

Mutt Wanted to Make Up For Lost Time Before The First .. By "Bud" Fisher



**OUR JANUARY OVER-COAT SALE**  
Starts Friday morning. On account of the very mild Fall we are left with too many ready overcoats. You'll save time, save money, prevent dissatisfaction by letting us in on your overcoat proposition. They're made of the best British and domestic cloths. Styles, correct, conservative or extreme. We consider the models this season touch closer to finest custom effects than ever before. See large advt.

**Gilmour's**  
68 King Street

**RIMLESS EYEGLASSES**  
The latest style with best Crystal Lenses. Sold everywhere for \$5. Our price \$2.75 for a limited time. Don't put it off—Come in today.

**K. W. EPSTEIN & CO.**  
OPTICIANS  
Opera Block - 193 Union St.  
OPEN EVENINGS TO 9 O'CLOCK

**TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION**  
FIRELESS cooked Ham, Head-Cheese, Fish Cakes, etc., Chow-Chow, White and Brown Bread, special Cakes.

**WOMAN'S EXCHANGE, Tea and Lunch Room**  
156 UNION STREET  
We know of a new house all improvements, TO LET in Carleton.

**GIRL WANTED**, family of three. Mrs. R. H. Murray, 254 Britannia.

**ELLIOTT HOTEL** has chance for few male boarders. 6009-1-22

**WANTED**—Experienced Stenographer. Apply Box 28, Times Office. 6975-1-14

**WANTED**—Two lady boarders, nice pleasant room. Address Box E. B. Times Office. 6014-1-10

**LUNCH Counter Girl** wanted; night work, 107 Charlotte street. 1905-tf

**BAKERS' Helper** wanted. Apply Main Bakery, Brussels street. 6010-1-9

**FOR SALE**—Upright Piano, Empire Typewriter, both in good condition. "M," P. O. Box 284, City. 6018-1-15

**LOST**—A Plain Gold Locket and Chain, via Queen, Charlotte and King streets. Finder kindly leave at 157 Queen street. 6017-1-10

**FOR SALE**—75 Germain street, Telephone 993; three upright glass cases with drawers, small square case, 2 round, 2 square tables, small counter, with drawers, No. 2 "Tidy" stove. Two burny gas hot plate. 5981-1-15

**FOR SALE**—A desirable self-contained dwelling, having basement with good furnace and three rooms; also front and back parlors, dining room, kitchen, fitted with hot water boiler, and one of the best localities in the city. Further particulars address J. I. office. 6015-1-22

**COMMERCIAL**  
NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Quotations furnished by private wires of J. C. Macintosh & Co., (members Montreal Stock Exchange), 88-90 Prince William street, St. John, N. B.  
Thursday, Jan. 8, 1914.

	Yesterday's Closing	Noon	Opening
Am Copper	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Am Car & Fdry	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Am Can Fr	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Am Can Fr	101	101	101
Am Cot Oil	38	38	38
Am Locomotive	88	88	88
Am Sm & Ref	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Am Sugar	107 1/2	106 1/2	106
Am Copper	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Admission	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
Balt & Ohio	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
B. R. T.	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
C. P. R.	206 1/2	206 1/2	206 1/2
Ches & Ohio	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Cent Leather	28	28	28
Chic & St Paul	100 1/2	101 1/2	101
Chic & N West	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
Col Fuel & Iron	80	80 1/2	81
Chino Copper	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Con Gas	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2
Enle	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Gr Nor Frd. D.	127 1/2	126	126
Intl Harvester	108 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2
Ill Cent	107	109	109
Int Met	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Miss Pac	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
N Y Cent	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Nor Pac	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Nor & West.	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
New Haven	77	76	75 1/2
Penn	110	110	110
Pr Steel Car	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Reading	169 1/2	169 1/2	170
So Pac	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Soo	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
Sou Ry	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Utah Copper	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Un Pac	108 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2
U S Rubber	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
U S Steel	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
U S Steel Pfd	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Virginia Chem	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Western Union	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
West Electric	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Sales—11 a. m.	126.100		
Sales—12 noon	164.100		

**Chicago Grain and Produce Market**  
Wheat—May 91 1/2, 91 1/2, 91 1/2; July 87 1/2, 87 1/2, 87 1/2.  
Corn—May 66 1/2, 66 1/2, 66 1/2; July 64 1/2, 64 1/2, 64 1/2.  
Oats—May 39 1/2, 39 1/2, 39 1/2; July 38 1/2, 38 1/2, 38 1/2.  
Port—May 20.87, 20.87, 20.87; July 20.85, 20.85, 20.85.

**New York Cotton Market.**  
January 11.81, 11.80, 11.78; March 12.15, 12.13, 12.12; May 12.04, 12.02, 12.01; July 12.00, 11.97, 11.96; October 11.48, 11.45, 11.44.

**Montreal Morning Transactions**  
(J. M. Robinson & Sons' private wire telegram.)

Brazil	82 1/2	82 1/2
C. P. R.	206 1/2	206 1/2
Can Cottons	81	81
Cement	28 1/2	28 1/2
Crown Reserve	165	170
Can Car Foundry	28	27
Detroit	70	71
Dom Iron	39 1/2	39 1/2
Laurentide	166	167
McDonald	18	18 1/2
Montreal Cottons	81	81
Ottawa Power	161	161 1/2
Pennmans	51	51
Montreal Power	214 1/2	214 1/2
Quebec Ry	12 1/2	13
Richelleu	111	111 1/2
Ames	6 1/2	6 1/2
Scotia	78 1/2	78 1/2
Shawinigan	180	182
Sherwin Williams	83	83
Soo	128 1/2	128 1/2
Steel Co of Canada	17 1/2	17 1/2
Textile	81 1/2	82
Tickets	85 1/2	85 1/2
Toronto Ry	138 1/2	138 1/2
Lake of Woods	127	128
Winnipeg Ele	198	198
Can Cottons Pfd	78	75
Cement Pfd	90 1/2	91 1/2
Can Car Pfd	108	108
Iron Pfd	92 1/2	93 1/2
Illinois Pfd	90	90
Montreal Cottons Pfd	100	100
Ames Pfd	60	62

**PARTINGTON MILL**  
The new conveyor which connects the Partington Pulp and Paper mill, Fairville, with their warehouse was in operation yesterday but it was found that the chain was too tight and operations were stopped until a new chain could be installed. The work is being rushed so that the conveyor may be used again tomorrow.

**WE ADAPT LENSES THAT WILL INSURE BEST VISION**

**D. BOYANER OPTICIAN**  
38 Dock St. 111 Charlotte St.  
Charlotte St. Store Open Till 9 P. M.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Edna McCormick left this week for Halifax to study at Mount St. Vincent Academy.  
Rev. C. Sterling, of McAdam Junction has accepted a call to become pastor of the First Baptist church in Calais and will assume the work Jan. 18th.  
E. C. Elkin returned home this morning on the Boston train.  
The condition of Hon. Robert Maxwell, merchant of North End, will regret to learn that he is quite ill at his home in Main street.  
The condition of Hon. Robert Maxwell, deputy receiver general, who has been ill for some weeks, is reported to be but little changed.  
Charles B. Wallace of the North End left last evening for Quebec where he will take a course in gunnery at the military training school.  
Northern Light, Bathurst: Miss Kathleen Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sutton, who recently resigned her school in Richmond, left for Campbellton Sunday, where she is to teach in the Convent school.  
The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Johnston are giving them a warm welcome back to Bathurst where they arrived this week. Mr. Johnston was accompanied with Adams, Burns & Co. Ltd. for the seven years they did business in Bathurst and is again going to make Bathurst his home. Mrs. Frank D. T. Johnston and children of Winnipeg, who were formerly Miss Annie DesBrisay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Normand DesBrisay, have arrived in Bathurst to spend a month with her parents, Calais Times.  
Charles H. Clarke is confined to the house by illness having had a very serious ill turn on Saturday.

**CONDENSED DESPATCHES**

The Car has purchased for the Hermitage Museum, the painting "Madonna with the Flower," attributed to Da Vinci. The price was \$75,000. Experts are divided regarding it being one of Da Vinci's works.  
The death of Joseph Campitello, a popular Berlin actor was followed yesterday by that of Julius Freund, his closest friend, and a well known writer of musical comedy librettos.  
The Colorado state penitentiary at Con City is to have a great improvement inside the walls. There will be a grand stand for spectators, principally convicts.  
The call for a general railroad strike in South Africa has not yet met a full response.

**TO HUNT BROWN TAIL MOTHS**

Stanley Titus, of Kings county, left yesterday for St. Stephen to join the provincial government's survey party in search of brown tail moths.

**BIRTHS**

**BROWNELL**—To the wife of W. W. Brownell, Raynes avenue, Fairville, Sunday, January 4, a son.

**DEATHS**

**WATTERS**—In this city, on the 7th inst., Lucy, widow of the late Charles Watters, in the 71st year of her age, leaving three sons and three daughters, three brothers and two sisters to mourn. Funeral from her late residence, 12 Watson street, West End, on Friday at 2.30 p.m.

**SEEDS**—In this city, January 7, Elizabeth G., widow of Thomas W. G., leaving one son and two daughters. Funeral Friday from Trinity church, at 8 p.m.

**ESTABLISHMENT**—In this city, on the 7th inst., George Judson Estabrook. Funeral from his late residence, 5 Elliott Row, on Friday, the 9th inst. at 2.30 p.m., where service will be held. Interment at Fernhill.

**LOCAL NEWS**

"Chalet" beginners class opens tonight.  
Miss Sherwood will open on Monday 12th, dancing class for married people and friends. If interested call 2770-11.

**NOTICE**  
Phone 2770, one of a commission since Saturday is in use again.  
Our prices, though always low enough, will be still lower during our semi-annual sale of shoes and furnishings, commencing tomorrow. — Wiesel's, corner Union and Brussels streets.  
Come early, 8 a.m., to Wiesel's big semi-annual sale of shoes, clothing and furnishings.

**RECOVERED**  
Frank Butler of Main street, Fairville, who broke his wrist last week has recovered sufficiently to allow him to be out again.  
**HELPS THE SPORT**  
Large crowds are enjoying the skating on Lily Lake and are very grateful to M. E. Agar, commissioner of Public Works who has had the ice cleared of snow for thirty feet from the shore all the way round the lake.

**GRAND "ROYAL GEORGE" CONCERT**  
In the Evening, Institute Hall on Wednesday, January 12, at eight. Admission 25 cents. Come early.

**WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB**  
First popular illustrated lecture under auspices of the Women's Canadian Club will be given in the High School Hall tomorrow night. Subject "Egypt" by Mrs. John McArthur. Admission free; everybody welcome.

Our humping sale is humping all the time, because we are giving values in reasonable goods like these:— Child's rubbers, 48c.; girls' rubbers, 48c.; women's rubbers, 88c.; boys' rubbers, 68c.; men's rubbers, 98c. overalls, 88c. Store open evenings—C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets.

**IMPERIAL THEATRE TONIGHT**  
Tonight's programme, at the Imperial will be entirely new, headed by the two-part Kaleidoscope, "The Man Who Vanished." This is a stringently realistic play by a well known magazine writer and in the acting of it Carlyle Blackwell assumes the leading role. A lock-vault mystery and dynamite explosion are two forcible incidents in the story. Pathé's Weekly and a brilliant little comedy number conclude the pictures. Mr. Vellieu and orchestra. Another new programme for Friday and Saturday.

**A BIG SALE, SAMPLES WHITE-WEAR**  
An interesting event at the January whitewear sale, a sale of about 2,500 samples, to commence on Saturday and be continued Monday, until all are picked up. F. W. Daniel & Company have secured a manufacturer's sample line, all dainty garments perfectly fresh and new which are to be sold practically at factory prices. These goods are now here and are being prepared for sale on Saturday. Real bargains may be expected. The line includes samples of the following:—Gowns, corset covers, drawers, undershirts, combinations, princess slips, aprons, as well as infants' children's and girls' white dresses.

**C. M. B. A. OFFICERS**  
At a meeting of Branch 138, C. M. B. A., last evening in the rooms in Carleton, the following officers were elected:—President, J. J. Walsh with the assistance of other members from branch 138 installed the following officers:—

Chancellor, T. Morrissey; president, J. Frank Owens; first vice, A. Goldie; second vice, D. O'Grady; recording secretary, J. B. Cormier; assistant, George Quinn; financial secretary, M. Morrissey; treasurer, C. E. Haley; guard, T. E. McGinnis; marshal, James Sullivan. Rev. J. J. O'Donovan is spiritual director and the trustees are Father O'Donovan, Thomas J. Fitzgerald and T. Donovan.

**TROUBLE FOR A WHILE**  
During the landing of the passengers from the Royal George yesterday a clash occurred between some of the local cab drivers and several of the immigration officials. The immigration men say the drivers were soliciting passengers from the boat for the Union Depot, which is about a minute's walk from the pier where the steamer docked, and when the officials remonstrated, the cabbies, they say, used very strong language. The matter was finally adjusted peacefully.

**SUMMERIDE FARMER**—The island government will receive \$37,000 from fox axes this year. Prices show no sign of decline, options for this year being sold at from \$12,000 to \$14,000 per pair, and the year will probably see mergers of important ranches. Last week options were taken on several companies aggregating a capitalization of about a third of a million. A prominent Halifax promoter has left for England to finance the merger.

**CANADA'S EMBARGO AGAINST POTATOES FROM UNITED STATES**

(Special to Times)  
Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 8.—The Canadian government will proclaim an embargo against American potatoes within a few days. On both sides of the line potatoes have been attacked by powdery mildew.

The United States has forbidden the admission of Canadian potatoes, and the Canadian government proposes to treat American potatoes in the same way. The diseases prevail in the potato fields of Maine and New Brunswick, and to some extent in Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Quebec.

The American embargo is general against Canada, and the Canadian embargo will probably be of the same character. However, lots of Canadian potatoes which have been inspected and certified as clean, can be sent to the United States. Canada will do the same thing, and eventually, it is believed, that the embargo on both sides will be restricted to the east.

In Canada an exemption will be made to allow new potatoes to be brought in to Canada, as they cannot spread the disease. On both sides of the line efforts are being made to stamp out the disease through planting only clean seed. The disease will probably be eradicated within a short time.

**MATTER OF SACKVILLE**  
**ELECTRIC RATES BEING HEARD AGAIN TODAY**

The hearing in connection with the application of the Eastern Electric and Power Co. Ltd., Sackville, for permission to increase their rates was resumed this morning before the New Brunswick Public Utilities Commission. The chairman, G. D. O'Connell, presided and those present included Commissioners A. B. Connell, Woodstock and Felix Michaud, Bouchette; Secretary F. P. Robinson; Frederick H. Trites, Sackville, and J. B. M. Baxter, St. John, counsel for the company; A. B. Copp, Sackville, Dr. J. M. Palmer on behalf of the Mount Allison institutions, Sackville; K. P. Pickard, Sackville, secretary of the company; P. F. Blanchet, St. John, a member of the board of directors; and Mr. Wood of Sackville.

The only witness this morning was Mr. Pickard who was examined by Messrs. Baxter and Trites and cross-examined by Mr. Copp regarding the financial affairs of the company. The commission adjourned at one o'clock for lunch and resumed at two-thirty with Mr. Pickard again on the stand.

**WERE ALL DAY AT IT**  
It was somewhat of a revival of pioneer conditions yesterday in the Fairville court house during a civil case presided over by Justice Masson between James E. Shepherd and Charles T. Dean, both of Musquash. The witnesses, including the plaintiff and defendant, had driven to the city early in the morning, leaving home about five o'clock, and up to 8.30 o'clock last evening when the taking of evidence was finished, some of them had had nothing to eat.

The court opened at 10 a.m. and adjourned for a short time at noon, resuming and sitting again until 8.30 o'clock in the evening. The noon-hour for one of the parties at least was spent in procuring a lawyer. The whole dispute was over a bill of goods sold and delivered. Evidence was given by Wm. J. Dean and the defendant in the latter's behalf and by the plaintiff and his wife on the other side, and at times things were breezy. L. A. Conlon appeared for the defendant, and the case was adjourned for argument and a decision.

**GLADSTONE SLEIGH AND 2 BLACK FUR ROBES BY AUCTION**  
I am instructed to sell by auction on Saturday morning, the 10th inst., at 11 o'clock, 1 Gladstone sleigh and two black fur robes.

**F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.**

**MATRESSES, MATRESSES**  
A consignment of new mattresses from factory at private sale cheap at our

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**WIEZEL'S SEMI-ANNUAL Clearance Sale**

OF SHOES, CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

BEGINS TOMORROW, 9 A. M.

The Headline Tells the Story

Beyond this we wish to inform you that we hold these clearance sales twice a year—and when we do hold them we cut prices with a relentless hand!

Consider:

**MEN'S OVERCOATS**—That are well worth \$8.50, \$10.00 or \$15.00, can be bought now for \$4.98 or \$9.85

**BOYS' OVERCOATS**—That were \$2.50, \$3.45 or \$5.50, are now \$1.69, \$2.28 or \$3.68

**OUR MEN'S LINE OF WATERPROOF SHOES**—That were priced at \$2.75, \$3.35, \$4.50 or \$5.50, can be bought now for \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98 or \$3.68

All our **BOYS' GIRLS' and CHILDREN'S SHOES**, though always low enough, at 98c., \$1.25, \$1.48, \$2.25 or \$2.45, can be bought during this sale for 75c., 98c., \$1.28, \$1.48 or \$1.98

How Can You Stay Away? How Can You? How Can You?

**WIEZEL'S CASH STORE**  
Union Street -- Corner Brussels

**DOMINION LODGE OFFICERS**  
At meeting of Dominion Lodge, No. 17, L. O. B. A., in their hall, Simonds street, last evening, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year:—

Coastwise—Stmr Cannors Bros, 64, Wernack, Chancer Harbor.

**LATE SHIPPING**  
Arrived Today  
Stmr Marina, 3321, Brown, Glasgow, Robt Reford Co, pass and general freight.

Cleared Today  
Stmr Calvin Austin, 2353, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports, A E Fleming, pass and mds.

**G. FRED FISHER TO BE CHAIRMAN**  
J. R. Stone, representing the steamship companies, and J. E. Moore, representing the men, have agreed upon G. Fred Fisher as the third member and chairman of the board of conciliation to deal with the marine warehouse checkers' demands for increased wages. The recommendation for the appointment of Mr. Fisher has been forwarded to Ottawa but his appointment has not yet been confirmed.

**A TEMPERANCE CAMPAIGN**  
At a meeting of the executive of the New Brunswick Branch of the Dominion Alliance held recently in St. John, it was agreed to hold a conference of delegates appointed by the different churches, temperance organizations, brotherhoods, Bible classes, Sunday schools, etc., in the city, to discuss the temperance situation in St. John, and to organize a branch of the alliance to carry on reform work there. After the branch of the alliance has been formed it is hoped to agree upon some definite plan of campaign toward the cutting off of liquor licenses in the city.

Partially all the arms and ammunition stole from the Kingston Smith Arms Co. has been received and four arrests have been made.