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ALL THIS WEEK

We will continue to dispose of our summer stock of Wash Suits for Boys, Children's Crash Hats and Men's Summer Vests. Not one will be carried over if price-cutting will sell it.

UNION CLOTHING CO.
26 and 28 Charlotte Street,
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JAPAN'S FURRY LITTLE MASCOT

God Daruma Seen Everywhere in Island Kingdom.

Used as Tobacconist's Sign or Child's Toy — Is Ornamental or Grotesque.

Many and fascinating are the legends that cluster about the Japanese god Daruma, whose red-robed figure is seen everywhere in the Island Empire. From his place on the household god shelf he looks down on the family, and as a toy he is the playmate and familiar of the children.

The gods of Japan are treated by their followers with an affectionate friendliness, and a lack of reverence not in keeping with their high estate—from the point of view of a foreigner—and the sight of Daruma doing duty as a tobacconist's sign is something of a shock to our preconceived ideas of what is due to a deity. But from the huge sign of the tobacconist to the tiny toy of the children, he runs the gamut of uses and abuses, and is ornamental or grotesque, according to the whim of the artist or the artisan. One may sit at a table and season his food with salt shaken from perforations in that sacred head, or light a pipe with matches drawn from the open mouth of his distorted countenance, and the limit of familiarity is reached when his image is used in a game similar to one seen at rural fairs in our own country, where he is a target for balls, thrown by contesting yokels to knock him over.

Occasionally he is seen in a full length figure, but that represents him in his original state, before the great change came upon him which so endeared him to the popular fancy. Daruma, be it known, was a Buddhist priest and missionary, and, as tradition affirms, was the first to bring the doctrine of the great renunciation from India, by way of China and Corea—as so many things came—to Japan. Emulating the Great Master, Siddhartha, he sought enlightenment and holiness by long periods of contemplation, silently communing with the Infinite. On one such occasion he sat cross-legged on the ground for nine years, and during that time his legs dropped off, from lack of their usual exercise. So he is generally represented as a legless body, folded in a red mantle, the hood of which is drawn up over his head. The face is heavily whiskered, the eyes dark and soft under heavy brows, and the visage altogether East Indian in type.

One must not forget to mention another mischance that befell Daruma during the period of this meditation, a mischance of world-wide significance, judging from the results. According to a vow he had taken, he was to remain awake during a certain period, that he might lose no moment in which enlightenment might befall, and as this was a large contract it is not to be wondered at that on one occasion he took a little nap. But personally he did not view this lapse with complacence. In face, he was so disguested that he immediately cut off his eyelids, that they might never again droop over his tired eyes. As he cast them from him in a rage—lo, a miracle! They took root where they fell, and from them a graceful shrub sprang into life.

When his disciples discovered what had happened, they gathered the leaves of the shrub and made from them an infusion which they believed would have miraculous properties. And so it proved, for when they drank of it they lost all desire for sleep. Thus came into existence what we know today as the tea plant. No wonder a representation of Daruma usually graces the tea rooms of the country!

The little figures of Daruma with which the children play are weighted, so they will right themselves when thrown down, and from this fact has grown many sayings and proverbs. He is called "The getting up little priest," and one is advised to right himself like Daruma, when he has been cast down by circumstances. "The wee ones of Japan" tumble the toy about, and shout, "Ever the little red-hooded Daruma heedlessly sits up again."

In some parts of Japan the Darumas are made without eyes, and are called blind Darumas. Eyes are eventually given them by way of reward, when they have brought good luck to their possessors. Then a paint brush supplies the deficiency. It is believed that the eyes are much desired, and that the little god will work hard to earn them by bringing some special good fortune to the owner.

A prank of mischievous children is to set a few of the eyeless ones in a row, and, selecting one of them, give him several eyes, not only in their proper place, but painting them also on his forehead, chin, and cheeks. This is supposed to be very aggravating to the slighted gods, so entirely overlooked while their companion is loaded with favors.—Sunday Magazine.

FRANK ROCKEFELLER THREATENS HIS BROTHER

Can Tell Enough to Drive John D. Out of the Country But Will Keep Quiet for a While.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The World published an interview with Frank Rockefeller, brother of John D., in which the former denounces the multimillionaire. The interview was secured eighteen months ago, but was held back under agreement.

According to it, the aged father of the Rockefellers is still alive, but his whereabouts is being kept a mystery.

"My father is alive and well," said Mr. Rockefeller. "He is dependent upon no man. He would scorn the proffer of financial aid from John D., and would not take it from me.

"No one yet knows that I am writing the story, the real history of John D.'s life.

"I finished it secretly here in my office several months ago, but there were imperfections in he work and I am doing it all over again.

"Rest assured that it will be right this time.

"Yes," he continued in a bitter tone, "When I make John D.'s true life history public, and explain the facts about father, this country will be too warm for its richest citizen.

"Go ask John D. where our father is; tell him that I sent you and that I dare him to answer.

"But the time will soon come when I can safely speak. Then it will not be safe for John D. to appear upon the streets of any American city. He would be stoned by the people.

"Nothing but flight from the country to some foreign land will save his life when the whole monstrous truth is known.

"John D. is not a human being. He is a monster; merciless in his greed; pitiless in his cold inhuman passions.

"My wife is a God-fearing, God-serving woman, and a few years ago, she withdrew herself and children from the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church. That is John D.'s church.

"My wife worshipped there as a girl and loves the old place, but she did not dare to kneel in prayer under the same roof with a man she knew to be a monster."

Mr. Rockefeller's mood changed again, and he laughed sneeringly.

"I have been vastly amused," said he, "by what you told me of your hard search for my father in Cedar Valley. Let me tell you a fact:

"I have reason to know that John D. himself inspired the false tip that took you to Iowa. From private sources of information I learn that he has started several other misleading clues in father's case.

"Why does he do it? Because he is as mad for publicity as for money. He knows that father is absolutely safe from discovery and he takes malicious pleasure in playing with the public.

"Behind his mask of piety and kindness he laughs at all humanity. He is literally a madman who believes that he is a god who cannot sin."

"This is absolutely true," said Mr. Rockefeller in closing the interview, "and the world will find it out. With the malice of a fiend he has wrecked my business career again and again.

"But I have ferreted out every secret of his terrible life and his end is not far off. Once exposed he must literally flee the country."

The World asserts that for eighteen months it has endeavored to locate the elder Rockefeller, but without success, and that none of his children will tell where he is.

LIGHTNING STORMS DO MUCH DAMAGE

HARTLAND, N.B., Aug. 13.—In last night's terrific thunderstorm a large plate of glass in the window of Carr's store was shattered by lightning. David Noble's house at Lower Brighton and George Somers' house at Victoria were damaged.

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.

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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.

AS MY WIFE, Alice Whipple, (nee Craft), having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract.
(Signed) J. A. WHIPPLE Jr.

NOTICE.—My wife, Margaret, having left my bed and board of her own accord, without my knowledge at all, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her after this date. ADAM F. THORN, St. John, Aug, 14th, 1907. 14-8-1

BUSINESS CARDS

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.

IF YOU WANT male or female help or a better situation in St. John or Boston, try GRANT'S Employment Agency, 69 St. James street, West Side.

COAL AND WOOD—Reasonable prices. Now discharging. JAMES S. McGIVERN, Agent, 5 Mill street. Tel. 42.

FIREWOOD—Mill Wood cut to stove lengths. For big load in City $1.25; in North End, $1.00. Pay the driver. This wood is just from mill. MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD. 'Phone 251. 6-6-tf.

J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. 39 Brussels street.

WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 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. 1-1-07tf

HAVE YOUR PAPERING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done early. I am booking orders for spring work already. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDDLESTON, 53 Sydney street. Home, 10 Market Square. Telephone 1611.

ST. JOHN FUEL CO. can give you cheaper Dry Wood than any other fuel company in St. John. We also keep in stock the celebrated Springhill Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves, and also both Scotch and American Hard Coal. Prompt delivery with our own teams. Telephoe 1304. 5 July-1 yr

WILLIAM H. PATERSON, Graduate Doctor of Optics, 55 Brussels street. Glasses perfectly right, two years ago, may be far from right now. We will examine your eyes FREE and only recommend a change if absolutely beneficial. 3-3-1 yr

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St.

F. C. WESLEY CO., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 982.

DOMESTICS WANTED

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.

WANTED—One woman cook; wages $5.00. ORIENTAL RESTAURANT. 13-8-6

WANTED—A competent nursemaid. Apply to MRS. C. F. CRANDALL, 26 Crown street. 12-8-tf

WANTED. — Waiters. Apply VICTORIA HOTEL. 12-8-tf

WANTED—Good capable girl. No washing. Good wages. Apply MISS LEITA WATERBURY, 220 King St. 10-8-tf.

WANTED. — Cook wanted. Royal Dairy Lunch, Mill street. 8-8-6

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at 43 Sewell street. 29-7-1 mo.

WANTED.—Kitchen girl at Bond's Restaurant, 151 Mill St. 2-8-tf

WANTED—Two girls wanted at once. Apply 33 Charlotte street. 23-7-tf

WANTED—At once, general girl. Apply 75 King street, over Macaulay Bros.

WANTED.—At once, Housemaid, willing to help with care of children. Apply, MRS. F. P. STARR, 51 Carleton street. 3-6-tf

WANTED—General girls, cooks and housemaids can always gets best places and highest pay. Apply Miss Hanson, Employment Office, 193 Charlotte St.

LOST AND FOUND

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FOUND.—On King street, pair ladies tan kid Gloves. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad. 13-8-2

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SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

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WANTED—Girls wanted. Apply D. F. BROWN & CO., Canterbury street. 8-8-6

WANTED—Two women. AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY.

WANTED—two good fancy ironers. Apply GLOBE LAUNDRY. 24-7-tf

GIRLS WANTED.—To sew by machine and hand. Good pay. Steady work. Apply J. SHANE & CO., 71 Germain street.

ARTICLES 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—One Bay Mare. Weight 1000 to 1100 lbs. 12 years old. Kind and afraid of nothing. Will sell cheap as owner has no further use for her. Woman can drive her. Apply R. W. CARSON, 509 Main street. 10-8-tf.

FOR SALE—A number of sashes, cheap, at 241 City Road. MRS. G. CASE. 9-8-6

FOR SALE. — Three houses on Wright Street. Apply to JOSIAH FOWLER. 12-8-6

FOR SALE.—Light furniture express wagon, suitable for any purpose, also one sled. Enquire of George E. Smith, King street. 6-8-tf

FOR SALE. — Well established and good paying grocery business for sale in a first class locality. Terms cash. Apply to Dealer in Groceries, Box No. 196, care Star Office. 29-7-tf

FOR SALE—Two cash registers, one counter. Bargain. W. A. STEIPER, 157 Mill street. 22-7-tf

FOR SALE—A set of shorthand instruction books, (Isaac Pitman system). Only in use a short time. Will be sold at a bargain. Box 120, Star Office. 20-4-tf.

FOR SALE—At Duval's Umbrella Shop, Self-opening Umbrellas, 80c. up; ordinary, 50c. up. L. S. Cane. We use no other in our chair-seating, Perforated Seats shaped square, Light, Dark. Umbrella recovering and repairing. 17 Waterloo street. 6-12-tf

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery wagons, 2 coaches, and 2 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a first-class coach very cheap; also three outundor carriages. Best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairing. A. G. EDGECOMBE, 115 and 129 City Road.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

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.

ROOMS TO LET.—Furnished rooms to let. 20 Horsefield St. 13-8-6

ROOMS AND BOARD for gentlemen. 12 Chipman Hill. 15-8-1m

BOARDING AND ROOMS—MRS. SHANKS, 107½ Princess Street. 9-8-1 mo.

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms, 232 Duke street. 17-7-tf.

LODGING — Furnished rooms to let at a moderate rate. 30 Carmarthen street. 16-7-1m

ROOM AND BOARD—143 Union street. 8-8- 1mo

LODGING. — Two or more gentlemen can be accommodated with nice airy rooms by applying at 9 Elliott Row. Modern conveniences. 10-8-6

REAL ESTATE.

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.—Three tenement houses with freehold lot. Price, $1,300. J. W. MORRISON, Real Estate Agent, 50 Princess St. Phone 1642

SITUATIONS VACANT MALE

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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 aded to the price of the advertisement covers the forwarding of letters.

WANTED!
Two young men from sixteen to twenty years old with fair education for store.
The DUNLAP, COOKE CO. of Canada, Ltd, 54 King St.
13-8-1

WANTED—Blueberry pickers to work on plains not far from city. Good wages given. Apply in person or by writing to the Station Master at Westfield Beach.

5 BOYS WANTED—White Candy Store. 13-8-4.

WANTED. — Journeyman Tailor. Steady work, good wages. D. Magee's Sons, 63 King St. 13-8-tf

WANTED—At once, a bell boy. Apply NEW VICTORIA HOTEL, Prince Wm. street. 12-8-4

WANTED—A boy about 15 to make himself generally useful. McROBBIE SHOE CO., 94 King street. 12-8-tf

WANTED.—I have a newly patented device, having big sales through agents. Traveller needed to make appointments; no canvassing; will pay salary and expenses weekly. F. J. WATERSON, Dept. O., Brantford, Ontario. 2-7-2

WANTED — Experienced collector, and a shipper for wood working establishment. Apply to SASH, Box 203, care of Star. 8-9-tf.

BOY WANTED.—A bright intelligent boy from 12 to 15 years old, to make himself general useful in office. Apply stating age to Boy, P. O. Box 41, City. 10-8-6

BOY WANTED—Apply Graham, Cunningham and Naves, Peter street. 8-8-6.

WANTED.—A Machinist. Apply W. F. and J. W. MYERS, Waterloo street. 1-8-tf

WANTED.—We want at once, for both wholesale and retail departments, several bright, intelligent boys from 14-16 years of age, who have a desire to learn the dry goods business. Apply at once. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited. 27-6-tf

WANTED.—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 10-2-tf

Wanted at Once

Carpenters, $2.00 to $2.50; Brass moulders, $2.25 to $.300; Rough painters, $1.75; Machinists, $2.25 to $2.75; Laborers, $1.75; Teamsters, $30.00 and board. Apply McRae's Employment Bureau, Globe building, St. John, N. B.

TO LET.

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TO LET. — Three large bedrooms, suitable for gentlemen. Enquire 148 Germain St. 5-8-tf

TO LET—Shop and flat to let at the corner Simonds and Camden streets. Good stand for grocery store. Apply to MRS. A. GIBBON on premises. 20-7-tf

TO RENT—A new summer cottage to rent at Bay Shore; beautifully situated. Ten minutes from street cars. Seven rooms, open fireplace, large covered verandah. Partly furnished. For particulars telephone West 165, ring 31. 24-6-tf

BAY SHORE, adjoining Sea Side Park. Summer Cottage, eight rooms. F. E. DeMILL. 13-7-tf

IF YOU WANT A SITUATION
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A COFFINED MADMAN.

A Grim and Ghastly Story from Russia

Lunatic Tore Corpse From Coffin in Church and Took Its Place Himself.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—A curious story comes from St. Petersburg.

In a village church in the Edi-Koule district of Russia, a dead man's body lay awaiting the last rites.

A madman entered the building, dragged the body out of the coffin, locked it up in a vestment chest, himself took the place of the dead man, and went to sleep.

Three hours later the priest and mourners arrived and the touching orthodox service for the departed began.

The chanting of the priest and the choir, the aromatic perfume of the incense and the movement around him roused the madman, who suddenly sat up in the coffin.

The priest fell down dead with fright and the congregation fled from the church, followed by the madman.

The noise and cries attracted a deacon to the place, who overcome with grief at seeing the priest dead, desired to offer prayers for the repose of his soul.

He went to the vestment chest to get his robe, and as he unlocked the door the corpse placed there by the madman fell on him, and he sank down in a swoon.

A few members of the congregation, who had returned, again fled with cries of horror.

SAYS SIBERIAN ROUTE IS FASTEST TO THE EAST

Only Eighteen Days Now by Russian Railway From Kobe to Glasgow, and Improvements Will Cut That Time Six Days.

OTTAWA, Aug. 13.—Canada's trade agent at Yokohama, Alexander MacLean, has submitted to the department mail routes via the Suez canal and via report on the advantage in point of time of the transportation route between the far east and Europe via the Siberian route and via the C. P. R. and Suez route.

Acording to Mr. MacLean's report the Siberian railway bids fair to be a most important and successful competitor to the present chief eastern trade and mail routes via the Suez canal and via the C. P. R.

Recently a traveler from Kobe, Japan made the trip to Glasgow by the Russian route in 18 1-2 days and this time, it is stated, may be cut down to twelve days with improved service and prompt connections.

The British ambassador at Tokio is also said to have recently made the trip from London to Tokio across Russia in twelve days, although three days were lost between Vladivostock and Jsuruga. The time now taken by the C. P. R. route is 23 days.

The entire far East mail carrying from Europe, says Mr. MacLean, t king Tokio and Hong Kong as objective points, will probably come under the Russian route influence.

It is current news that negotiations for a through mail service from Japan to Europe via Siberia, have been in progress for some time past. The Japanese postal authorities are very anxious to utilize this rapid means of communication with Europe. The agreement with Russia is now under discussion and the department hopes to reach a settlement at an early date.

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

Oriental Restaurant
The Oriental Store Restaurant has engaged the services of an expert cook from Montreal—an experienced chef. Chop Suey in its delectable originality will be served at all times. Chinese dishes and every real Oriental effect.
105 Charlotte. Opp. Dufferin Hotel.

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Steamer Maggie Miller leaves Millidgeville daily (except Sundays and Saturdays) at 6.45 and 9.30 a. m., 2.00, 4.00 and 6.00 p. m. Returning from Bayswater at 6.00, 7.30, 10.30 a. m. and 2.45, 5.15 p. m. Sunday leaves Millidgeville at 9 and 10.30 a.m.and 2.30, 6.15p.m. Returning at 9.45 and 11.15 a.m. and 5 and 7 p.m.
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Leaves Millidgeville at 6.15 and 9.30 a. m.; 2.30 and 7 p. m.
JOHN McGOLDRICK, Agent.

Clifton House
ST. JOHN, N. B.
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