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**DRESSES THAT WERE**

50 and 55c.	NOW	38c.
75, 85, 95c.	"	58c.
\$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25	"	78c.
\$1.45, \$1.50, \$1.60, \$1.75,	"	\$1.08
\$2.25, \$2.75	"	\$1.78

**S. W. McMackin**  
 335 Main Street

**LOCAL NEWS**

**ALLAN LINERS**  
 Allan liner S. Scotlan from Havre and London is due at Quebec tonight and at Montreal on Sunday.  
 Allan liner Grampian from Glasgow, was expected to reach Quebec this forenoon and Montreal on Sunday morning.

**TO STUDY NURSING**  
 Miss Vera Earle who has been telephone operator with the Times-Telegraph Publishing Co. for some time past, severed her connection with the company today and her departure causes much regret amongst her associates on the staff, by whom she was very well liked. She will leave next week for Providence, R. I., where she will study nursing.

**DEATH OF MRS. ELIZABETH JAY**  
 The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Jay widow of William Jay, occurred on Friday at the home of her son, William Searle, 557 Main street. Mrs. Jay, who was eighty-five years of age was a native of Cambridge, England, and came to St. John about five years ago to make her home with her son. The funeral service will be held at Mr. Searle's residence on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock and the funeral will take place at 2:30 o'clock.

**FUNERAL TODAY**  
 The funeral of Daniel J. Collins was conducted this morning, the body being taken on the Eastern Steamship Company's steamer to Boston, where interment will be made. Services were conducted yesterday afternoon at St. Rose's church by Rev. Charles Collins, pastor.

The funeral of John Power was held this morning at ten o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Mullin, 182 Waterloo street to the Cathedral. Rev. M. O'Brien officiated at the services and interment was at Black River. A large number of friends attended the funeral.

**MRS. G. L. PECK DEAD**  
 After an illness lasting for some time Mrs. E. Isabelle Annie Peck died this morning at her home, 40 St. Andrews street. She was only twenty-six years of age and was the wife of G. Leonard Peck and daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Calder. Many friends will learn with sincere regret of her death. Besides her husband she is survived by two small children, two sisters, Mrs. W. Johnson, and Mrs. Samuel Worth of this city and one brother, William of Vancouver. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home in St. Andrews street.

**AT THORNE LODGE**  
 At a meeting of Thorne Lodge last evening in their rooms, Haymarket Square, E. N. Stockford, Grand Chief Templar, was welcomed home after the recent convention at the Narrows, and was congratulated upon his election. Arthur Cook presided. There was a large attendance, among them present being Grand Secretary J. E. Milton, A. Morrell and J. E. Vanbuskirk, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hawkins of Montreal. Each of these gave short addresses and John Beamish gave an address on the history of the association since its infancy.

**GOVERNOR WOOD WILL  
 ATTEND THE OPENING**

His Honor Accepts Invitation of Joint Committee on New Theatre Performance for Orphans—Other Letters

Hon. Josiah Wood, Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick, has accepted the invitation of the joint committee in charge to be present at the opening performance in the new Imperial Theatre, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the orphans. His Honor writes that he will be pleased to be present provided the date does not conflict with his other public duties.

The following letters also have been received by the secretary of the committee:

St. John, N. B.,  
 July 31st, 1913.  
 Frank I. McCafferty, Esq.,  
 Sec'y Committee Imperial Theatre,  
 City.

Dear Mr. McCafferty—

On behalf of our directors, before whom I placed your letter of the 28th inst., I have much pleasure in accepting the very generous offer of Messrs. Keith & Albee to divide the proceeds of the opening entertainment in the new Imperial Theatre between the Protestant and Catholic Orphanages in this city.

Speaking especially on behalf of the Protestant Orphans' Home the offer comes at a most opportune time as we are in greater need of money than for some time past, our receipts last year having fallen short of the year previous and our expenditures having been more owing to the larger number of children we cared for.

We must thank you also for your personal interest in the matter as shown by your taking the Secretaryship of the Committee having the entertainment in hand.

Faithfully yours,  
 (Sgd.) T. H. ESTABROOKS,  
 C. P. President.

St. Vincent's Convent,  
 St. John, July 30th, 1913.  
 Mr. Frank I. McCafferty,  
 Evening Times Office,  
 City.

Dear Sir—

Your favor of the 28th inst., informing me of the generous offer of Messrs. Keith & Albee—to give the orphans the benefit of their opening entertainment—has been received, and in reply, I beg to extend these gentlemen my most cordial thanks and appreciation for their generosity and charity, and assure them of my most grateful acceptance on behalf of the orphans.

Gratefully yours,  
 (Sgd.) MOTHER MARY THOMAS,  
 Gen. Supt.

The committee is sending out today and will send out at the first of the week invitations to prominent local talent asking them to cooperate.

**EXCAVATING FOR NEW  
 POST OFFICE GOING  
 ALONG VERY RAPIDLY**

Some of the Material Being Used For Concrete, the Rest for New Wharf Cab Filling

Rapid progress has been made on the work of excavating the site for the new post office in Prince William street during the last six weeks since the job has been under the direction of Robert F. Campbell. From July 12 to the end of the month the amount of material removed equalled that taken out during the full month before and the excavation this month will almost equal the entire amount of work done during the first part of the summer.

The difficult work of excavating to the line of the Seaman's Institute property, where the cut is six to eight feet lower than the foundations of the latter building, has been accomplished without even loosening the cement in the adjoining rock foundation.

The progress has been so rapid that the contractors will soon be able to commence the work of constructing the concrete foundations for the new building. For this purpose a large part of the material excavated will be used. The better grade of stone has been hauled to the Canterbury street side of the lot and a stone crusher placed in position to convert the stone into material for concrete. The balance of the material excavated, which was not suitable for concrete, is being taken to Sand Point and used there as filling for the cribs on the new government wharf.

**ST. JOHN'S LESSON FROM  
 HOUSING IN AMHERST**

Letter From W. M. Jarvis on The Question of the Three Decker

To the Editor of the Evening Times:  
 Sir—Will you allow me to express briefly my views with regard to the reasons put forward by the Builders' exchange in favor of the erection of three story wooden buildings in this city.

It may be in the interests of these gentlemen to state that three family wooden buildings are no more unhealthy than a three family brick house, which I doubt is true—if anyone proposed the erection of a brick tenement of the kind which is unlikely to put forward the other reasons they give; but can anyone fairly claim that it is preferable that three or more families should be crowded into a three story tenement house rather than that each family should have its own home with it may be, a few flowers growing in a little garden to interest the mother and her children, which is far better for the mother if they could be cultivated even in a border at the cottage home?

I have just returned from Amherst, N. S. where each busy workman has his cottage home and the three story tenement is almost unknown. It is the generally in our country towns. Why should St. John continue an exception? Is it that our people love to crowd together the children brought in contact with others who may not always be desirable companions—without privacy, without the comforts of the cottage home. Or is it that the selfishness of land owners and house owners and the house builders compels the development with us of the tenement system—a little money being made or saved and health and perhaps I should add even morality sacrificed as the result?

I am not writing from the standpoint of the insurance agent. His interests are rather in the perpetuation of the three story tenement system. It cannot but have its influence in maintaining and even increasing the rates of insurance, in fixing the rates on dwellings all schedules provide for an additional charge for each family they contain. Conflagration hazard also is allowed for. The more rate paid the more premium does the agent collect and the more commission does he receive. I am, dear Sir,

Yours truly,  
 W. M. JARVIS.  
 St. John, N. B.,  
 22nd Aug. 1913.

**THE RURAL GENTLEMAN,  
 THE ELUSIVE BOTTLES  
 AND THE MISSED TRAIN**

"It never rains but it pours," might be an appropriate way to describe a little incident which took place at the Union Depot on Thursday.

Three rural gentlemen who had evidently been enjoying a quiet celebration in the city were returning to the station a little while before the five train pulled out. Each carried a suspicious looking parcel wrapped in brown paper. It was very near train time and they were hurrying with all speed when suddenly a black bottle shot forth from its paper covering and fell with a crash to the pavement. The unfortunate's companions thought it a huge joke and laughed loud and long until suddenly remembering their train all started off with a rush again. They had scarcely gone five steps when a second black bottle eluded its chuckling owner and to his consternation fell with another loud bang.

This was the end for the other fellow to laugh and he and the third man did so with hilarious enjoyment. Suddenly the thought struck them that all this would not do much to quench their thirst in the evening and they became very sober. A minute they looked at the puffing train about to leave, a minute at the sign down the street, then all suddenly turned and dashed for the sign. Hardly had they passed the door when the conductor's chery "all aboard" sounded and the train pulled out. Their remarks on their return are not recorded.

**THEIR CHILD DEAD**  
 Friends will extend deep sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. O'Connell of 20 Castle street in the loss of their infant son, Francis J., aged six months.

Store closes tonight at 11 o'clock

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AUGUST 23, '13

**Smart Styles in Boys' Clothing  
 How About That School  
 Suit?**

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Boys' who wear Oak Hall clothes are right up to the day in style—parents need but to please themselves and the boy as to materials, and may rest assured that the style is correct and that the fit will be carefully seen to before the sale is consummated.

Russian Suits, 2 1/2 to 7 years, ..... \$3.75 to \$ 6.50  
 Bloomer Sailor Suits, 6 to 10 years, ..... 3.50 to 7.00  
 Plain Sailor Suits, 4 to 9 years, ..... 1.50 to 3.00  
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 D. B. Norfolk Bloomer Suits, 11 to 17 years, ..... 9.00 to 13.00  
 Special School Reefers in Navy Cheviot, 3 to 10 years, ..... 3.75

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