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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1903.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

LADIES' SILK RAINCOATS

AT A GREAT BARGAIN

WE HAVE A MANUFACTURED SET OF SAMPLES consisting of about 15 COATS and some few regular lines, that we have priced at very attractive figures.

15 COATS FOR \$1.00; 15 COATS FOR \$1.20; 15 COATS FOR \$1.50.

These are SILK RUBBERIZED and are guaranteed WATER-PROOF, are attractive, and made in the very latest styles.

CRAVETTE WATER-PROOF COATS at \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.50 and \$10.50.

These are NEW STYLES, NEW COLORS, and are most serviceable goods. The prices are very attractive considering the quality, and the way they are made. EVERY GARMENT IS MAN-MADE.

BARGAINS IN LADIES' SKIRTS

They are also a manufactured set of samples, made from the finest VOILES AND PANAMAS. These skirts are of the higher class, ranging in price from \$3.00 to \$15.00, but the present prices are from \$1.50 to \$3.50. You see by these that they are marked at nearly ONE-HALF VALUE.

COLORS ARE BLACK, BROWN, NAVY, GREEN AND TAN.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 59 CHARLOTTE ST.

Sensible Suit Savings



As you know, low prices alone do not make clothing "cheap" in the sense of true economy.

The only REAL (and sensible) suit savings are those connected with the purchase of genuinely good, reliable suits.

We offer you such suits. We have never been guilty of selling any other kind. For many years our store has been known as "headquarters for clothing that satisfies."

And in this season's line of the famous 20th Century Suits, and the other lines we handle, you will find clothing that is REALLY economical—giving you positively the best value for your money.

NEW MODELS. ELEGANT FABRICS. FIT AND FINISH PERFECT.

A fine line of FANCY VESTS, washable, for "men who know."

We are extremely fortunate in purchasing this line and can give you magnificent values in many different patterns at \$1.00 and \$2.50.

A. Gilmour, 68 King Street Tailoring and Clothing

New Books

Mr. Opp—By Alice Hegon Rice. The Old Man in the Corner—By Baroness Orczy. The Bronze Bell—By Louis Joseph Vance.

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

Wall Papers.

Great values in Wall Papers. 10,000 Rolls to be sold at 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c. Roll. Regular prices 5c to 25c.

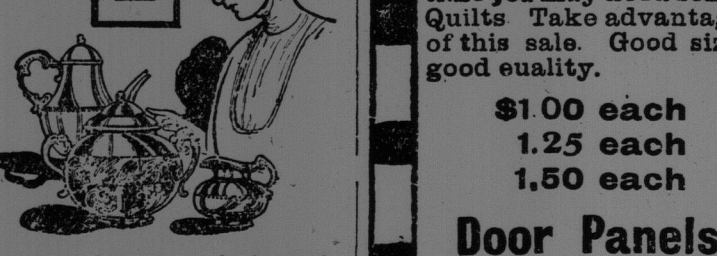
Window Shades on Rollers, 15c up. Brass Curtain Rods, 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c. Wood Curtain Poles, 25c and 35c. Lace Curtains, 25c to \$4.00 pair.

A good assortment of Curtain Muslins at 5c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, to 50c yard.

Hostery, Gloves and Underwear.

Arnold's Department Store 53-55 CHARLOTTE ST.

The Wife's Pride



is a nice set of Silverware for her table. Good silver always makes a fine impression at a dinner or luncheon. It adds zest to the appetite and indicates refined tastes. We can save you money on Solid Silver or Silver-plated Ware of the best quality. There are novelties in designs and every piece is most artistically finished.

A. POYAS, Watchmaker and Jeweler, 16 Mill St., St. John, N. B. Phone Main 1507.

SIR ROBERT PERKS HAS A PLAN FOR THE BUILDING OF THE GEORGIAN BAY CANAL

On His Visit to Canada He Will Endeavor to Reach an Agreement With the Federal Government—His Firm Has Handled Many Big Contracts.

LOCAL NEWS

The police report a dangerous hole in the Marsh bridge.

The police found a cap on Smythe street last night. The owner can get it by applying to Central Station.

Policeman Finley yesterday afternoon shot a dog owned by Joseph Addison. The animal had a leg cut off by a street car on Walker street.

The Boston express was twenty minutes late today and the Atlantic express was delayed an hour and ten minutes in arriving here.

Remember the best when you go to buy shoes. "Pidgeon's Specials" are in quality and style and the prices are lower than in any other line. "Pidgeon's Special" shoes are for sale exclusively by C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets.

The funeral of Charles McInerney took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his late home, Sandy Point Road. The remains were taken to Holy Trinity church, where Mass was said by Rev. Father Walsh. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

Great preparations have been made for the annual gymnastic display of the Young Men's Christian Association to be held in St. Andrew's Hall tomorrow night. The classes are all well trained in the work set for them. A large crowd watched the practice last night. The affair promises to be the best yet held by that association.

RIVER COMMISSION ORGANIZED TODAY

Mr. Barnhill the Chairman and Mr. Murchie Secretary—Will Inspect the River Before Going Further.

The international commission appointed to investigate and report on the condition and uses of the St. John river met for organization this morning in the offices of Messrs. Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford. Those present were the two United States commissioners, Hon. Peter C. Keegan of Van Buren, Me., and Hon. Geo. A. Murchie of Calais, Me.; their counsel, Hon. O. F. Feltow, of Bangor, Me.; their stenographer, Cecil Clay; the two Canadian commissioners, John Keefe and A. P. Barnhill, K.C., of St. John, and their counsel, Hon. H. A. McKewen, St. John, and W. P. Jones, of Woodstock.

The organization of the commission was proceeded with and Mr. Barnhill was appointed chairman and Mr. Murchie secretary. S. D. Simmons, of Fredericton, and Cecil Clay, of Portland, Me., were appointed joint stenographers.

It was arranged that the commissioners with their counsel should meet at Van Buren at an early date, possibly Thursday of next week, when they will examine conditions there and at other points on the river. They will complete their inspection of the various places concerning which questions have arisen before meeting to discuss the situation.

This will take some time and the session which will follow will also keep the commissioners busy for a considerable period before their report is completed.

The commission was appointed to settle the difficulties which have arisen through the river being used by the lumbermen of both countries. The commissioners are approaching the subject with the idea of conciliating the various interests and settling the disputes with as little trouble as possible.

Still another work in which the company is engaged is in building a railway through the Andes, in South America, to link up the Argentine and Chilean railway systems, and thus give South America its first transcontinental railway connecting Buenos Ayres on the east with Valparaiso on the west.

The mountains are being pierced at a sea wall around the Bay of Rio and feet all the way from Las Cuevas to Los Andes. At present the journey across the continent from Buenos Ayres to Valparaiso can only be undertaken by the roughest, as the crossing of the mountains by mules and coaches is attended by many discomforts.

Apart from his connection with these great enterprises, Sir Robert is a man of great reputation. He has represented the Louth division of Lincolnshire in the House of Commons in the Liberal interest since 1882. He was one of the founders and the treasurer of the Liberal League, treasurer of the Wesleyan Methodist Twentieth Century Million Fund, treasurer of the Church Congress, and also of the London Wesleyan Mission. He is a man of broad sympathy and kindly disposition, and has done a great amount of philanthropic work in an unostentatious way.

Sir Robert will address the Canadian Club here in June.

O'LEARY FINED TWENTY DOLLARS FOR ASSAULT

There was but one case before the police magistrate this morning. Pilot James O'Leary charged batman Frank O'Leary with assault.

The plaintiff was represented by J. A. Barr and gave evidence that he and O'Leary had some words, and as he was going to his boat, O'Leary struck him. The plaintiff's brother, John, and Wm. Scott told the same story.

The defendant testified that he boarded the steamer Molina outside the island yesterday morning. Miller was the pilot on board. He asked the captain for the boat and was told that Pilot Miller had said he would get a boatman. Miller then ordered defendant down from the bridge.

When he arrived on Reed's Point wharf he asked Miller why he interfered with the business, and Miller said he only helped those who helped him. Defendant then requested the pilot to fight and Miller struck him on the shoulder.

Richard Cline, James Rogers, Wm. Hurley and Harry Quinn gave evidence for the defendant, who was represented by J. King Kelley. The evidence went to show that O'Leary was to blame in the matter, and he was fined \$20.

ST. JOHN CLEARING HOUSE RETURNS. Week ending 6th May, 1903, \$1,500,138; corresponding week last year, \$1,288,875.

MRS. WALTER STEIPER. The remains of Mrs. Walter Steiper arrived on the Boston train from Boston at noon today and were conveyed to the residence of her sister, Mrs. David Speight, Main street.

STEEPER—Suddenly in Boston, Mrs. E. Steiper, wife of W. J. Steiper, formerly of St. John, Funeral Friday afternoon from her father's residence, 622 Main Street.

Japanese Cleansing Cream

will clean your paints and all wood work, as well as clean your soiled clothing. Once used you will never be without it in the house.

25 Cents AT The Royal Pharmacy, King Street.

Perfect Dentistry!

Emerson puts the POINT pithily! "If a man can write a better book, preach a better sermon or make a better mouse trap than his neighbor, though he buried his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten track to his door."

SEE THE POINT! Our fillings, crown and bridge-work are the best. It will pay you to have your teeth put in good order, painlessly and at reasonable charges. Our good work makes good friends who remain with us.

EXAMINATION FREE. Dr. J. D. MAHER, BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS, 527 Main St.

PRESERVES

Plum, Peach, Raspberry Strawberry, Blackberry, Black Currant.

ONLY 20 CENTS LARGE BOTTLE AT Jas. Collins, 210 Opp opera House, Tel. 289

BEEF WINE and IRON

makes a splendid SPRING TONIC Large Bottles 50c. BARDSELY'S PHARMACY, Brussels Street

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

GIRLS WANTED—Machine operators and hand sewers. Good wages. Apply T. HOFFMAN & CO., 54 Union St. 6-5 if

WANTED—Nurse girl, one that can go home at night preferred. Apply evenings, MRS. W. B. HOWARD, 107 Leicester St. 6-52

BARGAINS : EVERY : DAY

But Special Low Prices

Friday and Saturday

Ladies' Separate Skirts, all wool Panama and Venetian Cloths, right up to the minute for style, a rare snap, \$6.00 Skirt for \$4.98

White Lawn Waists, another lot of those \$1.75 and \$2.00 Waists, at \$1.39

Lot White Wash Belts, 20c and 25c each, 2 for 25c. 25c Black Cotton Hose, 3 pairs for 50c

Cotton Cashmeres, 15c a yd., in Sky, Pink, Brown, Cream and Black

Wide Cluency Lace Insertion, was 25c a yard, at 12 1-2c. See Our 32 inch print at 10c a yard

Many Other Goods at Special Prices, Space Won't Permit us to Mention

Robert Strain & Co.

27 and 29 Charlotte Street

ARE YOU PAPERING THIS SPRING?

OUR WALL PAPER Stock is now most complete and we are prepared to show you colorings and designs which are far in the lead of any other season's goods.

Full lines of Window Shades, Curtain Poles, Room Mouldings, Brass Curtain Rods, etc., etc.

See our line before placing your orders and get our quotations. We can save you money.

Helpful Hints

Before purchasing your FLOOR COVERINGS this Spring come in and see our display. Our goods are all new and of the most approved pattern.

Look at the Prices Linoleum, best quality, 3 and 4 yds. wide 65c sq. yd. Linoleum " " " 2 yds. wide 50c " English Oilcloth " " 2 yds. wide 42 1-2c " Canadian " " 1, 1 1-2, 2 yds. wide 25c "

S. W. McMackin, 335 Main Street, North End.

Look at the Classified Ads.

The growth of our prescription business in two years has been almost phenomenal.

These are the reasons:—Pure Drugs, Care and Moderate Charges.

"RELIABLE" ROBB, The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte Street.

Exceptional Money-Saving Sale of Whitewear.

A GREAT VARIETY OF MANUFACTURERS' SAMPLES AND ODD LINES AT WONDERFUL BARGAIN PRICES. WITHOUT A DOUBT THE UNDERMUSLIN EVENT OF THE SEASON.

This sale is an annual event and always eagerly looked forward to. Never have we had such an abundance of good values and we predict an instantaneous response to the unparalleled saving opportunities called forth by this announcement, comprising a most unusual and timely offering of a large and varied assortment of Manufacturers' Samples and odd lines.

Generously made Underskirts, Gaities, Night-dresses, Corset Covers, etc., all great and saving values to surprise and please the throngs of interested shoppers who are sure to come.

Alert and thoughtful women should not neglect this opportunity to add a few of these exceptionally low priced garments to the Spring and Summer Wardrobe. Undermuslins that embody good material and precise workmanship to be placed on sale a very great departure from the regular prices.

COMMENCING TOMORROW MORNING

NIGHT DRESSES—Square and V necks, long and short sleeves, Hamburg and lace trimmed. The greater proportion of them Ribbon trimmed. Sale prices range from 40c to \$2.00.

CORSET COVERS—Round and square necks, lace and embroidery trimmed, also ribbon. Endless variety. All sizes. Sale prices 15c to 35c.

APRONS—White Lawn, plain and fancy, with and without bibs. Sale prices from 20c to 50c.

UNDERSKIRTS—With wide flounces of Hamburg and lace, wide and narrow tucks and hemstitching. Various lengths. Sale prices from 25c to \$2.50.

DRAWERS—Open and closed, Hamburg and lace trimmed, also with ribbon. Sale prices 15c to \$1.10.

COMBINATIONS—These are corset covers and drawers combined. A few only. All one price—each \$2.00.

MISSIES' and CHILDREN'S WHITEWEAR—Night Dresses, Sale prices 40c, 50c, and 60c. Drawers, plain and trimmed, Sale prices 15c to 45c. Underskirts, a few only. Sale prices, 25c to 60c.

WHITWEAR DEPARTMENT

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON Ltd