monday afternoon at four o'clock for St. John direct.

Rev. E. C. Jenkins, the new pastor of the Methodist Baptist church, West End, will address the young people's society of the church this evening. A good attendance is expected.

The Baptist ministers met in weekly session this morning. Mr. Manning was chairman. Rev. E. Bosworth was present. He delivered an interesting address. He will speak tonight in Leinster St. Baptist Church.

Tonight the moving pictures of the Gans-Nelson fight will be the attraction at the Opera House. These pictures are the ones that the world is talking about. They are true and life-like and depict every round as it occurred at the ring side. There will be illustrated songs and other views shown.

The famous Robinson Opera Company begin a grand holiday engagement at the Opera House, opening Monday, Dec. 24th, in The Telephone Girl. W. S. Harkins, the popular theatrical manager, in a letter received today, says: "No better opera company travelling than the Robinsons, and with their new people recently added they will prove a strong attraction for St. John."

Word was received in the city yesterday of the death of Francis L. Jenkins of Parrboro. Deceased was about 73 years of age and a most worthy citizen of Parrboro. For years he was a carriage builder, but of late years has been in the undertaking business. Mrs. A. B. Gilmour, of this city, is a daughter.

CHILD BURIED AT SEA; SEAMAN BADLY HURT

The Lake Erie Which Dooked This Morning Had a Rather Eventful Voyage Out

The C. P. R. steamer Lake Erie, Capt. P. Carver, docked at Sand Point at 11 o'clock this morning. She came direct from Liverpool and had a rough voyage out.

The Lake Erie brought a large number of cabin passengers and 150 steerage. On Friday last Henry Holding, a young seaman, fell down the after hold and fractured his skull. He is in a critical condition and has not yet regained consciousness. He will be taken to the hospital today. A still born child was buried at sea yesterday.

The cabin passengers are as follows: A. Anderson, Geo. Bagley, Mrs. J. Britton, Master H. Britton, H. Burchart, N. R. Byford, J. W. Nixon, Alfred Nixon, John Dixon, Percy Dixon, Albert Dixon, Harry Dixon, Ernest Dixon, Stanley Dixon, Margaret Edmonston, Mrs. Farrell, W. Farrell, Miss M. Garvey, J. C. Garvey, W. G. Hargreaves, Wm. Nobles, E. Howard, Miss V. E. Lee, Miss M. Pickering, R. C. Platt, F. J. Porter, F. Pringle, Thos. Peckitt, N. Shaw, Miss M. Smith, G. L. Watkins, B. G. Way, F. J. Watson, and Wm. Wyatt.
All of these will proceed west today. The officers of the Lake Erie this year are: Surgeon, J. M. J. Johnston; Purser, F. Arthur; and Chief Steward, E. Glew. Work on discharging the Erie's cargo was commenced at one o'clock.

THIS EVENING.
Gans-Nelson pictures at the Opera House.
Semi-annual meeting of bricklayers and masons in their hall at 8 o'clock.
Dr. Fletcher lectures before Natural History Society.
Men's Bible class of Stone church meets.
Band and skating at Victoria Rink.
The Scotch Reel Club at Assembly Rooms York Theatre.

MURRAY-JONES.
On Wednesday evening last at the residence of Mr. John P. Jones, 189 Britain street, Rev. W. W. McMaisters officiated at the marriage of Mr. James A. Murray, formerly of Long Creek, Queens County, now in the employ of the I. C. R. in St. John, and Miss Achah H. Jones, only daughter of John F. Jones, formerly of Kars, Kings County. The marriage was a quiet one, the ceremony being witnessed by only a small number of intimate friends of the parties. Mr. and Mrs. Murray will reside at 37 Adelaide St.

The bride received many pretty gifts, the groom's present being a fine gold bracelet. From her parents she received a cabinet organ and from them and her brothers a complete supply of table silver. Mrs. Montgomery presented a counterpane. Mr. and Mrs. G. Houshewy a large dining room picture. Mrs. H. N. McDonald a fruit dish. Mrs. Annie Lewis, bouquet holder. Mrs. Lavis, berry dish. Mrs. S. Dunham, pipe stand. Mrs. A. M. Vincent, cheque. Mrs. Gordon, cake plate. Mr. and Mrs. Cotter, glass set. Mrs. Henslin, teapot holder. Miss Mary C. Jones, pair of vases, and others.

ENDLESS CHAIN PRAYER SHOULD BE DESTROYED

Rev. A. A. Graham Advises People Not to Pay Any Attention to the Threat Contained in It.

Rev. A. A. Graham, in the course of a sermon in St. David's church last evening, spoke at length on the endless chain prayer which is being sent around to people in all parts of Canada. The speaker had three copies, one signed with Bishop Lawrence's name, the other with Bishop Lawrence's name, while the other had no name.

Rev. Mr. Graham stated that Bishop Lawrence had nothing to do with the matter and his name had been used without his permission. As far as can be learned, there is no Bishop Tanner. The fact that the names have been wrongly used is enough to turn the minds of any good Christians against the prayer. Rev. Mr. Graham said that he thought it would be no harm to answer the prayer with the correct spirit, but it would be wrong to do so because of the threat printed on it.

The preacher stated that he had not sent copies of the paper abroad, and he was not worrying about the great calamity which was to come. He commended the people to give the copies of the prayers everlasting repose in their waste baskets.

Mr. Graham's sermon was on prayer, and he spoke of the superstitious who pray so many times a day, etc. It was at this stage of the sermon that he spoke of the "endless prayer."

UNION STREET IS AS BAD AS IT EVER WAS

More Sliding Today—The New Railway Trestle Appears to be Doomed

As each day passes the situation at Union street, West End, becomes more serious. During the high tide of this morning, the piling supporting the C. P. R. trestle took another drop, and the tide was at its highest, the tracks were only two feet above water. For practical purposes Union street is in a better condition than it was after the first big land slide occurred. It is almost impossible to walk across today. At one point the rails are so badly twisted that it is dangerous to trespass on the track. The trestle and ballast in the northern end of the trestle widened and a quantity of earth fell in, seriously damaging a water pipe. Supt. Murdoch was summoned and he has a crew of men at work repairing the pipe.

So far no steps have been taken to prevent more earth from falling in, and it matters remain as they are there is little doubt but that the whole trestle will collapse. It is undergoing a heavy strain at each high tide and it is only natural that in time the piling will give way.

Several aldermen discussing the question at City Hall this morning, stated that the only way out of the difficulty was to lay a crib under the trestle and ballast in time the piling will give way.

COACHMEN MAY BE LIABLE LIKE BAWDY HOUSE KEEPERS

Magistrate Is Not Just Sure How to Deal With a Certain Class of Men

Two proprietors of the two seated vehicles which stand near the head of King Street, were before the police magistrate this morning principally because they did not have lights on their sleighs. Since being reported the majority have secured lights and the others have been promised to comply with the law.

The magistrate pointed out the law in the matter and said that if persons rent houses for prostitution they are liable to a fine, and it is a question whether or not if these teams are liable for the same purpose they are liable if there were no teams young men would be liable to walk out the road, and if they were forced to walk they would probably walk to their homes instead of to a road house.

One of those reported, Dennis Murphy, explained to the court that other coaches might be seen out the road as well as the ones reported.

The magistrate said he could only deal with the ones reported to him, and adjourned the case until tomorrow afternoon, when he will decide on a course.

FREE KINDERGARTEN CHRISTMAS CLOSING.

Will friends of this institution kindly send donations of toys, Christmas tree decorations, etc., to the several rooms not later than Tuesday morning next? Clothing also is greatly needed. Send to four to six years, for both boys and girls.

Packages will be received by the kindergarten at St. Mary's school room, Waterloo street; Portland St. Methodist S. S. room; Carmarthen St. Methodist S. S. room, from nine until twelve o'clock, or at Frost & Wood's, King Square.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED.—At once, reliable and competent help for general housework. Good wages, small family. Apply 55 Elliot Row. 17-12-6

FOUND.—A small black pup. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Apply at 74 Sydney street. 17-12-6

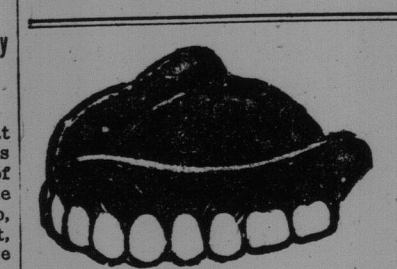
The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane Wheaton took place at 2.30 this afternoon from her late residence, Orange street. Rev. Mr. Stewart conducted the burial service in Trinity church and interment was in Fernhill.

TOO LATE TO SPEAK TO HIS DYING SISTER

Rev. Dr. McL. Shaw Hastening to Her Side Was Delayed at Montreal, and She Died Before He Could Reach Her.

Too late to speak a last word to the sister who had so tenderly cared for and helped him, Dr. Roy McLeod Shaw, of Two Harbors, Minnesota, reached the city on the noon train from Montreal today. His sister Miss Clara Shaw had died last evening at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Boyer, in Quebec street. Miss Shaw came to St. John a few weeks ago, being then seriously ill, and as it was feared that death was not far off, her brother was telegraphed for. He hurried eastward from Minnesota, urged on by the sad news that his sister was almost at the point of death. Dr. Shaw reached Montreal on Saturday morning only to find that there was no train leaving for St. John until Sunday night. Every effort was made to have him get to this city before, but to no avail. There was not a freight train on which he could secure passage, and a special could not be arranged. In an agony of suspense he was compelled to remain in Montreal for the two days, and last evening just as he was about to leave there, his sister died.

George Garnett, a tavern keeper, on the north side of King Square, will be before the police magistrate this afternoon on the charge of having his bar open after seven o'clock Saturday night. It appears that Garnett has a pool room adjoining his bar, and about a quarter to eight the police saw a colored man rush from the pool room to the bar, shed his coat and return as if to fight. The police entered the place, hence the report.



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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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GLOVES FOR \$1.00—White and Buff Chamols, and some real good Denims.
GLOVES FOR \$1.25—"Marie" Kid qualities in Greys, Tans, Pearl and White.
GLOVES FOR \$1.25—Denim's English, as well as French, "Vern" qualities.
GLOVES FOR \$1.25 and \$1.35—Dent's Washable and Reynier's "Bonnaval" qualities. World-famous.
GLOVES FOR \$1.40 and \$1.45—Dent's Tans, and big line of new Suedes. Excellent for gift purposes.
GLOVES FOR \$1.50—Reynier's "Diamond" quality in Tans, Browns, and Slate. Very dressy hand-wear.
GLOVES FOR \$1.75—A complete assortment of undressed kids, very stylish coloring and made faultlessly.
LONG KID GLOVES, \$1.50 to \$2.25—These are in the prevailing modish length, and include French kids, such as Reynier's, Black, Grey, White, Tan, and Brown colors. They are chiefly in the two-button wrist—known as the Mousquetiere style.
FABRIC GLOVES, 25c. to \$1.50—in all colors of cashmere, "Ringwood" or knitted qualities; Angola and Angora.
GIRLS' KNITTED GLOVES also. A very large and complete stock.
TINY GLOVES FOR LITTLE TOTS in Brown Kid, and all the woolen varieties.
GLOVES FOR WORKMEN, also Mitts. Motormen, Teamsters, Mechanics, etc.

Christmas Fancy Boxes FOR PRESENTATION.

STYLISH NEW FURS FOR THE MEN REASONABLE

BEAVER-OPPOSSUM STORM COLLARS, \$4.50.
GERMAN OTTER STORM COLLARS, \$5.00.
ASTRACHAN (BLACK) STORM COLLARS, \$4.50 to \$6.50.
ELECTRIC SEAL STORM COLLARS, \$2.50.
BEAVER STORM COLLARS, \$2.00.
UNPLUCKED OTTER COLLARS, \$3.50 to \$4.25.
GAUNTLET GLOVES AND MITTS, in Black Lamb and Otter, \$5.75 to \$7.50.
PERSIAN LAMB CAPS, wedge and round shape, with visor, \$2.25 to \$11.50.
SPECIAL PERSIAN LAMB CAPS, made of pieces of the real fur, \$3.75.
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WOMBAT COATS, natural skins, nicely marked, \$4.00.
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Our supply is still large; assortments unbroken.

COSTUMERS, OR POLE RACKS, \$2.50 to \$3.
REGULATION CARD TABLES, \$3 up.
WALL MEDICINE CABINETS, \$1.75 to \$3.
EXQUISITE CHINA CLOSETS, \$15.50 up.
LUXURIOUS BUFFETS, oaks, etc., \$24 to \$75.
MASSIVE SIDEBORDERS, best mirrors, \$11.50 to \$20.
ROCKERS, all rooms, from \$1 to \$14.
CHILDREN'S HIGH CHAIRS, \$1.25 to \$3.
KINDERGARTEN CHAIRS, pretty, 45c. to \$1.
KINDERGARTEN TABLES, to match, \$1 up.
CHILDREN'S ROCKERS, 55c. to \$1.50.
CHILDREN'S MORRIS CHAIRS, \$4.50 to \$7.
CHILDREN'S ROCKERS, assortment, \$2.50 to \$16.
WILLOW STATIONARY CHAIRS, \$1.50 to \$10.
LOW SEWING ROCKERS, \$1.25 to \$1.75.
COUCHES, in all qualities, \$10.50 to \$35.
WILLOW EASY CHAIRS, very popular, \$6 to \$10.
QUARTERED OAK DRESSING TABLES, \$18 to \$27.
MAHOGANY DRESSING TABLES, \$20 to \$45.
BRASS BEDS, double, single, \$20 to \$65.

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