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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 1908.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure.

## Dykeman's

### Three Sweeping Bargains For Monday's Shoppers

Swish, Swish, Swish, SILK PETTICOATS at half their usual price and Heatherbloom Petticoats at one-third less than usual.

On Monday morning we place on sale a large lot of PURE TAFFETA SILK PETTICOATS AT \$3.98 each. They are made good and full from a nice quality of silk which has the genuine swish and come in three sizes. These skirts are tucked, flounced and fitted, the under flounce protecting the outside flounce in such a way that it will give the skirt extra wear.

HEATHERBLOOM SKIRTS AT \$2.50. These are sold in other stores at \$3.75. They are made from the real Heatherbloom material, have the same swish as silk but will wear much better.

A BARGAIN IN CHEFON TAFFETA SILK WAISTS. A lot of \$5.50 waists go on sale Monday morning at \$2.95. They are tailored, with fine tucks and soutache trimming, come in NAVY BLUE and CHESTNUT BROWN.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK WAISTS AT \$3.75. They are the regular \$5.00 quality, made from chiffon taffeta, perfect fitting, tailored. Sizes 28 to 40.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & Co.**  
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

### Parental Responsibility!

Parents should realize the responsibility that rests upon them. For instance, children's shoes should be properly selected. Only broad toe correct shape shoes should be worn. Eminent physicians claim that up to ten years of age the feet are moulded by the shoes. How necessary then to buy natural shaped shoes and to see they are properly fitted. We can supply you with correct shape shoes, measure, and fit the children's feet.

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**E. G. NELSON & Co.,**  
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

### NEW SKIRTS AND COATS

We have just received a shipment of tailor made skirts direct from manufacturing; great values.

Ladies' Fall Skirts in Black and Navy blue, at \$1.98, \$2.10, \$2.75, \$2.95, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$4.00.

Special in Blue, Green, Brown, Black and Fancy Mixtures, at \$3.25.

Big value in Ladies' Fall Coats, \$2.50, \$4.95, \$5.75, \$6.75, \$8.75, \$9.50 to \$14.00, wholesale prices.

**Arnold's Department Store,**  
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### We are Engaged

In the general jewelry business, and we have made a reputation for sterling honesty. We are receiving constantly new designs in Lockets, Brooches, Chains, etc., and our Watches, for both Ladies and Gentlemen, are well known to be accurate time-keepers. We also carry an enormous stock of Souvenir Goods at very moderate prices.

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### PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

Stores Open Tonight till 11.30

## If You Do Not Wear Our 25c. Cashmere Hose You Do Not Wear The Best. Try a Pair.

(cr. Duke and Charlotte St)  
Store Open Evenings.

### LOCAL NEWS

St. John Exhibition, September 12th to 19th.

The steamer Pomilio, from West Bay and Rappanahook from Halifax, arrived in port this morning.

A good time now to buy a good staple suit at \$2.98, at C. B. Pidgeon, Corner Main and Bridge streets. The regular price was \$3.00.

Master Wm. Lane wishes to run Mr. W. McKinley 2 1/2 miles any night next week. Please answer through this paper.

Registrar Jones reports that during the week seven marriages were recorded. There were ten births, four of the new arrivals being boys.

Rev. Warren K. McLeod, B. A., B. D., of Chicago, will preach at the morning and evening services in the new St. United Baptist Church tomorrow.

One lone drunk was sent to jail for ten days in default of paying a four dollar fine in the police court this morning.

A small boy was knocked down by a delivery team at Golden Ball corner, yesterday afternoon and narrowly escaped serious injury. A boy was driving the team was careless.

There were thirteen deaths in the city during the past week due to the following causes: cholera infantum, 4; Infantile; Enteritis, 1; Heart disease, 2; Uræmia, 1; Phthisis, 1; Marasmus, 1.

Rev. H. F. Waring, pastor of the First Baptist church, Halifax, will occupy the pulpit of Brussels street Baptist church, tomorrow, at both services. Rev. Mr. Waring was formerly pastor of the Brussels street church.

Swarts, the Jew, who was charged with assaulting a Jewish named Finegold, was fined \$20 in the police court this morning. It is said that Mrs. Swarts is bringing an action against the Finegold woman for assault.

Rev. David Hutchinson returned yesterday from a most enjoyable visit to Europe. Rev. Mr. Hutchinson visited many points of interest in England and Scotland during his trip of nine weeks. He will occupy his pulpit in Main St. Baptist church tomorrow.

The Laxmen's Missionary movement committee will meet at 3.30 p. m., on Monday, in the Stone church school room, to make arrangements for the series of meetings, etc., to be held in this city, September 16th-19th. All men interested are asked to meet with the committee.

### CHRISTIE CO. AND THE STREET SIGNS

A Number of Pointed Questions for the Aldermen.

Inference Is That the Method of Dealing With Tenders Was Rather Loose - An Enquiry Asked.

To the Editor of The Star:

Regarding your item on the tenders for the street signs our position in this matter is open and above board.

We tendered on the signs, submitting two carved signs which we thought might be preferred over the enamel sign, and being higher priced than the painted sign would not come in competition with the painters.

As the papers stated we were asked to submit a price for these done in black and gold. This tender we placed in the hands of the Director Department of Public Works the following morning—not several days afterward as did Vincent and Charlton.

The reason we withdrew our tender was that Mr. Vincent had been able to tell us what our first price was and from his conversation we were lead to believe that he had information about our second price. It looked as if our tenders had been handled either carelessly or unfairly and that it would be useless to let our figure go before the committee. That our suspicions were justified is born out by the fact that this second tender of Vincent and Charlton's was just low enough to beat ours while Mr. Vincent's first tender was 19 cents a sign higher.

As to backing Mr. Sullivan we have no connection with him whatever.

Now as to the "under hand methods" we are ready for an investigation. Are Vincent and Charlton? Why did they join hands leaving only one other tender—ourselves? Why did Mr. Vincent then approach us for a price on the boards? How was he able to tell us what our first price was? How was it that their final price was just low enough to beat ours when Mr. Vincent's first price was 19 cents a sign higher?

We hope that this matter will be gone into fully as it may show all the members of the Common Council the importance of having all tenders treated in a fair and business-like way.

Yours respectfully,  
The Christie Wood Working Company, Ltd.  
C. S. CHRISTIE, Secy.-Treas.

### PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. James Gensell, Harrison street, arrived home on Friday after spending several months in a visit to Ireland.

Mr. Allan E. Dolg, of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Co., at Montreal, came to the city yesterday and will spend about ten days here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Dolg, Carmarthen Street.

Mrs. Austin Dumphry, of the Fredericton Herald, Leonard T. Goucher, Mrs. Goucher and Miss T. Neahly, of Halifax, N. S. were guests with Mrs. W. G. Shanks, 19 Chipman Hill, this week.

### TWO BIG RACES ON SEPTEMBER 14TH

Events Arranged for Yachts and Sailing Boats

Valuable Money Prizes Offered for Sailing Contests During Exhibition Week.

At a meeting of the R. K. Y. Club at Millidgeville held last evening it was decided to hold two races on Monday, Sept. 14th. One race will be for yachts and the other for salmon boats. The races will be sailed over the following course—Starting from a point off Reed's Point wharf, thence to the whistling buoy, leaving it on the starboard hand, thence round Malouisy Island, leaving it on the starboard side, thence home, leaving Partridge Island, and the bell buoy on port hand, and finishing at the starting line. The time limit, which will be the same in each race, will be three and a half hours. Two judges will officiate for each race, and starters, timers and measurers will be selected by the sailing committee of the R. K. Y. C.

The yacht race will be open to all yachts of registered 90 ft. or more, and not to exceed below 20 ft. by the Seavonahaka measurement. The salmon boat race is open to river salmon boats, and the fishermen of the bay. Entries are to close on Sept. 10th at 6 p. m., with H. Bevelley Robinson, secretary. There will be an entrance fee of one dollar for salmon boats, and five dollars for yachts. All yachts and salmon boats must have distinguishing numbers on the sails. Those not already supplied can secure them at the time they are fitted.

The salmon boat race will start at 11.30 a. m. and the yacht race at 12 p. m.

The following yachts are expected to start—Canada, Louvina, Viking, Rena, Vagabond, Per Yuen, Glencairn, Possum and Savitar, all of the R. K. Y. C., Hermes, of Yarmouth, Ulvra and Sigina 3rd of St. Andrews. It is also hoped that entries will be received from other yacht clubs.

In the salmon boat race it is expected that practically all the river salmon boats will take part while the bay fishermen are showing an active interest in the event.

Prizes have been arranged as follows for the yacht race:

First prize, \$50.  
Second prize, \$30.  
Third prize, \$15.  
Fourth prize, \$5.

And for the salmon boat race—

First prize, \$25.  
Second prize, \$15.  
Third prize, \$10.  
Fourth prize, \$5.

It is hoped that the merchants of the city in the interests of sport will also present other prizes for these events, as the boys are going to considerable expense of money and time to make these races a success. The races promise, because of the many fast boats available, to be as good as any ever held here. Most of the courses can be seen from the exhibition grounds.

It has been decided that the salmon boats will race boat for boat, no extra sails allowed.

The above conditions are subject to change by the sailing committee of the R. K. Y. C.

### UPSETS A LAMP; FATALLY BURNED

HALIFAX, Aug. 28.—By the upsetting of a lighted lamp in his room in the Florence Hotel, North street, tonight Stephen White, aged ninety-one years, was seriously and probably fatally burned. He was alone at the time and had a fellow boarder come promptly to his assistance who would have been burned to death. He was terribly injured and is now in Victoria Hospital. Owing to his advanced age but slight hopes are held out for recovery.

### WANTS ITALY TO JOIN AGAINST VENEZUELA

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The Standard's Rome correspondent says that the Dutch Government has opened port parlers to ascertain what diplomatic or other assistance Italy will render her in connection with the dispute with Venezuela. The correspondent adds that similar steps will be taken with London and Berlin.

### MRS. T. M. WETMORE DEAD

DORCHESTER, N. B., Aug. 28.—Mrs. Lillie Wetmore, widow of T. Medley Wetmore, formerly of Gaspoint, died here today, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Friel.

### TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

FOR SALE—One good work horse for sale cheap. Call after five p. m. at 28 Guilford St., West End. 29-8-6

### LOST—Heart shaped Locket, set with Brillants, chain attached. From Haymarket Square to King St. East, by way of Charlotte. Kindly return to Star Office. 29-8-1

### WANTED—General girl. Apply at once, 75 King street, east, over Macaulay's Box. 29-8-6

### Young men wanted to learn candy making. Apply Phillips and White Co., 13 1-2 Dock street. 29-8-2

### LOST—A few days ago, a small purse containing a lady's long gold watch chain. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 142 Charlotte St. 29-8-1

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### Parents Attention!

Once again I beg to call your attention to the fact that the vacations are rapidly drawing to a close. Now is the time to have your children's teeth attended to. Don't procrastinate. We make a specialty of children's teeth. We do all our work well and painlessly. We do all the highest grade work in dentistry at the most reasonable prices in Canada. ONCE OUR PATIENT, ALWAYS OUR PATIENT.

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### DAMAGED BLANKETS

400 Pairs 10x4 Shaker Blankets, Slightly Soiled, worth \$1.25, Sale Price 78c

200 Pairs 11x4 Shaker Blankets, worth \$1.50, Sale Price 88c

\$4.50 All Wool Blankets. Sale Price \$2.98

\$6.00 All Wool Blankets, Sale Price \$3.98

If in need buy at once.

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**DOMINION SPECIALTY CO., LTD.**  
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Bargains for Saturday and Monday at THE 2 BARKERS, LTD.

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Choice Potatoes, 14c pk.	5 10c pkgs. Swift's W. Powder for 25c.
8 bars Barkers' Soap, 25c.	6 pkgs. White Wave Powder for 25c.
Corn and String Beans, 8c. can.	Barkes' Pride Flour \$5.50.
1 lb. of pure Cr. Tartar, 25c.	1 lb. of 30c. Coffee for 20c.
1 lb. of 30c. Coffee for 20c.	Best Manitoba Flour \$6.50.
1 lb. 35c. Coffee for 25c.	21 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for \$1.00 and if you purchase 1 lb. of our 20c. tea we will give you 22 lbs. of sugar.
A reg. 40c. tea for 25c. a lb.	
3 bottles Tomato Catsup, 25c.	
3 pt. bottles W. Sauce, 25c.	

### YOUR ADMIRING GAZE

Will be loth to leave off studying our snappy line of Ladies' Gloves. They have a rich and distinguished appearance and they are now priced so low that any lady can afford to buy a pair.

Ladies' Long Silk Gloves, white, black, grey, fawn, 75c, 95c, \$1.00 per pair

Ladies' Long Lisle Gloves, white, black, grey,..... 75c per pair

Taffeta Gloves, wrist length,..... 25c, 30c, 35c per pair

Silk Gloves, wrist length,..... 50c per pair

**S. W. McMackin, 335 Main St., N.E.**

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**Soft Front Shirts.**—The popular style for all seasons. We have added to our stock several lines of entirely new designs; custom made perfect fitting. Reliable cloths in the newest color tints. Plain and plated fronts. Cuffs attached and separate. Sizes 14 to 18. Prices \$1.00, to \$3.75

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