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Advertisements under this head: Half a  
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W. T. O'NEILL, 19 Metcalf street.

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Rent moderate. Apply at 14 Waterloo street.

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improvements. Apply to ANTON A.  
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town for special accident, sickness, death,  
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ness. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write  
Mr. G. J. Montreal.

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WANTED—Good General Servant. Will  
pay high wages for suitable girl. Apply 148  
Charlotte street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework  
in family of two. Apply at 183 Princess  
street.

WANTED—A kitchen girl. Apply at 20  
and 22 Charlotte street, Boston Restaurant.

SERVANT WANTED.—In general house-  
work. Apply at 49 Sydney street. (Opposite  
St. Michael's school.)

WANTED—A respectable elderly woman to  
do housework and take care of two small  
children in a working man's family. Apply  
evening to MRS. LACKY, 62 Erie street.

WANTED—A good plain cook. Apply at  
20 Westworth street, Mrs. T. A. RAN-  
KING.

WANTED—Girl to learn paper box mak-  
ing. Apply D. F. BROWN CO., LTD.

WANTED—A kitchen girl at the DUFF-  
IN HOTEL.

WANTED—A cook with good references.  
Apply to MRS. J. S. HARDING, 64 Germain  
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or body, Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum, Blood  
Poisoning of Wounds, Ring Worm, Hives,  
Redness or Bad Skin, and all inflammatory  
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HORSE FOR SALE—One Roan Mare, about  
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dress at the BLUE STORE, Brussels street.

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story and basement brick dwelling and free-  
hold lot, known as the Sweden property, No.  
40 Orange street, this city, and adjoining the  
residence of the subscriber. Can be inspec-  
ted at any time. For further particulars ap-  
ply to W. S. FISHER, 75 Prince Wm.  
street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Young Bay Mare,  
Harness and Wagon. Can be seen at S. T.  
Golding's stable, Princess street.

FOR SALE—One 1 1/2 in. Pine Door, 6 ft.  
high by 4 ft. 6 in. wide. Also glass panes.  
Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quality  
of revolver or rifle ammunition, No. 45  
Colts. Apply to CRACK SHOT, Star office.

FOR SALE—An arc lamp, complete, near-  
ly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and  
iron. City-size pointed weights. Apply to Sun  
Office, St. John.

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity  
about 50 pounds. It has a fire brick lining  
with smoke and ventilating pipes complete.  
Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

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LODGERS—A large, bright, front room  
with gas on King square. Reasonable rates.  
Address Box 52, City.

BOARDING—An the summer table is about  
over, the Lansdowne House, south side King  
Square, offers a number of desirable well  
furnished rooms. Single or double.

BOARDING—Moderate, the first house on  
the left from Waterloo street, and Canby  
Bridle to sell. MRS. WAY, 40 Paddock street,  
Central.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Janitor wants a situation in a  
public or private house. Apply to 79 Lein-  
ster street.

WANTED—Mandolin, Banjo or Guitar.  
Pupils. Address MUSICIAN, Box 23, St.  
John, N. B.

QUAKER HERBS—Will cure all diseases  
arising from an impure state of the blood,  
drives out all disease germs, microbes, etc.,  
and tones up the system and makes a new  
man of you. Try it and be convinced. Sold  
by all druggists or sent to any address on  
receipt of \$1.00. Send to the QUAKER HERB  
AGENCY, 80 Prince William street. Money  
returned if no cure. Large Family Doctor  
Book given at the same time.

#### HAMPTON BOY HURT.

Word has been received in Hampton  
that Keith Ryan, eldest son of Dr. J.  
J. Ryan, was severely injured in a  
football match at Brunswick, Me., on  
Saturday, October 10. Ryan was a  
student at the Bowdoin College.

After the accident Ryan was at once  
taken to the Maine General Hospital  
and found to be in a serious condition.  
His head was bent over towards his  
breast when he was tackled, and the  
muscles of his neck were badly strained.  
The surgeons at the hospital also  
fear a partial dislocation of some of  
the vertebrae of the cervical, the spinal  
canal.

A later despatch says that Ryan's  
injuries were not so severe as at first  
feared and that within a short time  
he would be back at college, providing  
no unforeseen complications set in.

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#### ST. JOHN STAR.

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#### THANKSGIVING.

The succulent bird of Thanksgiving  
is yet unripe for slaughter; his days are  
all too few for profitable cutting off; in  
another month cubits of sweet, nourish-  
ment would have been added to his  
stature, yet this ruthless can't-wait  
government decrees that he must die  
today. To compensate him for this  
early bereavement the mourning farmer  
and his accomplice, the market man,  
have placed the bird's valuation so high  
that it looks like corned beef and cab-  
bage for the Thanksgiving dinner of  
most of us tomorrow.

Still you can give thanks that in a  
month or so your chance will come to  
get back at that government. The blood  
of those turkeys cut off in the callow  
bloom of early youth shall not be un-  
avenged.

Then even the corned beef and cab-  
bage should not provoke unthankful-  
ness, if you have enough of it and good  
digestion wherewith to handle it. Tak-  
ing it all together you have not fared  
so badly during the past year. You  
have managed to keep alive and get  
three square meals a day generally; your  
business has been pretty good and crops  
have been plentiful and pay day has  
come around with commendable regu-  
larity.

Some have died, of course, but  
others you love have lived. You have  
done some small and mean things, but  
then you have done things that were  
high and great, even though none but  
you knew of them. You have lost and  
you have won, but you have played the  
game fairly, haven't you? That's the  
great thing; to play the game as a man  
and a sportsman, to smile lightly if you  
win and shrug your shoulders if you  
lose. If you have learned to do that  
you can celebrate Thanksgiving Day  
tomorrow whatever your luck has been.  
For it's a pretty good world, good peo-  
ple.

#### FREE PNEWS.

According to the Boston Advertiser,  
almost every church in Boston now has  
free pews. This is as it ought to be.  
Anything that discriminates against  
those who are lacking in this world's  
wealth should never have been allowed  
in the church of Him who lived a  
poor man among the poor. There  
should be absolutely no hindrance in  
the way of anyone desirous of hearing  
the preaching of the gospel. People  
are not going to church as much as  
they did, and the fact that all the best  
seats in nearly every church, in this  
city for instance, are reserved for a  
privileged few, does not tend to in-  
crease the number of church-goers.

But it costs money to run a church,  
they will tell you, and pew rent is one  
of our best sources of revenue. If a  
church, built for the teaching of unself-  
ishness, cannot get along without  
money so selfishly contributed, its use-  
fulness is doubtful. One of the city  
clergymen made the open declaration,  
not long ago, that there were too many  
churches in St. John. If there are  
more than can be kept alive by the  
voluntary contributions of those who  
attend them, his statement is fully pro-  
ven.

The relative sizes of the fighting  
fleets of the two nations now in Asia-  
tic waters, may be grouped in detail  
after this schedule: Russian fleet—  
battleships, seven; armored cruisers,  
four; protected cruisers, 15; belted gun-  
boats, three; torpedo boats, eight; Ja-  
pan fleet—battleships five; armored  
cruisers, six; third-class battleships,  
one; protected cruisers, 14; belted cru-  
iser, one; dispatch vessels and gun-  
boats, five; other vessels and torpedo  
boats, 42. The latest summing up of  
the tons' displacement of the two  
fleets is: Russia, battleships, 75,000  
tons; cruisers, 84,000 tons; torpedo boat  
destroyers and gunboats, 11,400 tons.  
Japan: battleships, 145,200 tons; cru-  
isers, 56,841 tons; torpedo boats, 11,550  
tons.

Lord Rosebery is a brilliant critic.  
He is an excellent hand to find objec-  
tions to any policy, but a complete fail-  
ure in constructive statesmanship. Never  
did a public career promise  
more or perform less than his. The  
Sheffield speech is thoroughly charac-  
teristic. It offers no solution of Eng-  
land's commercial and industrial prob-  
lems. It suggests no means for the  
strengthening of imperial relations.  
But it finds splendid fault with Cham-  
berlain.—Sun.

The common council has shown that  
when the interests of the city are at  
stake it can act with decision, energy  
and common sense. It has done its  
part to defeat the unfair and under-  
hand action of the Allan Line. Re-  
mains now to be seen if the city's and  
province's representatives in the house  
will prove themselves equally worthy of  
trust.

The Star extends a hearty welcome to  
the visiting ticket agents—the guests  
of the city today—and hopes that their  
recollections of St. John will be unmar-  
red by any interference of the hood-  
lums that has been following them through  
Nova Scotia.

The Far East fable of news is getting  
in some fine work in this Russia-Japan  
disagreement. We may expect war to  
be declared and called off on alternate  
days for a few weeks anyway.

Senator Cox has declared in the Sen-  
ate that he can wait. The question  
now arises, Why doesn't he?

#### THE CORN-SONG.

Heep high the farmer's wintry heerd!  
Heep high the golden corn!  
No riches left has Autumn poured  
From out her lavish horn!

Through vales of grass and meads of  
flowers,  
Our plows their furrows made,  
While on the hills the sun and show-  
ers  
Of changeful April played.

We dropped the seed on hill and plain,  
Beneath the sun of May,  
And frightened from our sprouting  
grain  
The robber crows away.

All through the long bright days of  
June  
Its leaves grew green and fair,  
And waved in hot mid-summer's noon  
Its soft and yellow hair.

And now with Autumn's moonlit eves,  
Its harvest time is come,  
We pluck away the frosted leaves,  
And bear the treasure home.

There, richer than the fabled gift  
Apollo showered of old,  
Fair hands the broken grain shall sift,  
And knead its meal of gold.

Then shame on all the proud and vain,  
Whose folly laughs at scorn,  
The blessing of our hardy grain,  
Our wealth of golden corn!

But let the good old crop adorn  
The walls of feasting halls,  
Still let us, for his golden corn,  
Send up our thanks to God.

—Whittier.

#### DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, Oct. 13.—In the commons  
today a motion was at last passed to  
convene the committee on elections and  
privileges to enquire into the Grand  
Trunk Pacific petitions. Laurier an-  
nounced that the government business  
yet to be brought down includes fur-  
ther supplementary estimates for the  
construction of the Grand Trunk Pa-  
cific, a few departmental bills and a  
resolution in relation to the Quebec  
bridge. Resolutions confirming the  
order-in-council authorizing the Yukon  
concessions were introduced by Lau-  
rier and talked up in committee and  
passed.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier read a cable from  
Lord Alverstone denying that he had  
ever made any statement to anybody  
in regard to the Alaskan boundary  
commission.

The premier informed Hon. Mr. Bor-  
den that Mr. Aspley, who had not sent  
a similar denial.

Hon. Mr. Mulock, in reply to Mr.  
Hackett, denied that a rural mail de-  
livery would be established in P. E. I.  
or in any other province in Canada.

After reporting progress in the bill  
to increase civil service salaries the  
house took up the senate amendments  
to the railway commission bill.

Of the amendments to the railway  
commission bill 36 were accepted, 12 re-  
jected and 2 compromises accepted and  
the bill was sent back to the senate.

Mr. Borden then introduced a resolu-  
tion calling for provincial autonomy  
for the Northwest Territories. He  
pointed out that such a measure would  
only be an act of justice to the people  
of the rapidly developing west to give  
them self-government men spoke on  
the Northwest provincial autonomy  
question.

Mr. Borden's resolution was lost, 43  
to 25.

#### THE SENATE.

The senate sat until a late hour to-  
night discussing the Grand Trunk Pa-  
cific bill. Sir Mackenzie Bowell raised  
the important point as to whether  
the senate could amend the bill inas-  
much as it was a measure concerned  
with the expenditure of public money.  
No ruling was taken on this point.

A number of petitions against the deal  
were presented in the upper house  
from the Northwest Territories and  
Eastern Canada.

Senator Cox tonight, spurred by  
Borden, denied that he had any con-  
nection with the Grand Trunk Pacific  
in its initial state, as the project was  
well advanced before Hayes asked  
him to go on the board. He repudiated  
the reflections cast upon him and  
said he expected an ample apology  
from Hon. Mr. Blair.

#### NOTES.

Parliament will adjourn for Thank-  
sgiving Day.

WANTED—A case of Headache that  
KUMPOUT Powders will not cure in  
ten to twenty minutes.

Mrs. Hanford Ritchie arrived home  
from Bath, Maine, yesterday after a  
four weeks' visit with her niece, Mrs.  
Alfred A. Parks, formerly of St. John,  
N. B.



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flour blended especially for

household use and this blend-

ing enables the

housewife to get the best

results.

The best costs no more

than the next best. Your

grocer should have it for you.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

The Battle line str. Trebia, Captain  
McDougal, from Manila for New  
York, sailed from Colombo on Sunday.  
The city market will be open till 10  
p. m. this evening, and will be closed  
on Thursday (Thanksgiving day).

The Fishers from Norton for St.  
Andrews with a coal laden barge,  
which she brought here from Far-  
boro the other day.

The pilot boat David Lynch on Wed-  
nesday last picked up a man, evidently  
with sail attached, evidently lost from  
a fisherman between Sandy Cove and  
North Head, Grand Manan.

The New Brunswick Festival Chorus  
held its first practice of the season last  
evening in the vestry of Trinity church.  
There was a large attendance, and  
several new members were received.

The New Brunswick Coal and Rail-  
way Company are now running their  
regular trains from Norton to Minto.  
A large number of cars laden with  
coal have been despatched from Minto  
of late.

The new L. C. R. round house is  
rapidly nearing completion. It is ex-  
pected it will be ready for use in a  
fortnight. The contractors, Flood and  
Bates, have made a most creditable job  
of it.

COMPLIMENTARY BANQUET.

To be Tendered Chief Justice Tuck  
Upon His Return From the West.

Fifty years ago yesterday Chief  
Justice Tuck was admitted an attor-  
ney of this province and signed the  
roll. The chief justice is now in Van-  
couver, and therefore not in a position  
to receive the personal congratulations  
of the members of the bar, but  
the Bar Society recognized the occasion  
by sending a despatch signed by J. D.  
Hazen, M. P. P., K. C., M. B. P., pre-  
sident of the society, and T. C. Allen,  
K. C., secretary, offering a complimentary  
dinner to take place at Fredericton at  
the first of the Michaelmas term. This  
will be the third day of November.  
Last evening Mr. Hazen received a  
reply from the chief justice thanking  
the bar for their good wishes and  
signifying his acceptance of their  
compliment which they propose to pay  
him.

EXTENSION IN LANCASTER.

St. John Railway Co. to Build to  
Barnhill's Corner.

The St. John Railway Company now  
have on the western side of the river  
a line extending from the Suspension  
bridge out to the Asylum corner. It  
has been decided to settle the settle-  
ment of matters with respect to the  
line down to Carleton, to stretch a  
branch out through Fairville as far as  
Barnhill's corner. This will give the  
people of the parish of Lancaster a  
convenient means of reaching the  
city of St. John with a short walk across  
the bridge. The change will be wel-  
comed by the people out there. It is  
thought the additional rails can be  
put down in a few weeks and it is ex-  
pected cars will be running there with-  
in a month.

CREW LOST.

No Trace of the Man and Boy Who  
Manned the Sch. Transvaal.

The little schooner Transvaal, which  
was picked up off Gardiner's Creek the  
other day up, has since been sighted  
at the creek. The miniature vessel has  
suffered considerable damage. She  
took a cargo of apples to Quaco from  
Bridgetown, N. S., where the vessel is  
owned. Then she started back for  
Bridgetown to load another lot of  
apples for Quaco. In a recent storm  
she was disabled and overturned.  
When the Transvaal left St. Mar-  
tin's she had on board one man, Ira Banks  
by name, and a lad named Stephens.  
These two have probably been lost.

CARLETON BOYS WILLING.

A member of the Carleton A. A. who  
called at the Sun office last evening,  
said he understood that the Neptune  
Rowing Club was anxious to get on a  
race with them for Thanksgiving Day,  
and he wished to state that if it is  
the case the C. A. A. will be ready to  
accommodate them.

The Neptunes are requested to notify  
William Long, so that arrangements  
can be made.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 12.—The con-  
test for municipal honors in Moncton  
parish caused little excitement, but a  
good vote was polled. The result was  
the election of A. H. Mitten and D. D.  
the election of old councillors. The vote  
stood Mitten, 368; Legere, 359; M. D.  
Steeves, 238; D. T. LeBlanc, 253; D.  
Garland, 62. Old councillors were re-  
turned by acclamation in all other  
parishes except Westmorland, where  
the old councillors were opposed.

CAPTAIN DISMISSED.

HALIFAX, Oct. 12.—The Dartmouth  
Ferry Commission tonight dismissed  
Capt. Thomas Bowser for running the  
stranded str. Chebuco ashore on Ice  
Knoll on Saturday when taking the  
Canadian Ticket Agents for an excu-  
sion. Capt. Bowser said that the steam-  
er's compass showed a deviation of  
three points and that he intended go-  
ing through an inside channel. The  
commission decided however that he  
had no business inside the buoy and  
ordered his dismissal.

FAREWELL TO MR. DEINSTADT.

The Rev. T. J. Deinstadt was form-  
ally farewelled by the congregation of  
Ermouth street Methodist church, his  
late pastoral charge, last night. An  
address was read and a presentation  
of a purse of gold was made to the de-  
parting pastor, whose labors among his  
people were always prompted by the  
warmest Christian zeal.

Rev. Mr. Deinstadt replied suitably  
and speeches were also made by Rev.  
Howard D. Sprague, Rev. G. M. Camp-  
bell, Rev. S. Howard and Rev. Charles  
Comben.

Rev. Mr. Deinstadt has been given  
charge of the West-end church at  
Millville, Me., where he will be sta-  
tioned for the next seven months. It  
is his intention to return to New Brun-  
swick.

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Warm, durable and inexpensive. Made of Reliable Cloths,  
Lined and Piped with Red.

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Sashes, Toques and Mitts to match the above blanket coats.

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Made of good Grey Frieze, Large Storm Coliar, Tweed Body Lining.

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## Men's Winter Overcoats

We are now showing our full stock of Winter Overcoats for Men, in all the latest  
styles and fabrics.

THE CHAMBERLAIN—Raglanettes and Ordinary Lengths.

MEN'S ORDINARY LENGTH OVERCOATS in Grey Frieze. Prices \$8.75, \$10.00 and \$12.00. In Blue and  
Black Meltons, \$13.50.

MEN'S RAGLANETTES—The most Popular Coat of the Season. In Dark Grey Frieze—prices \$6.75, \$8.50  
and \$10.00. In Grey Cheviots—prices \$10.00 and \$12.00. In Black Cheviots—prices \$12.00. In Grey Striped Viennas—  
prices \$15.00 and \$17.50.

THE CHAMBERLAIN OVERCOAT FOR MEN. An entirely new style of Overcoat this season, and  
promises to be very popular with the young men. In Dark Grey Vienna, \$13.50; in Black Cheviots, \$16.50; in Black  
Stripes, \$17.50.

#### Ladies' Novelty Dressing Jackets.

The very latest novelties in Ladies' Dressing Jackets from Berlin. Plain  
White, Plain Blue, Pink and White and fancy assorted colorings. The most  
dainty lot of Dressing Jackets we have ever shown. Prices \$2.00 to \$3.00 each.

A special line of Dressing Jackets at \$2.00 each. In Plain Red, Plain Grey,  
Pale Blue and Cardinal. Made of Elder Fannel.

#### Ladies' Fancy Wrappers.

Made of Shaker Fannel. A large stock to select from. Prices \$1.30,  
\$1.40, \$1.50, \$2.10 and \$2.40 each.

#### Ladies' Long Dressing Gowns.

Made of quite heavy Fannel. Plain  
Most suitable for Bedroom and Bathroom. Prices \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.90,  
\$4.00, \$7.25, \$7.75 up to \$9.25 each.

#### Ladies' Up-to-date Neckwear.

Never before have we shown such a collection of Ladies' Novelty Neck-  
wear. Many of the styles shown in St. John