

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. MONDAY, APRIL 6 1908

THREE

GREAT BARGAINS IN Rain Coats

From \$5.49 to \$18.00

UNION CLOTHING COMPANY,

26-28 Charlotte Street. Opp. City Market

ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

Provincial Liberal Convention

A Convention of the Members of the Liberal Party in the Province of New Brunswick will be held at the City of St. John, on

Wednesday, April 22nd, 1908,

for the purpose of considering and acting upon matters of general importance to the party.

A. O. SKINNER,

Pres. of N. B. Liberal Assn.

R. E. ARMSTRONG,

Secy.

Return tickets for one fare on all railways.

JURY AS JUDGE.

France May Pass Law Enabling Them to Decide Sentences.

PARIS, April 4.—M. Briand, the minister of justice, will submit a new law to the chamber, in a few days by which a French jury will not only decide the guilt or innocence of the accused, but will be allowed a voice in the penalty to be inflicted. In the discussion of this penalty judge and jury will collaborate.

PLASTER IN COFFIN; CORPSE IS STOLEN

PARIS, April 4.—A mysterious discovery has been made in the cemetery of a little village in the Meuse Department called Faisy la Blanche Cote. The grave-diggers, while moving the coffin of a retired officer named Fuster, who died twenty-two years ago, to make room for that of his recently deceased mother, discovered that the coffin was filled with plaster, and some pieces of blood-stained linen, but the rest was missing. The local authorities are making inquiries as to the fate of the deceased officer's body.

M. Ruter died in 1886 in the Verdun hospital during the army maneuvers. His body, which was seen by his mother after death, was supposed to have been placed in a marble coffin and taken to Faisy la Blanche Cote, where the funeral took place.

The deceased was a very tall and very strong and many people at the time observed that the coffin looked very small. Nothing was heard about the body until this discovery was made. It is suggested that the medical authorities kept the remains as an anatomical curiosity.

'THE SONG MY PADDLE SINGS'

In the summer of 1906 Miss E. Pauline Johnson and Mr. McTavay were in England. While there they appeared before the Canadian Club, under the patronage of Lord Strathcona.

To Canadians who heard them it must have seemed like a breath from the pine groves and sweet hay meadows; like the sighing of wind in the oak boughs; the rustle of the alder bushes; the roar of rushing rivers; the falling waters of Niagara. As they listened to "The Song My Paddle Sings," they could remember beautiful days on calm Canadian lakes—where they floated or paddled till the sunset flung silver and golden beams across the waters, and brightened the banks where beech and ash and fir, cedar and maple and pine stood all glorious with colorings of yellow, red and green.

The daughter of the Mohawk Chief recited songs of their country. We can be sure the men, who as boys loved to roam Canadian forests, fond the rushing brooks, paddle up the same streams, bowed their heads as thoughts crowded upon them of the olden days in the land of the Maple—the sad sweet days that are no more.

Miss Johnson, St. John people will be glad to learn, will be heard here in the near future.

BEATING THE RAILWAYS.

"It's sweet to read astronomy
And think how fast it speeds on
Through space.
It's rather pleasant now, you see,
To get free from any place."

Applicant—"What is the first thing to do before you get a marriage license?"
Licence Clerk—"Think it over, young man—think it over!"

STEAMERS

CANADIAN PACIFIC
ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS
VIA HALIFAX
St. John & Liverpool
Sat. April 11—Lake Manitoba.
Fri. April 17—Empress of Britain.
Sat. April 25—Lake Champlain.

FIRST CABIN.
EMPRESSES, . . . \$50.00 and up
LAKE MANITOBA, . . . \$45.00 and up

SECOND CABIN.
EMPRESSES, . . . \$47.50 and \$50.00
LAKE MANITOBA, . . . \$42.50
LAKE CHAMPLAIN, . . . \$45.00 and \$47.50
LAKE ERIE, . . . \$45.00 and \$47.50

STEERAGE.
EMPRESSES, . . . \$18.75
Other Boats, . . . \$12.50

W. B. HOWARD, District Pass Agent, St. John, N. B.

RAILROADS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

FOR EASTER

AT SINGLE FARE

TO GENERAL PUBLIC

Going April 16, 17, 18, 19, 20

Returning April 21, 1908.

Between all Stations in Canada East of Port Arthur

W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R., St. John, N. B.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, Feb. 22nd, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.

No. 6—Mixed for Moncton (leaves Island Yard), . . . 6.30

No. 2—Express for Halifax, Campbellton and Point du Chene, . . . 7.00

No. 24—Express for Pt. du Chene, . . . 7.15

Halifax and Point du Chene, . . . 11.40

No. 4—Mixed for Moncton, . . . 11.50

No. 4—Express for Sussex, . . . 12.10

No. 128—Suburban for Hampton, . . . 12.15

No. 124—Express for Quebec and Montreal, also Pt. du Chene, . . . 12.30

No. 10—Express for Moncton, . . . 12.35

the Sydney and Halifax, . . . 12.55

TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.

No. 9—From Halifax, . . . 6.30

No. 126—Suburban Express from Hampton, . . . 6.40

No. 7—Express from Sussex, . . . 9.00

No. 123—Express from Moncton, . . . 9.15

Quebec and Pt. du Chene, . . . 12.45

No. 6—Mixed from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard), . . . 12.50

No. 25—Express from Halifax, . . . 1.00

Pt. du Chene and Campbellton, . . . 1.15

No. 2—Mixed from Moncton, . . . 1.30

No. 1—Express from Moncton and Hampton, . . . 1.50

No. 11—Mixed from Moncton, . . . 4.00

(Daily) (Arrives at Island Yard, 4.00)

All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time, 24.00 o'clock midnight.

Trains number Eighty-five and Eighty-six will be discontinued until further notice on and after February 1st.

CITY TICKET OFFICE: 3 King street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271.

GEORGE CARVILLE, C. T. A.

Moncton, Feb. 1st, 1908.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

Cereals are seldom overcooked, but rather undercooked. Thus always allow plenty of time in preparing cereals. If a bedstead creaks at each movement of the sleeper, remove the slats and wrap the ends of each in old newspapers. This will prove a complete silence.

In using linen dories on the highly polished table cut asbestos pieces to place beneath the mats, especially if there is any danger of the hot dishes marking the table top.

The polished appearance of starched clothes will be increased if a piece of wax the size of a small bean and half a teaspoonful of powdered borax be added during the boiling.

The new heavy embroideries of raised gold and silver work should never be brushed in the ordinary way. If rubbed gently with a piece of crimson velvet a good result will be obtained.

RETORT SUITABLE FOR A FOOL

"I believe I'll rock the boat," declared the man in the stern.

"Don't do it," advised the man in the bow. "It might discharge this unloaded pistol I have with me."

Husband: "For whom are you knitting those socks?"

Wife: "For a benevolent society."

Husband: "Do you know, you might send them my address. Perhaps they would send me a pair."

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or STAR. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by nearly 8,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads are veritable little busybodies.

6 Insertions for the price of 4

TO LET.

Advertisements under this heading 1 cent a word each insertion, or 4 cents a word for six consecutive insertions. When answering advertisements under this heading, please mention The Star.

TO LET—A large front room, suitable for two gentlemen. Hot water heating, electric lights. Box 372, Star office.

HOUSE TO LET—At Westfield. Nothing nicer on the river. Address Box 370, Star Office.

TO LET—Shop and house, 24 and 25 Brussels street. T. M. BURNS, 40 Elm street.

SIX ROOM FLAT TO LET—With modern improvements. Apply W. HUMPHREYS, 116 St. James St.

TO LET—Sunny flat, 8 rooms, pantry, bath, clothes press. Occupied by Prof. Tapley. Apply 60 Victoria St.

TO LET—Fine farm to first class tenant only. St. John county. R. G. Murray, St. John, N. B.

TO LET—Upper flat, 145 Leinster street, 8 rooms and bathroom. Apply MISS CALHOUN, 31 Leinster street.

TO LET—A corner shop with a small upper flat in same building, also a small self-contained house. Apply to M. J. WILKINS, 321 Haymarket Square.

TO LET—Residence 181 Elliott Row, 10 rooms and bathroom. Hot water heating, gas. Rent \$300. Apply on premises.

TO LET—Three unfurnished rooms, 173 Charlotte St.

TO LET—Flat of 8 rooms, 270 Britannia Road. Improvements. Seen Tuesdays and Thursdays. Apply on premises.

TO LET—Corner Shop, 2 Haymarket Square. Enquire on premises. Phone 253.

TO LET—May 1st, shop in brick building, 220 Union street, front. Apply to M. J. WILKINS, 321 Haymarket Square.

TO LET—Six large rooms in the Opera House block. Suitable for light manufacturing. Apply to H. J. ANDERSON at the Opera House.

TO LET—1st of May nest, a desirable dwelling house situated on Main St., opposite Douglas avenue, formerly occupied by Dr. Smith. All modern improvements, hot water heating, gas or electric lighting. George W. Hoban.

TO LET—Lower and upper flats. House at 118 Leinster street. Apply on premises. MISS E. ELLIOTT.

FLAT TO LET NOW—39 Main street

TO LET—Self contained house, 63 Summer street, containing eight rooms bath room, hot and cold water, electric lighting. Can be seen Monday and Friday afternoons. MISS C. E. MAJOR, 55 Summer street.

FOR SALE

Advertisements under this heading 1 cent a word each insertion, or 4 cents a word for six consecutive insertions. When answering advertisements under this heading, please mention The Star.

FOR SALE—Bedroom furniture, parlor chairs, tables, spring rockers, dining table, chairs, carpets, stoves, dishes, ornaments, pictures, hat racks, lamps. Apply 92 Waterloo St. 4-4

FOR SALE—Motor Boat 20 x 5. Minus 6 H. P. engine. Perfect order. Low price. Delivery at once. P. A. DYKEMAN, 59 Charlotte St. 3-4

FOR SALE—One carload of P. E. I. Horses. 47 Waterloo street. 12-3

FOR SALE—A baby carriage. Apply 118 Waterloo St. 25-3

FOR SALE—Upright piano, in splendid condition. Great bargain for cash. Apply Box 320. Star office. 12-3

HORSES

FOR SALE—One carload of P. E. I. Horses. Edward Hogan, 147 Waterloo street.

EUPHEMISMS FOR "MAD."

In order to avoid the blunt word "mad" many euphemisms are resorted to in the English language. While "lunatic" refers to the supposed influence of the moon, "insane" simply means unhealthy; "imbecile" signifies only weak, and "crazy" meaning derelict, almost corresponds to the slang "cracked." "A tile off," "not all there," "a bee in his bonnet," are only a few of the efforts slang has made to carry off the sad fact with an uneasy joke. "Lunatic asylum," for the old "madhouse," represents not only a great improvement in the institution, but also in the term used to designate it.

Sarah: "Mr. Rippler says that he is a confirmed bachelor."

Sue: "That he didn't say that every girl in town had assisted in confirming him, did he?"

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Francis Kerr Company, Limited, has purchased all the right, title and interest in the coal and wood business lately carried on by the St. John Fuel Company, and will continue the said business under the firm name of FRANCIS KERR CO., LTD.

Per Francis Kerr, Manager.

WANTED

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WANTED—A position as teamster. Experienced. Good character. Address J. L. 12 March Road.

WANTED—By a post office clerk, room and board in private family immediately. Answer by letter. Box 371, Star Office.

LADY BOOKKEEPER and banking clerk, desires position. Best of references. Apply Lady Bookkeeper, Box 364, Star Office.

WANTED—Good soprano wants choir engagement. Address Box 369, Star Office.

WANTED—Young woman with a child 3 years old, wants situation as governess or general servant in small family. Apply Box 368, Star Office.

WANTED—Position as traveller by experienced man with good knowledge of Maritime Provinces. Groceries preferred. Apply Box 172, Sun Office.

WANTED—Work by a respectable colored man. Spring cleaning, white-washing, carpet beating, etc. Apply 2 City Road, up stairs.

WANTED—By middle of May or first of June, 2 or 3 rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Apply Box 247, care of Star Office.

WANTED—Small steam or gasoline launch. P. O. Box 82.

WANTED—By 1st of May, flat of 6 or 8 rooms and both. Please state rent wanted. Address Box 326, care of Star Office.

POSITION WANTED by experienced stenographer with best of references. City preferred. Experience in law and business office. Address Box 312, Star Office.

WANTED—A seven room flat or small house conveniently situated and with modern improvements. Apply Box 300B, Star Office.

Wanted To Buy.

A three-story two-tenement house, with a large lot in one tenement of about 10 rooms, to be occupied by purchaser. Ground floor to let. Apply A. H. HAMILTON, Brussels street. Phone 1623.

REMOVED.—Johnston, Tailor, has removed to Deshauser St., two doors from Union. Suits cleaned, repaired and pressed promptly.

SCOTCH COAL—I am now discharging as good Scotch Anthracite Coal from Union. Suits cleaned, repaired and pressed promptly.

E. A. WILLIAMS, CARPENTER and CONTRACTOR, office 109 Prince Wm. Street. Telephone, 2031. All kinds of work promptly attended to.

PIREWOOD—Mr. Wood cut to store the best big load in city 11:35, in North End, \$1.00. Pay the driver. This wood is just from mill. MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD. Phone 261.

J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coils. Delivered promptly in the city. 29 Brussels street.

WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 113 Prince Wm. St. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Heels attached, 35c.

HOUSE PAINTING—Now is the time to arrange for your spring house cleaning. I am prepared to give estimates on all kinds of house work. Paper Hanging, Tinting, Painting and Graining, Whitewashing, etc. All kinds of sign work a specialty. Prices low. Good work guaranteed. F. W. EDDLESTON, 83 Sydney street; House 1611, 10 Haymarket Square. Telephone 1611.

F. C. WESLEY CO., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 19 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 982.

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St.

Eyes Tested Free!

Difficult Repairing Solicited.

C. STEWART PATTERSON

57 Brussels Street

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WANTED—Girl for general housework, willing to go home nights. Good wages. Apply MRS. HORNCASTLE, 26 Sydney St.

WANTED—General girl. Apply Mrs. GILLIS, 109 Winter St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Hutchison, 41 Douglas Ave.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. MACRAE, 83 Coburg St.

WANTED—At Royal Hotel, one chamber girl and one kitchen girl. Apply to MRS. ROBINSON, 61 Pitt St.

WANTED—Capable girl or woman to take care of two children. Apply MRS. M. ROBINSON, 61 Pitt St.

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WANTED—Men for general work about factory. Steady employment. Apply Fertilizer Factory, Red Head Road. PRESS FEEDER WANTED—One accustomed to Cylinder Press wanted. PATTERSON & CO.

WANTED—Two plumbers, good wages and steady employment to right men. J. H. Noble, King Square.

WANTED AT ONCE—Boys of good address from 16 to 18 years of age to learn the Dry Goods business. Good opportunity for the right kind of boys. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited.

WANTED—Salesman to sell a fine line of stationeries, pens, pencils, etc. through New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. Life position for right man. J. M. Gillingham, 15 Millstone Lane, Toronto.

WANTED—An able bodied, strictly temperate man for janitor in a public building. Work also for janitor's wife. Good lodgings in building. Apply giving address to Box 365, care of Star Office.

WANTED—Harness maker. Apply JAMES STEPHENSON, Charlotte St.

ADVERTISERS ARE REMINDED that it is contrary to the provisions of the postal law to deliver letters addressed to initials only; an advertiser desiring to conceal his or her identity may economically do so by having replies directed to a box in this office; ten cents added to the price of the advertisement covers the forwarding of letters.

WANTED—Cookmakers, men or women. Apply at once. A. GILMOUR, 68 King Street.

WANTED—A man to work garden on shares. Apply 239 Rockland Road.

MAN WANTED AT ONCE—On salary and expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses, to advertise and introduce our guaranteed and improved dry specialties. No experience necessary. We lay out your work for you. \$25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. JENKINS MANUFACTURING CO., London, Ont.

EMPLOYMENT FOUND—For men and women. B. J. Grant, 75 St. James street, west.

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

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GIRLS WANTED—Machine stitchers and finishers. AT THE AMERICAN CLOAK CO., Dock St.

WANTED—Dressmaker at once. Apply to Miss Bruce, 276 Duke street.

WANTED—Lady companion wanted. Apply to CHAS. M. LINGLEY, Printer, 14 Canterbury street.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—At once. Apply to MRS. REED, 276 Gorman St., City.

WANTED—Shirt makers, also girls to learn. Apply MARITIME CLOAK CO., Opera House Building.

To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

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PURISHED ROOM for gentleman. 107½ Princess St. 4-4