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THE STAR ST. JOHN N. B., MONDAY, JULY 19 1909

# The Oak Hall Mid-Summer Sale of Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings

## Will be Continued All This Week

July 19, '09

Our Mid-Summer Sale has started with a rush—with a host of eager buyers that reminds one of a holiday throng. Why? Because the good people of this good city and surrounding country have learned that Oak Hall values are right at all times, and when we announce a genuine reduction sale, such as started last Thursday, the response is always by crowds. We'll save you thousands of dollars during this sale, and you'll help us to clear our stock and thus make room for the autumn goods, which are even now beginning to arrive.

Everybody in the store is bent upon keeping up the phenomenal record all this week.

Being manufacturers, our regular prices are at all times 25 to 30 per cent. lower than those of other stores, and keeping this in mind you can see that the savings are really very much bigger than appears on the surface.

**Like putting money in a bank to shop in this mid-summer sale.**

**SALE ENDS SATURDAY, JULY 24th****Oak Hall****Scovill Bros. Ltd.****St. John, N. B.**

### STOLYPIN PUPPET IN KAISER'S HANDS

Russian Newspaper Thinks Meeting of Monarchs Was Unequal Diplomatic Struggle.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 19.—The Novaya Russa (New Russia) discussing the meeting of the Czar and the Kaiser in the Finnish Skerries says: "According to the accounts of persons who were present, our prime minister, M. P. A. Stolypin, had a prolonged conversation with Emperor William. It appears that the latter was unusually generous, amiable and attentive to our prime minister, who bore himself simply and naturally, as he always does. This was so plainly obvious to every one as to evoke much discussion, which is still going on both in Russia and foreign diplomatic circles."

"It is well known that Kaiser Wilhelm is far from being gracious to everybody. All are well aware of the coldness of some of his meetings and interviews with the representatives of certain powers. For this reason his bearing toward M. Stolypin and those laudatory expressions applied to the latter by the Kaiser, which reached the ears of the diplomat, caused the latter to assume the existence of a carefully planned move on the part of such a subtle sovereign-diplomat as is Wilhelm."

"This game of chess brings doubt to some, fear to others, and, finally, to yet other joy and satisfaction with our premier. The diplomat, mayhap, are faced with the question: 'Which of them is going to get the better of the other?'"

"Options differ. English, Austrian and Italian diplomatic circles assert that the fight is too unequal. On the other side, some years before they happen, able at the right moment to give the push, so that things shall occur at the most advantageous time for Germany. The lord of the many millions forming what for the moment is the best army in Europe. On the other side, a man who, up to now, has been an utter stranger to foreign politics."

"On whose side will the victory be? That is the question in which just now diplomats are most interested. Will Stolypin allow himself to be persuaded by the German eagle that it is very much to the advantage of Russia to remain in that state of isolation which is even now her lot, or ought she to enter into an offensive and defensive alliance with England?"

"Well, then, according to some accounts, Wilhelm is said to have secured a promise on our part to co-operate with all our power in the cause of peace, while the diplomat employ all means to interpret his words used in the sense that we are not going into an alliance with England. On the other hand, more authoritative sources regard these words as the common form of exchange of opinions and good wishes in diplomatic circles which bind nobody to anything."

### PRETENDER TO SPANISH THRONE PASSES AWAY

Don Carlos Dies in Lombardy at the Age of 61.

ROME, July 18.—Don Carlos, the pretender to the Spanish throne, died today at Varese, in Lombardy, at the age of 61. He had been ill for a long time, suffering from apoplexy.

Don Carlos, Duke of Madrid, claimed under the special law of succession established by Philip V., to be the legitimate King of Spain by the right of Charles VII. His father, Don Juan, was the brother of Don Carlos, Charles VI., known as the Count de Montemolin, in support of whose claims the Carlist rising of 1848, 1855 and 1869 were organized.

In October, 1868, Don Juan abdicated in favor of his son.

### ALLANS DENY SALE OF THEIR LINE TO G. T. P.

MONTREAL, July 18.—St. Montague Allan, the head of the local branch of the Allan Steamship Line, declares that there is no truth in the report that the Grand Trunk Company has purchased or is about to purchase the ships of the company.

It is well known that Mr. Chas. W. Hays is of opinion that eventually the Grand Trunk will acquire possession of steamship lines on both the Atlantic and Pacific, but it is not thought that the time has yet arrived for the company to undertake such a large expenditure as the carrying out of effect of such a plan would necessitate. The fact that the company was obliged to seek assistance from the government in negotiating funds for the completion of the Pacific route of the Grand Trunk Pacific is taken to indicate that the company has about all it wants to look after in the near future. A close traffic arrangement between the two companies may be on the tapis. The relations of the two have been close in the past but they might be made closer with mutual advantage.

### FORTY INJURED BY FALL INTO CELLAR

NEW YORK, July 18.—Forty persons of a crowd of 250 or more, who had sought refuge from a sudden shower on the porch of an old mansion in Claremont Park, the Bronx, were injured this evening when the porch of the building fell into the cellar, fifteen feet below. Five of the injured are seriously hurt and it is feared that two of them, Miss Minnie Weisberger and Miss Lena Silver, may die.

### MOTHERS WHO HAVE DAUGHTERS

Find Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Winchester, Ind. — "Four doctors told me that they could never make me regular, and that I would eventually have dropsy. I would bleed, and suffer from bearing-down pains, cramps and chills, and I could not sleep at night. My mother wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice, and I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking one and one-half bottles of the Compound, I am all right again, and I recommend it to every suffering woman." — Mrs. MAY DEAL, Winchester, Ind.

Hundreds of such letters from girls and mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them have been received by The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences and be restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by its use.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

## BOTH SIDES ARE AS CONFIDENT AS EVER

GLACE BAY, N. S., July 18.—Entering on the third week of the strike at the collieries of the Dominion Steel Company both the U. M. W., the F. W. A. and the Dominion Coal Company, are as confident of victory as ever. A contingent of forty or fifty left tonight to work on the G. T. P. and about two hundred more men arrived by the steamer Oland from Montreal on Saturday night and were taken out here and placed at work at various points. The company claim that they will increase their output materially in the coming week while the U. M. W. deny this. The company claim that more men will be at work and that the men working at the banks will become proficient. Practically these men are from the shipping piers.

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Not for many years has there been such a quiet night in Glace Bay as Saturday night proved to be. Not one arrest for drunkenness was made and not a drunken man was seen on the streets. There were crowds on the streets, but they were highly orderly.

All the town policemen were on duty and in addition a guard of the Royal Canadian Regiment was mounted on the Bank of Montreal and at the company's offices.

There have been times when intoxicating liquors could be obtained after hours, but yesterday not even a refreshing soft drink could be secured. The druggists were compelled to conform with the liquor license act. The sale of soda water is strictly prohibited on Sundays.

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### TORONTO MAN'S EASY GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEME

TORONTO, July 18.—John A. E. Anderson, formerly ledgerkeeper in Bank of Montreal here, is wanted by the police. He left for the west last March being given a send off. He took with him his "accepted" stamp and a bundle of blank cheques. Since then, it is alleged, he has been making out cheques, stamping them "accepted" and cashing them.

Anderson is supposed to have operated in the United States and Europe. He had been a junior on the Ontario Bank staff and was taken over. The amounts are said to run from \$15 to \$750. The largest was \$750 said to be cashed in Paris.

Anderson is described as 33 years old, fair, tall, clean shaven and wears glasses.

### TRAINMAN INJURED IN SMASHUP ON S. & H. RY.

MONCTON, N. B., July 18.—A large number of men were along the river today searching for the body of Charlie Kinnie, the eleven-year-old son of George Kinnie, who was drowned in the river Friday afternoon. No trace of the body could be found, and it is thought it will not be found until the body is washed ashore after ten days' time.

There was a bad smashup on the Salisbury and Harvey Railway Friday afternoon, blocking traffic on that road till some time Saturday. Some cars on a working train broke away from the engine near Salem and went over a high embankment, smashing the cars and doing considerable damage to the roadbed. Frank Jones, one of the train crew, in jumping, had his head badly injured. Repairs to the roadbed were effected Saturday in time to allow the regular train to make a trip to Salisbury.

### TROUBLE OVER KERR LEASE

An interesting situation has developed over the recent injunction granted by Chief Justice Barker to the Seely Estate against the Francis Kerr Co., Ltd., prohibiting the company from building their wharf on the Charlotte street extension. The city granted the company the lease of the lot and now Mr. Kerr may sue for damages. The trouble has been brewing for some time and other owners are also looking for satisfaction. Free top wharfage is talked of as a basis for settlement.

Mr. Kerr claims that he was not treated justly in the matter. The council decided him in leasing a lot which they did not control.

### PARIS CREW BOAT NOW ON EXHIBITION

The famous old shell in which the Paris crew won the world's championship was brought across the harbor Saturday morning. Elijah Ross, the sole survivor of the famous crew, rowed in his old position. The other members of the crew were also present. The start was made from West Side at about 10.30, and the winning of the East Side was made at Market Slip, a few minutes later. Quite a number had collected at the head of the slip to greet the shell and her crew.

The famous craft was carried to P. M. O'Neill's place of business on Mill street and there will be on exhibition for a few days. Mr. Ross, at, walked behind the shell and in spite of his years, showed no signs of the exertion caused by the brief row across the harbor.

The Paris crew's shell was built in New York, the name of her builder being Elliott. When new she was valued at \$400.

### WESTERN HOME SEEKERS ARE MORE NUMEROUS

12,109 Homestead Entries in First Five Months of Year—421 Accidents and 14 Strikes During Same Period

OTTAWA, July 18.—Homestead entries in the west for the first five months of this year totalled 12,109, an increase of 2,607 as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

The labor department reports accidents during June to 421 individual work people of which 129 were fatal and 292 resulted in serious injuries. Of the fatalities 28 were among agriculturists, 23 in railway service, and 23 in lumbering industries.

The number of trade disputes reported to have been in existence during June 14, as compared with 13 for June of last year. The loss of time in working days was approximately 66,894, and 23 firms and 4,701 employees were affected by last month's strikes.

### MOTOR BOAT BURNED.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., July 18.—While leading the fleet of fourteen sea-going motor boats into Vineyard Haven Sound in the long-distance power boat race from New York to Marblehead, the forty-foot cruiser, Kitchener of the Crescent Athletic Club and New York Motor Boat Club caught fire at midnight last night three miles south of Vineyard Sound and was destroyed. The crew of six men were saved.

### PLAYFUL HORSE DOES FURTHER DAMAGE

The horse belonging to the S.W. and S. Department which achieved notoriety a short time ago by throwing City Engineer Murdoch from his carriage and injuring him quite severely, further distinguished himself yesterday by smashing the carriage to which he was attached.

The horse did the damage on Charlotte street and the south side of King Square. His efforts in the morning were so well directed that the dashboard of the vehicle was bent backward, and one of the four wheels of the carriage was practically put out of commission. Roy Murdoch was driving the animal at the time.

### SUCCESSFUL OPERATION IN CHATHAM HOSPITAL

CHATHAM, N. B., July 19.—Miss Winifred McKenzie, of Douglastown, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis in the Hotel Dieu Hospital here on Saturday. The operation was performed by Drs. Myers and McEwen, assisted by Dr. Duffy. Miss McKenzie is doing as well as can be expected. Mr. McKenzie, who has been for some months in the local branches of the Bank of Montreal, has been transferred to Woodstock and leaves for that town today. Mr. McKenzie was the guest of honor at two picnics on Friday and Saturday. He has made many friends here who greatly regret his departure.

Mr. O'Leary and family through yesterday by auto from Richbourg to see his sister, Mrs. George V. McEwen, who is the guest of her brother, Rev. Dr. O'Leary.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The Board of Directors of the National Association of Manufacturers has issued an official statement, addressed "To the Congress of the United States," stating that the National Association of Manufacturers endorses any reasonable measure to secure by tax the requisite money which might be required with the tariff duties, shall be sufficient to support this government.