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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1907

A CUSTOMER'S REASONABLE WISH IS THIS STORE'S PLEASURE

WRAPPERS

ON SALE

THURSDAY



This is a rare money-saving opportunity. These flannellette wrappers come to us at clearing prices, and we are going to allow you to make the same saving as we did.

WRAPPERS AT 50c. in medium and dark flannellette. Nicely made—skirt has a wide flounce at bottom—Body lined. These are the regular \$1.00 wrappers.

At 85c. These were made to retail at \$2.00. Materials are excellent, styles are good and the price does not give any idea of the real value.

Two specials at \$1.00 and \$1.25. Come in dainty pattern flannellette. Skirts good and full with flounce at bottom. These are the regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 wrappers.

BLACK SATEEN WRAPPERS—SPECIALS AT \$1.19. Good quality of sateen—nicely trimmed and made in good style.

F. A. DYKEMAN & Co.,
59 Charlotte St.

Do You Keep Lent?

We have Large Fancy Salt Herring at 80c. per doz. Special Labrador Herring, in Pails at \$1.25. Salt Labrador Salmon at 15c. per pound.

FIGURE Boneless Herring at 15c. per package.

Scotch Herring, in drums, \$1.75 each.

Shredded, Boneless and Jelly Roll Cod.

Telephone **WALTER GILBERT,** 143 Charlotte St. Corner Princess 812

Probabilities Say Rain for Tonight

You Will Need Rubbers.

Why not try our makes? They're good.

Men's Rubbers,	85c,	\$1.00,	\$1.10	
Women's Rubbers,	65c,	70c,	75c,	80c
Girls' Rubbers,	50c,	60c,	65c	
Boys' Rubbers,	70c,	85c,	90c	
Youths' Rubbers,	55c,	65c,	70c	
Child's Rubbers,	45c,	55c,	60c	

McRobbie 94 KING STREET

FOOT FITTERS **McRobbie** 94 KING STREET

Dinner Cards

A New Assortment. Just Received.

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

It is Just as Easy

and as satisfactory to buy goods over the telephone of us as at our store personally. Try it.

GEO. E. PRICE,
Druggist,
127 Queen Street,
303 Union Street.

GROCERY STOCK and STORE FIXTURES

FOR SALE BARGAINS.

MEGARITY & KELLEY
Hay Market Square.
TELEPHONE 329.

Whitewear Sale.

Corset Covers, 12c, 15c, 25c to \$1.50 each.

Drawers, 25c to \$1.00 per pair.

Night Gowns, 60c, 90c, \$1 to 2.25 ea.

Skirts, 60c, 75c to \$2.25 each.

White Lawn Waists, 40c, 60c, \$1 to \$1.65 each.

Wall Paper Bargains—20,000 Rolls beautiful designs, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 7c to 20c roll.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE.
Phone 176. 83-85 Charlotte St.

The wholesale millinery openings are on today and tomorrow in Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd., Brock and Patterson, Ltd., and the London House Wholesale. A large number of milliners are in the city from all sections of Lower Canada.

THE WEATHER

Forecasts—Mild and showery with moderate to fresh south to west winds, clearing by Thursday evening.

LOCAL NEWS.

The police were called into Gustave Bauris' house on North street last evening to quell a disturbance.

The funeral of the late David A. Gibson took place at 2.30 this afternoon from his brother's residence, Paddock street. Rev. J. F. Floyd officiated and interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of the late Benjamin French was held this afternoon at 2.30 from his late residence, Metcalfe street. Rev. Gideon Swain officiated, interment was in Cedar Hill.

Mrs. Amelia Case, widow of A. W. Case, died at St. John's hospital, at four o'clock this morning. She was well known here having been a resident of this city up to a year ago. Mrs. Case was survived by one son, A. Hartley Case, an employe of the Globe Laundry. He is at present in Toronto and was wired his mother's death this morning. He answered to the effect that he would leave for home at once. Mrs. Case had been ill with pneumonia for several days.

The teamsters employed at the Portland Rolling Mills went on strike yesterday. They have been paid forty cents per ton hauled and are now asking for an increase to fifty cents per ton. At a meeting of the Teamsters' Union last night it was decided that the strikers be supported by the union. At two o'clock this afternoon the men were still out.

The response to the Star's plea for practical assistance in behalf of a distressed family of sick father, mother, twin infants and six other little children, all girls, is quite generous and prompt. Cash and provisions are being tendered this newspaper to be sent the home so much in need, and with a little more kindly effort it looks as if the rigors of winter and early spring will be so dreaded a proposition to the parents and children. All the donors so far have desired that their contributions be anonymous, therefore in deference to their wishes the Star withholds names. However, one of the most generous givers was an elderly gentleman, another a widow. The Star is still accepting aid for the family, but will do so for only a day or so longer.

Later this afternoon a six year old boy was handed the Star from guests at the Royal Hotel.

WEST INDIA LINER HAD A ROUGH PASSAGE

The West Indian steamship Ocamo arrived in port this morning and docked at the Pender wharf at 9 o'clock. The voyage from Bermuda was a very rough one and the steamer was nearly two days late. Six saloon passengers were on board. They were Edward Brennan, of Boston, W. Holgate and J. Holgate, of Bermuda, Mr. and Mrs. George McSweeney, of Moncton, and John M. McSweeney, of Moncton.

The latter when seen by a Star representative stated that very little change in trade had taken place on the island since the earthquake in Jamaica. Very few people of the stricken island left for other places, and the feeling generally expressed in that country is that in the course of a year or two, Kingston will have overcome the setback caused by the earthquake.

WILL LIKELY HAVE FOUR NEW ALDERMEN

Proposed Change in the Ward System Bill.

Provides for the Election of One Man From Each Ward and Six Aldermen at Large.

In Fredericton this morning members of the bills and by-laws committee of the St. John council appeared before the municipalities committee for the purpose of explaining and supporting the various bills prepared for St. John. The county bills passed without discussion. The one sent up by the city for the purpose of altering the hours for holding polls in civic elections also passed without discussion, as did that provided for the issue of \$721,000 bonds.

On the ward system bill there was considerable discussion. Ald. Baxter, as chairman of the bill and by-laws committee, explained the intention of the bill, and was supported by Mayor Sears, Ald. Rowan and Ald. McCordick. The latter favored the bill as it stood, but later expressed his willingness to support a certain change which was suggested by Mr. J. King Kelley and Mr. J. King Kelley, who appeared for a number of petitioners, opposed the bill. Ald. Tilley favored a plebiscite. Some time was spent in discussion and later, as the result of a conference between the delegates and the members from St. John, it was decided to suggest amendments in the bill which will provide for the election of one alderman from each ward and six aldermen at large, constituting a board of seventeen. This suggested change will mean thirteen aldermen, an increase of four over the present board, and it is believed that the six aldermen at large will be sufficient to prevent the formation of any cliques. This whole bill will be taken into consideration by the municipalities committee, and their decision in regard to it will be made known after the next sitting, which will probably be held this afternoon. The other bills from St. John it is thought will not be taken up until tomorrow morning. Those still to be dealt with are the ones regarding permanent pavements and the transferring of the sewerage maintenance accounts.

FREDERICTON LADY SUICIDES DURING TEMPORARY INSANITY

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 12.—Robert Alken, the well known lumberman, while walking out to his home last evening fell and broke his leg just above the ankle. Mr. Alken will be confined to the house for some time.

The sad death occurred here about one o'clock noon, of the wife of R. L. Black. The deceased was formerly Miss Minnie Baker of this city and had only been married a few weeks.

This morning about 10.30 she took a dose of carbolic acid and in spite of the fact that medical aid could do, passed away at the hour above mentioned. Besides a husband, she had a young child, and a daughter. The death is a most sad one and temporary insanity is stated as the cause of the suicide.

A horse owned by Edward Hogah and driven by Patrick McDermott ran away from the corner of King and Charlotte streets yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. McDermott were thrown out but fortunately uninjured. The horse was captured at the foot of King street.

Fred Robson, who was seriously injured in a coasting accident a few days ago, is resting easily at the hospital today.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED.—An experienced dressmaker. Apply to MISS BRUCE, 276 Duke street. 13-3-4

WANTED.—A good cook, woman preferred. Good wages. Apply OTTAWA HOTEL, King Square. 12-3-4

FOR SALE.—A few pieces of old mahogany furniture. Address Mahogany, Star Office. 13-3-4

WANTED.—Girl for general housework. Apply MRS. J. A. SINCLAIR, 161 Waterloo street. 13-3-4

TO LET.—Store from May 1st. Store 609 Main street. Apply 143 Union. 13-3-4

WANTED.—Capable housemaid before March 20th. Apply 33 Queen Square. 13-3-4

WANTED.—A cook. Apply MISS STONE, 171 German St. 13-3-4

PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

LACE CURTAIN CORNERS

Suitable for Small Windows

A SALE TONIGHT.

19c each

22c "

25c "

29c "

32c "

Matched Pairs

49c Pair.

See Them. Buy Them

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts.
Store Open Evenings.

RIVER STEAMERS ARE GETTING READY

All of Them Being Overhauled at Indiantown

Which Will Make the First Start This Year?—Owners Look for a Good Season.

Although the ice in the St. John and Kennebec rivers has not yet shown signs of softening the steamboat people are beginning to prepare for the opening of traffic in Marble Cove, where several of the boats have wintered, the sound of the carpenter's hammer and the swish of the paint brush are very much in evidence. Nearly every boat will receive a general overhauling and several of them will be newly painted. Work has been started on the Star Lancer Victoria and the management is sparing no pains in making this steamer one of the most up-to-date on the river. She will receive a new coat of paint and the interior will be thoroughly renovated. The May Queen, Majestic, Crystal Stream, Elaine, Hampstead, Champlain and Hampton steamers are also undergoing repairs. The question most prominent in the minds of the river people at the present time is which boat will be the first to venture up the St. John after the ice moves out. The steamer Hampstead is looked upon as the champion in this respect, as she left her wharf before any of the other boats last year. On April 11th, after having received repairs and a general overhauling, the Hampstead got up steam and started for Carter's Point. She nearly reached her destination after having had lots of trouble in the ice. The next boat to leave was the Elaine for Gagetown. She left on April 17th.

The other steamers followed in the following order: April 19th, Majestic to Upper Gagetown; April 21st, May Queen to Upper Gagetown; April 24, Champlain to Belleisle; April 25, Victoria to Fredericton; April 28, Hampton to Hampton. There is little trade for any steamer so early in the spring, which proves that rivalry exists between the different lines as to which boat will be the first to get away. Several surveys are looked for this year, and it is said that efforts will be made to beat the Hampstead's record for 1906.

The steamer owners look forward to a busy season. They say that traffic was heavy last year, and still are looking forward to an account of the increase in the summer population at many points along the river.

ANOTHER FORESTALLING CASE FROM THE MARKET

Stanley Hopkins Makes a Report Against William McDonald—May Have to Answer Same Charge Himself.

A case of interest to market men and others will be heard in the police court this afternoon, when William McDonald will be called to answer the charge of forestalling. Before the case is finished it is expected that others will be implicated. The information made against McDonald was given by Stanley Hopkins, it appears that a countryman was held up, and instead of selling all of his goods to Hopkins he allowed McDonald to have some, and the result is that Hopkins reported McDonald to Clerk of the Market Dunham. It is said that the informer may be charged with the same offense of forestalling. The law says that country produce must remain in the market for three hours so that the citizens can have a chance to purchase in small lots at the countryman's price, and after the three hours, if the produce has not been sold, a dealer can then purchase the whole lot and sell to his customers at his own price. Any violator of the act is liable to a fine of \$20, and it is said that there is considerable forestalling in the city market.

Clerk Dunham has been energetic in reporting violators of the market act, but in spite of this forestalling is a frequent occurrence.

Percy J. Steele, successor to William Young, the North End shoe dealer, Main street, has received a consignment of rubbers somewhat late. These will be quickly cleared out at reduced prices in order to make room for a large supply of very fine Easter footwear now in hand.

Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

We make the best \$5.00 set of teeth in this city.

We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city.

Gold filling from \$1.00; Silver and other filling from 50c; plates repaired from 5c.

Boston Dental Parlor, 527 Main St.
Dr. J. D. Maher, Proprietor.
Office Hours—9 a. m. until 9 p. m.
Telephone—Office, 631; Residence, 725.

More Inducements, At Our Alteration Sale

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WILCOX BROS.,

Dock Street and Market Square.

Meat Department

WILLIAMS' Sugar Cured Hams and Bacon acknowledged the best on the market. Use our Phone 543.

F. E. WILLIAMS & CO., LTD.,
Phone 543. Cor. Charlotte and Princess Sts.

FLOOD'S Big Clearance Sale

A GREAT SUCCESS!

You Cannot Afford to Miss It

The Floods' Co., 31 & 33 King St., Next M. R. A.

KID GLOVES FOR EASTER.

Fowne's and Dent's make, in dark and medium tans, at \$1.00 and \$1.25.

WETMORE'S, The Young Men's Man 154 MILL STREET.

BARGAIN GROCERIES AT THE 2 BARKER'S, LTD.

Canned Corn, 8c can.
Canned Peas, 6c and 7c.
Canned Tomatoes, 10c can.
Canned Pumpkins, 8c can.
2 lb Tin Canned Ham, 23c.
Large Canned Beets, 9c.

If you purchase one or more pounds of regular 40c Tea, which we sell at 25c, we will give 24 lbs of best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00. 100lb. bags, only \$4.20.

At THE 2 BARKER'S, 100 PRINCESS STREET, 111 BRUSSELS STREET.

HAVE YOU GOT A FLAT TO LET

There Are Scores of Families Who Haven't.

The STAR can secure you suitable quarters, or if you are a landlord it can rent your premises for you. House rented and procured as well. Roomers and Boarders communicated with. Sales negotiated, and Wages, Funds, Help Wanted, etc. Also Situations Wanted—inserted at low rates.

1c. word per day, 4c. week.

COLONIAL BOOKSTORE

Something New!

Shamrock Postal Cards for March 17.

T. H. HALL'S, Colonial Book Store, 57 King Street.

LIGHT AND MEDIUM SPRING UNDERWEAR

Milder Weather Undergarments

..... For Men, Youths, Boys.....

HEAVY WOOLS AND SWEATY FLEECE-LINED UNDERCLOTHING are now out of season; Even Winter Overcoats are becoming a drag. The man or boy who follows the variations of the four seasons in the matter of Underwear weights is the happier man—he feels better, he enjoys life the more, he seldom complains of that Spring drowsiness, that dullness for work, but is alert and content.

Men's Fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, sizes 32 to 50, only 50c the garment

Men's Fine Merino Shirts and Drawers, unshrinkable, sizes 32 to 46. 45c to 65c the garment.

Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, unshrinkable, sizes 32 to 44. \$1.00 the garment.

Men's Fine Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, unshrinkable, sizes 32 to 46. 85c to \$1.15 the garment.

Boys' Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, From 70c to \$1.00 Garment

We Fit the Largest and the Smallest

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON Limited.