



A Charming Assortment of

## Baby Carriages and Pambulators

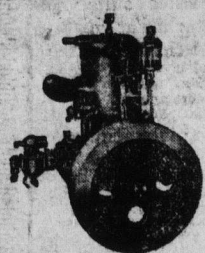
In the Newest English and American Models.

Add to baby's comfort this spring by taking him out in one of our new hygienic Baby Carriages or Park Wagons. These carriages have been fashioned after plans furnished by leading physicians with a view to the health and comfort of their baby occupants. They are light but solid, and made in many beautiful designs.

See Our Window Display.

# J. MARCUS

30 DOCK STREET.



## Marine Gas Engines

"Acadlin" Marine Engines are of superior design and develop maximum horse power for which they are noted. Recommended by all users as most satisfactory for work or pleasure boats. Call and examine.

P. CAMPBELL & CO.,  
73 Prince Wm. St.

## COME--"Do Your Bit" WANTED

Men who are physically unfit for the front or over age now have an opportunity of "doing their bit." The First Depot Battalion, New Brunswick Regiment, which reinforces the Fighting 26th, at the front, is urgently in need of:

CLERKS, STENOGRAPHERS, COOKS AND COOKEES, PIONEERS, ORDERLIES, ETC. BARBERS.

These men are needed to replace men fit for overseas service.

Communicate with the Adjutant at the Orderly Room, 1st Depot Battalion, Barracks Square, or Phone Main 3084 or 3280.

G. EARLE LOGAN, J. L. McAVITY,  
A. Adjutant, Lieut.-Colonel,  
1st Depot Bn., N. B. R. Commanding 1st Depot Bn., N. B. R.

## CHILDREN

Should not be given adult's cough medicine. We have a special CHILDREN'S COUGH SYRUP which has interested lots of mothers. We are sure they will join in recommending it to you. 25c. Bottle.

THE ROYAL PHARMACY :: 47 King Street

NEW ENGLISH CLOTHS Just Received Direct  
Fine Spring and Summer Suitings and Overcoats  
EDGECOMBE & CHAISSON

## THE UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER

Corona Portable Typewriters, Re-built Typewriters of all makes. Machines Repaired and Rented. Supplies for all Typewriters.

UNITED TYPEWRITER COMPANY, LTD.  
56 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET.

## ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANERS

Cleans Everything  
Come in and Let Us Show You  
HIRAM WEBB & SON, Electrical Contractors  
91 Germain Street, St. John, N. B. 'Phone M. 1595-11 M. 2579-11

## GRAVEL ROOFING

ALSO MANUFACTURERS OF SHEET METAL WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.  
COPPER AND GALVANIZED IRON WORK FOR BUILDINGS A SPECIALTY.

J. E. WILSON, LTD.,  
'Phone M. 356. 17-19 Sydney St.

## GILBERT G. MURDOCH

A. M. Can. Soc. C. E.  
Civil Engineer and Crown Land Surveyor  
Surveys, Plans, Estimates, Superintendence, Blue Prints, Black Line Prints. Maps of St. John and Surroundings. 74 Carmarthen St., St. John

The Union Foundry and Machine Works, Ltd.  
Engineers and Machinists  
IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS  
West St. John. 'Phone West 15  
G. H. WARING, Manager.

Wanted to buy a few carloads of hay at points  
along the Valley Railroad.

R. G. & F. W. DYKEMAN, 68 Adelaide St., St. John, N.B.

## NEGOTIATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH TAKING OVER HARBOR

Not Likely Plebiscite Will be Taken Here for Some Time—Book Values of Wharves and Outstanding Debentures to be laid Before the Government.

Negotiations are now under way with the federal government in connection with the taking over of the harbor, but it is not likely the plebiscite will be taken here for some little time yet and when it is taken there will be a definite proposition for the citizens to vote on.

Mayor Hayes said yesterday to The Standard that some years ago there had been legislation obtained empowering the city of St. John to take a plebiscite on this matter and under that legislation there had been a definite scheme laid before the electors.

In the meantime Messrs. Wigmore and Elkin are going ahead with the matter and the other day there was sent to Commissioners Wigmore a statement of the book value of the wharves as carried on the chamberlain's books, and a list of the outstanding debentures, and this will be laid before the government by him.

The value of the city wharves as carried on the books exclusive of the ferry approaches is about two million and a quarter dollars and the outstanding debentures amount to about one million four hundred thousand dollars.

## FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Christina W. Givan, St. Patrick street, took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. A. MacKelgan conducted service; interment at Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Wallace B. Babbirk, Paradise Row, was held yesterday afternoon at Fernhill cemetery. Rev. E. H. Howe officiated.

The funeral of Mrs. John Stewart, Leinster street, also took place yesterday afternoon; interment was at Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral of Hans Pedersen took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Lakeside, to St. Paul's church, where burial services were conducted by Rev. Archdeacon Crowfoot. Interment was made in Fernhill.

## FREE

FOR WAR GARDENERS  
PLANTS AND BUSHES

We have surplus of Booktop, Perfection Currant, Gooseberry, St. Regis Everbearing Raspberry, Rhubarb, Philox, Iris, Flowering Shrub. All heavy two year old plants. To introduce our seed department we offer any three plants, your selection, retail value 50c. to \$1, perfectly free with each dollar purchase of seeds.

Send for Catalogue.

## Smith's Nursery

BOX H, WOODSTOCK, ONT.



## Painless Extraction Only 25c.

Boston Dental Parlors.  
Head Office 827 Main Street 'Phone 683  
Branch Office 35 Charlotte St. 'Phone 58  
DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.  
Open 9 a. m. Until 9 p. m.



ESTABLISHED 1894.  
D. BOYANER'S  
Eyeglasses and Spectacles  
are the best that knowledge, art and service can produce.  
D. BOYANER,  
Montreal and St. John

## NOTICE

On February 1st we change our method of business and will sell for CASH. All telephone orders must be C. O. D.

Smith's Fish Market  
25 Sydney St. 'Phone 1704

## S. Goldfeather

Will visit Apohaqui on Tuesday, 9th inst.; Penobscia, on Wednesday, 10th inst., spending one day at each place.

## PLAYGROUNDS EXECUTIVE MEET

Committees Appointed to look After the Work—Names of Boys' Club to be Placed on New Honor Roll.

The regular monthly meeting of the playgrounds executive was held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlors with the president, A. M. Belding, in the chair. The secretary reported that faithful work had been accomplished in the Boys' Club during the past month and the boys had enjoyed a number of treats. The Boys' Club is affiliated with the Boys' Federal Society in Boston and there has been received from that body an honor roll to be filled in with the names of the members of the St. John club. When completed there will be sixty names on the roll. It was also reported that donations had been received from Miss Louise Parks, Miss Emily Goodwin and George Day. A committee was appointed to look after the playgrounds material. The committee was appointed to conclude the sale of equipment of the Girls' Club rooms at 92 Princess street, as this work has been taken over by the Y. M. C. A.

## THE RECEPTION WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

Many Visitors at the Protestant Orphan Asylum Last Night—An Excellent Programme Carried Through.

The reception held last night at the Protestant Orphan Asylum under the auspices of the ladies' board was a most enjoyable event and the large number who took advantage of the opportunity to visit the institution went away charmed with what they saw of the manner in which it is conducted and the capable manner in which those of the children who took part in the programme performed.

The institution has at the present time forty-seven children, ranging in age from four to fourteen years, and all looked bright and happy last evening. The home is full and a little more as the capacity is only forty-five, but under war conditions they are willing to submit to a little crowding.

A standard representative had the pleasure of going through the institution and he found everything in apple order. The basement is situated the large kitchen and pantries, and here was found everything to work with. On the first floor is located the school room, dining hall and matron's office and bedroom; on the second floor is located the dormitories, and these are large, well ventilated rooms. The sewing room, the housekeeper's office and bedroom, and a small hospital ward; the third floor is given over to storerooms and a large play room for the girls, and on the top floor is found a modern ward for cases of infectious disease should any occur.

On a table in the school room was found an exhibition of the work done by the children, and some of it would reflect credit on an adult. There was one contraption worked by a little thirteen year old girl that was good enough to take a prize at any fancy work show, a pair of mittens, knit by a ten year old girl, and a pair of socks for the soldiers; the boys had an exhibit of fancy work as well, and this was exceedingly well done; then the girls had on exhibition samples of their cooking and if the bread and cake tasted as good as it looked then the man who gets a wife from the institution will never suffer from indigestion.

The very efficient staff is composed of Miss A. C. Frost, matron; Miss A. Frost, housekeeper; Miss M. Flewelling, seamstress, and Miss N. Vanwart, teacher.

Mrs. D. McLellan, president of the ladies' board, received the guests at the door of the school room in which the entertainment was held and was assisted by several of the members of the board. T. H. Estabrooks, president, presided at the concert. At the close of the programme a number of the city clergymen who were present, in short addresses congratulated the members of the board and the staff of the institution on the splendid entertainment and the success which had been attained by the home. Refreshments were served here breaking up.

Following is the programme:  
Chorus, Joan of Arc.  
Recitation, The Children's Gift, Florence Betts.  
Recitation, Oh, Walter Appleby.  
Dialogue, Our "Play" eight boys.  
Recitation, Mother's Face, Willie Boone.  
Recitation, When Pa's Sick, Adeline Armstrong.  
Solo, Pretty Little Blossoms, Marie Belding.  
Dialogue, Seven Little Crocuses, seven girls.  
Chorus, We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall.  
Recitation, Howard's Wish, Leonard Munde.  
Recitation, The Union Jack, Aileen Morrisey.  
Dialogue and Flag Drill, Canada, East and West, eleven girls.  
Recitation, The Nation Born, Myrtle Phippen.  
Recitation, The Reason Why, Freda Rogers.  
Recitation, The Boy's Complaint, Arthur Roberts.  
Recitation, Rockets, Alice Armstrong.  
Chorus, Three Cheers For the Lads of the Navy.  
God Save the King.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.  
A. H. Clark and others to City and County of St. John, \$150, property in Lancaster.  
Julia and C. G. Eawright to Margaret, wife of Hilding Bartlett, property in Simonds.  
Mrs. Margaret L. Moran to G. H. Thorne, \$250, property in Simonds.  
Miss Fanny Symonds and others to W. Z. Earle, property on Strait Shore Road.

## SLAYER OF AUTOMOBILE AGENT PAYS PENALTY

Romeo Bolduc Hanged in Jail Yard at Sorel, Que., for Killing Zoticque Bourdon.

Sorel, Que., April 5—Romeo Bolduc, slayer of Zoticque Bourdon, an automobile agent of Longueuil, was hanged in the jail yard here this morning. Bolduc ascended the gallows at 7.59 and at 8.12 was pronounced dead. Executioner Ellis was in charge. Sheriff Lariviere and Rev. Father Lafontaine were among the witnesses.

Bolduc had negotiated with Bourdon for the purchase of a car, and while the latter was demonstrating the automobile on August 25 last, he was set upon by Bolduc and murdered, his body being left by the side of the road.

## MAJOR MACDONALD DIES OF WOUNDS

Wounded Mar. 30 and Died April 2—Was in Command of a Canadian Heavy Battery.

Judge H. O. McInerney received a telegram yesterday containing the sad news that his brother-in-law, Major Temple W. MacDonald, had died of wounds sustained on the battlefields of France. Major MacDonald went overseas about three years ago as lieutenant in a battery from Prince Edward Island and later, after being promoted to captain and then major, was given command of one of the Canadian heavy batteries. He was wounded on March the 30th and died on April the 2nd. The deceased, whose home was in Georgetown, P. E. I., was forty years of age.

## IS RECOVERING.

Friends of Miss MacKinnon, of the department of agriculture, Fredericton, will be pleased to learn that she is progressing very favorably after an operation. Miss MacKinnon is a patient in the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*



WITH the necessary quantity  
of cloth, any tailor can put  
it together and term it a suit.

Ofttimes, such a suit has neither comfort nor appearance, and is dear at any price.

On the other hand, Fit-Reform Suits have all the elegance, combined with lasting quality.

This is why Fit-Reform is such a boon and such a pleasure to men.

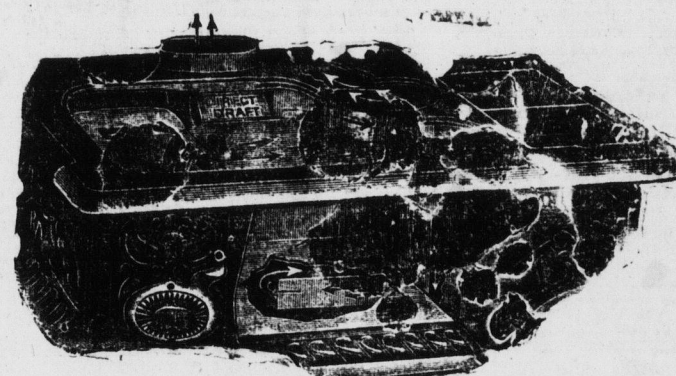


# Fit-Reform

DONALDSON HUNT

17-19 CHARLOTTE STREET

238



## Secret of the Pandora Magic

NO other range has a flue system just like that of the Pandora.

The flue system of the Pandora Range makes the almost magical efficiency of the Pandora oven—conserves the heat in the range to do its maximum of work under the covers, in the oven, in the reservoir and in the warming closet.

The Pandora flue system is the secret of the Pandora baking efficiency, the Pandora fuel economy and the complete control which makes

baking and cooking a pleasure and lightens all the other kitchen work.

Note how the Pandora flue system carries the heat to every part of the range, surrounding the oven in walls of heat under perfect control.

See how the heat passes the length and depth of the hot water reservoir.

Note how it passes under the six-hole top in a current which gives the Pandora five "boiling" holes.

## "The Magic of the Pandora"—Booklet Free

This is only one of the many features of the Pandora Range described in "The Magic of the Pandora," a little booklet full of information that every woman will want before she buys a range. Write for it to the nearest McClary's.

# McClary's Pandora Range

London St. John, N.B. Toronto Hamilton Montreal Calgary Winnipeg Edmonton Vancouver Saskatoon

"Full information about the Pandora will be sent free upon request to our nearest Branch Office"