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EASTERN STEAMSHIP COY.
International Division.
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St. John to Portland, \$3.00; St. John to Boston, \$5.00.
Commencing MONDAY, Nov. 18th, 1902, steamers leave St. John at 9 a. m. (Atlantic Standard), Mondays and Thursdays, for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston.
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Star Line S.S. Co.

One of the Mail Steamers, VICTORIA and DAVID WESTON, will leave St. John, North End, for Fredericton and intermediate landings every morning (Sunday excepted), at 9 o'clock, and will leave Fredericton every morning (Sunday excepted), at 8 o'clock.
Freight received daily up to 6 p. m.
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Leaves Millidgeville daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 9 a. m. and 3.30 and 5.00 p. m.
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TO LET—A flat No. 71 High street, North End. Modern improvements and moderate rent. To be seen any time.

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Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

WANTED—Three coat makers, highest wages, steady employment for first class hands. Apply to C. B. PUGHMAN, Cor. Main and Bridge streets, N. B.

WANTED—A first class job printer at Office of SUN PRINTING CO.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special, accident, sickness, fire, marine, life and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write to 215, Montreal.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 343 Union street.

WANTED—At once, a girl for general work in a small family. Apply to Mrs. R. H. FLEMING, Pagan Place (off Germain street).

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BOARD—Two good rooms with board can now be had at 123 Princess street, corner of Charlotte street.

CAN'T BE DIB. The profit we put on our goods will not allow us to offer a discount of 50 per cent. We are offering a bonus side 10 per cent. discount on fine Toilet Soaps, at 137 Charlotte street.

SHOW-CASES A bargain for some one. See them at W. TREMBLAIN GARD'S, Jeweler and Optician, 48 King street.

FOR SALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

STORE AND WAREHOUSE FOR SALE. Splendid opportunity for getting good business stand cheap. Successful grocery and food business, doing 4000 per year. Leasehold, ground rent \$30 per annum. Buildings in good repair. Possession given when desired. Apply to HENRI S. KEITH, Solicitor, 21 Prince Wm. street.

HOUSE FOR SALE—House 165 Adelaide road, 4 beds, 6 rooms on each flat. Enquire on the premises.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted free of charge.

WANTED—By a middle aged man, employment as bookkeeper or for general office work; long experience; best of references. Address "Scribe," care of Sun Printing Co.

LOST.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

LOST—On Saturday, a pair of scissors, between Germain and Charlotte streets. Finder will confer a favor by leaving same at 14 Charlotte street.

CANADA IN LONDON.

MONTREAL, Nov. 24.—The Star's London cable says:

In view of the adoption at St. John, Quebec and Halifax of the United States methods of exclusion of diseased immigrants, the steamship companies here are arranging for a more exacting medical examination of passengers before they leave England. The companies are anxious to avoid the loss involved in bringing back unaccepted emigrants.

DILLON A SICK MAN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—John Dillon, the Irish leader, who became ill yesterday, suffered a relapse tonight. While his physicians say there is little likelihood that his condition will become alarming, they are in almost constant attendance upon him, as they fear another turn for the worse.

HEARTLESS.

(Baltimore News.)
"Yes; Higgins is going to send his daughter across the water for her trousseau."

"Thanks it will be cultivated in Europe?"

"No; he's got an idea that maybe she'll lose it on the way."

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., NOVEMBER 25, 1902.

THE BOY PROBLEM.

Some evidence as to one cause of the present juvenile depravity was heard in the police court yesterday. Two boys, sixteen years of age, one belonging to the Catholic church and the other to the Church of England, stated that they had remained in bed on Sunday morning until it was too late to attend service, and for an unexplained reason they had stayed away from Sunday school and the evening services. They were members of a gang of about twenty boys, ranging in age from eleven to seventeen years, who gathered at the corner of Clarence and Erin streets from early in the evening until ten o'clock, using language which was described by an officer as the worst he had ever heard.

These boys were unable to attend church but they were quite able to loaf around the streets on a cold autumn night taking the name of God in vain and disgusting residents and passers by with their filthy language.

The parents of the boys are to blame in no small degree. These boys ought to be in church at least once every Sabbath and they ought to attend Sunday school. It has been stated that numbers of them do not belong to any church. The boys themselves often give this as an excuse for remaining away, and if enquiry were made it might be found that after all there are not so many parents in the city who are not connected with some religious body.

Some time ago a gentleman wrote to the Lord's Day Alliance advising its members to stop talking and get to work. This advice was not well received but there appears to be at least some reason for it. There are at last twenty boys in the Clarence and Erin street gang, many of whom belong to churches. If the clergymen to whose churches these boys belong could obtain the support of the parents possibly most of the twenty might be reformed—an end which will never be accomplished by discussions and elaborate plans for mission work.

THE EXODUS.

The Globe last evening made a very interesting commentary on the effects of liberal rule in Canada. Referring to our trade with the United States it said:

"But the open trade is nothing to the steadily increasing commerce between the people of Massachusetts and New Brunswick, consequent upon the steadily increasing number of our population who find homes in that state."

The attention of the Moncton Transcriber is especially directed to the above statement, which is also of interest to all members of the liberal party. Despite half a dozen years of liberal rule, there is still an exodus. But we have the Doukhobors; and a varied assortment of the riff-raff of southern Europe is headed in this direction. Fortunately for Canada the conservatives opened up the northwest for development, and it is now getting a good many settlers of quite another kind. But in spite of the liberal government at Ottawa and the Tweedie-Pugsley combination in New Brunswick, the Globe says an increasing number of our people are finding homes under the American flag. It is time for a change.

FOR A NAVAL MILITIA.

A man will visit St. John tomorrow whose views should excite interest and earn support here as in all Canada. He is Mr. Hyatt, envoy of the Imperial Navy League, the object of which is to conserve and increase the supremacy of Britain on the seas. His present visit, it is understood, is to form a branch of the league, to urge the government toward the establishment of naval training ships for a naval militia force, and to awaken the public to the merits of the plan. The public should need but little awakening. The value of the suggestion should be patent to all men of the empire. True, there is little apparent need for such a force now. Canada contemplates no offensive warfare and need of defense—the Halifax Chronicle to the contrary—is not imminent. For emergencies we have the protection of the British fleet built and maintained by the English taxpayer. Not a cent's worth of expense is it all to us.

But, the littleness of it! We are never full grown. Except in this matter of defense by sea we are not dependent. Canada is of the empire, and Canadians not long ago showed that they were beginning to feel the responsibility that such a position must bring. But it was the Canadian people who forced the government to assent to the sending of those troops to South Africa, and Mr. Hyatt in that instance is showing wisdom in appealing to the navy to the people, if indeed that is the object of his visit. Should he awaken the interest he de-

sires, there is nothing to interfere with the carrying out of the scheme he advocates. We have a fairly well equipped and efficient militia land force. A naval militia should attract volunteers as freely and eventually prove a most valuable branch of that system of imperial defense toward which at present we contribute only an object.

In last evening's Globe Mr. W. H. Trueman has a sneer half a column long at Mr. W. Frank Hatheway, because the latter has publicly expressed his views on the anthracite coal strike. As a space writer Mr. Trueman does very well indeed. But he does not either endorse or controvert Mr. Hatheway's statements, which leads one to wonder why he wrote at all. There is no relation whatever between the anthracite coal strike and Mr. Hatheway's position as a candidate for the legislature. Mr. Hatheway has been offered and has accepted a nomination, and when the campaign begins he will no doubt be able to discuss the questions at issue with quite as much vigor as Mr. Trueman.

The proposition of the pastor of Rockefeller's church to admit members into the Baptist church without the ceremony of immersion will arouse a great controversy in that denomination. He does not wish to substitute another form of baptism but contends that the absence of a mere ceremony should not debar from Christian fellowship where the applicant has the spiritual qualifications. It is, in a way, a return to the old dispute between ritualism and essential religion. The Baptist church will certainly not consent, at least at present, to any such radical departure but the discussion on the question should be interesting.

An Italian paper wants the American prohibition of the immigration of illiterates held up, until the Italian emigrants can have time to educate themselves. Don't do it Uncle Sam. Classical music on a handorgan would be even worse than the present inflection of rag time.

It is on record that an anthracite miner has coughed up coal dust fifteen years after leaving the mines. A man who was known as a miner would be in close danger of dissection in most communities now-a-days.

COAL SITUATION.

All Signs Pointing to an Early Settlement.

SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 24.—The scenes of the strike settlement negotiations have suddenly shifted from this city to Washington and New York. Tomorrow the committee of nine of the independent operators expect to hold a conference with the presidents of the coal carrying roads regarding the position of the individual companies, and at the same time a meeting between Wayne MacVeagh and possibly other attorneys representing the coal roads, and President Mitchell and his attorneys will be held in the national capital. Scranton and the entire coal regions will, in the meantime, wait with considerable interest to hear what the Washington tomorrow instead of he making the journey to Scranton. Mr. Darrow said that Mr. MacVeagh did not tell him what he wanted the conference for, but he felt that Mr. MacVeagh would not summon them to the national capital if he were not of the with authority to carry on negotiations. Mr. Mitchell's party left at 4.35 p. m. and are due to arrive in Washington at 12.30 a. m.

The larger part of the committee of independent operators left for New York at 3.35 o'clock this afternoon. Others left earlier in the day.

Several of the resident attorneys of the large companies also went to New York for the purpose of conferring with the head officials of the corporations they represent. They pleaded ignorance as to any developments in the situation.

The outlook for a settlement is more hopeful than ever. Conversations with attorneys, coal operators and mine workers show that all are wearying of the strife and are willing to waive a point here and there in order to end uncertainty of the situation and restore peace and harmony to the community and the coal trade generally.

There is some talk here of having congress enact a law making a permanent board of arbitration of the coal strike commission, but nothing definite in this line was yet done.

TREASURE TROVE.

Young Wife—Am I your treasure, darling?

Young husband—You are indeed. I don't see how I had the luck to get you.

Young wife—Oh, well, you know mamma told me to that. It wasn't luck.—Chicago News.

Chronic constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price 35 cents. At drug-gists!

MARRIAGES.

SHERWOOD-WALSH.—At 181 Waterloo street, on the 24th Nov., by Rev. C. T. Phillips, James Sherwood and Sarah Walsh, both of St. John.

DEATHS.

GALLAGHER. In this city, on the 22nd inst., William J. Gallagher, aged 43 years, leaving two sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss.

THE NEW LINE

Across Canada From the Atlantic to the Pacific.

OTTAWA, Nov. 24.—Interest in the proposed extension of the Grand Trunk to the Pacific coast continues unabated. The Journal insists that if the dominion parliament grants a subsidy there must be a control of rates of the proposed route. Sir Sanford Fleming told your correspondent today that he advocated this route in a paper which he read before the Royal Colonial Institute in 1877. The first transcontinental line was then being surveyed, the survey being in the nature of a reconnaissance. Sir Sanford did not go over the mountains that year to Port Simpson, but several members of his party, including Prof. Macoun and Rev. Dr. Gordon, now principal of Queens, made the journey to the coast. Sir Sanford believes the Peace River pass to be quite feasible.

MONTREAL, Nov. 24.—There were no new developments today in regard to the decision of the Grand Trunk authorities to extend their line to the Pacific coast. A despatch from Toronto reported President MacKenzie of the Canadian Northern as saying that his company had no intention of selling out to the Grand Trunk, but that instead of selling they intend extending the road eastward to Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto.

TORONTO, Nov. 24.—President Wm. MacKenzie of the Canadian Northern railway today declared that his line had not been purchased by the Grand Trunk nor is it for sale. "We are standing on our own bottom," said Mr. MacKenzie. "We have built 1,500 miles and will build more. We propose stretching out east and west and intend to reach Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto in time. We also have the right of way in the Pine Creek and Yellow Head passes under the Edmonton and Yukon railway charter."

Prominent business men in this city interviewed today almost unanimously approve the Grand Trunk's transcontinental road and express the belief that there is plenty of room for another railway and that it will be a good thing for Canada in every respect.

ST. PETER'S Y. M. A.

Last evening the Y. M. A. of St. Peter's held their first social. Judging from the number present it was a great success. Every number given had to respond to an encore. President McElroy was in the chair while Dr. Broderick presided at the piano. The programme was as follows: F. O'Hara, piano solo; L. O'Hara, dance; J. Gerald Burke, declamation; P. Gleeson, club swinging; King and O'Hara, dance; Dr. Broderick, piano solo; F. O'Hara, solo; P. J. Hanlon, club exercise; Ed. Mahoney, solo; Wm. Murphy, declamation. The young men showed that they had the interest of their good work very much at heart. The enthusiasm showed their appreciation of the talents of their members. It was a pleasing sight this gathering of young men, all bound together with the common tie to interest and educate. The gathering came to a close by singing God Save the King.

TO ADVERTISERS.

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ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH GUILD.

The entertainment at St. Stephen's church Sunday school room last evening, under the auspices of the church guild, was in charge of the historical committee, and the subject was "Scottish Cathedrals." Papers were read as follows, and several of the gentlemen who took part told of personal visits to the cathedral which was the subject of their paper: Scottish Cathedrals, Dr. Murray MacLaren; St. Giles' Cathedral, Henry Page; Brechin Cathedral, Mr. Dolg; Dunkeld Cathedral, Peter Campbell; Inver Cathedral, Geo. M. Robertson; Glasgow and Elgin Cathedrals, Rev. W. W. Raimond.

BURGLARY IN NORTH END.

Some time Sunday night or early Monday, Komiensky's second-hand store on Main street was entered and four revolvers stolen. Nothing else was taken, as far as the proprietor can ascertain. When he opened the store Monday morning he missed the revolvers, and a careful examination of the premises showed that the fastening on a side door leading into a hallway had been tampered with. It is supposed that the thief opened the outer door leading into the hallway with a key, and locked it again when he went out, as it was securely fastened when the occupants got up in the morning. Evidently the burglar was not in any great hurry.

ST. DAVID'S Y. P. A.

Last evening the Young People's Association of St. David's church held its second meeting of the season. The meeting was under the care of the Biblical committee, S. R. Jack convener. After the usual devotional exercises and business, the following interesting, instructive and enjoyable programme was carried out: Quartette, by Misses Gunn, Munro, Messrs. Beaman and Gunn; paper, Women of the Bible, by Miss Murphy; solo, Mrs. F. Simpson; paper, Life of Moses, by Mrs. Thos. Barle; and a conference on the Instructions of the Bible, by A. Malcolm. The meeting closed with the benediction by Rev. Dr. Morrison.

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresoline tablets, 1/4 cent per box. All druggists.

QUEBEC, Nov. 24.—The Allan line steamship Sicilian, from Montreal for Liverpool, which sailed from Quebec this morning, struck a submerged wreck or a boulder when opposite Bellechasse, a few miles below the city. As the steamer began making water rapidly she at once returned to port. No. 1 hold is filled with water, while No. 3 is leaking badly. The cargo is being removed. The Sicilian's passengers have been forwarded by rail to St. John, N. B., whence they will sail in the Allan liner Bavarian.

Christmas Sale of Dress Goods

All New Styles and Fashionable Colorings,

including the much sought after Medium and Dark Grey Mixtures.

SIX THOUSAND YARDS

of these desirable goods are offered for sale in our Dress Goods Room. The assortment consists of 38, 40, 42 and 54 inch.

Plain and Fancy Costume Cloths and Zebelines—Prices 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 40c. and 50c. No samples given.

NOTE—The above comprises all of the above class of goods we shall have to offer at Reduced Prices during this season, and we anticipate a very quick sale. Intending purchasers will therefore be guided accordingly, by securing these wants early.

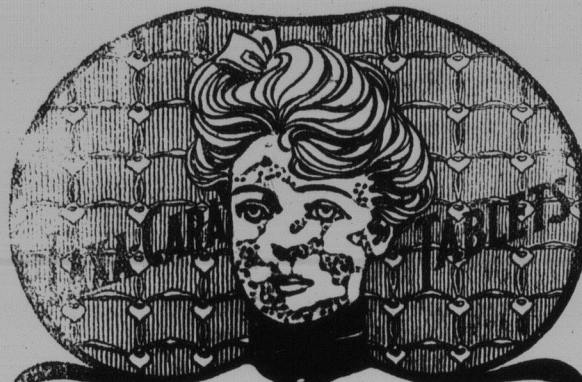
M. R. & A's Unrivalled \$10.00 Suits for Men.

Manchester Robertson & Allison
TO COUNTRY NEWSPAPERS
AND PRINTING OFFICES.

Owing to the purchase and installation of new plant, the undersigned will, in a few weeks, have the following articles for sale:

- 5 Imposing Stones with Stands.
- 1 Staple Binder.
- 1 Card Cutter.
- 2 Job Presses.
- 1 Counter, with 6 drawers, walnut top, 9½ feet long.

SUN PRINTING COMPANY,
St. John, N. B.



A BAD COMPLEXION

is but one of the sure signs of constipated bowels. Most any other ailment you may have is likely to be another sign. Constipation will destroy your system and produce any trouble in the category of diseases.

Laxa-Cara Tablets clear up bad complexion; clear up the inside of your body; put a stop to all the resultant from clogged bowels; get something but surely build up a strong, healthy intestinal canal. Laxa-Cara Tablets will not only relieve but effect a complete cure. They are a vegetable compound, put up in convenient, chocolate-coated tablets—pleasant to take—pleasant in operation.

BE CERTAIN A BARGAIN AT ALL DRUGGISTS IF THEY FAIL, YOUR MONEY BACK

FRANK WHEATON
FOLLYVILLE, N. S.
SOLE AGENT FOR CANADA

A MIGHTY HUNTER.

Kenneth McLeod, of Northeast Margaree, C. B., had a thrilling experience while on a hunt for caribou, at this place on Thursday last. He started out from his home early in the morning with a good sized old fashioned musket slung over his shoulder. There was a few inches of snow on the ground, and Mr. McLeod had not gone far when he came across bear tracks. He followed them for five or six hours, and then suddenly came across Bruin going up a hill a short distance away.

Mr. McLeod placed his gun to his shoulder and fired. The shot took effect and Bruin, with a yell of rage, rolled over and over, but he quickly regained his feet. Then, with a loud roar, he started for his intended victim. In the meantime McLeod commenced loading his gun. Onward came Bruin, and slowly the ramrod wedged the charge. The animal came thundering down the slope, and just in the nick of time the hunter again placed the musket to his shoulder and fired.

When the smoke cleared Bruin lay dead ten feet away, the shot having penetrated his heart. The animal measured eight feet in length, and is beyond doubt one of the largest ever killed in Cape Breton. Mr. McLeod will get eight dollars as a bounty.

A CONNOISSEUR.

"Papa," said the boy, "when you say in your advertisement that your goods are acknowledged by connoisseurs to be the best, what do you mean by connoisseurs?"

"A connoisseur, my boy," answered the great manufacturer, "is an eminent authority—an authority, in short, who admits that our goods are the best."

To cure a headache in ten minutes, use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

WHIMSICALITIES.

"I'm innocent, and I can prove it if you will give me time," whined the old offender.

"Three years," said the judge.—Baltimore American.

"Charlie, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I hope you will promise me never to gamble."

"What is your idea of gambling?"

"Betting your money and losing it," was the prompt reply.—Washington Star.

"One-half of the world," I say to my wise friend, "doesn't know how the other half lives."

"Then," concludes my wise friend with an air of deliberation, "one-half the world hasn't any neighbors.—Judge.

Johnny—I wish my folks would agree upon one thing and not keep me all the time in a worry. Tommy—"What have they been doing now?" Johnny—"Mother won't let me stand on my head, and dad is all the time fussing because I wear my shoes out so fast."—Boston Transcript.

Great—How does it happen that you charge more for boiled eggs than you do for scrambled eggs?

Dignified waiter—De eggs we bile cost more dan de eggs we scramble, sah.—Chicago Tribune.

You say that Arbiter's inventions have made several men millionaires, but did he ever make anything out of them?

"Oh, yes; he was singularly successful with his device in that respect. He made enough to perfect all of them."—Indianapolis News.

"Yes," said Mrs. Cornslossel, "the trust has broken up our son Josh."

"Did they crowd him out of business?"

"Yes, Josh says that a man with jess a million or two of dollars doesn't stand any show against the monopolists, an' he might as well quit savin' up his money.—Washington Star.

Dife—But why don't you want me to buy your needles any more?"

Husband—Well, er—I'd rather buy them myself than have you go to all that trouble.

Wife—But I like to do things for you.

Husband—Oh, in that case I'll let you look after the furnace this winter.—Chicago News.

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