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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 1921

## SHOPS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Designed to Place Before Our Readers the Merchandise, Craftsmanship and Service Offered by Shops and Specialty Stores

### AUTO REPAIRING

THE ST. JOHN SPRING WORKS  
repair all kinds of auto and carriage  
springs. All work promptly done.  
Springs made to order. Ford front  
springs \$4.-81-83 Thorne Avenue, Main  
606. 10-8-1921

### AUTO STORAGE

WIRE STALLS TO LET. CARS  
washed, repaired—At Thompson's, 53  
Ydney street. Phone 663.

### BABY CLOTHING

ABY'S BEAUTIFUL LONG  
Clothes, daintily made of the finest  
yarns, everything required; ten dol-  
s complete. Send for catalogue Mrs.  
Olson, 672 Yonge street, Toronto.  
11-1-1921

### BARGAINS

HITE LAWN, NAINSOOK, IN-  
dianhead, Pique and Longcloth at  
etmore's, 89 Garden St.

### DYERS

OTICE TO MOURNERS—FAST  
black returned in 24 hours. Phone  
700, New System Dye Works.

### ENGRAVERS

G. PLUMMER, PRODUCER OF  
Quality Engraving, Welding, Station-  
ery, Cards, Brass Memorials, Signs, Etc.  
Charlotte St., next to Mar's Millin-  
y.  
C. WESLEY & CO., ARTISTS  
and engravers, 59 Water street. Tele-  
phone M. 982.

### FILMS FINISHED

END ANY ROLL OF FILM WITH  
50c. to Wasson's, P. O. Box 1343, St.  
John, N. B., for a set of pictures—  
New! Finish. Satisfaction guaranteed.

### HATS BLOCKED

ADIES' STRAW TANGLE AND  
Panama Hats blocked in the latest  
style. Mrs. T. R. James, 280 Main  
street, opposite Adelaide street.

### HEMSTITCHING

HEMSTITCHING AND POINT  
work promptly done in a clean, san-  
itary shop. Work guaranteed—Singer  
Machine Co., 45 Gormain St.  
2097-8-21

### IRON FOUNDRIES

NION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE  
Works, Limited, George H. Waring,  
manager, West St. John, N. B. Engin-  
eers and machinists, iron and brass foundry.

### JACKSCREWS

SCREWS FOR HIRE AT REA-  
sonable rates, per day or otherwise.  
500 Sunnyside street. Phone Main 1884.  
8-19-1921

### LADIES' TAILORING

HIGH CLASS LADIES' TAILOR,  
best satisfaction guaranteed at lowest  
prices—A. Morin, 60 Gormain.  
2099-8-23

### MATTRESS REPAIRING

KINDS OF MATTRESSES AND  
pillows made and repaired. Wire  
frames re-stretched. Feather beds  
made into mattresses. Upholstering  
neatly done, twenty-five years' experi-  
ence—Walker J. Lamb, 22 Brittain street,  
Main 587.

### MEN'S CLOTHING

MEN'S CLOTHING, OVERCOATS—  
We have in stock some very fine Over-  
coats, well made and trimmed and sell-  
ing at a low price from \$20 up. W. J.  
Higgins & Co., Custom and Ready-to-  
wear Clothing, 182 Union street.

### MONEY ORDERS

SEND A DOMINION EXPRESS  
Money Order. They are payable every-  
where.

### PHOTOGRAPHIC

VELOPING, PRINTING, KODAK  
films. Send 40c. with order. Work  
return postpaid. Victoria Photo Studio,  
St. John.

### PIANO MOVING

HAVE YOUR PIANO MOVED BY  
Auto, modern gear, no jolts or jars.  
Piano moved to the country and gen-  
eral cartage. Reasonable rates—Arthur  
Stockhouse, Phone M. 1634-12.

### PAINTS

H. B. BRAND PAINTS, \$3.00 TO  
\$4.00 per Gallon. Send for Color Card.  
Haley Bros., Ltd. 6-9-1921

### PAINTING

INSIDE AND OUTSIDE PAINTING  
and repairing, work and stock guar-  
anteed—O. McDonough, 21 Sydney St.,  
phone Main 1635-11. 3461-8-27

### PLUMBING

G. W. NOBLE, PLUMBER AND  
Gas Fitter, Jobbing promptly attend-  
ed to. 55 St. Paul street.

### SECOND-HAND GOODS

WILL PAY MORE FOR SECOND  
Hand Clothing, etc.—People's Second  
Hand Store, 573 Main street. Main 4466.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LADIES'  
and Gentlemen's cast off clothing,  
boots, furniture, etc. Highest prices  
paid. M. Kaschetsky & Sons, 589 Main  
St., Phone M. 1980. Consult with us  
first.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—LADIES'  
and Gentlemen's cast off clothing,  
boots; highest cash prices paid. Call or  
write Lampert Bros., 535 Main street,  
Phone Main 4463.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE LADIES'  
and gents cast off clothing. Highest  
prices paid. Call or write M. Lampert  
& Co., Tel. 3821, 947 Main St.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—GEN-  
tlemen's cast off clothing, boots, mus-  
ical instruments, jewelry, bicycles, guns,  
revolvers, tools, etc. Highest cash prices  
paid. Call or write L. Williams, 16 Dock  
street, St. John, N. B. Phone Main 4439.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—GEN-  
tlemen's cast off clothing, fur coats,  
jewelry, diamonds, old gold and silver,  
musical instruments, bicycles, guns, re-  
volvers, tools, etc. Best prices paid. Call  
or write H. Gilbert, 14 Mill street, Phone  
2292-11.

### ROOFING

GRAVEL ROOFING, ALSO GAL-  
vanized Iron and Copper Gutters and  
Conductors—Joseph Mitchell, 198 Union  
St., Telephone 1401. 3763-8-24

### SILVER-PLATERS

GOLD, SILVER, NICKEL, BRASS  
and Copper Plating. Automobile parts  
made as good as new. 24 Waterloo street,  
Y. Groundlines.

### WATCH REPAIRERS

THE NORTH END ENGLISH, AME-  
rican and Swiss Watch Repairing  
Store, prompt attention and absolute  
satisfaction guaranteed. Give us a trial.  
R. P. Beckersloffe, 265 Main street.

DIAMONDS BOUGHT AND SOLD.  
Watch and Clock Repairing a Spe-  
cialty. G. D. Perkins, 46 Princess street.

W. BAILEY, THE ENGLISH, AME-  
rican and Swiss expert watch repairer,  
188 Mill street (next Hygienic Bakery).

RINGS, WATCHES, CLOCKS FOR  
Sale, watch repairing, seven years in  
Walshaw factory. G. B. Huggard, 97  
Peters street.

### WINDOW CLEANING

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST Win-  
dow Cleaning—Phone 1239.  
8492-8-24

### CHANGE OF POSITION.

Montreal, Aug. 19.—It is stated that  
Col. F. M. Gaudet, director of public  
safety, has been offered and accepted  
the position of secretary of the research  
bureau at Ottawa, and will sever his  
connection with the civil administration  
soon.

### REAL ESTATE

Central two-family freehold, hot  
water heating; baths, lights. Rentals  
\$7.20, \$5.00. Terms.  
Central double brick freehold, 10  
and 11 rooms (21 in all); baths,  
lights; one side has hot water heat-  
ing. Excellent residential or rooming  
opportunity. \$900. Terms.

Four-family house with store,  
\$2,000. Rentals \$732. Cash required  
\$1,000, balance mortgage.

### H. E. PALMER

102 Prince William Street, Main 3561,  
8-24

### Canadian National Railways.

(EASTERN LINES)  
TENDERS FOR TIES.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the  
undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for  
Ties" will be received at this office un-  
til twelve o'clock noon, Saturday, 17th  
day of September, 1921, for 1,000,000  
Railway ties to be manufactured be-  
tween October, 1921, and May, 1922, and  
delivered between December 1st, 1921,  
and September 30th, 1922, on Canadian  
National lines between Quebec and Sydn-  
ey, including Halifax & South Western,  
in accordance with Tia Specification No.  
3856, dated March 18th, 1919.

Tender forms and Specifications can  
be obtained at the office of the General  
Tie Agent, Room 291, New Union Sta-  
tion, Toronto, J. C. Stewart, Tie Agent,  
Moncton, or J. Bain, Superintendent,  
Bridgewater, N. B.

Tenders will not be considered unless  
made on forms supplied by the Railway.  
No tender for quantities less than 10,  
000 ties will be considered.

The lowest or any tenders not neces-  
sarily accepted. Special arrangements will be made to  
purchase ties fully up to specification,  
manufactured and delivered by actual  
settlers from their own lands.

W. H. GRANT,  
General Tie Agent,  
Canadian National Railways,  
Toronto, Ont.,  
Toronto, July 28th, 1921,  
8-2-8-21

## FOOTWEAR PRICES AND PROSPECTS

No Reduction Anticipated—  
Stocks Low and Factories  
Getting More Business.

The following is the Montreal  
Transcript's report of the address of S.  
Roy Weaver of Toronto, manager of  
the Shoe Manufacturers' Association of  
Canada, on the boot and shoe situation  
and outlook in Canada:—  
"Our Association is now receiving re-  
gular reports from all the principal shoe  
manufacturing districts in Canada and  
there can be no question but that busi-  
ness conditions, so far as the shoe man-  
ufacturing industry is concerned, are  
much improved. Business still is in-  
clined to be 'spotty' but many of the  
companies are operating at capacity, and  
for the industry as a whole, orders are  
very much larger than was the case at  
this time a year ago. Some of the com-  
panies already have unfilled orders in  
their books which would keep them run-  
ning at full capacity for three  
months' time. In Ontario, particularly,  
production is being restricted by a ser-  
ious shortage of female help.

"No one can pretend that business  
re-adjustments are yet complete, but  
business people are coming to realize  
that such readjustment process is not  
a matter of merely a few weeks or a few  
months. The prices of footwear are  
now from 30 to 45 per cent lower than  
was the case in the spring of 1920 and  
no further reduction can be made in  
the prices of boots and shoes, except as  
perhaps present costs of production may  
slowly work a little lower. On the  
other hand, the prices of the better  
grades of leather recently have been  
firm and even tending upwards and  
merchants may safely order boots and  
shoes, for current requirements, with  
the utmost confidence that no immediate  
substantial reduction in prices can be  
made.

"Liquidation of prices to the new  
present level of costs is complete. Stocks  
in the hands of wholesalers or retailers  
are now below normal and it is signif-  
icant that retailers and wholesalers have  
resumed the buying of good quality  
staple lines on a more liberal scale. The  
demand for the finer lines of shoes is  
now strong, especially in men's lines,  
which a short time ago were inactive.  
Samples for fall and winter selling this  
year are unusually attractive.

"It is true that the boot and shoe  
manufacturing industry is affected  
more seriously than many other Cana-  
dian industries as a result of business  
re-adjustments. The shoe industry has  
plants was greatly enlarged during the  
year to take care of an abnormal trade,  
including a considerable volume of ex-  
port business. When the home demand  
slackened and export trade fell off, a

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no further reduction can be made in  
the prices of boots and shoes, except as  
perhaps present costs of production may  
slowly work a little lower. On the  
other hand, the prices of the better  
grades of leather recently have been  
firm and even tending upwards and  
merchants may safely order boots and  
shoes, for current requirements, with  
the utmost confidence that no immediate  
substantial reduction in prices can be  
made.

"Liquidation of prices to the new  
present level of costs is complete. Stocks  
in the hands of wholesalers or retailers  
are now below normal and it is signif-  
icant that retailers and wholesalers have  
resumed the buying of good quality  
staple lines on a more liberal scale. The  
demand for the finer lines of shoes is  
now strong, especially in men's lines,  
which a short time ago were inactive.  
Samples for fall and winter selling this  
year are unusually attractive.

"It is true that the boot and shoe  
manufacturing industry is affected  
more seriously than many other Cana-  
dian industries as a result of business  
re-adjustments. The shoe industry has  
plants was greatly enlarged during the  
year to take care of an abnormal trade,  
including a considerable volume of ex-  
port business. When the home demand  
slackened and export trade fell off, a

number of small companies were forced  
out of business and many of the well  
established companies had to curtail  
operations. The elimination of some of  
the small concerns was not unexpected,  
but the industry as a whole, has largely  
recovered from its temporary check and  
now appears to be on practically a  
normal basis. As there was a tempta-  
tion when business was booming for  
merchants to buy in excess of their re-  
quirements, there is an equal danger