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APPRECIATION

of the Heintzman & Co., Pianos is strongest where musical values are best understood.

We also carry in stock a good assortment of Worm-with & Co., Pianos both of which we are sole agents for New Brunswick.

We also have a few used Pianos and Organs which we are selling at greatly reduced prices to clear while they last.

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co.
 53 Germain Street
 Royal Hotel Block - ST. JOHN, N. B.

SON AND HEIR FOR LATE COL. ASTOR WAS BORN TODAY

Father's Fate and Fortune Lends Interest to Event - Has Estate of \$3,000,000 From Moment of Birth

New York, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Madeline Astor, survivor of the Titanic disaster in which her husband, the late Colonel John Jacob Astor lost his life, gave birth to a son at 8:10 o'clock this morning. The new arrival has been named John Jacob Astor after his father. The baby becomes a direct heir to \$3,000,000 of the Astor fortune. The fact that its father proved himself a hero in the Titanic disaster, by stepping aside to let women and children take places in lifeboats, and that the wife from whom he then parted was his bride of but a few months, coupled with the large fortune which was provided for a posthumous child, have lent unusual interest to the arrival of the youngest Astor. The new Astor baby will be one of the few children ever born with a fortune as large as \$3,000,000 in its own right. Col. Astor had provided that whether the child was a boy or girl, it should receive the same sum, and even if the astork brought more than one child, Col. Astor's will also covered that contingency, as it reads as follows: "I bequeath such number of separate sums of \$3,000,000 each as shall be equal to the number of my children who shall survive me other than my son William Vincent Astor and my daughter Ava Muriel Astor."

The latter children are by Col. Astor's first wife, Mrs. Ava Willing Astor.

NEW WING WILL BE OFFICIALLY OPENED TOMORROW

Addition to Home of Good Shepherd Will be Dedicated With Appropriate Ceremonies

The new wing of the Home of the Good Shepherd will be officially opened tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The occasion will be fitting as it marks the nineteenth anniversary of the Order of the Good Shepherd though the two coming together is a coincidence.

The order has been always to the front in works of charity and to such an extent has their work increased that the new wing has been made necessary.

His Lordship Bishop Casey will preside and the Catholic clergy of the city will be present including, the Redeemptorist Fathers of St. Peter's church, north end. His Worship, Mayor Frink, and the city commissioners, have been invited to be present and take part in the ceremonies. It is also possible that the children, about 100 in number, will have a part in the programme. His Lordship Bishop Casey will invoke a solemn blessing and there will be Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel.

The new building was started about a year ago. The first floor will be used for the laundry and in the second floor will be the classrooms and dormitory. The top story is not finished as the Sisters have not the requisite funds.

NEW STEAM SHOVEL FOR COURTENAY BAY

More Machinery on the Way—Will Add Four Hundred Workmen to the Force

Within the next week a new ninety-ton steam shovel, similar in style to that used by the Contracting and Construction Company, in their construction work in East St. John, will arrive from Grand Falls. With the arrival of this and the employment of a hundred and fifty new hands, rapid progress will be noticed in the work.

Besides the large steam shovel and the crane, there are several other large pieces of machinery, used for various purposes now on the premises. In a month's time it is expected that a great deal more machinery of the heavier type will arrive and that four hundred more men will be employed to handle them.

CHILDREN REHEARSE FOR WELCOME TO DUKE OF CONNAUGHT

About four hundred pupils of the public schools assembled in the High School this morning and rehearsed the songs and organized the programme to take place next Monday, when His Highness the Duke of Connaught, for a good part of the morning, will be in the city. The programme includes "O Canada," and "God Save the King."

On account of the St. Peter's church picnic being held today, a great number of the school children of the North End were not in attendance.

In the west side, two hundred and fifty children assembled and went through the entire order of preparation.

Speaking of the matter this morning, Superintendent Bridges said that, in all, a thousand or more children will arrive and be placed in line on Monday. This will make a splendid turnout if the weather man will be good enough to spare a fine day for the event.

WEDDINGS

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, when Miss Florence Frances Murray, of Fredericton, and Andrew Bryce, of Glasgow, Scotland, now living in St. John, were united in marriage by Rev. J. C. Wilson. Miss Sadie Agnew, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Wm. Lee Rossignol was groomsmen. The groom's present to the bride was a pearl pendant and to the bridesmaid a gold bracelet. Mr. Leonard Murray of St. John, brother of the bride, presented her with a silver tea service. Mr. and Mrs. Bryce left by C. P. R. on a tour which will include Montreal and other Canadian cities. They will reside in St. John.

FUNERALS

The body of Mrs. Margaret Finen, who was killed in an accident in New Hampshire a few days ago, was brought to the city this morning on the Boston train, accompanied by Rev. John E. Finen, Thomas Finen, sons of the deceased, and Mrs. Margaret McAvoy. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2:30 from St. Patrick's undertaking rooms to the cathedral, where service was conducted by Rev. J. J. Conway. Interment was in the New Catholic Cemetery. The pall bearers were John Flood, Michael Potter, Peter Sharkey, John O'Neil, William Scully and James Lee.

ANOTHER SHERMAN GRAY

Those who have read of the recent tragedy in Carmel, Maine, will be interested in the following letter which The Times has received from Sherman B. Gray, of Portage, Maine.

I was surprised to learn that the people of St. John should get me mixed up with that murder in Carmel, as Carmel is some twenty or twenty-six miles southwest of Bangor and Portage is 200 miles or more north of Bangor.

I wish to state through your paper that I, Sherman B. Gray, formerly of St. John and son of the late Walter Gray, of Campbellton, N. B. am not the Sherman Gray connected with the murder case in Carmel. Thanking you for your valuable space, I remain, your truly,

SHERMAN B. GRAY.
 Portage, Maine, Aug. 12, 1912.
 P. S.—Aroostook County and Campbellton papers please copy.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH PICNIC

The boys and girls of St. Peter's church Sunday school turned out in full force this morning to attend their annual picnic. Nearly a thousand children were in line, and accompanied by the teachers and Rev. A. J. Duke, C.S.S.R., rector of the church, and headed by the City Cornet Band, they presented a splendid appearance.

The children formed up in front of St. Peter's church, the girls all dressed in white, about nine o'clock, and prepared for the procession. They marched along Main street and into Mill to the depot. There they took the picnic train and, accompanied by their parents, went to the grounds at Torryburn.

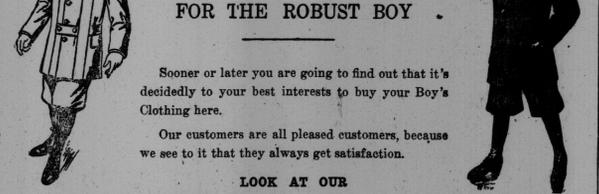
Hundreds more left on the afternoon trains. The band accompanied the picnickers to the grounds.

BORDEN SAILS AUG. 30

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—(Special)—Hon. Geo. H. Borden, acting premier, has received a telegram from Premier Borden saying that he and his colleagues will sail for home on August 30. They are expected to arrive here not later than September 10.

Store closes evenings 6 p. m. Saturdays 11 p. m.

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4.00 Trousers, reduced to 3.10	5.00 Trousers, reduced to 4.15
6.00 Trousers, reduced to 4.85	7.00 Trousers, reduced to 5.90

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AFTERWARDS

After our great clearance Sale, we find ourselves left with 156 Men's Suits. This lot is very much broken in sizes, but there are plenty of all sizes in the lot. To make a final clearance of these we have decided to divide them into 3 lots. We quote only 3 Prices.

Lot No. 1 All \$20 to \$25 Suits for \$15.00	Lot No. 2 All \$15 to \$18 Suits for \$10.00	Lot No. 3 All \$8 to \$10 Suits for \$5.00
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Regular Prices from \$4.50 to \$12.00. Sale Prices \$2.75 to \$6.00.

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