## POOR DOCUMENT

ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1905.

All Standard Patterns reduced to 10c and 15c.

your dress materials. Or-ders taken for plaiting.

The Strenuous Life is Being Experienced Here in the Highest Degree.

You are favoring us with the best Christmas trade we ever had. We take You are favoring us with the best Christmas trade we ever had, we take no credit to ourselves, but owe it all to the excellent assortment of suitable gifts which are here in large numbers at the stock reduction sale prices. We are straining every point to give the best service, but would advise shoppers to do their purchasing in the morning as much as possible during the next HANDKERCHIEFS GALORE IN PRETTY CHRISTMAS BOXES -

MODERATELY PRICED from 25c, to \$1.00 a box.

MEN'S FINE IRISH LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS, half a dozen in a box,

boc., regular 80c. handkerchiefs.

LADIES' KID GLOVES. If you give a pair of gloves, wouldn't it enhance the value to the recipient, to have go with the gloves, a written guarantee from the manufacturer that the glove was perfect in every way. This we give with every pair at \$1.00 and above.

OUR \$1.35 GLOVE is one of the highest grades of French kid gloves, has gusseted fingers, and one of the best wearing gloves that we know of.

OUR \$1.00 KID GLOVE IS FRENCH KID, comes in all colorings and is

OUR 75c. GLOVE IS THE BEST ON THE MARKET FOR THIS PRICE, LADIES' CHRISTMAS COLLARS. You will find the best selection here and at popular prices. A COUNTER FULL FROM 15c. TO 50c. These are the popular priced goods, and there are some ties in the lot that are worth 75c. and 90c. each put among the lot to attract you to our tie counter.

Then there are the daintier goods priced \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.60 and \$1.89. These are one in a box, and are very attractive.

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LADIES' WALKING SKIRTS. A most useful and attractive present. A special sale of these now going on, and consisting of navy blue and black habit cloth skirts at \$1.69 and \$2.98 each. These are skirts that are worth at least a half more than we are asking for them. Come in all sizes.

SILK MANTEL DRAPES—ALWAYS AN ATTRACTIVE PRESENT.

Special \$2.00 mantel drapes on sale at \$1.50. SPECIAL \$2.50 MANTEL

DRAPES ON SALE AT \$1.89. SPECIAL \$3.00 MANTEL DRAPES ON SALE and unlined. SILK MUFFLERS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, COTTON AND LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, men's laundried and unlaundried shirts, men's laundried shirts, men's

59 CHARLOTTE STREET,

### WE ARE READY FOR YOU.

With our stores remodelled, cleaned and painted throughout, and with a largely increased stock, we are now ready to supply the needs of all. FANCY BISCUITS-Christie's - just from the factory-50 varieties; something for everyone, 12c. to 60c. lb.

Twenty varieties of Huntley & Palmer's to arrive 18th or 20th.

Finest quality of CANDIED CHERRIES and other Fruits; also a large assortment of the finest grades of CONFECTIONERY. Many nice packages

fo choose from.

FRUITS—Florida, Jamaica, and Tangerian Oranges, Florida Pines, Malaga Grapes, choicest Gravensteins, Pippins, etc. Something extra nice in Figs.

Our MEAT DEPARTMENT now looks very inviting since remodelled, and with its large and complete stock of the best of everything obtainable. Chickens (some extra large ones), Turkeys, Fowl, etc. Western Beef always in

If the Frost puts Curtains on the Windows you will

CARPENTER'S 131 and 133 MILL STREET.

Ladies Select YourXmas Gifts Here New Neckwear (all styles) ..... ... ... 25c., 35c. and 50c

New Suspenders (fancy boxes)
Pretty Armletts (glass boxes) WETMORE'S, The Young Men's Man

**Practical Xmas Gifts** For MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN.

Warm Slippers—28c, 38c, 48c, 68c, 75c and \$1.08. Warm Gloves—25c, 38c, 48c, 65c, 98c, \$1.48 and \$2.25. Warm Mufflers—25c to \$1.25. \ See Our Beautiful Ties-25c and 50c. Windows.

C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts.

A CHRISTMAS SHAVE Or Haircut will be more enjoyable to the gentleman if he gets it at LOGAN @ GIBBS, THE UP-TO-DATE BARBERS. 23 1-2 Waterloo Street.

We have a very large assort-

Text, Reference, and Teachers' Bibles, : : st prices ranging from 25c to \$10.00 each.

Also a large assortment Prayer Books and Hymnals, Presbyterian Books of Praise and Methodist

E. G. NELSON & CO Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

you leave in a savings' bank which paid you but 2 per cent interest, when one equally reliable offered you 4 per cent. Reading the Ads. in the STAR nowa-days will increase the buy-

TERSON'S DAYLIGHT

Store Open Evenings

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Dollar purchase tonight TAKE A CAR FOR HERE.

STAR

Received at the following Addresses: CITY.

GEORGE W. HOBEN, Druggist, 357 Main St. SAMUEL H. HAWKER, Drugrist, 172 Mill St. GEORGE E. PRICE, Druggist, 303 Union St.

CARLETON.

Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 12. Temperature at noon, 24.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Davis, Spring street.

The many friends of Pollard Lewin will hear with pleasure that he is rapidly recovering from his late illness.

A carriage robe found by the police on Carmarthen street can be had on the owner's application at the central police station.

The deceased has been for the last five years engineer of the St. John Iron Works and previously was chief engineer on the Lansdowne for a number

The rost puts curtains on the windows you will find Roses in bloom on the inside.

Best Display Yet. Prices Low as Ever, at thought that his spine is dislocated.

Selecting Christmas gifts is a bore at best; ask yourself "does he smoke," if so, your task is easy. Call on us, you was resting quite comfortably. It is thought that his spine is dislocated.

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noon from 2.30 until 5 o'clock, preparing baskets for their work among the needy. Donations of groceries, toys, candy, etc., will be gratefully received.

The mariage of Miss Effie A. Hoyt to W. Lee Hiscock is announced to take place on Christmas day at the home of the bridger and the place of the bridger and the state of the take place on Christmas day at the home of the bride's mother, Union street.

at this store. Watch this advertisement on Friday, it means a lot to you.

Louis Green, King street.

Customs officer Abbott found a lady's pocketbook on Rodney wharf this morning and left it with Collector Campbell in the west side toll house,

Campbell in the west side toll house, where the owner can get the lost property. The purse contains some money.

The firemen are arranging for a big night of ice sports to be held in one of the city rinks early in January. The proceeds will go to the Firemen's Relief Society. The sports will be pulled off much earlier this year than usual, and bigger results are anticipated.

The fish market has to take back water at this season as the big run is on poultry. Turkey is what the general public are figuring on, but tomorrow they will buy fish where they can get it. Of cured fish there is a plentiful supply, but of fresh fish the market is rather tame, and the outlook poor. Cod and haddock will bring the usual figures, five to six cents per pound. Hailbut 12 to 15 cents. There will be a few mackerel and the usual supply of smelts.

"Christmas is close at hand," said an old citizen today as he nodded toward Market slip. There were but four small schooners there and probably by tomorrow the slip will be cleaned out, as the up the bay and Nova Scotia packets will be at home for the holiday.

THIS EVENING.

Organ recital in Carleton Methodist church.

Reception in No. 1 Salvation Army barracks, Charlotte street.

Smoker at 62nd band rooms on Union

QUEEN'S RINK.

The office of Queen's Rink will be open this evening from eight till ten o'clock for the sale of season tickets. The grand opening will occur Christmas day. Many tickets are being purchased as Christmas gifts.

A man named McDonald was brought to the city on the Boston express last night from the Barnhill lumber camp, near Clarendon, suffering from an injured back, having been struck by a piece of lumber. The man was conveyed to the General Public Hospital for treatment. His home is at Lake Megantic.

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LATE SHIP NEWS

PORT OF ST. 10 The police visited the Devine house on Sheffield street and secured an overcoat for James Martin, which had been

Signals were displayed on the yard arm at the custom house this morning showing that a steamer had passed Brier Island bound to St. John. The steamer Dunmore Head is due from Ardrossen, and the Furness liner Gulf of Ancud, from Halifax. The latter ship left Halifax yesterday at 12.30 o'clock, and it is thought that the steamer signaled is here.

Arrived.

S. S. Lady Eileen, Crossley, from Fall River.

Schr. Myra B., 98, Gale, Rockland, Me., bal., master.

Coastwise — Glenara, North Head; Senlac, Halifax; Harbinger, River Harbor; Little Annie, West Isles, N.

Cleared.

Schr. John J. Ward, 280, Whelpley, New York, 1,360,000 laths. Schr. John J. Ward, 280, Whelpley, New York, 1,360,000 laths.

Turn this page and get a few good Turn this page and get a few good ideas on the Christmas shopping question. Then, hurry up your supper, and reach Manchester's in good time for a thorough inspection of the thousands of lovely gift goods there on sale for men, women and children—grandparents down to the baby. Special reduction on some Christmas novelties in the Art Room, comencing Friday.

COL. RAY'S FUNERAL. The funeral of the late Colonel Ray, who died in a street car in New York the other day, and who was at one time mayor of St. John, will be held on Saturday. It is just probable that the local militia will be called out to attend in a body and even if this is not done a guard of honor will doubtless be provided

BOTH UNIONS HAVE LOTS OF WORK; NO TROUBLE.

About 90 of the New Society's Members Are at Work on the Allan Liner

The 'longshoreman situation remains the same this morning on the West Side. The new society are at work on the Allan liner Corinthian, while on both sides of them are the association men at work on the C. P. R. boat, Lake Erie, and on the Manchester liner.

E. R. W INGRAHAM, Druggist, 127 Union St.

This morning there were about seventy-five men at work. Of these about forty were on the Salacia, seventy on the Manchester boat and sixty-five on the Manchester boat and sixty-five on the C. P. R. boat. The largest number of all were on the Allan liner, about ninety men being employed.

These last nearly all belong to the new society. On inquiry this morning, the Star was informed that they had no difficulty in procuring men and that numbers had been turned away this morning.

direct attack on the two big shops as the men seem to think that if they are forced to give in the smaller ones will easily be handled. The men are not vindictive in any way and do not wish any unpleasantness but will insist upon an agreement for eight hours. The employers are equally determined that they will not give in.

One proprietor told the Star this morning that as far as he was concerned he would shut down the whole business rather than give in as the markin of profits was now so small morning.

### STEAMER CAPTAIN SUES OWNERS.

The case of Pouliot vs. the steamer Lady Eileen came up before Mr. Justice McLeod this morning at eleven. The case was opened by J. D. Hazen for the plaintiff and then adjourned until three this afternoon to wait for

until three this afternoon to wait for a witness.

The police report the glass broken in fire alarm box No. 27.

The plaintiff was captain of the vessel until June, last, when he was dismissed. He had been engaged in February for a year. On a day a little before his dismissal, the weather being threatening, he did not sail at the time ordered by the owners. The company contend he should have obeyed orders. J. D. Hazen, K. C., appears for the plaintiff, and W. A. Mott, of Campbellday at the request of the owner, Jas. Davis, Spring street.

### WELL KNOWN ENGINEER DEAD.

cases, with a five inch pure am

cigarette cases, choice line of briar pipes at fifty cents. We get cash for

Meeting of Court Wygoody, I. O. F

Schr. Carrie H., 20, Wilson, flishing

of smelts.

The live stock shipments for the week will hear with pleasure that he is rapidly recovering from his late illness.

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The death took place at 2.30 this morning at his residence, coroner of Douglas avenue and Main street, of William H. Kennedy, after a very brief illness, as on Friday last Mr. Kennedy was at work.

head of cattle.

The South African liner Oriana is expected to get away on Saturday for ports in South Africa and will take about 100 horses.

The Donaldson liner Tritonia is expected to leave port on Christmas day and will have 670 head of cattle and 16 horses. She is bound to I tierred and 16 

BUSY BUYERS.

Shipper, is expected to get away on Christmas day and will have 150 head

Owing to wind and tide this morning the steamer Calvin Austin was headed out of the harbor by the aid of the tug Lord Kitchener.

PRESSMEN HAVE JOINED

THE STRIKING PRINTERS.

Establishments of McMillan and Barnes

Practically Tied Up-One Job Office

May Be Closed Permanently.

The strike of the Typographical Union which affects the leading job

business rather than give in as the margin of profits was now so small that they had to exercise the greatest economy to make it pay. Outside firms, principally Montreal and Toronto houses have cut into the business here considerably and the employers are rather sore. This, however, does not reseat the second of the contract of the

LIVE STOCK SHIPMENTS.



Teeth Extracted 15c. Without Pain,

FRESH FISH ARE SCARCE. in this city.

We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in The fish market has to take back Gold filling from \$1.00; Silver and other filling from 50c.; placs repaired,

Boston Dental Parlors, 527 Main Street, DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.

Office Hours—9 a. m. until 9 p. m.

## Gifts Worth Giving.

Give your Mother a nice set of Furs, \$6.50 to \$50.00 Give your Father a nice Overcoat, from \$5.00 to \$12.00 Give your Wife one of our Costumes or Coats,

\$6.50 to \$18.00 Give your Son an Overcoat that will keep him warm, \$3.75 to \$8.00 Give your Neighbor a nice Ulster Coat, \$4.00 to \$8.00

Give Yourself anything you like in the clothing line Give us your money and we will give it back to you if

# WILCOX BROS

Market Sq. and Dock St.

## Xmas Slipper Suggestions.

What to give an Old Lady, SLIPPERS. What to give a Young Lady SLIPPERS.

What to give an Old Man SLIPPERS. What to give a

oung Man

SLIPPERS.

you are not satisfied.

What to give a Boy! SLIPPERS. What to give a Girl. SLIPPERS. What to give a Kid.

SLIPPERS. What to give SLIPPERS.

Goady's Shoe Store,

Bargain Counters Ornaments and Useful China. EVERYTHING REDUCED.

10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, and 50c Each. W. H. HAYWARD CO., Ltd.,

85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess Street.

Confectionery at Barkers.

10c. Candy only 6c. a lb., 5 lbs. for 25c. 12c. Candy only 7c. a lb., 4 lbs. for 25c. 15c. Candy only 9c. a lb., 3 lbs. for 25c.

Hand Made Barley Toys, 10c. a lb., Candy Canes, 10c. a lb., Xmas Mixture, 10c. a lb., Peanut Brittle, Kisses, Cream Mix. and many others at 15c. a lb. Regular 25c. Chocolates, 15c. a lb., 2 lbs. for 25c. Regular 40c. Chocolates, 25c. a lb. Best 50 to 60c. Chocolates, 35c. a lb. This grade cannot be beat.

Mixed Nuts 13c. a lb. 2 lbs. for 25c. Oranges 15c. a decent and many other Mixed Nuts 13c. a lb., 2 lbs. for 25c. Oranges 15c. a dozen and many other

The 2 Barkers, Ltd.' 100 PRINCESS STREET,

## Our \$10 Watches

Men's size, 15 jeweled, Waltham or Elgin movements fully guaranteed in 20 year Gold Filled Cases. Reliable timekeepers.

L. L. SHARPE @ SON. 21 King St , St. John, N. B



# Suggestions

FOR MEN WOMEN MISSES AND THE CHILDREN

THE accompanying illustrations may be the means of creating a gift buying idea in the minds of some, men particularly, who have delayed their purchasing. Come to our stores today or tonight and allow us to show you just what would be nice.

At M. R. A's Ltd.

Market Square.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Limited. Germain Street.

