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In our "specials" for August are suits, fall overcoats and waterproof coats that represent all that can be desired in style and quality. To close them out to make more room for the fall stock we offer very liberal reductions.

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THREE Large Furnished Front Rooms, very pleasant, kitchen privileges; would be let separate or as apartments. Apply evenings between 6 and 8 o'clock at 18 Stanley street. 469-8-30

FREDERICTON NEWS

Fredricton, N. B., Aug. 23.—Monday will be nomination day for the York municipalities and polling will be on Tuesday, September 2. It is beginning to look as if there would be contests in all the parishes except New Maryland and Kingsclear. In Douglas, Ex-warden W. L. McFarlane opened his campaign with a public meeting at Burtons corner. Ex-councillor C. W. Goodspeed, has accepted a nomination in St. Mary's.

Miss Annie Wilson, daughter of Sergt. John Wilson and niece of A. K. Pinder, M. P. P., died here this morning after a brief illness. She is survived by her father and one brother.

Potatoes sold in the market this morning for 82 a barrel.

In the rock of Gibraltar there are seventy miles of tunnels.

METHODIST CHURCHES TOMORROW

QUEEN SQUARE 7 P. M.
Rev. W. F. Gaetz Rev. W. F. Gaetz

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Rev. W. H. Barradough Rev. W. H. Barradough

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FAIRVILLE
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GRAND OPERA NEXT MONTH

One of the most interesting announcements the manager Kelly has made since coming to the Opera House is the booking of the Boston Grand Opera Stars who will make their first visit to St. John some time next month. They will present "Cavalleria Rusticana," "La Traviata" and "The Pastoral." In the leading roles will be Maria de Gabbri, dramatic prima donna soprano Giovanni Gatti, primo tenor; Ernest Gauthier, prima donna contralto; M. Umberto Sacchetti, leading tenor; M. Pietro Vittore, baritone; M. Heath Gregory, of the Metropolitan Opera Co., primo basso; M. Gertrude Hutchinson, prima donna contralto; M. Frances Woolwine, contralto.

Traveling just a few weeks apart, but in the same territory Mr. and Mrs. James McElhern will have both visited St. John this season. Those who laughed gaily at Donizetti in "The Pink Lady," at the Opera House last week will be interested to know that his wife, who is Miss Edna Renning, in stage life is on her way here now, playing a soubrette role in "The Newlyweds."

MAYOR WOULD BUY OUT THE "KNOCKING" ALDERMAN

Chatham, Ont., Aug. 23.—An interesting municipal discussion is going on between Mayor Dunn and Ald. Houston. At the last council meeting Ald. Houston complained of the high assessment Mayor Dunn offered to form a syndicate to buy all his property at its assessed value, \$80,000, with one proviso, which was given Ald. Houston the next day.

The proviso was that Ald. Houston should leave the city never to return. Ald. Houston wrote an open letter to Mayor Dunn charging that he was bringing Mayor Dunn into disrepute and made a reply, in which he characterized Ald. Houston as a chronic knocker, and that the proposition was a pure business one made for the purpose of ridding the city of what the mayor termed "Ald. Houston's knocking."

The discussion is proving interesting to the citizens of Chatham.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harold Hughes of Montreal and Toronto.

Miss Beatrice Sproul will leave this evening for Winnipeg, where she will visit her sister, Miss Ida M. Sproul.

Friends of D. B. Donald will regret to learn that he is ill and taken to the hospital yesterday afternoon and will probably be confined there for a week or two.

Rev. Dr. George Steel left yesterday for Halifax and Digby.

J. T. Hebert arrived in the city yesterday from Dorchester and will leave this evening for Fredericton to take up his duties as a teacher in the Fredericton High School.

Miss Maud O. Magee, assistant secretary of the board of trade, left last evening for Toronto, where she will spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beveridge, of Melbourne, Yarmouth (N. S.), announce the engagement of their daughter, Gladys Mae, to Leland W. Nickerson, of St. John, the marriage to take place September 9.—Yarmouth Light.

L. J. Baboury, superintendent of post office for eastern Canada, is in the city looking over the local situation.

W. N. Collins of the I. C. R. has returned home after a pleasant holiday trip to Montreal, Toronto, Niagara and Buffalo.

Mrs. Murphy, not Miss Murphy, is the matron of the Isolation Hospital.

Mrs. H. Ellis of Carmarthen street is visiting friends in West Somerville, Mass.

In Ottawa yesterday Dr. H. S. Bridges, St. John's superintendent of schools, was elected a director of the Dominion Educational Association.

C. Walker Craibe is home from Detroit, enjoying a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Craibe, Sydney street.

Miss Elizabeth Eaton, of Upper Canada, Kings Co., N. S., is the guest of Mrs. David Leddingham, Westfield.

CHURCH SERVICES

United services in St. John and Calvin Presbyterian churches—Service in the morning in Calvin; evening in St. John's.

Rev. W. J. Buchanan of Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach at both services; strangers welcome.

First Church of Christ Scientist; services at eleven a. m. at 15 Gormain street; subject, "Mind." Wednesday evening service at eight; reading room open daily from three to five; Saturday and legal holidays excepted.

First Presbyterian church, West Side, Rev. J. Morison, D. D., minister; services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; strangers cordially welcome.

Queen square Methodist church, Rev. Wilfred Gaetz, pastor; the pastor will conduct morning and evening worship in this church tomorrow; subject of morning sermon, "Light at Evening Time;" evening subject, "Christ's Appropriation of a Clean Life;" strangers in the city especially invited.

Maine has 79,985 wage-earners employed in 8,446 factories.

DEATHS

PECK—In this city on the 23rd inst. E. Isabella Annie, wife of G. Leonard Peck, and daughter of the late James and Maggie Calder, leaving her husband, two children, two sisters and one brother, William of Vancouver.

(Vancouver papers please copy.)

DEVINE—At the residence of her mother, 90 Brussels street, Friday, Aug. 22, Mrs. Michael Devine, leaving besides her husband and mother, Sarah McManus, five brothers and two sisters to mourn.

Funeral from the residence of her son, W. Scarie, 337 Main street, Sunday; service 2 p. m.; funeral 2:30 p. m.

Please omit flowers; coaches taken at door.

MITCHELL
SLIDE-EASY
NECKWEAR
QUALITY STYLE VARIETY

LOCAL NEWS

Band at Queen's Rollaway tonight.

Great bargains in raincoats tonight.—At Corbetta, 194 Union street.

Miss J. McLaughlin has returned from New York where she has been attending the millinery openings.

New singer, E. L. Emil, a robust tenor, at the Gem, next week.

Dural's umbrella store; Dural's hardware store; Dural's handystore; same street and number, where umbrellas are recovered.

CARPET ENDS

Received fifty pieces of carpet ends, only 20c. each. Be quick; they sell quick.—At Basen's, 207 Union street, Opera Block.

If it rains, remember Dural's 17 Waterloo street; umbrellas all prices; recovering.

CARD OF THANKS

Leonard Parker and family wish to thank their friends for kind sympathy during their recent bereavement.

Socialist Hall, 97 Charlotte street, Sunday 8 p. m.; speakers Miss S. Mushkat and others. Trade Unionists, Suffragettes and all others invited.

Children's shoes from 75c. to \$2.25; send the children here for shoes and satisfaction. It is assured. J. J. Jones, St. John's, corner Union and Broad streets.

New singer, E. L. Emil, a robust tenor, at the Gem, next week.

Fit the children out for school at Pidgeon's and save the difference—corner Main and Bridge street in the low rent district.

LABOR DAY PARADE

Spend Labor Day at home; greatest parade in the history of St. John; in the morning, garden party and sports; afternoon and evening, Barrack green; admission free. 419-9-1.

ACADIAN'S GIFT

At the recent convention of Acadians in Shediac, the sum of \$1,000 was presented by the Assumption Society to Bishop LeBlanc to be forwarded to Pope Pius.

PUR QUALITY

Good judges of quality in fur know that our furs are far superior to those that are much higher in price. We invite your inspection. H. Mont Jones, 54 King street. 8-24.

LABOR DAY

Last holiday of the season; attractions, labor parade, handsome floats, garden party and sports; Barrack green; admission free, large list of events. 419-9-1.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of Teresa May McKinley will be held at 2:30 this afternoon from the residence of her parents Mr. and Mrs. James T. McKinley, Charles street.

Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery, Sand Cove.

A PLEASANT WEEK

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Adam P. McKinley, Miss Mary McKinley, Miss Maud Addy, Miss Wood, Miss Nora Stewart and Miss Hutchinson have returned to the city after a delightful week spent at the Hotel, at Holderville on the St. John river.

KATE KIRBY, GIRL DETECTIVE

The first of the series of detective stories concerning Kate Kirby, girl detective, will be shown at the Gem on Monday and Tuesday. Each of these stories is separate in itself and is highly interesting. Laura Sawyer plays the leading role and the adventures are most exciting.

NO NAME

No name plate on your door may cause you considerable annoyance. It will bring you to the door very often for nothing. We supply name plates to order from seventy-five cents upwards. Who would run up and down two or three flights of stairs for the sake of seventy-five cents? J. G. Grondines, 24 Waterloo street.

GOOD PLAY TONIGHT

Excitement and comedy abound in "The Girl of Baginbanch," a wild west play which deals with the mining camps and the desperate seekers of gold who flocked to California in '49. Wonderful and realistic stories have been told of these men by Bret Harte, himself a gold miner, and from his descriptions this play has been adapted. Outlaws and gambling sheriffs, a comic bartender and an elderly splicer take their parts in this wild comedy which thrills with interest till the curtain falls in the last evening. The Alcazar Amusement Company presents the play Monday night at the Carleton city hall.

NICKEL TODAY AND MONDAY

The Nickel will welcome the school-children back to the city today with a fine programme. The items are: "The Trinit Trif," Gertrude Townsend and the second of the great "Mary" series of Edison pictures entitled "Aline in New York." There is a splendid Pathe drama, "The House Divided," and two Selig comedies.

On Monday the Nickel will introduce the Queen of the Xylophone, Miss Leslie Thurston of New York, a new and popular performer. Another newcomer will be Miss Gertrude Ashe of Boston, soprano of culture and refinement. Miss Ashe has been visiting friends and relatives in the city for a short while and has consented to sing a short engagement for the Keith people. The big special two-reel feature on Monday will be a Pathe play entitled "The Secret Formula," dealing with intrigue and heroism in society and business circles.

THREE HOUSES IN SHERBROOKE DESTROYED

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 23.—Three dwelling houses were burned to the ground, and a fourth badly damaged last evening at Lennoxville. It is believed that the fire started from a spark from an engine.

The houses destroyed were owned by Mrs. George Reed, S. A. McFadden, and R. C. McFadden. The partially destroyed house belonged to Mr. Bell. The loss is estimated at about \$10,000 partially covered.

The surest way of losing one's own health is to be always drinking the health of others, says a wise wit.

AN ATTEMPT TO RESCUE THAW?

Profess to Believe This a Possibility and There is Demand For Cate in Sherbrooke

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 23.—While deprecating all talk about "Jail releases," "kidnapping," etc., which has been heard here, and pointed out in the American papers, it is known that the authorities here are seriously contemplating providing Thaw with an armed guard when he is brought down from the prison to the court house next Wednesday.

The sheriff seems to think that if an attempt is made to free Thaw it will be made while he is in the street. The sheriff is emphatically of the opinion that no more men are needed at the jail, in spite of the reported rumors that desperate measures may be taken to liberate Thaw, when it is found that he must be deported as it is confidently expected, will ultimately be the case.

The American authorities are not satisfied with the sheriff's attitude, and are likely to press for the employment of more men around the jail and an adequate escort.

They also say that Thaw, with his knowledge of French, could hide among the French-Canadians and completely escape.

New York state officers waiting here admitted last night that they were at sea as to where he would be deported in that event.

"It does not make much difference," said Franklin Kennedy, deputy attorney general from New York. "We have arranged to expedite extradition in either Vermont or New Hampshire. We will get him sure."

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 23.—"Gentlemen Rogers" Thompson, the New York chauffeur, held under the dominion immigration laws as having aided Harry K. Thaw, legally a lunatic, to cross the Canadian frontier, announced from his cell tonight that he was "up against it" and that if the law failed did not come to his rescue he would, perhaps, in justice to himself, be forced to tell all he knows of his escape from Mattawan and thus complicate the proceedings under which Thaw's lawless escape from his cell on Wednesday night.

Tonight Thompson removed the bolts from his cell and he was seen by his arrest here and openly admitted that the name "Mitchell Thompson," he had given the authorities, was a fiction, and that in reality he is Roger Thompson, salesman and dare-devil chauffeur, who drove the black machine which whisked Stanford White's slayer away from Mattawan on Sunday morning last.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 23.—William Travers Jerome, formerly district attorney of New York county, appointed by Attorney General Carmody today a special deputy attorney general. Mr. Jerome was specially designated to represent the state in procuring the return of Harry K. Thaw to New York's jurisdiction. He was selected because of his intimate familiarity with the Thaw case and special counsel in several attempts of Thaw to establish his sanity by legal proceedings.

KIDNAPPING COLINE

The latest story by the famous author, Henry C. Rowlands. It's a winner. Don't miss it. First instalment September Everybody now on sale.

LORD NORTHCLEIFF ON THE WAY TO CANADA

London, Aug. 23.—Lord Northcliffe, owner of the London Daily Mail and other papers called for Montreal yesterday. He will also go to Newfoundland.

Lord Northcliffe is putting up the money for Ray and Vardon's expenses in America for the golf matches and has guaranteed to make good any amount that may be needed. "Don't mind what it costs," he is reported to have said, "but bring back the championship."

It is said he offered to put his name down for the whole of the \$500,000 which now is being subscribed for training the English Olympic competitors, on condition that he should be allowed to choose the English team and practically to run the show, apparently for the benefit of his newspapers.

The Olympic games committee thought it better that contributions should be national.

HARRY K. THAW'S ESCAPE

Full particulars of how it was carried out and who planned it in Boston Sunday American. Buy a copy.

JILTED ON EUGENIC GROUNDS; SHE SUES

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 23.—Charles F. Drucker pleaded the law of eugenics when he broke his engagement to marry Miss Rose Markewsky, if the young woman's version of the love dissolution is correct. In return Miss Markewsky has brought an action for \$25,000 for alleged breach of promise.

"He said he did not wish to marry me because my brother had tuberculosis," the girl said. "He made the excuse that I was afraid to marry into a tubercular family."

"That is not it at all. My brother is perfectly well, never had tuberculosis and is a stronger man than Mr. Drucker."

"I might have been entitled to break the engagement from a eugenic standpoint, but certainly Mr. Drucker was not. I can play better golf and tennis than he can today. I was never ill a day in my life."

NEPHEW OF INSPECTOR McLEAN DROWNED

Telegram Brings Sad News to St. John From Winnipeg

School Inspector McLean received a telegram last night telling of the drowning of his nephew, Arthur Hannington, of Ottawa. The tragedy took place in Winnipeg. No particulars were given.

FREEDERICKSON PERSONALS

(Gleaner)

Miss Hanson and Miss Kingsman of Fredericton are visiting in St. John.

Joseph F. Walsh, who has been visiting his former home here, leaves this evening for Regina.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Green and Miss Mary Jewett are visiting friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McIntosh of St. John, Mrs. H. H. Pitts of Vancouver, and Dr. I. C. Sharpe of Montreal arrived here yesterday by boat.

Alexander Murray and family have been spending a week or ten days at Loch Lomond. Mr. Murray returned today, and his family will stay at Maugeville for a few days.

Mrs. R. B. Hart, Smythe street, returned yesterday from a six weeks' stay with her daughter, who is on the teaching staff of a commercial college in Calgary.

Miss Emily White and Mrs. Hodgson of Boston arrived here yesterday and are the guests of Miss Jane Moffatt.

FIRE AT MOUTH OF TAY WITH \$12,000 LOSS

Fredricton, Aug. 23.—The barns and outbuildings belonging to Daniel Abernethy, Mouth of Tay, were burned to the ground last night with all contents. The loss is about \$12,000. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

King Stops a Divorce Case

London, Aug. 23.—"High life below stairs" is responsible for an upheaval among the domestic staff of no less a place than Buckingham Palace, which required the united efforts of King George and Queen Mary to settle without public scandal.

Recently divorce proceedings were begun by Mr. Hudson, chief groom of the Chamber at Buckingham Palace, in which one of the state pages was named as co-respondent.

Upon the matter coming to Their Majesties' notice, King George stepped in, with the result that Mr. Hudson has taken his wife back and the page is looking for another job.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker, Fredericton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice M., to John Belyea, of St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Harper, of Seattle, announce the engagement of their daughter, Winifred, to Francis Norman Beveridge, of Bryden, Ontario, the marriage to take place September 2.

Word has been received of the wedding of Miss Marguerite Hanlon, daughter of the late D. E. Hanlon, of Fredericton, to Wayne Howard, of Boston.

At St. Paul's Presbyterian manse, Fredericton, on Thursday Duncan C. McKillop and Alberta M. H. both of that city, were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith.

Families of three members are more numerous than any others in England, and constitute 15 per cent of the total number of families. Families of four members make up 18 per cent; of 5, 14 per cent; and of 6, 10 per cent. The number of women living alone in London outnumbered the number of men living alone, 85,394 to 87,180.

"Keep your head cool. Have a sunny disposition. Don't think of the weather and don't talk about it. Avoid alcoholic drinks, eat less meat, but plenty of cereals, fruits and vegetables."

New china will not crack so easily if it is immersed in a pan of water and brought gradually to boiling point.

DISFIGURED WITH ERUPTIONS ON FACE

Body Covered With Running Sores. Could Not Sleep from Itching and Pain. Crock and Fretful. Tried Fifty Remedies Without Result. Cured in Nine Days by Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

30 Champagne St., Montreal, Quebec.—"I have a five-year-old boy who was suffering from what the doctor said was 'a grapple.' His body was all covered with running sores. The trouble started with pimples and opened up into sores. Of course scratching made it worse. The eruptions appeared on his face and disfigured him awfully. The boy could not sleep at night from the itching and pain. I did not know what to do with him. It made him cross and fretful. If I have tried one, I have tried fifty remedies without result. At last I got samples of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after using them two days I noticed a change. I then bought a full-sized cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and I used to give the boy a hot bath daily with Cuticura Soap freely, and then applied the Cuticura Ointment. He had suffered three months with the horrible disease before I started to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and nine days after the boy was cured and has not been troubled since."

(Signed) E. Cloutier, Dec. 12, 1911.

Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. A single set is often sufficient. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 25-c. skin book. Address post card Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. 40D, Boston, U. S. A.

Tobacco Habit

Dr. McLean's tobacco remedy removes all desire for tobacco, and cures the habit. A vegetable medicine, and a few ounces touching the tongue with it occasionally. Price \$2.00.

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Marvellous results from taking his remedy for the liquor habit.