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All the latest kinds that are being shown. Some in Silk, some in Leather. The assortment is complete.

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Another case just received, opens out the full size of a quilt. Fluffy and clean.

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Assorted kinds with seamless feet. Worth up to 50c. the pair but all one price. 35c. the pair.

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New ones in stock today. All the latest American novelties.

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NEW DRESS GOODS THIS WEEK.

Black and Blue Serge Suits.

We have made a specialty of this class of goods for many years now, and feel confident that our offerings cannot be beaten, either in quality or price.

The cloths have been carefully selected and are fully guaranteed in quality and in color. We know of this quality being in constant wear for years and not changing color.

The fit is another important item that we have not overlooked, we have our cloth made up by the foremost makers in Canada. Nothing is intrusted to cheap sewing girls, but every part of our garments are finished by experts.

Many persons were fooled into buying cloth last year from pedlars, without reputation or honor, and found that it cost more to make and trim the cloths purchased, than to buy a better suit from us.

Your interests are guarded here, and only fair square dealing will be tolerated.

THE NORTH SHORE LUMBERMEN ARE NOW AT ODDS

The Wm. Richards Coy Fights Other Large Operations On The Restigouche

THE HOUSE HEARS THE CASE

Removal of Directors of Boom Company Places Opponents In Charge

The big fight between the contending lumber interests on the Restigouche is now on, and will likely occupy a large share of the attention of the legislature for two or three days, says Friday's Gleaner.

This is the fight between the William Richards Company and the other large lumber operators on the Restigouche. The promoters of the bill now before the House assert that the Richards concern has a controlling interest in the Restigouche Boom Company, and are using that control so as to squeeze the other operators and mill owners. Mr. McLatchy, M. P. P., and Mr. J. H. Barry, K. C., are spokesmen for the promoters of the bill while the interests of the Richards concern are being looked after by Mr. W. A. Mott. Among the north shore lumbermen in town interested in the matter are A. H. Hilyard of Dalhousie, Kilgour Shives, A. E. Alexander, F. E. Blackall, and David Chimpoux of Dalhousie and Henry Hilyard and David Richmond are also here.

In presenting the case to the Corporations Committee this morning Mr. McLatchy said that the Restigouche Boom Company was incorporated in 1879. The company was given the right to build piers and stretch booms in the Restigouche river, rights never given to private parties. The charter was granted for ten years, and has been renewed from time to time. In the early days of the Restigouche boom the business was comparatively small, some twenty millions of lumber coming down the river then, while sixty-three millions came down last year. The lumber industry of the whole north shore is very largely dependent upon the Restigouche. During past few years in portland lumbering concerns have come into operation on the Restigouche the Wm. Richards Co., The Kilgour Shives Co., Dalhousie Lumber Co., Bay Chaleur Mills, the Mowatt Co., and other small operators. The only opposition to this bill comes from the Wm. Richards Co. At the meeting of the Restigouche Boom Co. in 1904 the Board of Directors elected were Kilgour Shives, David Richards, A. H. Hilyard, David Chimpoux, Frank E. Blackall. These are thoroughly representative of the lumber interests on the Restigouche. Mr. Shives was elected President. A bye law was subsequently passed by the stockholders at a special meeting that a director or directors might be removed at any time for cause and other directors might be removed at any time for cause and other directors elected in their places. Almost immediately thereafter new directors were elected, they being W. S. Montgomery, H. D. Sheehy, Maxwell M. Mowatt, F. S. Blair and Adam E. Richards.

No cause for removing the old directorate was assigned, other than it was the will of the majority of the stockholders. These new directors are simply instruments of the Wm. Richards Co. and none of them are here. Mr. David Richards, the resident manager at Campbellton of the Richards Co., is present, and no doubt they feel that he can do as well alone as if they, his instruments, were here.

For some years the Wm. Richards Co. have been lessees of the Boom Co., their work being to collect, raft, and deliver the logs that come into the Boom Company's booms. The Richards Co. have this lease for 5 years and make a profit of \$10,000 to \$12,000 a year. The gross revenue of the Restigouche Boom Company last year was \$37,000, of which \$34,000 found its way into the pockets of the Wm. Richards Co. We contend that this is too heavy a tax upon the lumbering interests of the Restigouche. They should be compelled to pay

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Easter is Coming.

Have you seen our assortment of Easter Eggs and Novelties of all kinds? They are the cutest things ever shown here.

Also a fine line of Confectionery, all New Goods and selected with our usual care.

We have still a good stock of Apples, in Baldwins, Russets, Golden Pippins, &c.

New Spring Bacon in Strathcona and short rolls; Boneless Cold, Choice Pickled Herring, &c.

FOLLANSBEE & CO.

SEVERAL ARE OUT FOR ALDERMANIC HONORS

Civic Campaign Is Now Waxing Warm In Newcastle It Seems

MANY CANDIDATES OUT

And There Are Rumors of More Aspirants Before Election Day

The Civic campaign is waxing warm. There are already several aldermanic aspirants. Among them are Dr. Desmond Messrs. H. P. Williston, L. B. McDonald and J. M. Falconer. And it is also probable that Messrs. Wm. Corbett and T. A. Clarke will offer. This of course means opposition to the old board of aldermen but all of the old board will not run. It is stated authoritatively that only the following of the present members will re-offer:—Ald. Lawlor, Gremley, Ritchie and Russell.

The mayoralty situation remains unchanged. Messrs. Hennessey and Miller are the only two candidates in the field. There are rumors of more aldermanic candidates.

3000 CORDS

This Is The Amount of Pulp Wood Cut By Mr. Everett Parker's Men

Mr. Everett J. Parker has about finished getting out pulp wood for the Miramichi Pulp and Paper Company. During the winter Mr. Parker employed a large number of men and the result of their labors is 3000 cords of pulp wood. There are just three or four trainloads more to be brought out.

A large amount of pulp wood was also cut for the Chatham company up river and it will come down when navigation opens.

The children of Mary meetings held every second Wednesday are becoming very interesting. Rev. T. Maguire, spiritual director is untiring in his efforts to make the meetings attractive, and has introduced the reading of essays, composed by the members. The first paper read was on the life of St. Agnes, by Miss Susie Harriman, the second by Miss Sadie Hogan, a sketch of the life of Joan of Arc, Miss Nellie Hennessey; took for her subject The Blessed Eucharist, and at the last night of meeting a paper on Practical Education, which at the present time is attracting considerable attention. This paper was read by Miss M. Hennessey, Rev. T. Maguire, has named some other young ladies to have papers prepared for the next meeting.

The bill to give the Maine and New Brunswick exclusive franchise of the Aroostook Falls has passed the Corporation Committee with some important amendments along the line suggested by Premier Tweedie. The company must expend twenty thousand dollars upon its works in New Brunswick within a year; electrical power must be furnished to patrons in New Brunswick at any time desired as cheaply as it is sold to Maine customers; and the Company will be required to pay the province an annual rental for the privilege of \$250 until such time as the gross earnings of the company reach \$25,000, and two per cent, upon the earnings thereafter. These amendments were agreed to by the promoters of the bill and will be incorporated in the Act when it comes before the House.

Sheeley's Young's Fours musical comedy, "Maloney's Wedding Day" will be presented at the Newcastle Opera House on Monday April 10. The entire play has been rewritten, remade and revised this season. Everything old has been obliterated. The first act of the new farce is declared a "hummer". It transpires in the Widow Nolan's restaurant, and never was there such a restaurant scene. The things done there would elicit laughter from a brick wall or transform cold the countenance of the eternal sphinx into a broad grin. A bevy of pretty girls in tasty costumes enliven the actions of the farce and add to the strength of the musical numbers.

DIED

Suddenly at Liverpool, N.S. on April 1st, Mary A. Shea, beloved wife of Patrick Farrell formerly of this town.

NEW TURBINE BOAT IS A MARVEL IN SMOOTH WATER

But in Rough Water She Failed To Make Good So It's Said

SO SAYS MR. BEAUDRY

Passenger On First Turbine Boat to Cross Atlantic Comes To Newcastle

Immediately after disembarking from the first turbine vessel to cross the Atlantic, Mr. Joseph E. Beaudry, a prominent merchant of Quebec came to Newcastle and spent Sunday and Monday here with his daughter who is attending the convent. Mr. Beaudry arrived at Halifax on the much exploited Victorian on Saturday morning. In conversation with a reporter for the Advocate on Monday Mr. Beaudry said there was general disappointment over the first performance of the turbine boat. He stated that in smooth water she was very fast and could develop a speed of 19 knots but in rough water she cut a very poor figure. On her first trip heavy head seas were met and instead of going over them the Victorian plowed right through them taking in a lot of water.

Mr. Beaudry emphasized the fact, however, that the turbine boat made little or no motion. This is regarded as a splendid achievement. He said, moreover, that the ship was most magnificently fitted up. The state rooms, smoking room, etc., were marvels of luxury.

Mr. Beaudry feels that in fine weather the turbine boats will equip themselves well but to advertise that the Victorian would make Halifax in five days was utterly ridiculous. The passengers who came out on her were of course disappointed. He stated that the turbine boats were difficult to turn suddenly and this would make their progress difficult in the narrow channel of the St. Lawrence.

Mr. Beaudry states that the best day's run was about 375 miles. He states that a large number of first class emigrants came out on the Victorian and that the second class and stowage of the Allan liners are booked full until July.

CHATHAM'S LUCK

American Capitalists May Buy Out Richard's Concern And Erect Pulp Mills

Unless something goes astray, New Brunswick will soon have one of the largest pulp and paper concerns doing business and owning immense interests within its limits. Geo. D. Bayles, president of the Bayles Pulp and Paper Co. of Binghampton, New York, with a committee of the directors of the company, passed through the province on Friday enroute to their homes. They had visited the heart of the forests and were going back to report on their visit to the full board of directors of the company. They have secured an option from the William Richards company on that concern's timber lands and mills, and are particularly interested in one piece of 160,000 acres along the Southwest Miramichi and Taxis river. Their expenditure if the company decides to locate here—and President Bayles says that they probably will within the next few months—will be between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000. "Pulp and paper manufacturing" said President Bayles "are of course, our primitive object, but we want enough lumbering possibly to insure us on our investments and we feel that we have it. Our intentions are to within a few years start a pulp and paper industry. This would mean a plant for New Brunswick like that which we operate at Austin, Pennsylvania, where we have 450 men employed." The capitalists did not interview the government and said that they could see no reason for so doing, as they positively will not ask for assistance unless it's a subsidy for building a railroad. The headquarters of the Bayles concern, when located in this province will be at Chatham or on the I. C. R. at the mouth of Taxis river.

Just at this time of year there is always considerable speculation as to the driving possibilities and the lumbermen are sometimes not all of one view by any means. Mr. W. T. Keswick, one of the Shives Lumber Co's operators this year on the Restigouche is in town today and he has his view on the subject, says Friday's Gleaner. Although some people think that the conditions on the Restigouche will be adverse to good driving this year Mr. Keswick looks to see an early breaking up with some heavy rains which will make the driving all that much easier. Mr. Keswick's cut this season for the Shives concern is about 1,000,000.

Best Value in CLOTHING.

MEN'S SUITS.

We have just received a large supply of Men's and Boy's suits, made by some of the leading clothing manufacturers in Canada. Each garment is gotten up with all the necessary care and exactness requisite to make it perfect fitting and to give it a neat dressy appearance.

MEN'S SERGE SUITS

In Black and Blue, note the prices, \$5.75, \$7.50, and \$9.50 per suit.

Men's Plain and Fancy Worsteds.

Very Nobby Suits, prices \$8.00 and \$8.50 each.

MEN'S TWEED SUITS.

We have a nice assortment of these at various prices, ranging from \$4.00 per suit upwards.

BOYS' SUITS.

The range of Boys' Suits we are showing, compare the best values in Newcastle, before purchasing elsewhere you will find it worth your while looking at ours.

CARPETS CARPETS

We are now showing some very special value in this line. Tapestry at 40 and 50cts. per yard. Union and Hamps at all prices, ranging from 12cts. per yard upwards.

PRINT, SPECIAL.

A 36 inch width, Sateen finished print, very pretty patterns, regular 15c. quality at 12c. per yard.

CURTAINS.

Lace Curtains, a nice variety, the prices start at 25cts. per pair.

Curtain Net, White and Colored, 10 and 12cts. per yard.

E. T. CORSETS.

We beg to draw your attention to this excellent brand of Corsets as advertised on page 2 for which we are the agents. The E. T. has long been known as one of the leading Corsets on the market.

The prices range from 40cts. upwards. One of our special numbers is a strong Coutil Corsets with suspenders attached at 75cts. per pair

A. H. MACKAY, NEWCASTLE.

NEW ARRIVALS.

W. G. & R. White Shirts. New Dress Goods.

W. G. & R. Collars. In the prevailing styles.

New Belts In Black and Colors, Silk and Satin.

Ladies' Neckwear.

A very nice assortment of Stock Collars in the latest designs, 25c., 50c. and 75c.

Some very nice selections from the Hewson Mills, which make exceedingly neat costumes.

New Shopping Bags,

WRIST BAGS, PURSES, POCKET BOOKS, BACK COMBS, HAIR PINS and other small wares.

A Special Line of NOVELTY BROACHES FOR GIRLS.

They are neat and at the same time unique.

Price 5c. each.

CLARKE & CO.

Watch Repairing.

Owing to the rush of watch work we have been compelled to employ a watch maker. We have been particularly fortunate in securing the services of a first class man, a graduate of the Waltham Horological Institute, who has been employed during the past three years in the city of Boston on complicated and fine watch work. We guarantee to do your watch work promptly and to your satisfaction.

H. WILLISTON & CO.

Jewelers, Newcastle, N. B.