

ST. JOHN STAR, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1904.

Economy Centre. Economy Centre.

A buyer from a large Winnipeg house, who has just returned from a visit to Japan, managed to secure while there, an immense lot of **Japanese Washing Silks**, at prices much below their actual worth.

We are fortunate in making arrangements with the purchaser whereby we secured a large quantity of this shipment, and the goods were placed on sale on Monday morning at our store. They consist of white waist and suit silks. Black waist and suits silks, shepherd's plaid waist and suit silks and lace striped silks, something which is entirely new to this market. Many of the prettiest patterns contain only fifty yards in each piece, and as only one fourth can be secured of each pattern, those wishing the pick of the lot will come at once.

Prices will be as follows:

- COLORED CORDED WASH SILKS, 25c. a yard.
- WHITE CORDED SILKS, splendid washing quality, 25c. a yard.
- SHEPHERD'S PLAID SILKS, in black and white and blue and white, fine checks, 35c. a yard.
- WHITE LACE STRIPE SILKS, 35c. a yard.
- BLACK LACE STRIPE SILKS, 45c. a yard.

F. A. D'KEMAN & CO.,

59 CHARLOTTE STREET.

Special Underclothes!

We have a complete stock of Heavy, All Wool Garments, at these prices: 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, \$1.00 and \$1.20. Qualities 70c to \$1.20 guaranteed unshrinkable.

Free Lined, all sizes, 45c.

All Wool Top Shirts, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c and \$1.15.

C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts. ST. JOHN, North End.

FURS EXHIBITION FURS

Ladies' Scarfs, Neck Pieces, Victorines, Muffs, Seal, Persian Lamb and Astrachan Jackets; also, Gents' and Children's Furs. These goods are up to our usual standard of excellence both in style and workmanship.

INSPECTION INVITED.

THORNE BROS., Hatters and Furriers. 93 KING STREET.

10,000 Customers wanted to buy 10,000 Lbs. Beef Steak at 10 Cents per lb., and other cuts in proportion, at CARPENTER'S, 131 and 133 MILL STREET.

SUGAR STATIONARY. But is Bound to Go Higher Before Long.

Up to noon today there had been no change in the sugar market either at London or New York, although advice of a further advance are expected at any hour.

A prominent dealer told the Star today that Willett & Gray, one of the biggest sugar firms in New York, predicted that raw sugar would go to 19 shillings and that refined sugars would advance one cent per pound over the

present price. This would be necessary to curtail the consumption of refined sugar so that there would be enough to go around.

DIVORCED DUKE BETROTHED.

DARMSTADT, Germany, Nov. 21.—The betrothal is officially announced of the Grand Duke of Hesse, who was divorced from his cousin, Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg in 1901, to the Princess Elanor of Solms-Hohenzollern-Leich.

DOLLS. Our stock of DOLLS is now complete and is without doubt the best assortment and best values in St. John. Dressed Dolls, 10c to 30c. each. China Dolls, two for 1c. and up. Blue Dolls, 4c, 5c, 10c. each. Washable Dolls, 10c. up. Rag Dolls, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c. Kid Dolls, 15c. to \$2.00. each. Jointed Dolls, 15c. to \$1.50. each. Infant Dolls, 10c. each. Rubber Dolls, 7c. to 50c. each. Mechanical Dolls, 40c.

Don't fail to see our dolls and get our prices before buying. Our full line of TOYS will be ready in a few days. Arnold's Department Store 11 and 15 Charlotte St.

The Steamer "Maggie Miller." Will leave Millidgeville for Summersville, Kennecobec Island and Baywater, daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 9 a. m., 3.30 and 5.00 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 7 and 10 a. m., and 4.15 p. m. SATURDAY leaves Millidgeville at 8.45 and 9 a. m., and 3.30 and 5 p. m. Returning at 8.30, 9 and 10 a. m., and 4.15 and 5.45 p. m. SUNDAY leaves Millidgeville at 9 and 10.30 a. m. and 5 p. m.

ROBINSON'S Good Bread, Fine Cakes and Pastry Confectionery. 173 UNION ST.

F. R. PATTERSON & CO. THE DAYLIGHT STORE.

Ladies' Winter Vests. Special Lot on Sale TONIGHT. Pure White, Good Weight. 30c. Each. Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets. Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All changes of Ads Must be in Star Office, Not Later than 10 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

A few nice rooms with first-class board at reasonable rates at the Ottawa hotel, King square.

Good heavy soft wood, \$1.20. Broad Cove coal, \$1.50 per load. Watter's, Walker's Wharf. Phone 612.

The schooner Mineola has been chartered to load general cargo at New York for San Domingo and return at six dollars for the round trip.

Rev. Mr. Wicher, recently returned from Japan, will lecture in St. Andrew's school room on Tuesday evening on Japan From Within.

A large number of University of Mount Allison students who have been spending the Thanksgiving holidays at home went back today to resume their studies.

Col. Thomas, chief of the United States immigration agency, arrived in the city this morning for the winter. He comes direct from Ohio, where he went after the closing of the summer immigration business at Quebec.

On Thursday night Rev. E. A. Wicher, recently returned from Japan where he ministered to a congregation of Europeans, will lecture in St. Matthew's Presbyterian church, Douglas avenue. His subject will be Japan.

The ladies of Queens Square church are making elaborate preparations for the sale and tea which they will hold tomorrow afternoon and evening. A large attendance is expected.

A pool tournament, to be played by members of No. 1 Salvage Corps, will be commenced Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. Capt. G. Herbert Green has donated a prize for the winner of the tournament.

Attached to the Atlantic express this morning was a car occupied by returning harvesters. There were about thirty in all and they seemed to be glad that they were returning home for the winter.

The Salvation Army has established a free labor bureau in connection with the Travelers' Home. It is in need of workers to apply to Adjt. G. P. Thompson, or telephone No. 314.

This evening in St. David's church school-room the Young People's Association will hold its Biblical night. Rev. A. J. W. Nicholson will deliver an address on The Message of the Old Testament. Fred Simpson will sing a solo.

R. W. Carson has opened a new cigar stand and pool room at 507 1/2 Main street with a full line of imported and domestic cigars, cigarettes, tobacco and pipes. New pool tables have been installed and everything fitted up in the latest style. Call and see them.

Rev. R. W. Weddall, pastor of Grafton street Methodist church, is now visiting his daughter, Mrs. Racine, in St. John. Rev. Secretary Jefferson, of Louisville, has notified the board of Grafton street church, of his acceptance of the call extended to him by the congregation in view of Mr. Weddall's resignation.

NEW MANAGER FOR QUEEN'S RINK.

F. G. Spencer Will Conduct the Popular Resort This Winter.

F. G. Spencer has branched out in a new line. Mr. Spencer has in the past given St. John some high class musical attractions and during the last exhibition showed his ability to turn his hand to other lines of amusement. He will be handling the Amusement Hall at the exhibition. Mr. Spencer is now the lessee and proprietor of the Queens Rink, which is composed of Messrs. John T. Kelly, Thomas Kitcham, Wm. J. Mahoney, John F. Gleeson, Wm. Daley, O'Neill, M. J. D. Sweeney, John Lunney, J. McShane, Arthur Godsoe.

A HEAVY LOSS.

A Hammer Weighing 2,200 Pounds Dropped in the River.

While at work at Indian town on Saturday the big hammer of Robert's pile driver was lost overboard. The big weight when it fell made an awful splash. It weighed 2,200 pounds. A diver was sent for and yesterday Edward Lahey went to work to recover the weight which he did not without considerable difficulty. When he located the hammer he found that it had turned over in the water and the projecting top or hook was under water. The hammer was deeply embedded in the mud and it took several hours of excavating before a tackle could be secured by fastened to the hammer so that it could be hoisted on board.

SCHER SEA FOAM ASHORE.

The steamer Westport III, Captain Powell, which arrived in port last night, reports that the schooner Sea Foam from St. John, on Thursday last, tried to make the harbor at Brierley, but lost both jibs, two anchors and went ashore on Dartmouth Point. The Westport went to the vessels assistance, towed her off and took her safely into the harbor. The schooner is loading with general cargo. She lost her shoe while ashore.

QUIET AT INDIANTOWN.

At Indian town the bustle incident to the summer trade has almost left and the quiet of winter all but come. Every steamer except the Elaine, is moored hard and firm to her wharf for the winter. The steamer Elaine is still making trips to Wickham, as the river is clear to that point. There is ice in the river a considerable distance below Gagetown. The present soft spell will probably have little effect in breaking up the ice, as it is unaccompanied by wind.

FACTORY ACT COMMISSION.

The Factory Act Commission, which adjourned along the first of September with the understanding that sessions would resume in St. John during the exhibition, has not yet assembled. The chairman a short time ago summoned the members to meet in Fredericton today, but has since postponed this indefinitely. The reason for the postponement is the illness of Commissioner McDonald. The reason for the delay since the first of September is not given out, even some of the commissioners being in the dark.

PROBATE COURT.

In the probate court this morning Judge Trueman delivered judgment on the passing of accounts in the J. W. Nicholson estate. He decided that special securities must be set apart from the several funds to which the different heirs are entitled, and that the trustees' commissions and expenses of management must be charged pro rata to the income of those several funds, instead of against the income arising from the residuary estate. J. D. Haese, K. C. proctor.

CATHEDRAL HIGH TEA.

Great Preparations for the Opening Night—York Theatre Decorated—The Committees

Everything is in readiness for the Cathedral High Tea and Social, which opens this evening in the York Theatre Assembly Rooms. The tea and social will continue till Thursday evening. The assembly rooms are tastefully decorated for the occasion.

Each table will be under the direction of several married ladies, who will have the assistance of a corps of white-robed waitresses. The ladies will be assisted by a corps of white-robed waitresses.

The ladies at the first table and their assistants are: Mrs. P. J. Gorman, Mrs. E. Haney, Mrs. D. Connel, Mr. J. Coll, assisted by Misses Lewis, Kelly, B. Connel, K. Hogan, N. Foster, H. Lunney, M. Driscoll, H. Driscoll, Hogan, M. Doyle, N. Nichol, A. McCarron, E. Allan, M. Allen, A. Haley, M. Ward, A. Moran, L. Hayes, H. Coughlan, A. Dolan, N. Carleton, Mrs. J. Nichol, Mrs. P. Killion, Mrs. E. Finigan, Mrs. M. Kavanaugh, Miss K. Hennessy, Miss M. Hennessy, Misses McNeil, Hennessy, J. Dean, Mullin, Bain, Cavanaugh, Crowley, McAnulty, McGloin, Sullivan, Donovan, Winnie McNeil, Lena Gilpin, Annie Giffitt, Hannah Pringle, May McAndrews, Bessie Givan, E. Neil, J. Donovan, Nellie Donovan, M. Barry, Mrs. John Bain. At the third table Mrs. R. J. Ritchie, Mrs. Ambrose McGourty, Mrs. M. McGourty, Mrs. R. J. Ritchie, K. McCullough, Minnie Murphy, Lizzie Moore, A. Durant, A. McGuire, Gussie Dolan, Alice McGourty, Evelyn McGourty, E. McGrath, M. Foley, A. Foley, S. McHale, M. McDade, N. Sullivan, M. Sullivan, Mrs. R. J. Coughlan.

A fourth table will be under the care of Mrs. John P. Gleeson, Mrs. H. J. McNeil, Wallace, A. McDermott, McMillan, Blanche McLaughlin, Daisy Peterson, Maggie Cusack, Nellie White. The large room on the right of the entrance has been fitted up for the booth, of which they are several. The fancy work is in charge of Miss S. McWilliams and Miss Alice Dillon, assisted by Misses Barry and G. Duke. Miss Pond, Misses Laylor, Katherine Lawlor, Mary McLaughlin, Grab bag, Misses Elizabeth McInerney, Florence O'Neill, Candy table, in charge of Misses L. McCarthy and May Harrison, who will be assisted by Misses Harlina McGourty, Gertrude McCarthy and Miss Harriman. Tea, lemonade and such beverages will be served by Misses Mabel Potts, Emily Bardeley, Benie Gleeson, Alice O'Regan, Mary Greany. The ice cream parlor will be in charge of Mr. Carey, with the following waitresses: Miss M. McCarthy, M. Mullin, Bessie Mullin, Katie O'Neill, Eugenia Kelly, Ethel Flaherty, Florence Kelly, Clara Delaney, Teresa Hayes, Annie Hayes, Blanche Kelly, Lily Bardeley.

The room on the left of the entrance will be used for games and other amusements. The gentlemen's committee is composed of Messrs. John T. Kelly, Thomas Kitcham, Wm. J. Mahoney, John F. Gleeson, Wm. Daley, O'Neill, M. J. D. Sweeney, John Lunney, J. McShane, Arthur Godsoe.

PERSONALS.

E. Byron Winslow, of Fredericton, has had turn on Friday and his condition is very critical.

Mrs. P. Burns arrived from Belfast (Ire.), on the steamer Ionian yesterday and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGeraghe, Carleton.

Major T. E. Arnold, Sussex, left by C. P. R. Saturday afternoon for Montreal to consult a specialist about his health. Dr. McAllister, of Sussex, accompanied him.

Thomas Sweeney, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Sweeney, Garden street, returned to Boston Saturday.

The marriage of Miss Mary de Bury, of St. John, and Dr. P. C. Schenker, of Fairview, Kansas, took place in Chicago Monday last. Kansas City will be their home.

Miss Ann Whelan, who left here for the west over a year ago, arrived home from Winnipeg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Stevens left Saturday for St. Stephen to spend a short time.

Commodore A. Paget, of H. M. S. Charlyde, passed through the city Saturday from New York en route to Halifax.

Rev. J. E. Finen, Exeter (N. H.), formerly of St. John, has gone to Rome on a holiday trip.

Mrs. C. F. Baker has returned from New York and Boston.

Harold White left Saturday afternoon for New York to reside there.

Tuesday, Nov. 23, will be the 62nd birthday of Senator Donville, and his Rothesay friends will hold a smoker in the pavilion, at which the colored will be pleasantly reminded of the anniversary.

Mrs. W. T. Broderick will receive her friends on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, Nov. 23 and 24, at 23 Coburg street.

Miss Lawton, of St. John, is visiting in Keatville, and is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Wickwire.

The marriage is announced to take place on Nov. 30, of Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, of Fort Lawrence, N. S., to Alfred A. Angus, of the same place.

Miss Clara Dixon, of the west side, returned home last week after a pleasant visit of several weeks to Ontario cities.

Master Roy and Miss Annie Smith, son and daughter of J. Willard Smith, returned to Mt. Allison today after spending the Thanksgiving holiday with their parents.

T. Lynch, of Fredericton, is in the city.

T. Carleton Allen, clerk of the peace, is at the Royal.

A. C. Puddington, of New York, son-in-law of the late E. E. Ketchum, leaves today for his home.

R. C. Elkin, who is confined to his house by illness, was reported this morning as being somewhat improved.

Thomas B. Reynolds, clerk at the Royal Hotel, is enjoying a well earned vacation at Toronto.

W. Fisher, American immigration agent here for the past two winters, arrived in the city this morning to go on winter duty.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins returned this morning from Boston, where Mr. Collins has been visiting his sick mother.

PRINTING. No matter what your business, use good printing. It's the dress by which the public judge you. We can please you and make your printing a profitable investment—Sun Printing Company.

George Estey, of Kennedy street, met with a painful accident on Friday that has confined him to his house ever since. He was at work on a building that he is erecting there when in some manner he fell from a staging badly injuring one arm and shoulder. He will be laid up for some days.

City Fuel Co's COAL OFFICE REMOVED TO BRADLEY'S. BLOCK, 92 and 94 Smythe St. Corner of Mill. Telephone 382

HATS AND FEATHERS THIS TIME!

Big Bargain Sale Commences Tomorrow. For Ladies and Children in need of good, stylish Millinery this grand clearance disposal will be of very special interest. Prices more than halved.

REMnants!

A sale of Dress Goods Remnants commenced today. Ends from one yard to 6 yards long.

Print and Flannelette Remnants are also on sale. A large lot from which to make a selection.

Hats for Women and Children.

Only 25c. Each

They are stylish and pretty. Of various materials. All nicely trimmed. Every popular color. No shop-worn goods.

Only 50c. Each

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.)

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Ltd.

KING STREET. GERMAIN STREET. MARKET SQUARE.

A Great Clearance Sale

of our entire stock of new Black Dress Materials and Costume Cloths begins promptly at eight o'clock tomorrow. The season's newest weaves, worth from 30c. to \$2.50, to go on sale tomorrow at 19c., 39c., 68c., 88c., \$1.25.

Morrell & Sutherland, 27-29 Charlotte St., Op. Y.M.C.A.

The Great Question at Canada's Winter Port.

How shall I keep my feet dry and warm? Wear Rubbers—Granby's—which "wear like iron".

Boys' " 70c. Women's " 60c. Youths' " 60c. Men's " 85c.

If you don't Care to wear Rubbers there's the Dry Sox Shoes, Absolutely damp proof.

M. L. SAVAGE, Cor. King and Charlotte.

DELAWARE POTATOES, \$1.30 Per Bbl. Delivered to any Part of the City.

Cranberries 3 Quarts for 25c. Good Butter, 16c. to 18c. by the Tub. Fresh Eggs, 22c. Per Dozen.

TELEPHONE 775 A. **ROBERTSON & CO.,** 562 and 564 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. S.

VISITING OLD FRIENDS. S. C. Blair, who a number of years ago was familiarly and well known in St. John as a Pullman conductor, but who since has almost been lost sight of, dropped in upon his former friends this morning and gave them a big surprise. Mr. Blair is still following his old calling as a Pullman conductor, but is now running in and out of Boston on one of the western roads. He comes to St. John to see his old friends and to renew past acquaintances.

FUNERALS TODAY. The funeral of the late Arthur Wright was held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from St. Paul's church. Rev. A. G. H. Dicker officiated and burial took place in Fernhill cemetery. The late Mrs. Margaret McManus was buried this morning from her residence, Pleasant Point. The remains were taken to St. Rose's church, where Rev. Charles Collins celebrated requiem mass. Interment was made in Sand Cove cemetery.