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Things Have Changed.

Things are Changing.



Today, how different. This store, although the youngest in age during the period of its existence has done much to make shopping easy and pleasant. It has a large assortment of the newest and best goods, and to break down the wall of existing high prices. That our policy is accepted is clearly shown by increased sales from month to month.

We thank the public sincerely for this and will continue to give every attention to their needs. **Close buy for cash and close selling for cash** must win. Give you with us!

September Wants

Have been carefully considered as now the demands of cooler weather can be fully satisfied by a visit here.

Dress Goods.

On our counters will now be found a fine assortment of Home spun, Broadcloths, Friezes, etc., suitable for fall garments.

Underwear.

We present a very large and well assorted stock in all sizes, suitable for men, women and children.

Flannelettes.

We have these in a large assortment of colors and qualities. We have something suitable for every requirement.

French Flannels.

Well selected patterns. Nice qualities. Good for children's dresses, waists, wrappers, etc.

Shaker Flannels.

The best that can be purchased to sell at the following prices, 6c, 8c, 10c, 12c and 15c.

Bargain Day Friday.

SEE WINDOWS.

R. N. WYSE,

WHITE STORE.

Another Watch Snap

Until Sept. 7th we will sell a P. S. Bartlett Watch, silver cased, for the exceptionally low price of

\$12.50.

Buy early as our stock is limited and we cannot get any more at these prices.

H. WILLISTON & Co.,
JEWELERS.

FEW SPECIAL LINES
OR THIS WEEK'S BARGAIN DAY,
WEDNESDAY.

Corsets, some odds and ends of lines that we are going out of—good corsets and all right but we are not keeping them any more, 50c. to \$1.00 now all one price, 35c.

OVES. GLOVES.

Lisle three 1 and taffeta gloves priced at 15c, 20c and 25c, now 10c and 15c.

15 pieces dress goods 45c. to 60c., for Wednesday, 39c. 10 pieces dress goods worth 35c. per yard, now 25c.

Ladies' gossamers to clear. \$6.75 garments for \$5.50. \$4.75 garments for \$4.00.

\$3.75 garments for \$3.00.

About 15 men's suits, dark Halifax tweeds, also brown and grey checks worth \$6.50, for Wednesday, \$4.95. 6 only men's suits, good strong dark tweed, priced at \$5.00, for Wednesday, \$3.90. Suits for boys from 5 to 9 years, prices ranging from \$2.25 to \$3.00. We have laid them in two piles and marked them \$1.90 and \$3.75. Some are in this lot.

Have you taken advantage of our Wednesday Bargain Sales, if not just try us this time.

CLARKE & CO.

COMMERCIAL

PRINTING.

We again call your attention to our exceptional

facilities for handling the above class of work

With our large assortment of new type and good

paper stock we can produce work in the latest styles

of the art at prices that compare favorably with

city offices. Order at once before the rush

ANSLOW BROS.

BASE BALL

Some Interesting Games
Played Monday

NEWCASTLE WINS

Moncton and Chatham Play
at Chatham—Other
Games.

Monday, Labor Day was a base ball day. All the teams were engaged and some good games witnessed. At Newcastle the C. T. A. team of Chatham played the Junior Corn Killers and a very good game was witnessed. At the commencement the Newcastle team led but Chatham picked up until the score was 7-8 in favor of Chatham in the seventh inning but Newcastle by hard playing evened the score and had one run to their credit and only one man out when the game was declared finished. The score was 11-12. The Chatham boys were considerably heavier than the local team. It was a good clean game being free from the many squabbles usually witnessed on the ball field. The Umpire, Wm. Ashford, in his decisions pleased all and his rulings were acknowledged just. The L. O. L. band furnished music.

At Chatham the Moncton and Chatham teams played at Chatham and Chatham led. Score 8-6.

At Bathurst the Royal Oaks of Chatham played the local team in the morning and Bathurst led. Score 11-10.

In the afternoon the Royal Oaks played the Campbellton team and beat them. Score Chatham 16, Campbellton 6.

CHATHAM GIRL A SUICIDE IN BOSTON.

Nellie Martin Took Carbolic Acid—
[No Reason Known—Mother Said
To Belong to Chatham N. B.]

Boston, Aug. 31.—Nellie Martin, 30 years and domestic in a lodging house at 18 Bulfinch street, died last night in the Massachusetts general public hospital, as a result of taking a quantity of carbolic acid.

Freeman H. Holmes runs the lodging house. He said that Miss Martin had worked for him two years. He had no explanation to offer of the deed except that she had been complaining more or less for some weeks of a stomach trouble. She was feeling unusually bad, and acted rather despondent on Saturday, he said, but since that time and up to last evening she appeared to be feeling stronger.

The idea that she might be bent on taking her life did not occur to any one in the house, it was said there late at night, and no one paid much, if any, attention to the young woman during last evening. She was around the house apparently looking after things, as was her wont, and was seen by some of the lodgers as late as 7.45 o'clock and was all right then. Half an hour later one of the lodgers went into the sitting room on the ground floor and saw Miss Martin lying on the couch, her face very pale, and a strong odor of Carbolic acid was in the room.

She did not reply when spoken to, and it was discovered that she was unconscious. A messenger was sent for physicians, and Drs. Parker and Mac responded. They said the young woman was suffering from carbolic acid poisoning and recommended that she be taken to a hospital.

She was taken to the Massachusetts general hospital, where she died at 9.15.

It is said at the lodging house that Miss Martin's only relative, so far as known, is her mother, who is said to live in Chatham, N. B.

GOVERNMENT STEAMER MINTO SUFFERS BY FIRE.

Ablaze at Charlottetown—Some
Hundreds of Dollars Damage—
Oil Tank Explodes.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 1.—Fire occurred on the government steamer Minto at Charlottetown, P. E. I. this morning and caused damage amounting to several hundred dollars. It will delay her departure for Quebec a week or ten days. The fire started among some city waste and was confined to the engine room and the damage was mostly to the woodwork, but the iron work about the room was also damaged, the iron being warped and paint burnt off. The engines are thought to have escaped injury. The engine room stores were all destroyed. Fresh fuel was added to the fire by the explosion of the oil tank.—Telegraph.

WANTED.—A reliable girl for housework. Small family. Apply Mrs. M. R. Hunt, Douglastown.

Mrs. J. R. Breen is expected to speak here on Sept. 12th.

RAIN CAUSES RAGING FLOOD.

Cleveland has a Terrible Experience
—\$1,000,000 Loss in Property
No Fatalities.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 1.—At dawn this morning Cleveland awoke to look upon devastation caused by a raging flood. The great volume of raging water vented its anger over miles of the eastern portion of the city and did damage approximating \$1,000,000. A terrific rain commenced shortly after 2 o'clock, turned into a cloudburst between 3 and 5 and then continued with great force until nearly 10 o'clock. That no lives were lost is nothing short of a miracle. Stories of shelling escapes were told. The raging waters spread over an area in the east and nearly eight miles long and a mile and a half wide.

Houses were undermined as if built of straw and almost incredible damage done to streets and property.

Culverts, trestles and bridges were torn down. Hundreds of residents were imprisoned in their homes until saved from their perilous position; but the local boats proved inadequate and it was soon found necessary to call on the life saving crew from the river a distance of seven miles. The life boats were loaded on wagons and hurried to the scene.

The torrent surged with awful force for hours in Deering street and over a dozen families were penned up with water five and six feet deep surrounding their homes. At this point the life saving crew, assisted by squads of firemen and policemen, succeeded in landing the terror-stricken people in places of safety.

Shortly before noon the torrent undermined scores of graves in St. Joseph's cemetery and the bodies were soon being tossed about in the water.

The great flood boiled over the banks of Dean Brook along the boulevard and great jagged holes are torn in the beautiful driveway.

Gordon and Wade parks on the south side are damaged to an amount estimated at \$100,000.

Through Glensville the loss is estimated at \$100,000. The street railways will suffer a loss placed at \$50,000.

A remarkable feature of the storm is that up to 6 o'clock this morning hardly a drop of rain fell west of Wilson avenue.

Residents along East Prospect street, near Lincoln avenue, on Lincoln avenue and Glen Park place, were aroused between 4 and 5 o'clock in the morning by the sound of the booming waters. The water continued to rise steadily until it was eight feet deep.

By six o'clock the residents along Lincoln avenue commenced to remove furniture and valuables to the second stories as the rushing torrent reached the level of front porches and, in a number of houses swept into the first floors.

The waters rushed back from Lincoln avenue, until the big space just east of the avenue and between East Prospect street and Esplanade place, were a great mass of angry water from four to ten feet deep.

Huge pieces of lumber were twirled around like corks and banged into many houses, threatening them with destruction.

The residents along the north side of East Prospect street from Lincoln avenue to within a few feet of Billings avenue, were penned in their houses like stranded alders. The water ran up to the porch steps and within a few feet of the porches it was from four to five feet deep.

The families of Mrs. V. E. Newton and F. A. Warren, on Willamette Court, had a terrible experience. Mrs. Newton's mother, Mrs. Caroline Hamm, aged 86 years, is in a serious condition as a result of the fright and exposure.

COUNCILLOR'S ELECTION.

The elections for councillors takes place next Tuesday and a good deal of interest is being aroused in some of the parishes but in many the councillors have been elected by acclamation.

Couns. Davidson and Doyle were elected for Newcastle. Croker and Parker for Derby and Pond and Campbell for Ludlow. There will be a contest in Blackville.

Naval Disaster Averted.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 30.—During the naval manoeuvres off Halifax harbor about three o'clock this morning a second Victoria Camperdown disaster almost resulted. The fleet was approaching the harbor to repel an imaginary attack by the torpedo boats. The lights were out on all the ships and they were stealing their way in, the guns being all manned and the crews prepared for action.

When two miles off Camperdown signal station the cruisers swung inwards on the same circle.

When the ships became visible to the crews in the moonlight they were heading straight for each other. The engines were quickly reversed and the excitement for a time was intense, the men from below rushing to the decks.

The ships' courses were at once altered and a serious accident was averted. If it had not been prevented.

OVER THE WIRES.

More Oil Struck at St. Joseph's, N. B.

SERIOUS WRECK.

Died In South Africa—Shooting
Affair—Other News
or Interest.

Strike Settled.

MONTREAL, Aug. 30.—The C. P. R. trackmen's strike has been settled. According to the terms of settlement the men accept the best of settlement arrived at between General Manager McNeill and the Conciliation Committee, which concedes partial recognition of the trackmen's organization.

Oil Struck.

MONCTON, Aug. 29.—Interview to-night in regard to a second strike of oil at St. Joseph's, N. B. Ledge said oil sands had been struck this morning, and after penetrating two feet they struck oil. The second well is producing and looks better than the first well. Oil sands were struck at about the same depth as in well No. 1, which indicates that they run right along about the same depth. The two wells are about 450 feet apart.

It is the intention to start more wells and, as new machinery is coming, it is expected to have three or four wells started within a week. Tarpauling has not yet commenced and nothing in this connection will be done until several wells have been sunk.

Another Horror.

KALISPEY, Mont., Aug. 31.—A west bound passenger train on the Great Northern road was wrecked about 8.30 o'clock last night near Nyack station, forty miles east of Kalispel, in the mountains. An east bound freight train backed out of the switch at Essex and broke in two, 28 cars going down the mountainside, crashing into the passenger train without warning. The special car of Assistance General Superintendent P. L. Downs and a day coach of laborers were demolished and caught fire and burned. Superintendent Downs and his son were instantly killed, as was their cook. Many laborers were killed and burned, but the number cannot at this time be ascertained.

A Desperate Shooting Affair.

On East Queen Street Yesterday Afternoon.

A very serious shooting affair took place on Queen Street East, yesterday afternoon at about 3.30 o'clock.

When a man named George T. Hamilton, while under the influence of liquor, started a quarrel in the house of Mrs. Thomas Nolan, mother-in-law of Hamilton's. Blows were exchanged between Hamilton and a young man named Gerrit Nolan. Hamilton being worsted in this fight, went into his house, which is next door to Nolan's, there securing a rifle and a quantity of ammunition, returned to Nolan's house, and opened up a brisk fusillade.

Six shots were fired in quick succession into the house. Six persons were in the house at the time of the shooting; fortunately no person was hit.

Chief William Green appeared on the scene, and found Hamilton in his house up stairs. A sharp scuffle took place between Hamilton and the officer, who handcuffed, and with the assistance of Mr. Parker, lodged the prisoner in jail.

This morning Hamilton was brought before the Police Court, and on being charged with shooting with an attempt to kill, was sent back to jail until Tuesday, at 10 o'clock when the case will be further heard.—Truro Daily News.

Put "Hubby" in a Safe.

Marguerite Dangler, just tried at Exeter for murdering her husband, has been sentenced to three years imprisonment. Describing the affair, Miss Dangler said: "I was in the habit of going out alone whenever I feel like it. I believe in mutual freedom in the married state. One evening my husband tried to forcibly stop me as I was passing from my apartment as I was passing from my apartment through our store going to a ball, while he was to remain at home to finish the accounts. A fight ensued and I, being the stronger, finally threw my husband into a big safe and slammed the door shut. I returned from the dance at midnight and tried unsuccessfully to open the safe. Then I went to bed, relying on my employee to release my husband. The next morning the cashier found M. Dangler dead, his face scratched, his clothes torn and his wrists chafed, presumably in his despair, feeling death inevitable. The wife testified that it never occurred to her that the safe was airtight and that her husband was in danger of suffocation."

Boers Derail a Train.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—Lord Kitchener reports to the war office that nine persons were killed and 17 others wounded in the shooting and derailing of a train on the Orange River.