

10 THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1908.

DOWLING BROS., The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

New Spring Dress Goods

Shadow Stripes, Shades, Brown, Garnet, Myrtle, Fawn, Lt. Navy, Dark Navy, Black, etc., 40in. wide, 60c. a yard. Shadow Stripes, Lt. Brown, Dk. Brown, Myrtle, etc., 48in. wide at 85c. a yard. Fancy Stripes, Shades, Navy, Myrtle, Reseda, Fawn, Black, etc., 44in. wide, \$1.10 and \$1.25 a yard. Venetian Cloth, in all the new shades, 38 to 50in. wide, prices 55c. 60c. 75c. 85c. 90c. and \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard.

NEW COAT CLOTH. Covert Cloth Stripes in all the new shades of Lt. and Dark Fawns, all the latest patterns to choose from 54in. wide at \$1.75, \$1.90, \$1.95, and \$2.25 a yard.

Dowling Brothers 95 & 101 King St.

Dykeman's

Ladies' Raincoats.

We have a large range of these goods at such low prices as ought to induce you to at least examine them if you are in need of a Raincoat. Our coats are well finished, good fits, and are Rainproof. Prices, \$4.50, \$5.65, \$7.50, \$8.25, \$8.40 and up to \$19.50.

One very special line priced \$8.25 is a particularly striking style and is made from a good, close, finely woven Covert Cloth.

A GREAT BARGAIN IN CHILDREN'S RAINCOATS. Reduced to almost one-half price. They are now \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$2.75. These were as high as \$4.75. They will fit children from 7 to 15 years.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 59 Charlotte Street

ANDERSON'S DERBYS

\$2.00 and \$2.50 We have the reputation of handling the best \$2.00 STIFF HAT in the City and we deserve it. Quality, Style and Satisfaction that no other Hat has. Another Shipment of those Guaranteed British Felt Hats just opened. CALL AND INSPECT. ANDERSON & Co., 55 Charlotte St.

WE ARE RIGHT IN THE SWING

With the latest styles and shades in Children's Coats and Hats for the coming season. Novelties that all-dressy ladies will at once fall in love with. We invite you to call and inspect our new offerings in these lines.

Silk and Muslin Hats, 55c., 75c. and \$1.00

Silk Hats (Pink, White and Blue) 75 cts. and \$1.85

Silk Bonnets, 60c., 75c., 85c., \$1.00, 1.60, 1.95

Muslin Bonnets, 25c., 50c., 60c., 75c., \$1.45

S. W. McMACKIN, - - 335 Main St., N. E.

Silverware at Less Than Cost

Tea Sets, Cake Baskets, Butter Dishes, Castors, Pickle Jars, etc., at less than cost. Great Reductions on all Lines of Gold Filled Jewelry. 1 Dozen Beautiful Solid Silver Neck Chains for young people, only 75c each.

DAVIS BROS., Reliable Jewelers, 84 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. The Kirk Brown Company in "By Right of Sword" at the Opera House. "Far-Of China" and other picture attractions at the Nickel.

LATE LOCALS

George Hewitt will address the temperance meeting at the Every Day Club at four o'clock tomorrow afternoon. If it is not raining this evening members of the Every Day Club will meet at the grounds as soon after six o'clock as possible.

The river boats are only bringing in a fair supply of produce the continuous rain interfering considerably with business. In spite of the rain, the frochet has not shown any marked change though it is expected to make considerable difference.

The children's choir of Brussels street church and the male quartette of the Tabernacle church will sing at the temperance meeting in the Every Day Club tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. A. B. Cobbe will deliver an address. There will also be a meeting at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Capt. Isaac Fulmore, I. Lorne Pugsley and Burton Smith of Five Islands, have purchased the schooner Emily, from Captain George A. Morris, of Advocate. She is 50 tons register, and was built in 1902 and was formerly in packet service between Advocate and St. John. She will now be used for the same purpose between Five Islands and St. John.

Seventeen burial permits were issued by the board of health during the present week for deaths from the following causes:—Tuberculosis, peritonitis and obstruction of bowels, two each; accident, consumption, influenza, cancer, paralysis, premature birth, acute nephritis, arterio sclerosis, softening of brain, compression of brain and malignant disease of abdomen, one each.

W. N. Collins, president of the International Brotherhood of Railroad Employees at St. John, will leave this evening to attend the convention of the brotherhood, which meets in Boston on the 11th. Delegates from other points in the province came in on today's C. P. R. train from the east and will go through on the Boston train. The Canadian delegation are in the charge of J. W. Clark, joint chairman of the Canadian division.

Members of the Boston Philharmonic Society, accompanied by a number of solo artists, were among the passengers by steamer Boston yesterday morning. From Boston en route to Wolfville, where they take part in the May Musical Festival, which commences in that town this evening. Mr. John C. Mallory, formerly of St. John, but now a prominent member of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, is included in the sextette—Lamont Light, May 7.

E. M. Williams of the Bank of N. B. A. staff here has been transferred to Halifax. Mr. Williams yesterday received word from the Canadian Report and Development Co., Ltd., Montreal that he has been one of the successful competitors in their recent name contest and had been awarded a cash prize of \$500. The lot is situated on Lake St. Francis, among the Laurentian Mountains, and overlooks the lake. Balmoral was the name submitted by Mr. Williams.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Mrs. Jane Marsters, late of St. Martin's, widow gives to her son, John MacGregor Hastings, \$1,000, and to her son, Robert F. H. Hastings, \$1,000, and to the latter, household furniture, etc., jewelry in her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth MacGregor, the said jewelry and other property given to her by the testatrix during her lifetime to be equally divided between her two daughters, Miss Beatrice, at her death; the rest of the estate to her son Robert. The two sons and daughter named are appointed executors, who were duly sworn. Real estate \$450; personal property \$3,050. Clarence H. Ferguson, proctor.

PERSONAL

Gilbert C. Gordon returned to the city on today's Boston train. F. G. Spencer was a passenger to the city on the Boston train today. Fred Crosby came in on today's Montreal train. Guy Robinson came in from Montreal at noon today. Daniel McKenzie returned to the city on the Montreal train today. Hon. C. W. Robinson, leader of the provincial opposition, passed through the city today en route to his home in Moncton.

Mrs. Paul McLeod passed through the city today en route to her home in Halifax after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bridges. Alderman J. W. Vanwart and Mrs. Vanwart will leave on the steamer Governor Cobb this evening for a trip to Boston and New York.

THE LATE HAROLD GREGG.

There was great grief at Long Reach over the death of Harold Gregg, the victim of the recent gunning accident, who died at the hospital here. Dr. Gilchrist telephoned to John Frodsham to have a wreath sent on behalf of the children of the school at the Reach where Mr. Gregg taught. Mr. Frodsham complied with the request. Mr. Gregg was only eighteen years old and a young man of great promise. His remains will be laid to rest at his native place in Kings county.

TO NIGHTS—GRAND CONCERT.

One of the most attractive concerts heard in the city for some time is the appearance this evening in Trinity School room of the Palmarone Scatetic composed of six leading members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. The concert is under the direction of Miss Annie Lugin and the orchestra will be assisted by Mrs. Spencer, in two vocal numbers. Tickets may be obtained at the school room should be crowded to the doors.

J. B. Lambkin, D. P. A., I. C. R., with Gold Crown in Canada. Gold Filling, \$1 up. Silver Filling, 50c. up. Bridge Work, \$2 and \$3. Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, 15 cts. Sole right to use the famous Hale Method. Finest Dental Apartments in Canada. None but Experts employed. Consultation Free. Office hours, 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Cars pass our door every five minutes. DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor

STAMPS AND PAPERS WERE VERY COSTLY

Each Member of Old House Must Have Written 86 Letters a Day to Dispose of All the Stamps Given Him.

Fredericton, May 9.—The expenditure of the old government under the heading of contingencies will further enlighten the reader as to the haphazard and indifferent way in which the people's money has been handled. In what is called the legislative Assembly contingencies are items running up to \$2,000 payments made to Dr. James Hannay, for reporting the proceedings of the house last session. This is for eight and a half weeks work at the rate of \$300 a week and \$100 thrown away. But Dr. Hannay was the presiding genius of the late government's press bureau, and was otherwise useful to members of the government; and the \$300 a week with the \$100 thrown in was not all. The contingencies account also paid his stenographer for the session, provided stationery sufficient to keep him going for six months at least, and made him an allowance in dollars for postage for a year. For the reading of the proofs of the laws passed last session, preparation of the index and the chapter headings, payments were made aggregating \$749.80, or more than two-thirds the whole cost of the printing, including the paper. The stationery used by the officials during the session is set out as costing \$467.27, which at ten cent a pound would be nearly two half weeks and one day of food, paper and envelopes for an eight and a half weeks session. In addition to this there is a charge "stationery during session," which must mean members' stationery; another \$400, or nearly another two and a half tons, incredible as it may appear. But this is not all; there was a further sum of \$900 paid out for what is called "interim stationery and telegraphing," which may mean that the members who supported the old government could divide \$300 among themselves, charging up to telegraphing and stationery up three tons of paper and envelopes and take it home with them. The \$400 charge for postage for members during the session would buy 23,000 two cent stamps, or 800 for each member, to use which he would need in the eight and a half weeks of the session, at the rate of the equivalent of 86 letters a day. Including \$45 for ice for the session, and \$9.75 for the water filter, the other items added to charges above mentioned run the legislative assembly contingencies of last year up to \$7,991.22. It is to be expected that some supervision must be exercised under the new regime in controlling even the contingencies of the assembly.

STOLE MONEY AND WATCH

A Guest at Ottawa Hotel the Victim of a Sneak Thief.

A sneak thief entered the room of C. A. Phillips, of Bristol station, in the Ottawa Hotel, last Wednesday evening and stole his gold watch valued at \$100. On May 1st Mr. Phillips came to St. John accompanied by his daughter and put up at the Ottawa. Mr. Phillips had been ill and came here to consult a physician. He spent most of the time in his room, but on Wednesday night had occasion to go to the stairs for a short time. He left his watch on the table and his door unlocked. On his return the watch and \$100 in cash were missing. A thorough search failed to reveal its whereabouts. The matter was placed in the hands of the police and the thief evidently frightened at this action returned the watch without revealing his identity.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET.

Friday, May 8, 1908. New York Stock Quotations. Closing Opening Noon Saturday May 9, 1908.

Table with columns for stock names (Amalg. Copper, Am. Sugar, etc.), closing prices, opening prices, and noon Saturday prices.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May corn 71 1/2, 71 1/4, 71 1/2. May wheat 104 1/2, 104 1/4, 104 1/2. July wheat 93 1/2, 93, 93 1/2. July pork 15.60, 15.60, 15.60.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for Montreal stock names (Dom. Coal, Dom. Iron & Steel, etc.), closing prices, opening prices, and noon Saturday prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

May 8.50, 8.50, 8.50. July 8.85, 8.85, 8.85. December 8.75, 8.75, 8.75.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE—IN WEST ST. JOHN: 2 acres land—Cottage house containing 2 1/2 acres and store also a cottage. Address "BUSINESS," Times Office. WANTED—LADIES TO COPY LETTERS: at home, write time, good pay, cash weekly, reliable; send stamp. 2500. 100-2011. WANTED—A FEW GOOD MACHINE: stitchers on shirt waists; also learners taken; paid while learning. Apply at once 107 Prince William St., METROPOLITAN WAIST COMPANY. WANTED—BOOTMAKERS AND HELP: in retailing department. Apply to J. N. HARVEY, Opera House Block. 1117-5-11

GOLDEN BREAD MADE OF EAGLE FLOUR. EAGLE KEEPS MOIST.

ROCK RIB COTTON HOSE FOR BOYS

Sizes 7, 7 1-2, 8, 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2, and 10cets., at 20cets. pair, regular price 25cets.

TAN RIBBED COTTON HOSE FOR BOYS. Sizes 7, 7 1-2, 8 and 8 1-2, 25 cents a Pair.

JUST THE SHADE OF YOUR BOOTS. ROBERT STRAIN & CO. 27 and 29 Charlotte Street

NEW SPRING SUITS FOR MEN. SPECIAL AT \$12, \$13.50, \$15, \$16.50 and \$20.

Our Designers and Tailors have fashioned these Handsome Spring Suits and added to distinctiveness of the Fabrics by excellence of Modelling and Workmanship.

FANCY VESTS at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$3.75.

AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE, 11-15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

SPECIAL NEW DINNER SET.

English Porcelain, Beautifully Decorated, Clover Blossoms, and Heavy Gold Edge. 97 Pieces. Only \$10.00.

W. H. Hayward Co. Limited, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess Street

LAWN MOWERS

WOODYATT AND STAR. ALL SIZES.

W. H. THORNE & Co., Ltd. Market Square, St. John, N.B.

BIG SALE UNTIL 10 TO-NIGHT NORFOLK SUITS

AT FOUR SPECIAL PRICES \$2.15, \$2.85, \$3.40, \$3.90

AN ANNUAL CLEARING SALE WITH BIG BARGAINS.

GREATER BARGAINS THAN EVER BEFORE

EVERY YEAR we hold a notable price-conceding sale of Boys' Norfolk Suits, undoubtedly one of the biggest sellers on the clothing market. Here we are again with a handsome collection of Odd Suits of this kind and the broken lines will be cleared out with gusto to-day.

EVERY SUIT REGULAR STOCK CORRECT DESIGN AND STYLE ATTRACTIVE NEW TWEEDS NEW RELIABLE CHEVIOTS SMART HOMESPUNS LIGHT AND DARK GREYS LIGHT AND DARK BROWNS EXPERT TAILORING THE BEST OF WORK ALWAYS HONEST TRIMMINGS

TO-NIGHT UNTIL TEN O'CLOCK.

Sizes 24 to 32 inches Breast. (No sale goods on approval.)

Manchester Robertson Allison Ltd.

