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The Travellers' Cheques issued by this bank are the most convenient method of carrying money when travelling. They are issued in the following denominations:— \$10, \$20, \$50, \$100, \$200

MANY FLORAL TRIBUTES

ent to Late Home of Recorder Skinner Whose Funeral Takes Place This Afternoon

The funeral of Hon. C. N. Skinner will be held from his late home, Pitt street, at 3 o'clock. Service will be conducted by Rev. G. A. Kurling rector of St. John's (Stone) church and interment will be in Fernhill cemetery.

MURDER MYSTERY IN CALIFORNIA

Police Find Body of Young Woman Believed to Have Met Her Death in Doctor's Office—Two Arrests Made

San Francisco, Sept. 24.—The body of Miss Iva Swan, 26 years old, a stenographer, formerly a school teacher at Pacific Grove, California, was found last night buried in a lot in the rear of a vacant house on Eureka street.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO MEET HERE, SEPT. 30

Bank of New Brunswick's New Building at Fredericton Completed—Railway Matters

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 24.—Work on the Bank of New Brunswick, Queen street opposite the soldier's barracks, has been completed and the building will be occupied by the bank on Monday.

FOUR REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD PURCHASE CAPE BRETON ELECTRIC CO. LTD.

First Mortgage 5 Per Cent. BOND Due 1932
They are an absolute first mortgage on all the rights, franchises and property of the Company valued at \$2,840,972.41.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Foster, of New Bedford (Mass.), who have been in the city the past two weeks, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Horton, leave for their home next Tuesday.

LOCAL NEWS

Smoking allowed in Wm.'s upper dining room at all times.
When thinking of your water overcoat, think of Turner, 440 Main street.

CHURCH SERVICES

Centenary Methodist church—Sunday services, 11 a. m., and 7 p. m.; minister, Rev. C. R. Flanders, D. D., morning and evening.

THEATRE CECIL

Manager R. W. Carson has had for the past two weeks a gang of carpenters and painters at work on the theatre Cecil on Union street near Charlotte street.

A PRACTICAL LETTER ON TREE PLANTING AND ORCHARD CULTURE

To the Editor of the Times-Star. Sir.—There has been a good deal of late talk about planting trees in the city, and since I have lived here, now nearly fifty years, the same subject has come up for discussion and effort to succeed every few years, but nearly always with failure.

After the great fire of 1877 we found ourselves located near the Marsh bridge, in what is now called Forest street. On the north side of the street there were no houses, but a strip of land about ten feet wide, facing the houses on the south side for its whole length.

It was covered with every kind of rubbish, old wagon wheels, hayricks, pieces of various kinds of rotten lumber, etc., the whole making a very sorry sight to any lover of order and cleanliness. For our own use we cleared a piece of ground across the street fronting our house, and planted a tree and a passer-by and neighbor, dwelling on the same street, thought it would be nice to plant a tree on the side next to the I. C. R. R.

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When you have no more home, have dinner at White's noon or evening.

First class board and lodging, reasonable rates. Hotel Ottawa, King Square.

Ungar's Laundry has produced excellent results because it has worked constantly to that end. Tel. 58.

Millinery opening at Mrs. M. J. James, 280 Main street, Tuesday and Wednesday, 3:02-9-27.

Special sale of men's furnishings and clothing tonight at Corbett's, 190 Union street.

A big map at Steel's shoe store, Main street, is to be had by the person who buys a pair of the best of boys' shoes sizes 2, 4 or 5, that are now selling for \$1.65 a pair.

Hewson's samples of ladies' and children's sweaters coats that they had on display at the exhibition were purchased by F. W. Daniel & Company, corner King street. These garments are on sale today and Monday. The newest styles at a great advantage in price. See advertisement on page 6.

It is seldom that a picture film of such excellent merit has been produced as that of the Vitaphone Co., entitled "The Life of Moses," which is a Biblical story of unusual interest and attractiveness, portraying in a vivid and striking manner the events in the career of this famous Scriptural character.

A great chance to save money is offered at this sale of bright desirable ends of dresses and suitings. Lengths for costumes, skirts, dresses. Lengths for girls' dresses and coats. Lengths for small boys' suits and odd pants. Prices have been placed very low to dispose of these remnants quickly. Sale starts Monday morning promptly at 8 o'clock in M. R. A.'s dress goods department.

A HANDSOME MILLINERY WINDOW. An unusually charming window display of fall millinery at M. R. A.'s is attracting great attention from the ladies, who are all interested in the latest in autumn styles. The models shown are perfectly new and should be viewed as early as possible. In the millinery department is prepared to furnish the most up-to-date millinery in ready-to-wear hats, and while the models are all beautiful, the prices are by no means excessive.

CLERGYMAN WRITES AN ABSORBING NOVEL

The Frontiersman by Rev. H. A. Cody of St. John is a Story of Life in the Yukon

A novel that will doubtless be very widely read in Canada and abroad is The Frontiersman, by Rev. H. A. Cody. The people of St. John will have a special interest in this book, because the gifted author, rector of the Anglican church in this city, and the people of New Brunswick generally will be alike interested, because Mr. Cody is a native of the province.

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BIG LIST OF ENTRIES FOR MONTREAL MEET

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Chilly mornings and evenings are now here. Now is the time for you to look for warmer underwear. We are now ready to show you the very best that money can produce.

It will pay you to come and look over our stock. We have this season a special line all-wool unshrinkable, well worth \$1.00 per garment—Our special price 75c per garment; Penman's underwear 50c and 75c per garment, Standfield's \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.35 per garment. 50 Dozen Hand Knitted Country Sox, Special price 25c. per pair.

C. Magnusson & Co.

Cor. Dock St. and Market Sq. Open evenings St. John, N. B.

"WE DIED BRAVELY, TELL MOTHER"

Chicago, Sept. 23.—"We died bravely, Tell mother," (signed) Jimmy. Bobbing up and down, pushed shoreward with each wave, a beer bottle finally rolled out on the beach at Sixty-Fourth street yesterday and when opened was found to contain a message from the dead, written by one of the 53 victims of the ill-fated Peru Marquette ferry number 18. The police, who believe the message genuine, assert that the bottle had had time to float across the lake and reach the beach at 63rd street. They believe that "Jimmy" was a member of the crew.

Prof. Mitchell Carroll of Washington will lecture on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church under the auspices of the St. John Society of the Archaeological Institute of America. His subject will be "Paul at Athens."

A MATTER OF WISDOM!

It is foolish to wear glasses if you do not need them, but it is wiser than foolish not to wear them when you do. Consult D. BOYANER, Scientific Optician, about your eyesight, 38 Dock Street. Store closes 6 p. m., Sat. 9 p. m.

DEATHS

WOOD—At Gagetown, on September 23, William Wood, of this city, in the 88th year of his age, leaving four daughters and one son. Funeral will be at Fairfield, (N. B.).

ESTABLISHMENTS—At 181 Window street, west side, on Sept. 22, Arthur L. Estabrook, aged 22, leaving two sisters, two brothers and a mother and father. Funeral services this evening at 8 o'clock. Body to be taken on Saturday to Upper Gagetown for interment.

BRENNAN—In this city, on Sept. 22nd, Henry Brennan, aged 60 years, leaving a wife, one son and three daughters to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 46 Water street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

SKINNER—In this city on the 22nd inst., Charles N. Skinner, R. C., in his 78th year, leaving five sons and two daughters. Funeral from his late residence, Crown street, Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

CREDIT—At The Union Store

If you are in need of clothing for yourself or any member of your family come here and buy. Make a small payment down and the balance at \$1.00 a week. Gents and Children's Clothing. Blankets, Carpets, Oil Stoves and Curtains. 225 Union St.

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