

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25 1907

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Store closes evenings at 6 p.m. Saturdays at 11 p.m.

UNION CLOTHING CO.

26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.
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98 Cents
Will buy one of the best \$1.25 new Spring style Soft or SHIRT BOSOM SHIRT in the city.
OUR SHIRT VALUES are genuine values—all new, up-to-date, fresh, Spring Stock, almost any pattern your heart may desire; good, reliable, roomy shirts that cannot be equalled for our price.
ANOTHER SHIPMENT arrived at our store Saturday. They are the swiftest stock of shirts in the city. See, we have them all with SEPARATE CUFFS.

From 48c to \$2.00
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SEARCH FOR NAMES OF
FOUNDLING'S PARENTS.

Her Abandonment Leads to a
Romance After Lapse of
Twenty-one Years.

Mother Believed to be Resident of the
Fashionable West End of
London.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 23.—On Wednesday last the following advertisement appeared in the London newspaper:

Twenty-one years ago a lady from London abandoned in Brussels a little girl 2 months old. Reward to any one giving information about this person. 60 Rue du Tyrol, Brussels.

In 1886 a richly dressed, strikingly beautiful young woman arrived in Brussels from England, via Ostend, and took rooms at a small hotel under the name of Wilson. This name is not believed to have been her own.

She had with her a 2-months old baby, and was accompanied by a gentleman, who was assumed to be her husband. Mrs. Wilson, as she was called, wore a bandage over her left eye, but this is now thought to have been merely a means of concealing her identity.

The only information which she volunteered was that she was on a visit from England. Nothing is definitely known about her male companion, though it was stated he was a magistrate holding a high position in England until a few years ago.

After staying in Brussels for a few days the man and woman disappeared. The woman had asked a youth in the street to look after her child, and had given him some money. She was never seen in Brussels again.

The youth, having waited in vain for the return of the mother, took the child, which was richly dressed, to the police, who placed it under the care of the Society for Foundlings.

It was a delicate child, and was sent by the society to a peasant family in the country. A. M. Francis, who lived near the peasants, saw the child and adopted it as his own. The baby, which was then three years old, to Brussels, and M. Francis, who had no children of her own, brought it up well and gave it a good education.

But they could not give it their name. The child had been christened Renee Dupont by the society, and by the laws of the society that name holds good until the age of 21. As Mlle. Dupont is now nearly 21, she is about to lose this temporary name, and failing the discovery of her own, will take that of Renee Francis.

Mme. Francis is willing to confer her name on her ward officially, but before taking this step she is anxious to make a last effort to ascertain the whereabouts of the mother. For this purpose she has inserted an advertisement in a London newspaper.

Mme. Francis is persuaded the mother is a woman of good position. Five years ago she received an anonymous letter bearing the stamp of Charing Cross Postoffice, in which the writer stated:

"If you are looking for the mother, look for her in the West End of London."

An elderly London lady who is in search of a missing daughter called on Mme. Francis this morning, but it was proved that she was not the mother of Renee Dupont. The girl, Mlle. Francis says, was remarkably cool all through the perilous ascent and descent. Needless to say, the spire had never been ascended before by any except male climbers.

Wednesday was market day, and a great crowd watched in thrilling suspense the ascent of the swaying cradle. Traffic was entirely blocked by the crowd, every member of which stood stockstill until the girl had gained the summit, descended again and reached the ground safe and unharmed.

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 STAR or STAR. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by 7,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

6 Insertions for the price of 4

TO LET.

TO LET—On Carlton street. Upper flat in house, 42 Carlton street. Can be seen Mondays and Tuesdays from 3 to 5. 22-2-1f

TO LET—From May 1st, self-contained flat No. 171 Duke street, now occupied by P. G. Hall, containing 3 rooms and bath room, hot and cold water. Electric light and gas. Can be seen Monday and Friday afternoons. Apply C. E. HARDING, Tel. 593. 22-2-4

TO RENT—From now, the three story building, 33 Dock street, now occupied by the Flood Piano and Organ Co. Apply on premises. 22-2-1f

TO LET—On Dorchester street, self-contained house, 55 Dorchester street. Apply 113 Charlotte street. Can be seen Thursdays. 22-2-1f

TO LET—A flat and shop. Can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays 3 to 5. Apply 80 city Road, W. J. STACEY-HOUSE. 22-2-4

TO LET—Outage No. 53 North side of Fiddock street, St. John. May be seen Wednesday and Thursday 3 to 5. W. M. JARVIS. 12-2-5

TO LET—My new house, 180 Brussels street. Has four flats. Three are rented, one is not. Who wants it? 7 rooms and patent closet. Separate entrance. A. E. HAMILTON, Contractor. Phone 168. 12-2-1f

SHOP TO LET—At 109 Main street. Enquire J. E. COWAN, 93 Main street. 12-2-1f

SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET—Small freehold property, 280 Prince William street. G. S. FISHER & CO. 12-2-1f

TO LET—At 168 Waterloo street, lower flat, hot and cold water, patent closet. See Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5. Apply M. G. ADAMS, 164 Sydney street. 12-2-1f

TO LET—On Whipple street, two flats in house near Seaside Park. Upper flat \$5.00 a month, lower flat \$6.00. Also barn to let. THE CHRISTIE WOOD WORKING CO., LTD. 12-2-1f

TO LET—Three flats and shop on the corner of St. James and Charlotte streets. Flats can be seen on Tuesdays and Wednesdays afternoons. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Pugsley Building. 12-2-1f

TO LET—Three flats to let. One in rear and two in front of 17 St. Paul street. Apply to MRS. E. STEELE on premises. 9-2-1f

TO LET—Self-contained flat, five rooms with bath, hot and cold water, hot water heating, etc. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Apply at 99 Wright street. 12-2-1f

TO LET—Lower flat of house, 169 Waterloo street, corner Castle, containing six rooms, patent closet, etc. Rent \$10. Can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays. Apply to CAROLINE HUNT, 44 Paddock street, or Henderson and Hunt. 12-2-1f

TO LET—On ERIN street from 1st of May, a flat of ten rooms at 45 Erin street. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday, from 2 to 5. Used for boarders house for two years. Also two flats at 45 Erin street. Apply to J. H. MACDONALD, 65 Elliott Row. 12-2-1f

TO LET, at Croucheville, that pleasant and conveniently situated cottage (second house from Kane's corner), owned by J. H. Magee and occupied for some years by the Rev. H. D. Marr. Nine rooms and three closets. Stable and barn privileges. Rent moderate. Apply to RICHARD G. MAGEE or F. W. BLIZZARD. 12-2-1f

TO LET—From May 1st, lower flat, 10 rooms, hot and cold water, bath, etc. 48 Elmwood street. Also, large building 157-161 Brussels street, suitable for factory or other purposes. Apply to ARNOLD DEPARMENT, 31 STONE, 33 Charlotte St. 9-2-1f

SHOP TO LET—Enquire at 350 Union street. 9-2-1f

TO LET—Shop, No. 578 Main street, lately occupied by R. E. Coupe. For particulars apply to F. J. LYNCH, 141 Paradise Row. 9-2-1f

TO LET—Flat of nine rooms, modern improvements. Inquire at 79 Hazen street. R. B. HOLMES. 9-2-1f

TO LET—May 1st, cottage, corner of Seely and Spruce streets, near Horticultural Garden gate. Modern improvements. Inquire at 79 Hazen street. R. B. HOLMES. 9-2-1f

TO LET—Small self-contained flats from seven to six rooms, modern improvements. Apply to WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, 118 St. James street. 9-2-1f

TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 391 Haymarket Square. 9-2-1f

STORES TO LET—Large well lighted stores, 33 and 35 Gormain street, with or without floors and large basement. G. FRED FISHER. 9-2-1f

TO LET—At 23 Paddock street, from May 1st, upper flat—ten rooms—bath room, hot and cold water. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday, 2 to 5.30 p.m. Enquire of S. WYMORE, Ferry Building, Water St. 22-2-1f

TO LET—Flat 55 Elliott Row, modern water heating and modern improvements. Also 101 Elliott Row, modern improvements, hot water heating. If required, seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to MISS DEAN, Garden street. 9-2-1f

FOR SALE—Two pure bred single-comb White Leghorns, splendid layers. CARL BERTENSEN, Fairville. 22-2-1f

PRIVATE SALE—Household Furniture consisting of Hallett and Davis Square Piano, Large Cabinet Organ, Roller Top, Old Mahogany Furniture. Also 45 yds. of new Brussels Carpet and other householding goods. Enquire mornings and evenings, residence of MISS MITCHELL, 113 King St., East, City. 12-2-1f

FOR SALE—One new delivery pump; one second-hand express wagon. Apply to R. DIXON, Sydney street, opposite Victoria School. 22-2-6

FOR SALE—At Duval's Umbrella Shop, self-opening Umbrellas, 88c; ordinary, 50c; up to L. E. Cane. We use no other in our chair-seating. Perforated Seats, shaped square, Light, Dark, Umbrella recovering and repairing. 17 Waterloo street. 9-2-1f

FOR SALE—A double house, 19 St. Andrew's street. Apply on the premises. 11-2-1mo

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand delivery Wagons, 2 ton, 1 ton, 1/2 ton, 1/4 ton, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a first class coach very cheap; also three second-hand carriages; best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriages and carriages. A. G. EDGECOMBE, 115 and 123 City Road. 11-2-1mo

GASOLINE ENGINES—The Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, having consolidated with The Deane Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, makers of the Deane Marine Engines, and now known under the new name of The Canadian Gas Powers & Launches, Ltd., are in a position to fill orders for stationary, portable and marine engines. Stationary engines for dough mixers, cement mixers, grain grinding, threshing and other uses. Parties wishing to purchase a Marine Engine will please call and inspect our Solid Brass Engine, especially adapted for salt water, at 57 Water street, St. John, N. B.—CANADIAN GAS POWERS & LAUNCHES, LIMITED. 12-2-1f

TO LET—Large barn in rear 210 Waterloo street, formerly occupied by Sands' Express. J. E. WILSON, 17 Sydney. 12-2-1f

REAL ESTATE—Flats to let. KING 192, 20 McWorm, Ritchie Building, 90 Princess street. 6-2-3m

TO LET—Comfortable, sunny flat, 194 Queen street. Modern improvements. Seen Mondays and Tuesday afternoons. 12-2-1f

TO LET—At 310 Princess street, lower flat containing 6 rooms. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 5. Apply to JAMES J. POWER. 22-2-6

TO LET—Two upper flats at 123 Douglas Avenue. All modern improvements. Seen afternoons. Apply to A. G. VANWART, on premises. 12-2-5

TO LET—At 343 Union street, flat of 8 rooms and hall. All modern improvements. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons. Apply to C. BRADGLEY & SONS, 143 Mill street. 12-2-1f

TO LET—Flat 207 Duke street, third house from corner of Carmarthen, apply to ARNOLD DEPARMENT, 31 STONE, 33 Charlotte St. 9-2-1f

TO LET—At 148 Union street, from March 4th, two front rooms with board. 21-2-6

TO LET—Flat, 123 Rodney street, West End. Enquire Sergeant Ross. 21-2-6

FLATS AND HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—Upper flat of 5 or 6 rooms, modern improvements, for family of three adults. State location and price. Address FLAT, care Star Office. 22-2-1f

WANTED—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping immediately. F. C., care Star Office. 22-2-2

WANTED—On May 1st, a heated flat of seven or eight rooms, in central location. Address GEORGE W., care Star Office. 22-2-1f

SCANDALOUS.

Mr. Moth—Glad to see you on your feet again, old man! What caused all the trouble?

His Neighbor—Why, I dined off a seemingly woolen overcoat, and it turned out to be the worst kind of shoddy. I tell you the extent to which food adulteration is carried on nowadays is nothing short of criminal.

APPROVAL?

"Do you think they approved of my sermon?" asked the newly appointed rector, hopeful that he had made a good impression on his parishioners.

"Yes, I think so," replied his wife, "they were all nodding."

HOUSEHOLD HELP WANTED.

WANTED—At Clifton House, one chamber maid and one bell boy. 22-2-1f

WANTED—Capable housemaid with references. Apply 90 Coburg street. 22-2-1f

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 138 Carmarthen street. 22-2-6

WANTED—Three girls. Apply NATIONAL DRUG CO. 22-2-2

WANTED.—Dining room girl at Western House, West End. 22-2-3

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. GEORGE ROBERTSON, 216 Gormain street. 22-2-4f

WANTED—At Clifton House, one kitchen girl. 21-2-6

GENERAL GIRLS, Cooks and Housemaids can always get the best places and highest pay. Apply at MISS HANSON'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 138 Charlotte street. 12-2-1f

WANTED—Competent girl who understands plain cooking. Small family. Apply MRS. SAYER, 36 Coburg street. 12-2-1f

WANTED—A capable girl for general housework. Apply 221 Gormain street. 14-2-1f

WANTED—Young girl for housework. Apply MRS. CARLYLE, 45 Hensfield street. 12-2-1f

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. R. T. LEAVITT, 62 Queen street. 23-1-1f

GIRL WANTED—A capable girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. D. MAGEE, 144 Elliott Row. 10-1-1f

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

WANTED—A junior clerk, one of two or three years' experience in clothing or men's furnishings preferred. Answer in own handwriting, stating age, experience and salary wanted. H. X., care of The Star. 22-2-2

WANTED—Ship carpenters, wages \$4 per day of 8 hours. Apply WALLACE SHIPYARDS, Vancouver, B. C. 22-2-12

WANTED—Shoemaker; steady work. Apply at SINCLEAR'S SHOE STORE, 65 Brussels street. 22-2-1f

WANTED—Two salesmen of experience at once. Good, permanent positions for satisfactory men. OAK HALLS, Seville Bros. & Co. 22-2-1f

WANTED—A thorough dry goods man, one capable of handling all dry goods store. Address M. Star Office, stating salary. 12-2-1f

WANTED—An advertiser, window dresser and sign maker. Address M. Star Office, stating salary. 12-2-1f

WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 12-2-1f

WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 11, Saint John, N. B. 5-11-1f

Wanted at Once

Position as Housekeeper.
Position as Companion, Children.
Position as Companion, City or Country.
Position as Pianist or Clerk in Music Store.
Position as Stenographer.
Position as Asst. Bookkeeper.
Position as Grocery Clerk.
Apply at McRAE'S Employment Bureau, 74 King St., St. John, N. B. 3-12-1f. D. J. McRAE, Prop.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

BOARDING—Pleasant rooms, with or without board, 107 1/2 Princess St. 22-2-6

TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 22-2-1f

BOARDING—GUILD HOUSE. First class board can be obtained by day or week. Apply at 10 and 12 Charles street. 21-2-1m.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Comfortable rooms with or without board, No. 34 Orange street. 22-2-6

ODESSA, Feb. 23.—A bomb was thrown beneath the carriage of the chief of police, Colonel Von Gieseberg, as he was driving through the centre of the city this afternoon. The explosion of the bomb wrecked the carriage, severely injured the chief of police and shattered the windows of all the houses in the vicinity. The would-be assassin escaped.

For February...

THE

Greatest Reductions

EVER OFFERED IN ST. JOHN ON

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

George E. Smith, 18 King St.

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Furs, Furs, -Bargains in Furs

Money back has been our motto, if better values can be procured, quality considered. No come back's yet.
BARDLEY, the Hatter, 179 Union St. Phone 409E
Your old hat blocked to look like new.

FISH FOR LENT

Haddock, Halibut, Salmon, Mackerel, Smelt, Herring, Cod, steak, Flounders, Caspercaux, Lobsters and Clams. Smoked and Salt Fish of all kinds.
THE OCEAN STORE
25 SYDNEY ST.
TELEPHONE 1704.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS IN GENERAL.

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.

FURNITURE REPAIRED AND MADE TO LOOK LIKE NEW at McGrath's Toy and Furniture store, 178 Brussels street, near Wilson's Foundry. Prices right. Articles sent for and delivered. We also buy any household articles. 12-2-1m.

WANTED—Parties having old mahogany furniture to sell. Address FURNITURE, care of the Star Office. 22-2-6

POSTAL CARDS—Twelve Beautiful Souvenir Cards, 15c; 12 comics, 10c. NATIONAL ART CARD CO., Toronto. 15-2-12

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.

GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 126 Gormain street. Special attention paid to restoring Pianos and Organs to their original tone.

MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD., St. John, N. B., manufacturers of everything in wood that enters into the construction of a house. Cut the trees in the forest and deliver the finished product to the consumer. 8-2-3m

JAMES G. MCGIVERN, Agent, No. 5 Mill street, sells coal, good coal, hard and soft, and delivers promptly. Tel. 42. 5-2-1 yr.

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 Springfield Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves, and also both Scotch and American Hard Coal. Prompt delivery with our own teams. Telephone 1844. 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. 5-2-1 yr.

A. 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.

F. C. Wesley Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 882.

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St. J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. 29 Brussels street.

OFFICE AND TRADE HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Wanted Girls, experienced shirt makers. Apply at once. J. SHANE & CO. 26-10-1f

WANTED—Canvasser, lady or gentleman. Liberal commission and salary. Apply—Canvasser, care Star Office. 14-2-1f

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.

ARTICLES LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Erin or St. Patrick street, purse containing small sum of money. Finder kindly return to 100 Brunswick street. 22-2-2

LOST—Between Winter street and Opera House, Gold Baccarat Finder please leave at Box Office, Opera House. 22-2-1

The West St. John Office of St. John STAR

—18 AT—
E. R. W. INGRAHAM'S,
DRUGGIST,
127 UNION STREET

Advertisements and Subscriptions left there will receive careful attention

To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kumford Headache Powders, 10 cents. HIS NAME.

"Say," said the political reporter, "what's the first name of Hanks?" "Nancy, you chump," answered the sporting reporter. This precipitated an argument which it were idle to chronicle here.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

HAakon IS HOPEFUL

TRONDHJAM, Feb. 24.—King Haakon, at an after-dinner discussion of the coming conference at The Hague said he recognized that there would be extreme difficulty in arriving at any international agreement on the reduction of armament, but thought the conference should seek to reach an agreement prohibiting the employment of air ships and submarine vessels in war.

Two WRECKS REPORTED IN THE NORTH SEA

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Two steamer wrecks were reported at a late hour tonight by passing vessels. One wreck is off Flamborough Head, in the North Sea, and the other off Beachy Head, in the English Channel. The names of these vessels are not known and no details of the disaster yet have been received. The weather is still stormy, especially in the North Sea.