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Seventy-Five Stylish Well Made, Perfect Fitting Coats to be cleaned out at \$3.95. This year's coats with the new sleeve, stylish length, and every garment in the lot is made from good serviceable materials. Many of these coats are worth as high as \$10.00.

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WE Guarantee, THE CLOTH, TRIMMINGS AND FIT Made to Your Of Our Overcoats, Order for \$16.50, \$17.50, \$18.50, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25. C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts. North End.

LOGAN & GIBBS, Have one of the finest BARBER SHOPS in this city with all the latest furnishings and equipments. With the knowledge we have of the trade we invite your patronage. 23 1-2 Waterloo Street.

Xmas Novelties! During the past few weeks we have received nearly one hundred cases of Dolls, Toys and Christmas Novelties, direct from the manufacturers in England, Germany, France, Austria and the United States. Economical buyers should get our prices before buying. Arnold's Department Store, 11-15 Charlotte St.

Calendars For 1906. Our display of Artistic Calendars for 1906 is magnificent. Buy now before the rush. Prices begin at 2c.

E. G. NELSON & CO. Cor. King and Charlotte Sts. Phone 789.

PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT Store.

Store Open Evenings

This is Handkerchief Week!

Christmas Handkerchiefs all in for the Christmas Rush. Ladies' Plain Lawn Handkerchiefs, 3c. each. Ladies' Fancy Lace Edge, 5c. each. Ladies' Fancy Lace Edge, 15c. each. Ladies' Fancy Lace Edge, 15c. each. Ladies' Fancy Lace Edge, 15c. each. Hemstitched Pure Linen, 25c. Fancy Scroll Edge.

Special attention is called to our Pure Linen Handkerchiefs for Ladies, at 25c, 35c, 50c, each. Pretty Handkerchief Boxes, containing three Handkerchiefs, at 25c, 35c, 50c, each. Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs at 15c, 25c, each. Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c, 35c, 50c, each.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets.

STAR WANT ADS

Received at the following Addresses: CITY.

GEORGE W. HOBEN, Druggist, 357 Main St. SAMUEL H. HAWKER, Druggist, 172 Mill St. GEORGE E. PRICE, Druggist, 303 Union St. CARLETON.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast—Fresh to strong northwesterly winds; fair and colder. Wednesday—Westerly winds, fine and moderately cold. Synopsis—The storm has passed to the eastward of Newfoundland. The weather is turning milder in the west. To banks, strong northwesterly winds. To American ports, strong northwesterly fresh westerly winds tomorrow. Highest temperature during the last 24 hours, 54. Lowest temperature during the last 24 hours, 18. Temperature at noon, 41.

LOCAL NEWS.

One dozen \$3.00 Cabinet Photographs for \$2.00. J. SALMON, corner Main and Portland streets.

A number of vessels bound westward sailed this morning with fair wind and weather.

The Head liner Morning Head sailed for Belfast this morning at eight o'clock with a full cargo.

See the \$10 photo given away with every doz. from \$2.00 up at Ely's Photo Studio, 15 Charlotte street. Have sitting early.

The two cars which were run during the summer time direct to Point du Chene on the noon express were discontinued today.

Gramophone Records for this month. Regular \$1.00 Records 75 cents; 50 cent Records 40 cents. Others at 25 cents, at BELL'S PLANO STORE, 75 Germain street.

Rev. J. F. Floyd will give his second lecture in Coburg street Christian Church this evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, The Higher Criticism; What it is and What it Proposes. Admission free.

Walter Haddon, of London, who is to lecture tomorrow evening in York Theatre on "How Type is Made" has invited the employing printers of the city to dine with him at the Royal at 6 1/2 p. m.

The children had a gay time of it last night with their skating on the pond on Lily Lake, Marble Cove and other stretches of ice the skating was fairly good. An inch of snow would suffice to make sleighing, as the ground is already pretty well frozen.

Al. Emack, of Emack Bros., has returned from a trip to Ellsford on the Canada Eastern. He had Jim Paul as guide and they succeeded in tracking an Albinos deer, which Mr. Emack shot on Thursday last. The deer is a doe of good size, weighing about 150 pounds, and is pure white—Gleaner.

The new mill which is being erected on City Road, next Fowler's axe factory is progressing rapidly. A track is being built by the I. C. R. to the mill and to do this the I. C. R. supply shanty has been erected some fifty feet. The moving of the building proved quite a big undertaking but was done successfully.

Petition was presented in probate court by James A. Campbell, administrator of the estate of the late Margaret B. Kerstead for the pasting of the accounts of the estate. Citation was granted returnable on Jan. 15th. G. O. D. Otty, proctor.

A meeting of the liquor license commissioners was held yesterday afternoon to deal with the transfer of the license to Jas. Lane, Union street, who has sold his retail liquor business to Wm. Webber. The latter wished to have the license transferred to him, and this was done by the commissioners.

An attempt was made on Sunday night to break into the wholesale liquor store of John O'Regan. A panel of the door was cut out, but the intruders apparently became frightened and made their escape, as nothing was taken from the store. On the same evening, a business store on North wharf was visited and an unsuccessful attempt to get in was made.

MORE SITUATIONS. Situations obtained last week by Saint John Business College students were as follows: Lloyd Hatfield, Yarmouth, N. S., with W. H. Thorne & Co., Limited, city. Miss Alice McKinnon, Amherst, N. S., stenographer for the Rhodes, Curry & Co., Limited, Amherst, N. S. John A. Eason, Barnaby River, stenographer and assistant agent for C. P. R. at McAdam. Louis Mellday, city, office assistant with William Thomson & Co., city.

CHRISTMAS SCHOOL HOLIDAYS. The public schools close on Friday, Dec. 23rd, for the Christmas holidays, which will extend to Monday, Jan. 8th. Supt. J. R. Inch has given the teachers permission to hold school on Saturday, December 18th, if they desire to leave the city in order to reach their homes for the 26th. This, however, has particular reference to country school teachers.

DEATH OF ARTHUR DANIEL

Arthur Daniel passed quietly away early this morning at his late residence on Wall street, in the 82nd year of his age. He was a native of Buckinghamshire, England, but came to St. John when quite a youth, and has spent the remainder of his life here, with the exception of a short period that he resided in Canada. He was at first in the employment of Hoadsworth & Daniel, dry goods merchants, and afterwards of Kirk & Worrall, milliners. After the death of Mr. Worrall Mr. Daniel was taken in as a partner in the business, the firm name becoming Kirk & Daniel. They retired from business several years ago, since when Mr. Daniel has lived in retirement. He leaves one son (George) who is manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Moncton, and two daughters, viz. Mrs. Barton Gandy, of St. John, and Mrs. J. E. Dickson, of Montreal. His wife, who was a daughter of the late George Worrall, died some years ago. The deceased was a brother of Thomas W. Daniel, of this city, and Mrs. Clara Hill, at present living in Montreal.

FUNERALS TODAY.

The funeral took place at Otter Lake road at 10 o'clock this morning of Miss Mary E. Johnston. Interment was made at Fernhill. The funeral took place at 2 30 this afternoon of Mrs. Harry M. Comeau, from her late residence, 373 Haymarket Square. Funeral services were conducted at the cathedral. Interment at the new Catholic cemetery. At 2 30 this afternoon the remains of the late Mrs. James O'Brien was taken from her daughter's residence, 214 Brussels street to their last resting place at the old Catholic cemetery. The services at the cathedral were conducted by Rev. Father O'Keefe. The funeral took place of Mrs. Nell McGowan this afternoon at 2 30 from the Mater Misericordiae Home at the old Catholic cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Gaylor. There was no pallbearers. The body of the late Nelson Parlee was taken this morning to Belleisle for interment. A service was held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Windsor Hotel, late home of the deceased, by the Rev. Mr. Marshall. The funeral of the late Uriah Belyea took place at Fairville tonight on the arrival of the Montreal express, to Cemetery Hill. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Scovill.

LATE SHIP NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Wednesday, Dec. 5. Arrived.

Str. Frodo, 371, Froland, from Jamaica, gen cargo, Can Jamaica 8 S C.

Coastwise—Str. Aurora, 182, Ingersoll, from Campbell.

Cleared. Sch Frank and Ira, 97, Berton, for St. John, Me. 1,213 1/2 ft spruce deal.

Sch Ida Bentley, 429, Bentley, for New York, 80,000 ft spruce pling.

Sch Chicago, 254, Finley, for Vineyard Haven, 70,000 ft spruce plank, 110,000 ft scantling, 20,133 ft boards, 647,000 ft 1 1/2 in sheathing pine.

Sch Norman, 289, Kilson, 75,000 ft scantling, 102,487 ft plank, 40,495 ft deal, 132 rolls sheathing pine.

Coastwise—Sch H A Holder, for Musquash, Evelyn, for Waterford; sch Jesse D, for Windsor, NS.

COURT INTERCOLONIAL OFFICERS.

Court Intercolonial, No. 111, I. O. F., met at night in their hall, Charlotte street and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. H. Chambers, C. R. W. J. Dunlop, V. C. R. T. Northrup, P. C. R. A. Hastings, F. S. J. H. Scammell, Treas. F. M. Hastings, R. S. H. Kilpatrick, orator. H. Ingraham, S. W. J. Levine, J. W. A. Selick, S. B. D. Daley, J. B. J. Beaslieh, C. D. J. H. Scammell, C. Phys. T. Northrup, H. Kilpatrick, finance and audit committee.

FRUIT STEAMER IN.

The Norwegian steamer Frodo, 371 tons, arrived in port this morning from Jamaica with a cargo of fruit for the Canada-Jamaica Steamship Company.

Besides the Jamaica mail, she also brought four Chinese as passengers en route from Jamaica to Hong Kong. The steamer had a very rough passage, encountering heavy northeast gales with a high sea, but no damage was done.

Her cargo consists of 100 bags coffee, 154 bags primento, 40 cases honey, 10 boxes oranges, 1,018 stems bananas, 210 boxes grapefruit, 21 barrels coffee, 459 bags coconuts.

PRINTERS DEMAND EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

A circular has been sent out by the St. John Typographical Union, No. 85, saying that in accordance with a resolution passed at the annual session of the International Typographical Union, held at Toronto in August last, an eight-hour working day goes into effect in this city on the first day of January, 1906. These circulars, which are sent to the employing printers of St. John, ask for a reply on or before Monday, 11th instant.

CROWDS ALREADY.

M. R. A.'s Ltd. is always a busy place, and shopping headquarters for thousands, but since the holidays have been placed on sale a decided rush ensues all day long. With today's clear weather it started at 10 o'clock, and it is safe to assume by 1 o'clock this afternoon a jolly throng of early Christmas shoppers will be making the cash registers ring as they have not done for some time. New Goods every day from this date until the 23rd. Turn over this date, and read the holiday advance notice.

THIS EVENING.

Important meeting of C. M. B. A. 154. Natural History Society meeting at 8. Annual fancy goods sale, Zion church. Sale Ladies' Aid Society Carmarthen street church, at 111 Princess street.

LADIES' AID SALE AND TEA.

The Ladies' Aid of Carmarthen street Methodist church are holding this afternoon a sale of fancy and useful articles and candy at 111 Princess street. The sale will continue this evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. The tables are very pretty, the candy table being especially attractive with the decorations of yellow and white. The president of the Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Seymour, is in charge and is assisted by the following ladies: Candy table, Mrs. George Calhoun, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Hutchings, Mrs. James Calhoun. Fancy table, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Hutchings, Mrs. Marshall. Apron table, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Eagles, Mrs. Carlos, Mrs. Kane. Sample table, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Kenney, Mrs. Allan. At the conclusion of the fancy sale a rummage sale will be held at the same place all day Thursday and Friday morning.

PROTECTIONIST TELLS QUEER YARN.

Last night Sergt. Campbell was called to Donahoe's drug store on St. James street, by Burton K. Bourne, who says that his home is in Woodstock. He said that four men were following him and attempting to beat him. He was taken to the station and placed in a cell for protection and there showed signs of insanity, as he made considerable noise and told the policeman in charge that there was a doctor coming to injure him. He was allowed to depart at six o'clock, with three other protectionists. Bourne was an occupant of the police station cells a few nights ago and said he had arrived in the city from Woodstock with sixty dollars but had spent it all and was then out of funds.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS.

Santa Claus has taken his advertisement out of the Star for a day to give him a chance to read the floods of letters that have already come. Every day piles his desk with hundreds. This morning's mail for instance brought 639 letters, and this afternoon's and evening's mail each is greater than this. He also complains that in spite of his careful explanations many little ones are addressing their letters wrong. Just write as nice a letter as you can, and if you are one of the best you will get what you ask for. But Santa Claus, care St. John Star, St. John, N. B., and if you are in the best you will get what you ask for. But Santa Claus, care St. John Star, St. John, N. B., and if you are in the best you will get what you ask for.

OGILVIE FLOUR MILLS

On Thursday last this monster mill in Montreal ground 5,143 barrels of flour. This is unquestionably the largest output for any one mill in the British Empire. This is the famous Royal Household Brand.

\$5.00.

We make the best \$5.00 set of teeth in this city.

We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city.

Gold filling from \$1.00; gold plated and other filling from 50c; plates repaired, from 50c.

Boston Dental Parlors, 527 Main street, DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor. Office Hours—9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone—Office, 633; Residence, 735.

Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

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WARM AND PRETTY FURS FOR LITTLE BOYS AND GIRLS.

WHITE MONGOLIAN COATS for the little ones. Lined with satin, quilted. Very warm and long-wearing \$13.75

WHITE CONEY COATS, a very popular fur for children. Beautifully made and lined with Pale Blue Quilted Sateen. \$7.50.

MUFFS TO MATCH in the adult models. In Mongolian, \$4.75 to \$2.40

COLLARS AND BOAS, in White Mongolian, \$3.00 and \$2.20

(Fur Dep't, 2nd Floor)

MOIRETTE AND SILK SKIRTS AT EASY HOLIDAY PRICES.

MOIRETTE UNDERSKIRTS, with all the swish and rustle of real silk. In Browns, Blues, Greys, and Greys. \$3.75, \$4.75, \$5.50.

SILK UNDERSKIRTS, the genuine article in Plain Black and Navy. Browns, Emerald Green, Fawn, etc., with Frills and Ruffles in profusion. From \$5.75 to \$9.50.

(Cloak and Costume Dept.)

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Limited.

King Street. Germain Street. Market Square.

Our Men's Overcoats

at ten dollars equal any \$18.00 coat made to order. Men's Overcoats, fashionable cut \$4.98 to \$14.00.

WILCOX BROS Market Sq. and Dock St.

Overshoes for the Family.

For Winter Foot protection and comfort, there's nothing like a pair of Overshoes. We have them for Men, Women and children. One, Two and Three Buckle. There is no warmer friend on a cold day than a pair of our good Winter Overshoes. They're not expensive. Men's and Women's Overshoes \$1.75, \$1.90, \$2.00, up to \$3.25. Boys' Misses' and Children's Overshoes, \$1.20, \$1.50, \$1.75, up to \$2.70 according to style and size.

Coady's Shoe Store, 61 Charlotte Street.

NEW CHINA

From all the leading EUROPEAN POTTERIES is being opened Daily. Call and see our display.

W. H. HAYWARD CO., Ltd., 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess Street.

HAVE YOU RECEIVED ONE OF BARKER'S XMAS CIRCULARS

They offer great inducements to purchasers. They are selling today.

KENT FLOUR at \$4.75 per bbl. All of regular 40c. TEA for 25c. 4 lbs for \$1.00. 4 pkgs of Jolly Powder for 25c, at

The 2 Barkers, Ltd., 100 PRINCESS STREET.

Inspection Costs Nothing.

About this time, when so many people are wondering what to select for Xmas, a visit to our store may help to solve the problem. Just now there is better opportunity for selection, and better stock to select from. Anything you may select will be laid aside for you on payment of small deposit.

L. L. SHARPE & SON, 21 King St, St. John, N. B.

Golf Jackets Are Seasonable

THIS IS COLFER WEATHER—when the wind blows cold, the air is sharp, and the need of a snug Woolen Jacket is felt.

COLLARLESS so as to go under the coat nicely.

COLOR, in variety, particular favor for reds.

ONLY \$1.90 EACH (Cloaks and Costumes)

BARGAINS IN Velours and Waistings

VELOURS A limited quantity of some very fine, soft qualities for Dressing Jackets, Bath Robes, Kimonos, etc. ONLY 12 1/2 c. YARD.

WAISTINGS In Union, All-Wool and Silk and Wool. Stripes, Checks, Embroidered Spots, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c. YARD.

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