

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1906.

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Snowshoes

Moccasins.

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SNOWSHOES.	MOCCASINS.
Men's.....\$3.50	Men's.....\$1.50
Women's.....3.00	Women's.....1.25
Boys'.....3.00	Boys'.....1.25
Girls'.....2.50	Girls'.....1.15
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At Moderate Prices.
You know and we know that a moderate price counts for very little unless it is backed up by first class merchandise. We therefore put the emphasis on a moderate price in order that we may put a greater emphasis on the high grade quality of every Overcoat in stock.

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Ask your grocer for them. Made by Canada's Match Makers, THE S. B. EDDY CO.

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Rubbers.

All the Newest and Very Best.
That is Granby. All sizes and styles.

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CHURCH CLERK AT ONE HUNDRED.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—James Carne, of St. Colum Minor (Cornwall), who is over 100 years of age, still attends to his Sunday duties as clerk at the parish church. He is very fond of gardening, and, having taken up all his potatoes, has just spent a few days' holiday at Newquay with his relatives.

AMEER AND WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—According to a telegram from Kabul, it is rumored in Afghanistan that the Ameer is disposed to agree to the extension into his territory of the wireless telegraph installation which is being established between Peshawar and Lundi Kotal and the new railway.

CORPORATION FLOWER SHOW.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Yarmouth Corporation has struck out a new line in municipal enterprise by holding a very successful chrysanthemum show in its winter garden on the sea front.

OLD AGE PENSION FOR COLLIERIES.

CARDIFF, Dec. 4.—The directors and employees of the Whiteworth collieries, Normanton, have established an old-age pension scheme, applicable to all underground workers at the firm's five pits. Representatives of the workers will have power to fix the amount of the pension.

RICH
or poor the price for milk is the same and quality is the only consideration. By testing daily and observing greatest care in handling we can guarantee our **MILK.**
Sussex Milk & Cream Co.,
Phone 522, 188 Pond St.

COMMERCIAL

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Prices moved within a narrow range in the opening dealings which were small and did not reflect active speculative interests. The tone was irregular. New York Central advanced 1 1/2, and National Biscuit, and North American large fractions. Colorado and Southern 1st pd., fell 1.

NIPISSING STILL ACTIVE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The activity in the stock of the Nipissing mines Co. continued on the curb stock market today. On very large transactions the price opened at 16 as compared with the closing of 14 1/2 yesterday.

In the first fifteen minutes of trading the price was advanced to 16 1/2.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.)

St. John, N. B., Dec. 5th, 1906.

Tues. Wed.

Cig. Op'g. Noon.

Amalg. Copper .. 117 1/2 118 1/2

Am. Sugar Rfrs. .. 137 1/2 137 1/2

Am. Smelt. and Rg. .. 102 1/2 102 1/2

Am. Car Foundry .. 45 1/2 45 1/2

Am. Woolen .. 34 1/2 34 1/2

Am. Locomotive .. 75 1/2 75 1/2

Brook. Rpd. Tract. .. 75 1/2 75 1/2

Balt. and Ohio .. 115 1/2 115 1/2

Ches. and Ohio .. 57 1/2 57 1/2

Canadian Pacific .. 185 1/2 185 1/2

Hocking .. 25 1/2 25 1/2

Consolidated Gas .. 138 1/2 138 1/2

Disaster .. 13 1/2 13 1/2

Erie .. 45 1/2 45 1/2

Illinois Central .. 175 1/2 175 1/2

Kansas and Texas .. 42 1/2 42 1/2

Mexican Central .. 146 1/2 146 1/2

Missouri Pacific .. 94 1/2 94 1/2

Nor. and Western .. 90 1/2 90 1/2

N. Y. Central .. 135 1/2 135 1/2

Ont. and Western .. 49 1/2 49 1/2

Pacific Mail .. 41 1/2 41 1/2

Penn. and Ohio .. 35 1/2 35 1/2

Reading .. 147 1/2 147 1/2

Republic Steel .. 38 1/2 38 1/2

St. Paul .. 132 1/2 132 1/2

Southern Ry. .. 34 1/2 34 1/2

Southern Pacific .. 94 1/2 94 1/2

Northern Pacific .. 122 1/2 122 1/2

National Lead .. 75 1/2 75 1/2

Texas Pacific .. 37 1/2 37 1/2

Tenn. C. and O. .. 186 1/2 186 1/2

U. S. Rubber .. 51 1/2 51 1/2

U. S. Steel .. 105 1/2 105 1/2

U. S. Steel, pd. .. 104 1/2 104 1/2

Sales yesterday, 723,000 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Tues. Wed.

Cig. Op'g. Noon.

Dec. corn .. 42 1/2 42 1/2

" wheat .. 14 1/2 14 1/2

" oats .. 33 1/2 33 1/2

March corn .. 43 1/2 43 1/2

" wheat .. 15 1/2 15 1/2

" oats .. 34 1/2 34 1/2

Jan. pork .. 14 1/2 14 1/2

Montreal Quotations.

Tues. Wed.

Cig. Op'g. Noon.

Dom. Coal .. 66 1/2 66 1/2

Dom. Iron and Steel .. 27 1/2 27 1/2

Nova Scotia Steel .. 70 1/2 70 1/2

C. P. R. .. 180 1/2 180 1/2

Twin City .. 109 1/2 109 1/2

Montreal Power .. 93 1/2 93 1/2

Rich. and Ont. Nav. .. 82 1/2 82 1/2

Detroit United .. 82 1/2 82 1/2

Toledo Light .. 29 1/2 29 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Cig. Op'g. Noon.

December .. 8.30 8.30

January .. 8.30 8.30

March .. 10.17 10.17

May .. 10.20 10.20

July .. 10.20 10.20

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society, of St. David's church, are holding an afternoon tea today. It is the annual thank offering service.

The ladies of the Fairview Methodist church will hold their annual sale and supper tomorrow evening.

You will greatly benefit yourself by attending the great overseas sale now going on at the Union Clothing Co., 26-28 Charlotte street, old Y. M. C. A. Building.

Springhill doctors have about twenty-five smallpox cases under treatment, and they say the trouble is decreasing. No one is permitted to leave the town without a medical certificate, and a notice is posted up for the board of health for No. 5 district, including Jorgins, River Hebert, etc., stating that no person will be allowed to enter that district from Springhill unless they have been recently vaccinated and produce a certificate to show that they did not come from any house where smallpox existed.

Tonight is the closing of roller skating in St. Andrew's Rinkway. The 52nd band will render a special programme of twelve pieces, and after the last band there will be two races, one between Smith and Kuffin, for a half mile, and a two mile between Vigor and Merritt. This will be Merritt's chance to show his speed, as he is at his best in long distances, and Vigor is also a fast distance skater, so that the race will be a fast and exciting one. As this will be the last chance to skate on the rollers for ten days, devotees of this popular pastime should not neglect this last opportunity. The new rink will not be ready for at least ten days.

Captain W. Legge, who for the past thirteen years has been a member of the Salvation Army, and for five years of the time an officer, has resigned, and intends engaging in evangelistic work. Mr. Legge has been on different occasions stationed at Indianown Mill Street, the Shelter, and in Fairville. He gives testimony to the great help the army has been to him. Mr. Legge has just returned from a mission trip on the St. John river and Grand Lake, and will leave tomorrow for Salmon River where he will conduct a series of meetings.

TO TEST THE STATUTE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—Under orders from Washington the representatives of the Department of Justice of California have been instructed to begin an action in the courts to test the legality of the state statute which provides that children of Mongolian descent shall attend a separate school.

FAMOUS CABLE EXPERT HERE TO TEST THE SUSPENSION BRIDGE

W. Hildenbrand of New York, the engineer who is to inspect the suspension bridge, arrived in the city yesterday and is staying at the Royal.

In speaking to a Sun reporter, Mr. Hildenbrand said that he had made a superficial examination of the bridge yesterday and it appeared to be kept in good condition, but owing to bad weather conditions he was not able to begin a thorough inspection. With the usual weather conditions Mr. Hildenbrand thinks the work will require about thirty working days. He will first inspect the anchorage of the bridge, and in regard to this, he said the bridge here is easily accessible, as the vaults at each end aid the inspector greatly. In other bridges part of the masonry has had to be taken away to allow the engineer to get at the cables imbedded in it.

Then the floor system of the bridge will be thoroughly inspected, after which the suspenders, and the saddles, at the top of the bridge will be carefully examined. This will be the most difficult part of the work. Four or five men will be engaged to remove the tower covers at the top of the bridge, and it has not yet been decided how this will be done. For his part Mr. Hildenbrand said that a ladder or a sling by which he could be hoisted to the top would be sufficient, but the men may need to have a stage built in order to remove the tower covers, which are over the saddles where the cables rest. The cables will also be inspected in the centre of the bridge, where the drop reaches its limit, because if any water had got into the cables it would run down to the centre, and the cables would be rusty at this point, if anywhere.

Mr. Hildenbrand says that this bridge is quite stiff, being helped greatly by the stiffening truss which is built on both sides. The engineer will take pieces of the cables and test them for strength. Regarding the cables he said that they are of iron while those of the bridges now being built are made of steel. Iron will stand the weather much better, but steel, being stronger, does not require the same bulk, and this is of importance on large bridges. The iron cables are most suitable for the bridge here, as the diameter of the cables is not excessive.

Mr. Hildenbrand, after inspecting the bridge, will prepare a detailed report.

BIG BOOM IN RUBBER TRADE

Canadian Consolidated With Capital of \$5,000,000 Takes in Three Big Concerns

Following is the Montreal Herald's account of the big rubber deal which has recently been put through. It was semi-officially announced on the "street" today that a big rubber deal has been put through that will mark another long step in the most sensational progress being made by the Canadian rubber industry.

It is understood that the Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co., Ltd., has been created with a capital in the vicinity of \$5,000,000 and a bond issue of \$2,000,000.

This is a holding company and will control the Canadian Rubber Co. of Montreal, the Granby Rubber Co. of Granby, Que., and the Maple Leaf Rubber Co. of Port Dalhousie, Ont. The news of the big deal created a great amount of interest in the financial district, as the business men and investors of Montreal have viewed with interest the progress now controlled by the rubber trade ever since the old Canadian Rubber Company fell into the hands of progressive business men a few months ago.

As a matter of fact, however, it is stated that Canada in showing marked advancement in this line of business is only reflecting the wonderful prosperity that exists in rubber trade conditions the world over.

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It is also asserted that the volume of rubber business here has been appreciably increased by reason of the enormous electrical and railroad developments now going on in the electrical plants of which Canada has many and will have many more being users of rubber products.

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Our Persian Lamb Jackets are becoming more popular all the time. They have style and quality.

The skins are choice—in small, medium or large glossy curls. The linings of Satin are plain dark or light figured materials of excellent quality.

The styles are from the centres of fine fashions.

Jackets made to order in any style—plain, or with Collar and Revers of Mink, Sable, Chinchilla or Ermine.

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We have just opened up a magnificent line of **Bon-Bon Crackers, Beautiful Baskets and Fancy Boxes, Dainty Sweets always on hand.**

Buyers need not go home to their dinner or supper, but may have either, or a lunch, in our dining room off our Parlor. Why wear tired expressions when by giving us a call you will leave wearing a bright and happy smile.

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MANUAL TRAINING

Announcement by Dr. Inch—A New Drawing Book for New Brunswick Schools.

The following notice from Dr. J. R. Inch appears in the Educational Review:

A New Brunswick Edition of Augustus's Drawing Standard Course, has been prescribed by the Board of Education for use in the schools. The Graded Practice Book for pupils, price 10 cents each, and the Manual for Teachers only, price 25 cents, will be on sale in the book stores early in January.

Training courses for teachers desirous of qualifying as licensed Manual Training instructors, will be held at the Provincial Normal School during the session of 1906-7 as follows:

Short Course—January 8 to March 23.
Full Course—January 8 to June 22, 1906.

The short course is intended to qualify teachers for the license to teach Manual Training in town schools. Candidates for admission should hold a first class license, and teachers holding a second class license, and having a good teaching record, may be admitted on their merits.

In each course students showing vision to discontinue at the end of one month from the date of entrance. Tuition is free, and the usual travelling allowance made to Normal students will be given to teachers who complete their course and proceed to the teaching of the subject in the public schools of the province.

TEETOTAL LORD MAYOR.
LEEDS, Dec. 4.—Joseph Hepworth, the new Lord Mayor of Leeds, is a rigid teetotaler, and his acceptance of the office has caused speculation in Leeds about his fulfilment of the duties of civic hospitality. The present Lord Mayor says that he was once a teetotaler, but is now in favor of temperance rather than abstinence.

HER MEMORY LOST.
LONDON, Dec. 4.—A respectably dressed woman, who arrived in Chatham from London by train, has been admitted to the workhouse there, having completely lost her memory. She says her husband keeps two large fried fish shops, but she doesn't know where. Some of her clothing is marked "Jones."

CAPTURED BY ELECTRICITY.
BIRMINGHAM, Dec. 4.—A traveler named Emanuel Heilbrun was fined at Birmingham for cutting leather seats at Messrs. Mitchell and Butler's hostelry in Birmingham. Many seats having been damaged, the firm's engineer adopted an ingenious method to detect the culprit. Wire latching with an electric bell attached was put immediately underneath the leather. The accused, on tipping the material with a knife, rang the bell and was caught red-handed.

HISTORIC BEACON DESTROYED.
LONDON, Dec. 4.—The beacon on the tower of Hadley church, near Barnet, which lighted the forces of Edward IV to the Battle of Barnet, 1471, and warned inlanders of the approach of the Spanish Armada, 1588, has been blasted by lightning, and replaced by a new bronze lantern.

SIXTY YEARS A LAMPLIGHTER.
LONDON, Dec. 4.—Timothy Boldra, who died at Yarmouth on Thursday night at the age of 82 years, had been in the service of the local gas company more than sixty years, and before that, a youth, was employed to light the street oil lamps with a flint and steel.

WIRELESS RECORD.
LIVERPOOL, Dec. 4.—The battleship Magnificent, which paid off at Devonport yesterday, succeeded on Saturday in getting into wireless touch with Gibraltar, a distance of 800 miles. This is said to be a record for battleship signalling.

ZOO'S AUTUMN ARRIVALS.
LONDON, Dec. 4.—The report of the Zoological Gardens for the month of September shows that 211 new animals were added to the menagerie, of which thirty were born in the gardens. Several species entirely new to the collection took up their residence at Regent's Park.

PERSONALS
Hon. A. G. and Mrs. Blair who arrived here today to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. F. P. Thompson, will go to Montreal this evening to visit their son-in-law Mr. Clarke, who is quite ill from typhoid fever.—Federation Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gregory are visiting relatives in Winnipeg. J. R. Stevens, of Truro, arrived in the city on the noon train today.

HIS OWN MEMORIAL.
LONDON, Dec. 4.—On a site generously given by Earl Carrington, the foundation stone was yesterday laid of a church to be dedicated to the memory of the late Rev. R. Oakley, who initiated the idea, but was fatally injured through being thrown from a motor cycle while taking part in a test race.

SUMMER IN DEVONSHIRE.
LONDON, Dec. 4.—Raspberries are still flourishing in a garden at St. Rudeaux, near Devonport. A few strawberries of fair size are also ripening in the same garden. About thirty "pennets" of raspberries were gathered during October in one garden at Calstock, on the Cornish side of the Tamar.



Some Things We Are Safer Without.