

LOCAL NEWS

Martello Fair opens Saturday evening.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
We are glad to announce that we have the two song hits, "I'm in Heaven when I'm in my mother's arms," and "Till he with you in Apple Blossom Time," both on the same record. Kerrett's, 222 Union street, open nights.

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YOU CAN GET
A gramophone and ten selections for \$20.00 at Kerrett's, 222 Union street, open nights.

Make wash day easy. Use Klenzol.

Woodmere next advanced class Oct. 16.

Woodmere dancing school, see classified ads.

Woodmere, correct dancing instruction. Cheap and vulgar practices, jazz etc., prohibited. Send the youngsters, 4 Saturday. M-2912.

DANCING.
Mrs. Marie Parlong Coleman on her return from Boston where she has gone to acquire knowledge of the dance must in vogue from that celebrated teacher Miss Lilla Viles Wyman, will resume her classes on October 23. Oddfellows' Hall, Union street, City.

NOTICE.
Regular meeting Railway Freight Handlers' Union this (Friday) evening, 8 o'clock in their hall West St. John. By order of president.

BAIG OF COURSE.
In this paper last night Baig's half page ad. was made to carry the name Baig. As Baig's Cash and Credit store is so well known the mistake was at once obvious.

SATURDAY AT M. R. A. LTD.

The splendid values offered for the week end in this big store have created much enthusiasm. Shopping will still be profitable and interesting on Saturday. Very decided buyers will find many very decided bargains in the store. Additions as Blankets, Comforters, Curtains, odd pieces of Cut Glass and China—Household Cottons and Linens—Women's Afternoon Dresses and Winter Costumes—and many other articles that will be prominent all over the store. It will certainly be to your advantage to look after some of your fall and winter requirements while these lowered prices are available.

Don't split the ticket. Make it Foster, Roberts, Scully and Hayes.

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DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE ON HIS WAY TO OTTAWA

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 8.—The Duke of Devonshire arrived here last night from Victoria and left by special train on the C. P. R. for Ottawa, via Nelson, Golden and Fernie. He is expected to arrive in Ottawa on Saturday morning. He is accompanied by his wife and two daughters. The Duke is expected to be in Ottawa for a few days before leaving for his home in England.

FIRE IN TRENTON, N. S.

New Glasgow, N. S., Oct. 8.—Fire early last night broke out in the "riggers" shack at the plant of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company in Trenton, N. S. Several barrels of varnish were stored there. The Trenton firemen soon extinguished the blaze. The loss is comparatively small.

Don't Strain Your Eyes!

Squinting, frowning and headaches are characteristic of eye-strain.

When this condition exists good health is impossible without the use of suitable glasses.

Arrange for an examination to-day and know the exact condition of your eyes.

If you need glasses you should wear them. If you don't need glasses we will tell you so.

D. BOYANER

111 Charlotte Street

"THE BLACK FLAG"

A Great Big Hit, Best Yet, at Queen Square.

"The Black Flag," as produced at the Queen Square Theatre by the Young-Adams Company is the best show seen at that theatre in many moons. Everybody made a hit with the large audience and certain calls were in order. Percy Norman as the villain was greeted back and gave a finished performance. Miss Adams as Naomi did the part well and was roundly applauded; Marguerite Young as Ned made a big hit and will be a great favorite with the kiddies on Saturday afternoon. Mal Murray and Sidney Leonard gave good touches of character comedy; David Riggan and George Carruth played minor parts; Miss Vail Hobart as Miss Glyndon and Marie Fischer were both good. H. Wilmut Young as Lazarus did the very best work he has ever done here in the comedy line. He was a scream from start to finish, and made a big hit with the audience and rest assured crowded houses will greet the remaining performances of "The Black Flag," which is the best bet yet. See it tonight and Saturday.

EXTRA LOW PRICES AT BAIG'S, 235 UNION

Claim Initial Cost Has Dropped, So They Lower Their Prices.

Baig's Cash and Credit store, 235 Union street, is offering choice selections in suits and dresses as their ad. in the paper last night would indicate. For instance suits which regularly sell at from \$20 to \$40 are priced at from \$10.95 to \$24.50; dresses the regular prices of which are from \$20 to \$35 are offered at from \$10.50 to \$28.50. Coats that usually bring from \$20 to \$35 some of which are fur trimmed are offered at from \$14.25 to \$40, and leatherette coats for \$19.95 which should sell for \$38.00.

These prices are lowered because, as they claim, the cost has dropped and they want the price to follow the cost movement. Look for their electric signs, and don't forget the name and address: Baig's Cash and Credit Store, 235 Union street.

MARTELLO CORNET BAND FAIR.

The Martello Cornet Band fair, which opens in the Carleton curling rink on Saturday evening next, promises to be a great attraction, in the variety of its entertainment and in the excellence of its musical programme.

The big show will be formally introduced to the public by Acting Mayor Frink, who will deliver the inaugural address. Commissioners Thornton and Jones will also speak.

A feature of Saturday's entertainment will be announcement of election returns. A surprise is assured visitors in the extent and beauty of the decorations, which include all the best material used in the previous fair, together with supplies procured by the band to add uniqueness to the fairland which they have created.

The Martello Band, formerly the 26th, guarantees the bandmen good attendance and they are sparing no effort and going to considerable expense to win public approval.

The object of the fair is to supply the bandmen with uniforms so as to re-establish the unit on a proper peace footing.

Returned men are taking keen interest in the coming show and have heartily endorsed the movement to keep the organization intact.

FRENCH NOW POSSESS TOGO TERRITORY, AFRICA

Paris, Oct. 8.—Togo Territory, a former German possession in Central Africa, was turned over to French authorities by the British on October 1, according to advices received here.

PENITENTIARY GUARD GETS MONTH SENTENCE

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 8.—J. S. Seabrook, a guard at Portmouth penitentiary, who was found guilty yesterday on a charge of having attempted to smuggle out of the penitentiary an uncensored letter of one of the convicts, was sentenced yesterday to jail for one month.

INLAND REVENUE

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—(Canadian Press).—The Canadian inland revenue during August amounted to \$11,202,476. Last August it was \$9,240,418. The total excise revenue during August was \$8,307,132. Of this amount, \$2,497,147 was from tobacco, and \$408,560 from spirits.



Here are charming frocks for all the varied activities of a Winter day. But they show only a few of the secrets of the mode to be found in the PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERNS for November and the FASHION BOOK for WINTER, now on sale

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VEGGMEN GET BOLD, ROB THREE SAFES

Feeling Secure in Relaxed Police Vigilance, They Revive "Soap and Soup" Method—\$20,000 in Loot Obtained.

(New York Times.)
Apparently feeling secure in the knowledge that Police Headquarters no longer maintains a safe squad, composed of veterans who know the faces of safe-robbers, veggmens are returning to the old-fashioned "soap and soup" safe-blowing methods of the nitro-glycerine days.

In support of this belief was the disclosure yesterday that safe blowers had looted the fifth floor of the Jewellers' Craft Building, 45 to 51 Lispenard street last Wednesday night and obtained diamonds, platinum and jewelry valued at more than \$20,000.

The veggmens drilled holes in three safes with the aid of soap and then touched off charges of nitro-glycerine. Telephone books were the only muffers of the explosion which the thieves thought necessary to employ.

The losses were: L. Jobner, \$15,000; Alfred Schiedering, \$8,000; Green & Medoff, \$2,000, and the remainder was scattered in small amounts among other tenants. In one office that of the United States Chain Company, the veggmens got only a box of cigars.

According to detectives the robbers reached the fifth floor of the jewelry building by means of a rear fire escape, boarding it from an abutting building with an entrance on Canal street.

Tested Loot as They Smoked.

The four by six foot safe yielded platinum and platinum settings. Next they opened the safe of Schiedering, a specialist in jeweled emblems of the Elks, while diamonds were the haul from the quarters of Green & Medoff.

In the chain company's office they found the safe open and a box of cigars there. The many cigar stumps left on the floor, and acid traces, indicated that the robbers had tried the sootiness of the veggmens' method.

While the safe workers were enjoying a return to "old-day" prosperity, hold-up men were busy too. During

the morning Nathan Schrader was in his fur shop at 1746 Madison Avenue when two men came in. They pointed revolvers at Schrader and directed him to raise his hands. The furrier, however, declined to do so, and when he made a break for the door, one of the men shot him in the right arm, just below the elbow.

The sound of the shot appeared to frighten the holdup men and they darted for the door. Policeman Patrick Carroll, who was coming up to find the meaning of the shot, saw the running men and caught one of them. At the station Carroll's prisoner described himself as Sidney Kafton of 20 West 118th street. Kafton, according to the police, admitted that he had been in the store. Schrader was treated at Harlem Hospital.

Following the arrest of James Lorenzo, a chauffeur of 446 West Forty-sixth street, by Detective Edward Fitzgerald, the police said that soldiers from Camp Dix, N. J., had lost thousands of dollars in the last few months in a series of hold-ups.

The New Jersey authorities on an allegation that he had been concerned in the luring of four Camp Dix men to the outskirts of Trenton, on pretense of furnishing them whiskey. The soldiers were robbed of \$500. Thomas J. Carney, a decorated member of the 1st Division, told the police he recognized Lorenzo.

Policeman Convicted of Larceny.

Captured early yesterday after a chase in which several shots were fired near Amsterdam Avenue and 102nd street, William Kelly, 23 years old, of 139 West Sixtieth street, was held on a charge of attempted burglary. Magistrate Max Levine in West Side Court.

THE PISTOL AND THE PUBLIC

(Montreal Star.)

Robert Bickerdike and the Prisoners' Welfare Association do well to revive the agitation against the free sale of revolvers in Montreal. It is to be hoped that they will keep it alive, and perhaps not too much to hope that something may come of it.

We have a fine set of by-laws and regulations and what not forbidding the sale of revolvers to minors and even their display in shop windows. How much attention is paid to them? The answer may be obtained by looking into a certain class of shop window any day in the week, or—better still—purchasing as many revolvers as one's purse can afford. Like a good many others, the regulations governing the sale of these deadly weapons have been calmly ignored, and the killings go on.

It is all very well for the courts to "make examples" of men and boys caught carrying revolvers, but that is to attempt the cure at the wrong end. So long as it is perfectly easy for hard-bitten youths to purchase pistols and tug them about the streets in the approved movie style, so long there will be shootings and trouble. And so long as certain shopkeepers ignore the law

FURNITURE of Character

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OUR LARGE WINDOW DISPLAY IS ALWAYS INTERESTING

J. MARCUS

30-36 Dock St.

Policeman Harry Riger said he saw Kelly come from the basement of the saloon of James Dougherty at Amsterdam Avenue and 102nd street and that when he ordered Kelly to stop, the man ran. Riger said investigation of the basement disclosed \$700 worth of cigars and cigarettes packed up ready for transport. Kelly pleaded not guilty.

Policeman John O'Hara of the Fourth Avenue Station, Brooklyn, was found guilty in the Brooklyn Court of Special Sessions on a charge of petty larceny. He was sent at once to the penitentiary by Justices Voorhes, Murphy and McInerney. On May 16 last O'Hara was sent to investigate the report of a burglary at the Danmiller Coffee Company, 116 Thirty-ninth street, Brooklyn. He reported that there was no trace of a burglary. The next day, Miss Anna Anderson, a bookkeeper for the coffee company, living at 5,125 Sixth avenue, reported that her gold wrist watch worth \$27 was gone.

O'Hara admitted, according to Detective Michael Ward, that he had taken the watch, but said he had done so only to insure payment for slight damage to his uniform sustained when he entered the company's store. Later O'Hara sent the watch back. O'Hara had been on the force for one year. His counsel, George W. Martin, announced an appeal.

On charges of burglary involving furs valued at \$88,000, of which \$25,000 have been recovered, detectives yesterday arrested Harry Feinstein, 23 a chauffeur of 118 Suffolk street, and Lewis Bellast, a fur worker, 223 East Third street. The complaint was made by Charles Dattilebaum, a furrier, at 200 West Twenty-ninth street, where the robbery was committed on April 16. Both men have been indicted.

Jewelry valued at about \$500 was stolen from the Herbert Jewelry store 108 West 123rd street, early yesterday. A thief smashed a display window with a padded brick. No arrests have been made. Herbert had decorated his window for 123rd street week and there was more jewelry in it than usual. The articles stolen included twenty gold-filled bracelets, six strings of pearls, two gold mesh bags and a number of fountain pens. Six months ago the store was robbed in the same manner but the 1,000 worth of jewelry taken at that time was recovered.

Improvement in Road Making?

The spraying of roads with tar has now become a standard means of rendering them waterproof and free from dust, but the process has certain difficulties attached to it. One is the difficulty of keeping traffic, both vehicular and pedestrian, off the road until the tar has been covered by chippings. Several ways have been devised of carrying out both operations at the same time, and perhaps the simplest and most effective is that recently adopted by a British road engineer. He uses a 6-ton tractor to haul a 320-gallon tar tank followed by a 6-ton tipping wagon filled with chippings. At the back of the wagon is a V-shaped trough through which the chippings fall upon the freshly tarred surface. To prevent the choking of this trough it is traversed by a shaft with projecting spikes, and this shaft is rotated by a chain gear to the rear axle of the wagon. This simple equipment is a great labor-saver, and it spreads the chippings much more evenly than can be done by hand.

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