

The Week's Calendar.

JULY—7th Month—31 Days.
26—MONDAY. S.S. City of Durham (mail steamer), arrived St. John's, 1868. German destroyer sunk in North Sea, 1915.
27—TUESDAY. Robespierre executed, 1794. Battle of Talavera, 1809. First Atlantic Cable, Valentia to Heart's Content, laid, 1866. Capt. Fryatt shot by Germans, 1916.
28—WEDNESDAY. Earthquake at Ischia, Bay of Naples, 1900 persons losing their lives, 1883. Austria's declaration of war against Serbia, 1914.
29—THURSDAY. Spanish Armada defeated, 1588. King Humbert of Italy, assassinated, 1900.
30—FRIDAY. William Penn (founder of Pennsylvania) died, 1718. S.S. Manitoba made port in damaged condition, 1881.
31—SATURDAY. Full moon, 2:50 a.m. Capt. Goldsmith and wife making a transatlantic voyage in the 18-foot-long sloop, Uncle Sam, arrived at St. John's from Halifax, 1879. Third Battle of Ypres, 1917.
AUGUST—8th Month—31 Days.
1—SUNDAY. 9th after Trinity. Lammas Day. Battle of the Nile, 1798. Germany declared war on Russia, 1914.

Wednesday Next, Mt. Cashel Day.

For the past twenty years the Mt. Cashel Garden Party has been the great event of the year and the thousands who annually patronize the fête come away with the feeling that more could not have been done to make the day thoroughly enjoyable. The conveniences, comfort and pleasure of the immense throng attending have always been carefully considered and the general impression is that the party has only the success it deserves. This year's gathering was fair to be the largest on record. Bro. Ennis and his army of lady aides from long experience have reduced their preparations to a science and no detail affecting the enjoyment of visitors has been omitted. For six thousand guests a hundred table holders—experts in the art—have made ready in out-door hotel fashion a feast which must satisfy the most exacting. In the past the sports side of the day was thoroughly enjoyable, however, Wednesday's programme is arranged by the indefatigable and magnanimous Messrs. Higgins and Ellis, promises to outdistance all their previous efforts. The best city teams of our football and baseball leagues will contest for beautiful gold and silver medals for first and second place respectively, and the baseballers will be put to the limit of their skill in capturing the H. D. Reid cup. The pony race, which originated at Mount Cashel, will be an exceedingly interesting event as fifteen ponies, including Kelly's, Gosses', Marshall's and other favourites have been trained for some time on the grand new M. C. track which has been specially made for this year's race. Spectators may expect an exciting contest. Other events such as dancing by the M. C. boys, the junior baseball game, and boys' race will add much to the programme. Whilst the C.L.E. and C.G.C. bands, which have been taken into consideration, will be playing, the audience will be kept in no small measure to make it a perfect day. The beautiful Mount Cashel grounds form an ideal rendezvous for a fête as well as for the various games. The lovely green fields, shaded by still more verdant trees of great variety of shade, appeal to all lovers of the beauties of nature. The imposing new pile of buildings, worth at least \$70,000, and built by Brother Ennis, assisted by one tradesman, is truly an object of wonder. Experts at concrete work pronounce it one of the best, if not the best built constructions in our city. Citizens by your patronage on Wednesday, without any sacrifice on your part, aid Bro. Conway and his community carry out their plans for the sole benefit of their 150 orphan boys who must look to them alone in all their wants.

Wedding Bells.

KING-TAYLOR.

A very pleasing event took place in the Methodist Church at Catalina when Dora Belle, daughter of Theophilus and Phoebe King, was married to Robert A. Taylor, of St. John's. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. B. Bugden, Pastor of Wesley Church, St. John's. The bride was dressed in champagne silk with hat to match and was attended by Miss Mildred Taylor, sister of the groom while Rupert King, brother of the bride acted as best man. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful white fur to the bride's maid. A lovely pendant and to the best man gold cuff links. After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the brides parents, where a sumptuous repast was partaken of and the usual toasts drunk. The happy couple are spending a few days at Catalina before returning to St. John's where they will reside in future. We wish both Mr. and Mrs. Taylor every happiness and prosperity.—COM.

'Bus Meets Accident.

The Bowring Park motor bus received a smashing up yesterday afternoon, by colliding with a telephone pole while trying to avoid a Victoria waggon. The bus was filled with passengers proceeding to the park, and when near the G. P. Cemetery met a Victoria which, in avoiding, caused the accident. One of the doors of the car was ripped off and about half the length of the vehicle was battered. The shade and curtains were also badly torn and the top ripped away. Messrs. S. Gibbons and J. Condy who were in the bus received injuries, and had their clothes torn by the bus roof crushing in on them. On arrival at the park they were taken by Mr. Canning to the asylum where medical aid was given them. The point at which the accident occurred is very narrow and should be widened at once so as to give vehicles room to pass each other.

Died Suddenly.

At 9:15 p.m. Saturday, Henry Walsh, age 63, and belonging to the Gouls was found dead by his son in the barn of Mr. A. Williams. Shortly after two o'clock the deceased hitched up his horse and started for Petty Harbor to procure a load of fish oil for manure, and it is assumed that on reaching William's farm he became ill and went to the barn to rest. His horse started for home and was found by Mr. A. Williams who immediately acquainted Mr. Walsh's son, who organized a party and made a search finding the body in an express wagon in the barn in a sitting posture. Drs. Tait and Duncan were notified and upon examination pronounced death due to heart affection.

THE "GRUB" PEST.

To prevent damage to plants and shrubs a simple remedy is a weak solution of Sulphate of Ammonia. Use 1/4 oz. of Sulphate to one gallon of water. On no account use a stronger solution or you may "burn" the plants.

We have a limited quantity of Sulphate of Ammonia at our Showroom, Oke Building. Full instructions given with each package.

ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT CO.

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Express Passengers.

The following passengers landed from the Kyle at Port aux Basques yesterday and are on the incoming express:—Miss E. Forsey, J. L. Barrett, A. H. Rust, Mrs. W. Allan and daughter, J. T. Carey, A. T. Woolfrey, Mrs. J. H. Pike, G. Pike, J. B. and Mrs. Coseman, C. Rideout, W. E. Brown, F. L. and Mrs. Aakman, E. Milley, Miss A. Edwards, M. Fieher, Mrs. D. Lemoine, H. J. Shearson, Miss D. Morrison, Mrs. J. Keeping, A. and Mrs. Thomas, J. Joy, A. Hulan, J. S. Bennett, Mrs. A. Basha and son, Miss M. Pretty, Mrs. Parry, R. J. and Mrs. Martin, W. P. Wall, Mrs. L. Power and son, Mrs. E. Dayley, P. Hulan, F. and Mrs. Barbour, F. and Mrs. Basha, S. Tippet, K. N. Mercer, S. Thomas, Mrs. A. Read, Miss A. Noseworthy, J. H. and Mrs. Noel, P. and Mrs. Hood, Mrs. L. A. Basha.

McMurdo's Store News.

MONDAY, July 26.
 We have a few tins of Nyls Bath Powder left, at 25c. a tin. This Bath Powder softens the water, gives the bath a delightful perfume, makes the bath not only refreshing, but really invigorating, and may be used as a scalp cleanser and shampoo. Price 25c. a tin.
 If you have a cold in the head get a tube of O.E.M. Its early and judicious application will avert or cure the worst cold in the head. Price 70c. a tube.

No Taxes There!

Can you imagine a country with no taxes? Think what a Utopia we should live in if we were free from Income Tax and all other similar burdens! One can hardly help being envious of a state with no taxes, even though it is, in point of size, the smallest republic in the world. San Marino is the oldest, as well as the smallest, republic, and it only covers an area of twenty-three square miles.

This tiny republic is to be found in Central Italy, on the Adriatic, and at no great distance from Rimini. It differs from all other republics in another point, which, while finding favour in the eyes of a certain section of the public, would hardly do so in the eyes of the majority. Not only has it no taxes, but it has no crime.

The heart of this little State is as big as itself, for it took its part in the Great War by declaring war on Germany in 1915.

SLIP-ON HEELS.—We have just opened a new stock of Slip-on Rubber Heels in Brown, Grey, White and Black. PARKER & MONROE, LTD.,—jly26, eod

PRE-REGATTA SALE

OF

Summer Wearables and Wash Goods

MANY AND VARIED ATTRACTIONS.

Each an Unusual and Unmistakable Opportunity to Save.

We'd like to describe more fully the splendid values that are spread here before you, but all we might say would not do a whit as much as a glance at the goods themselves.

Seldom you find such values in seasonable wearables when you do it's always at The Royal Stores—the big dependable store—the store with a reputation for value giving.



Girls' Cotton and Gingham Dresses.

4 and 5 year size.
 Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price... 75c.
 Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.25
 Reg. \$1.90 each. Sale Price... \$1.55
 Reg. \$3.00 each. Sale Price... \$2.50
 Reg. \$3.60 each. Sale Price... \$3.00
 Reg. \$4.80 each. Sale Price... \$4.00
 Reg. \$7.00 each. Sale Price... \$5.50
 6 and 7 year size.
 Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.05

To the mother who has girls between the ages of four and fourteen years, this Sale will surely be of great interest.

Especially so if she desires to save money, because the prices in most cases are not big enough to be annoying. Surely the girls shouldn't be forgotten when they can be so nicely dressed for the Regatta at such little prices.

Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.25
 Reg. \$3.25 each. Sale Price... \$2.50
 Reg. \$4.80 each. Sale Price... \$4.00
 Reg. \$5.40 each. Sale Price... \$4.95
 Reg. \$6.00 each. Sale Price... \$5.00
 Reg. \$6.60 each. Sale Price... \$5.50
 Reg. \$7.65 each. Sale Price... \$6.50
 8 to 10 year size.
 Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.25
 Reg. \$3.00 each. Sale Price... \$2.50
 Reg. \$4.25 each. Sale Price... \$3.50
 Reg. \$6.00 each. Sale Price... \$5.00
 Reg. \$7.25 each. Sale Price... \$6.00
 10 to 14 year size.
 Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price... \$1.60
 Reg. \$3.90 each. Sale Price... \$3.25
 Reg. \$5.25 each. Sale Price... \$4.55
 Reg. \$6.60 each. Sale Price... \$5.50

SUMMER DRESSES for Women.

Styles that are just as dainty in effect and serviceable in material as one could wish them to be.

VALUES THAT ASSURE AN UNPARALLELED SAVING FOR YOU.

Brown.
 Reg. \$31.50 each. Sale Price... \$22.50
 Reg. \$35.50 each. Sale Price... \$24.55
 Reg. \$35.90 each. Sale Price... \$28.70
 Navy, Brown, Purple, Lavender and Grey.
 Reg. \$22.50 each. Sale Price... \$18.25
 Fawn.
 Reg. \$42.50 each. Sale Price... \$31.00

Black Crepe-de-Chene Dresses.

Reg. \$41.00 each. Sale Price... \$31.00
 Reg. \$65.00 each. Sale Price... \$50.00

Georgette Crepe Dresses.

Navy and Saxe.
 Reg. \$42.50 each. Sale Price... \$34.00
 Brown.
 Reg. \$41.00 each. Sale Price... \$33.50
 Reg. \$72.50 each. Sale Price... \$60.00



Silk Dresses.

Navy.
 Reg. \$22.50 each. Sale Price... \$18.25
 Reg. \$33.50 each. Sale Price... \$29.75
 Reg. \$51.50 each. Sale Price... \$42.50
 Saxe.
 Reg. \$35.00 each. Sale Price... \$28.70
 Reg. \$56.00 each. Sale Price... \$44.25

Owing to the phenomenal success of our SUMMER FOOTWEAR SALE of last week we duplicate some of the splendid values that were on sale. Make your selections from these faultless styles.

The descriptions and prices quoted below will show you what great values they are. The goods tell their own story.

Women's Shoes.

Tan Oxfords, Cuban heel. \$6.66
 Reg. \$7.40 pair for...
 Gun Metal Oxfords, Cuban heel. Reg. \$9.00 pair for... \$8.10
 Patent Leather Strapped Shoes, Cuban heel. Reg. \$6.50 pair for... \$6.12
 Black Vici Strapped Shoes, Cuban heel. Regular \$4.00 pair for... \$3.60
 Black Vici Strapped Shoes, Cuban heel. Regular \$4.55 pair for... \$4.10

White Boots.

Laced fronts, leather soles. Medium heel. Reg. \$5.30 pair for... \$4.68
 High heel. Reg. \$3.65 pr. for... \$3.29

Tan Boots—Laced.

High heels. Reg. \$6.50 pair for... \$7.65
 Medium heels. Regular \$14.50 pair for... \$13.05
 High heels, cloth top. Reg. \$11.60 pair for... \$10.44

Misses' Tan Sandals.

Sizes 11 to 2. Reg. \$3.10 pair for... \$2.79

Misses' Tennis Shoes.

Regular \$1.50 pair for... \$1.35
 Regular \$1.90 pair for... \$1.58

Tennis Boots.

All sizes, rubber soles. Reg. \$2.00 pair for... \$1.80
 All sizes, rubber soles. Reg. \$4.20 pair for... \$3.78

Women's Tennis Shoes.

White Canvas. Regular \$3.95 pair for... \$3.56
 White Canvas. Regular \$2.95 pair for... \$2.66

Women's Silk Ankle Hose.

75c. Values for 29c.

A clearing line of smart Silk Ankle Hose in Pink.

Reg. 75c. values. Sale Price... 29c.

Men's Grey Cotton Hose.

Special, the pair... 42c.

Men's Silk Half Hose.

Black and White; extra good qualities; well made and recommended for wear and comfort.

Reg. \$2.10 pair. Sale Price... \$1.75
 Reg. \$2.25 pair. Sale Price... \$1.96
 Black and Cardigan.
 Reg. \$1.40 pair. Sale Price... \$1.17
 Cardigan, Black and White.
 Reg. \$2.85 pair. Sale Price... \$2.35
 Brown, Navy and Black.
 Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale Price... \$1.19

It is almost giving away MILLINERY at these prices.

This Sale should insure a clean sweep of the stock in this section.

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats for Misses and Women are offered in the very newest designs. So it is rare fortune—unprecedented we think, to have such Hats, just in time for the Regatta, so much under their worth.

Smart Millinery Hats.

Fashionable models in great variety. Silk, Straw, Tulle and Georgette materials; ribbon trimmed, ornaments, &c.
 \$10.00 values for... \$ 5.00
 \$11.50 to \$16.00 values for... \$ 7.75
 \$15.00 to \$21.50 values for... \$11.50
 \$22.50 to \$36.00 values for... \$13.50

Untrimmed Hats.

Black Chip and Taped Straw Hats; good serviceable shapes. Values to \$3.50 each for 25c.
 Black and Colored Straws that are worth \$4.00 to \$5.00 each. These have to be cleared off at all costs... 75c.

Ready-to-wear and Semi-Trimmed Hats.

Pretty models in Milan and Tuscan Straws, in a variety of good styles.
 \$1.50 to \$3.50 values for... \$1.50
 \$2.50 to \$7.75 values for... \$2.00
 \$3.75 to \$4.95 values for... \$3.00
 \$4.25 to \$12.50 values for... \$3.90

A tempting array of FABRICS that will appeal to all buyers.

These every day useful kinds of wash fabrics are aristocrats in looks, quality, touch—for that reason they recommend themselves to everybody—the prices put them within the reach of every pocketbook.

Percales.

Striped checks and floral patterns in a splendid assortment of colors.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 45c. yd. for... 40c.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 55c. yd. for... 50c.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 60c. yd. for... 52c.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 70c. yd. for... 62c.

Zephyrs.

In White, Pink, Brown, Cream, Champagne, Saxe, Navy and Navy.
 Reg. \$1.00 yard for... 90c.

White Jean.

Assorted weights; 30 inches wide.
 Reg. 80c. yard for... 75c.
 Reg. \$1.10 yard for... \$1.00
 Reg. \$1.50 yard for... \$1.35

Dainty Floral Muslins.

A full assortment of new and pretty designs; beautifully blended colorings.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 20c. yd. for... 19c.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 30c. yd. for... 27c.
 28 ins. wide. Reg. 70c. yd. for... 62c.
 39 ins. wide. Reg. \$1.20 yd. for... \$1.10

White Organdie Muslins.

A most attractive collection, including the newest stripes and spot effects; also floral and cross-bars.
 27 ins. wide. Reg. 45c. yd. for... 40c.
 27 ins. wide. Reg. 55c. yd. for... 50c.
 27 ins. wide. Reg. 60c. yd. for... 54c.
 27 ins. wide. Reg. 70c. yd. for... 62c.
 42 ins. wide. Reg. 80c. yd. for... 75c.
 42 ins. wide. Reg. \$1.10 yd. for... 94c.
 42 ins. wide. Reg. \$1.20 yd. for... \$1.05
 42 ins. wide. Reg. \$1.30 yd. for... \$1.19

Cotton Cheviots.

Plain colors and neat checks and stripes; linen finish. Special, 52c.

Cotton Gingham.

Smart looking checks; fadeless colors.
 30 ins. wide. Reg. 42c. yd. for... 39c.
 30 ins. wide. Reg. 45c. yd. for... 39c.

White Cotton Voile.

Plain and stripe; all new and attractive.
 37 ins. wide. Reg. 50c. yd. for... 44c.
 37 ins. wide. Reg. 60c. yd. for... 55c.
 37 ins. wide. Reg. 80c. yd. for... 70c.

The ROYAL STORES, Ltd.