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Before 2 p. m.
And it will appear the
same day.

Shops You Ought To Know!

Designed to Place Before Our Readers The Merchandise,
Craftsmanship and Service Offered By Shops
And Specialty Stores.

BARGAINS

EIGHT Children's Coats, were \$2.50, now \$1.50; 17 Children's Coats, were \$3.50, now \$2.00; sizes 8 to 12; 10 ladies' coats, latest styles, were \$13.50, now \$8.00. J. Morgan Co., 699-633 Main street.

LADIES HEAVY CLOTH Showers, proof Coats, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$8.00. Arnold's Department store, 68-65 Charlotte street.

BOOT MAKING & REPAIRING

WHILE YOU read the morning news, we will sole and heel your shoes. W. Brindle, Quick Repairs, 227 Union street, 161-21.

When you want a good neat repair job done on those dress shoes, take them to F. B. Young, 203 Charlotte street.

WHILE YOU WAIT by Champion

Shoe Repairing Outfit, Fitzgerald, 85 Dock street.

COAL AND WOOD

COAL by load, barrel or ton. Sold by L. Davidson, 44 Brunsell. Tel. Main 1345-31. 11-5-1914.

ORDERS taken for Scotch Coal delivered the latter part of October and November. James S. McGivern, 4 Mill street, Tel. 42.

CHIROPODISTS

CORN, Bunions, Ingrowing Nails, Calluses, treated painlessly. L. M. Hill, 8 King square. Tel. 397-31.

ENGRAVERS

F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 59 Water street. Telephone 982.

EDUCATIONAL

NIGHT SCHOOL now open, room for a few more pupils. J. Mitchell, 20 Clarence street; afternoon lessons also given. 1714-17.

FEATHER BEDS

MADE into folding Feather Mattresses. Most modern system of cleaning, completely destroying all germs. Canadian Feather Mattress Co., 247 Brunsell.

HAIRDRESSING

MISS McGRATH, 124 Charlotte street. Hairdressing, Facial Massage, Scalp Treatment, Electrical, Shampooing, Hair Work a Specialty. Graduate Rogers School, N. Y. Phone 1414-31.

HORSE FURNISHINGS

HEADQUARTERS for Harness, Horse Blankets, Fur Robes, and a general line of horse furnishing goods, all at reasonable prices. H. Horton & Co., Ltd., 9 and 11 Market square.

HAIR SWITCHES

MISS K. A. HENNESSY, St. John. Hair Store, N. B. manufacturer and importer of hair goods, ladies' and gents' wigs, toupees, fronts, switches, bangs, etc., combined made up; complexion steaming a specialty; scalp and face massage, 113 Charlotte street; Phone Main 1087.

HATS BLOCKED

LADIES' felt, velvet and beaver hats blocked over in latest styles at Mrs. M. R. James, 280 Main street.

STORES AND BUILDINGS

TO LET—Small two story warehouse on the Gilbert road, near Railway tracks. Possession can be given at once. Apply to Emerson & Fisher Ltd. Germain street, City. 1789-17.

SKATE SHARPENING

SKATING—All styles of skates sharpened, 10c per pair; skaters, skates and skis ground, 22 Waterloo street. J. Dalsell. 4806-12-26.

GRAND UNION

Opp. Grand Hotel, Rooms \$1.00 a day. Central Station New York City upward. Baggage to and from Station Free. Baggage to and from Station Free.

IRON FOUNDRIES

UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE WORKS, Limited, George H. Waring, manager. West St. John, N. B. Engineers and Machinists, Iron and Brass Foundry.

MONEY TO LOAN

TO BUY OR BUILD A HOME, easy monthly payments, covering over 12 years, at 4 per cent interest. Kaye & McAllister, 160 Prince William street, St. John, N. B.

MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory

securities; properties bought and sold. Stephen S. Smith, Barrister, 62 Princess street.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

MUSICAL Instruments, Pianos, Gramophones, Records, Music, Lowest prices. Amdur & Co. (successors Farand & Co.) Sydney and Union. 4817-1-10.

OVERCOATS

OVERCOATS—For the balance of this month we will make a big cut in the price of our ready made and made to measure overcoats. Come for bargains. W. J. Higgins & Co., Custom and Ready-to-Wear Clothing, 192 Union street.

OUR STOCK of winter overcoats is

still large and of good variety, especially dressy Black Meltons at \$12, \$15, \$18 and \$22. W. H. Turner, 440 Main.

SCAVENGERS

FOR REMOVAL of ashes and general trucking. L. D. Sparks, Phone Main 1058-17.

STOVES

GOOD LINE OF SECOND HAND Stoves—Well repaired; will sell cheap; also new stoves of all kinds. 163 Brunsell street. Phone 126-11. H. Milroy.

SECOND-HAND GOODS

J. BAIG buys and sells for cash, only, etc., 68 Brunsell.

BOSTON Second Hand Store—Ladies' and Men's Fur Coats, Good Bargains. Mrs. W. Rogers, 116 Brunsell.

WANTED TO PURCHASE, Gentle-

men's cast off clothing, boots, musical instruments, jewelry, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Call or write, I. Williams, 16 Dock street, St. John, N. B.

GENTLEMEN'S Cast Off Cloth-

ing—Fur coats, jewelry, diamonds, old gold and silver, musical instruments, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Best prices paid. Call or write, H. Gilbert 34 Mill Street. Phone 237-11.

SIGN LETTERS

WE SUPPLY white enamel script signs for plate work. W. J. Wood, 175 Prince Wm. St. Phone 2692-11.

WATCH REPAIRING

W. BAILEY, the expert English, American and Swiss watch repairer. New parts made, fitted and adjusted by the expert from England, at 407 Main street, established 1906.

FLATS TO LET

FLAT TO LET—119 King street East. Apply on premises. 5872-12-30.

TO LET—A flat of seven rooms at 123 Rodney street; possession at once. Apply 350 Union street, City. 1807-17.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD

FOR SALE—Gurney-Oxford steel range, hot water front and all connections. In use only five months. Excellent condition. Address "Range," care Times. 5887-12-28.

FOR SALE—One spring, \$1.50; one iron bed and spring, \$5.00; one table piano, \$45.00; one tidy heater, \$8.00; also a horse 7 years old. McGrath's Furniture and Department store, 10 Brunsell street. Phone 1845-21.

TO LET

FARMS and Building to rent possession immediately situated Manawagonish Road. Apply Post Office box 286. 1787-17.

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THE TIMES AND STAR CLASSIFIED PAGE

Want Ads. on This Page Will Be Read By More People Than in Any Paper in Eastern Canada

Help Wanted Columns

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Young man to assist in restaurant. Apply at once. Black's Buffet, 109 Main street, North End. 5883-12-24.

WANTED—Men for Lumber Woods. Grant's Agency, 208 Charlotte St. West. 5229-12-24.

WANTED—Small Boy light work. King Square. 5225-12-24.

WANTED—Boy to learn barber business, one with experience preferred. Apply Charles E. Barton, Main street. 12-28.

CANADIAN RAILWAYS want men. Two great Transcontinental roads opening next year creates immense demand. Training is necessary. We train you and secure position. System of training endorsed by Railway Officials. Learn at home in your spare time, or at our Schools. Write today. Dominion School Railroading, Dept. C, Toronto.

BE A DETECTIVE—Earn \$25 to \$75 weekly; chance to get the world with all expenses paid. Lorraine System, Dept. 153, Boston, Mass. 1897-17.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Saturday morning lady's gold watch with fob. Will finder kindly leave at Times office. 5889-12-28.

LOST—Gentleman's open faced watch between Prince William street and Carleton, via ferry. Finder please notify O. Martin, 220, Rodney street, west and receive reward. 5218-12-28.

LOST—Thursday, small roll of one dollar bills. Finder please leave at this office.

LOST—Saturday night, Mink Muff, between Marsh Bridge and Carleton, via ferry. Finder please notify O. Martin, 220, Rodney street, west and receive reward. 5218-12-28.

LOST—Wednesday, pocket-book containing money and key. Finder leave 92 Prince William street.

LOST—Saturday, gold locket and chain, initials "S. L. W." Finder please leave at Canadian Express office. 5261-12-22.

WANTED

WANTED—Self-contained flat or cottage with modern conveniences, for Feb. 1st of February; state rent and location. Box 342, City. 1887-17.

WANTED—At once, for light manufacturing 30 x 60 or 40 x 80 foot space. State rent and location. Box 342, City. 1887-17.

WANTED—Rooms, 45 Sydney street. 5385-12-27.

WANTED—A young married couple for light house-keeping. Apply Telephone 1080-21. 5294-12-25.

WANTED—A second class female teacher for District No. 17. Apply at once, stating salary required to John B. Graham, Secretary, Olinville, P. O., Queens County, N. B. 5295-12-23.

YOUNG PERSONS wanted to accept Christmas offer—Shortland or Bookkeeping—\$10.00 for Thirty Dollar Course; \$15 for fifty dollar course. Stationery free. If scholarship be purchased now. Enter any time. Currie Commercial Institute, Oddfellows hall, 87 Union street. 5188-12-22.

WANTED—A Light Second Hand delivery sled; state price. (Sled) care Times. 1829-17.

SMALL Heating Stove. Write "N." care Times. 5188-12-22.

\$15.00 WEEK and expenses to travel, appointing Local Representatives. Frank Waterson, Division G, Brantford. 5019-1-14.

H. B. SCHOFIELD, Commissioner. Harbours, Ferries, Public Lands. ADAM P. MACINTYRE, Comptroller. St. John, N. B., December 19th, 1913. 5824-12-23.

STERLING REALTY LTD.

Buildings Bought For Cash.

J. W. MORRISON
Phone 1813-3 13-12 Prince Wm. St.

COOKS AND MAIDS

GIRL WANTED—Small family. Apply to Mrs. R. McDonald, 228 Rodney street, St. John West. 5514-12-24.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Smith, 55 Britlan street. 1888-17.

WANTED—An experienced general girl in family of three, after December 26th Mrs. Fairweather, 47 Duke street. 5215-12-27.

WANTED—Kitchen Girl and Store-room girl. Apply Victoria Hotel. 5215-12-22.

WANTED—Girl at once, good wages. 50 Brunsell street. 5176-12-23.

WANTED—Woman or girl for kitchen work. Dufferin House, West St. John. 4933-12-25.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED to teach the manner of inhaling my Asthma Life Belt, which positively will cure Tuberculosis in first and second stages. By holding the tube in the mouth ten or fifteen minutes three times a day and the breath going out of the nose which is absolutely the only means preventive and cure for tuberculosis. Asthma Life Belt taken daily. To cure catarrh remove tube, place nasal tube therein, in the nose. Medicine and inhaler at my office \$5.00; circulars free. Dr. Wyman, Beechwood, N. B., Canada. 1897-17.

MISCELLANEOUS HELP

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REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Desirable location, 40 x 100, three minutes walk from King street, two tenants, separate entrances, front and rear, hot water heating, separate furnaces. Light on four sides. Shows 15 per cent on investment. Phone Main 2774. 12-28.

FOR SALE—Valuable freehold property, 40 x 100, centrally located, two tenants, good revenue, easy terms. Telephone 2674. 12-27.

FOR SALE—Leasehold property, 117 King street West. Apply on Premises. 1796-17.

VALUABLE lots for sale on Douglas street, 100 ft. wide. Must be sold within 30 days to close estate. Apply immediately. A. A. Wilson, 105 Prince William street. Telephone Main 676. 1872-12-27.

CARPET CLEANING

CARPET Cleaning with Electric vacuum Cleaner. Terms reasonable. Phone M. 1080-12. 5238-12-23.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

SANTA CLAUS

HAS HIS HEADQUARTERS FOR PIANOS

—AT—
Bell's Piano Store
86 GERMAIN STREET

He finds the most reliable instruments at the lowest possible prices here for Cash or on easy terms to pay.

NO AGENTS. NO INTEREST.
—Saves \$50.00 or More.

Please call and examine and get our Special Low Prices for Christmas Trade.

Bell's Piano Store

86 Germain Street

TENDERS

TENDERS will be received until Monday, 29th December, last, until noon in the office of the Common Clerk, addressed to him, City Hall, Prince William street, for 800 ft. of fire hose with couplings and branch pipe to be delivered in No. 4 shed, Sand Point.

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HORSES AND WAGONS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good sized truck sled. Apply 54 Murray street. 5348-12-24.

FOR SALE—At special Christmas prices, speed skates and ash pumps, also delivery pumps. Send for catalogue and prices. Edgewood's, 113 City Road. 12-27.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good heavy horse suitable for trucking. Apply R. M. Tobias, 18 Brunswick street on Telephone Main 2323-21. 5242-12-25.

FOR SALE—Pair single black, nearly as good as new, also two seated Pung. D. F. Brown Paper Box Co., Limited. 1899-17.

WASHING AWAY SINS

White-Robed Men and Women Dipping in the River Jordan

It was a wonderful sight, that plunge into the life-giving stream, that rush from the bank of glittering, sunlit fountains, into the strange, little yellow-green river. But though many were in it, the dipping of the holy cross, their elimination from the numbers on the banks only served to show how many more were waiting behind.

For a while there was a scene that baffles description, the most extraordinary of men and women, all in white, dry and gleaming or wet and dripping. Then no one seemed to have brought towels, and the naked stood or sat in the sun drying themselves. Many pilgrims, who had been in the water once, took off their clinging shrouds, and, strutting across the field in Adamite simplicity, hung them on bushes to dry.

The Christian Arabs stood on the shore in their shrouds and made hysterical chants and speeches. For the whole of the hour the water was full of bathers; some took the opportunity to have a good swim; some poor old women stood with their toes in the river mud and couldn't get out, though they wished to.

I remember especially four ancient dames all over sixty, unprovided with shrouds, standing in the water holding onto one another, brown-bodied and ruined-looking, with crosses around their necks just showing, and their lean naked shoulders sticking up out of the water.

They were crossing themselves and kissing one another, promising to meet in Heaven, shivering and gurgling all the while, and obviously waiting for someone who had forgotten to come and take them out.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

ROOMS Suitable for married couple, 178 Pitt. 5812-12-27.

FURNISHED, heated rooms, 27 Leicester street. 5805-12-26.

GENTLEMEN BOARDERS wanted, home privileges, private family. No. 8 Windsor Terrace, Rockland Road. 5292-12-24.

BOARDING—Warm, comfortable rooms; bath and phone. 343 Union street. 5218-12-24.

FURNISHED Room, 305 Union St. 5184-12-23.

ROOMS TO LET—Newly furnished, heated, electric light, 169 King street East. Telephone 2774. 5175-12-23.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT, 98 Coburg street, left hand door. 5083-1-19.

FURNISHED Rooms and rooms for light housekeeping, 108 Union, corner Charlotte. Mrs. McDonald. 5188-12-23.

BOARDERS WANTED—264 Duke Street, West. 4927-12-26.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, 88 Germain street, West End, bath, electric light and telephone, West 218-31. 1808-17.

WANTED—Boarders at 99 St. James street, City. 4689-12-28.

FURNISHED Room, 76 Sydney St. 4832-1-9.

TO LET—Newly furnished square room, central location; gentlemen preferred. Apply C. Times Office, or telephone Main 1874-11. 1728-17.

FURNISHED Rooms, Boarding, 92 Sydney; Gentlemen. 4452-12-23.

BOARD and Rooms, Mrs. McAfee, 160 Princess street. 1721-17.

FURNISHED Rooms, 6 Peters street. 1728-17.

TO LET—Large furnished room, gentlemen only, 6 Prince William street. 1898-17.

TO LET—Two rooms, centrally located, gentlemen only. Apply 2088-21.

ROOMS and Boarding, 44 Esplanade street. 814-17.

TWO LARGE pleasant rooms to rent, with board. Apply 50 Waterloo street on phone 2558-11. 992-17.

FURNISHED Rooms to let, 48 Leicester street. 725