

ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1904.

DYKEMAN'S.

SOLE AGENTS
STANDARD PATENTS

Mid-Summer Dress Materials.

Two special lines of voile delaines in a large assortment of colorings including black. This makes up very effective over a colored lining and is one of the most stylish materials that we know of. The price is 75c. and 95c. The goods are 48 inches wide.

CANVAS CLOTHS at 45c. a yard. A pure wool material, sold at an extremely low price. These goods under ordinary selling would be 60c. a yard. They come in all colorings.

SNOWFLAKE CHEVONIS, 45c. a yard. A pure wool material. Comes in blue, blue and white, red and white and green and white. 42 inches wide.

FINE VENETIANS, 55c. a yard. Note particularly the price. They are all wool and come in the leading shades. The material is 42 inches wide, is a good weight and makes a most serviceable summer dress.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.

IF THEY'RE FASHIONABLE, WE HAVE THEM.

Our customers are, therefore, safeguarded against unsatisfactory purchases of dress and peculiar styles that are not in good taste. Brown and Black Silk Hats, also Soft Hats in all the fashionable shades. Children's Straw Hats and Caps.

All Grades from 95c. to \$5.00 See our Boys' and Children's Headware

THORNE BROS., HATTERS, 93 KING STREET

SYMBOLISM IN EGGS.

Among the curiosities recently acquired by the department of Egyptian and Assyrian antiquities in the British museum is an ostrich egg placed for suspension and covered with traces of a painted design, probably of a pre-dynastic period. According to the experts of the department, this egg is certainly nearly 6,000 years old, as the design was made not later than B. C. 4000. The egg of the ostrich is said to have possessed some religious significance even in the pre-dynastic period.

TUG-OF-WAR CONTEST.

A suggestion has been offered in connection with the tercentenary sports to have a tug-of-war contest between the policemen and a crew from the warships that will be here during that week. If this event could be arranged a great amount of interest would be aroused as the man-of-war lads are said to be strong pullers, while the policemen have a record already.

Sunday School Teacher — And so Lot's wife was turned to salt. Can anyone tell why? Willie (from the rear) — She was too fresh.

The census returns of Cape Colony show that the total population is 2,404,878, compared with 1,827,224 in 1891.

CHINA TEA SETS!

We have a big bargain in China Tea Sets, 48 pieces, \$17.50 set. White Stone Cups and Saucers, 50. Colored Cups and Saucers, 70. White Stone Plates, 50. 50, 70, each. Colored Plates, 50. 50, 70, each.

WALL PAPER!

In order to make room for fall goods we will sell the balance of our wall paper at very low prices.

Arnold's Department Store 11 and 15 Charlotte St.

The Steamer "Maggie Miller"

Will leave Millville for Summersville, Kanawha Island, and Baywater, daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 1 and 5 p. m. SATURDAY leaves Millville at 4:45 and 8:30 a. m., and 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 6, 7:30 and 10 a. m., and 4, 5 and 7:45 p. m. SUNDAY leaves Millville at 9 and 10:30 a. m., and 2 p. m. Returning at 9:45 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Dr. A. H. Merrill,

DENTIST, Cor. King and Charlotte Street Entrance: 76 Charlotte Street. Phone 1931.

KKOVAN JELLIES

Will be Demonstrated by Miss Wood on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, —Call For Sample— CHAS. A. CLARK'S, Tel. 502, 49 Charlotte street.

F. R. PATTERSON & CO.

THE DAYLIGHT STORE

A Sale Of Fancy Collar Tops,

Pretty and Good.

Reduced to

8c. each

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts.

Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Owing to the Star going to press early on Saturdays during the summer months, advertisers are asked to please send all changes to the office on Friday afternoon. The Star cannot guarantee to change advertisements received any later.

Celebrated Broad Cove coal, \$7.00 per chaldron delivered, at Watters', Walker's wharf. Tel. 612.

The German steamer Hendrick Horn, which has loaded with coal at Musquash, sails this afternoon for Garton, England, with a complete cargo.

A. E. Couchard, one of the shareholders of the Canadian Oil Company, Limited, and W. W. Cumming, treasurer of the same company, returned to Toronto today on the C. P. R.

Willard Crawford was the successful competitor in the recent intercollegiate sports ticket selling contest and was presented with the Waltham gold watch, he having sold the largest number of tickets.

Moose are certainly plentiful along the North Shore. The latest report is that however, is that one night recently as a train was proceeding along a trainman noticed a magnificent specimen running by the side of the track. As the engine passed so close was it that a lantern in the trainman's hand cast a beam of light on the animal's body. —Moncton Transcript.

THE FISH MARKET.

The local fish market will be well supplied tomorrow with prices about the average. Fresh fish are fairly plentiful. Cured cod are coming in in large quantities and consequently the price is going down. The days of the quintal are over and cod are now being sold by the net hundred weight. The quintal was 112 pounds. The price per hundred now is \$4.25.

The retail prices tomorrow will be: Salmon, 15 to 20 cents per pound; shad, 15 to 20 cents each; spruce trout, 12 cents per dozen; mackerel, 12 to 15 cents each; halibut, 12 to 15 cents per pound; and cod and haddock, as usual, 5 cents each. The market was fairly good in the market vary from 15 to 25 cents.

MORE COLORADO ANARCHY.

Masked Men Wreck Plant of Newspaper That Advised Miners to Call the Strike Off.

VICTOR, Colo., June 8. —Eight unknown men armed with shotguns, rifles, pistols and sledge hammers entered the office of the Victor Record last night, ordered the men to throw up their hands, blew up the machinery and then told the men to go to the district as fast as they could. The Record yesterday editorially advised the miners to declare a strike off. There is no clue as to the identity of the men. George Kyner, proprietor of the paper, was at work and one of the men who were at work and one who was evidently the leader, called out: "Line up now, and throw up your hands." The men obeyed quickly. The men then wrecked two linotype machines and several job presses and all the equipment of the office and smashed the telephone and typewriter. When their work of ruin was complete they marched out. The Record has been known as the organ of the Western Federation of Miners since its inception. The printers have not decided whether to leave or not.

TRIAL TRIP.

F. P. Starr's new gasoline boat, was given a trial spin on the harbor this morning and her owner and friends were pleased with her performance. The engine, which was set up by a man named McLeod, a Cape Breton boy, who is connected with a big Boston house, developed over four hundred revolutions to the minute.

RACING FOR AN L. D.

Dr. Harper's Wild Chase From Chicago to Toronto Against Time — Close Connections.

CHICAGO, June 8. — In a race against time with an L. D. as the prize, President Harper, of the University of Chicago, today will start on a flying trip from Madison, Wis., to Toronto. A special train to Chicago and the holding of a Michigan Central express to Buffalo, by special arrangements are features of the trip. President Harper was in Madison, attending the jubilee of the University of Wisconsin. While there he was given an L. D. degree today. This afternoon he will leave on a special train over the Northwestern, arriving in Chicago at 4:45 p. m. At 5:02 he will start over the Michigan Central, reaching Buffalo at 6:45, central time. The hour scheduled for his departure for Toronto is exactly the minute of the arrival of Dr. Harper's train from Chicago. In Toronto tomorrow, Dr. Harper will deliver a convocation address in the afternoon at Toronto University, receive another L. D. and leave for Chicago in the evening.

SCALDED TO DEATH.

(Special to the Star.) CORNWALL, Ont., June 8. — John Waldron died in the general hospital here last night as a result of an accident at Duval's cheese box factory at Newington. Waldron, while peeling a log, fell into the vat where logs are boiled and the boiling water reached his waist before he could be rescued. Waldron was twenty-eight and the support of his aged mother and blind brother.

OIL REDUCED IN PRICE.

Wholesale Price 2 1-2 Cents Less; Retail One Cent Less—Canadian Producers Suffer.

Yesterday throughout the city kerosene oil dropped in retail price one cent. This was doubtless in consequence of the reduction in tariff rates, which was announced in the budget speech an Ottawa on Tuesday. But the drop in retail price is by no means correspondent with the tariff reduction, which is as follows: Refined petroleum oil 2 1-2 cents per gallon. Crude petroleum oil one cent per gallon.

In addition to a reduced tariff on imported oils Canadian productive industries have been benefited to the extent of 11-12 cents a gallon of crude oil.

Following the tariff reduction the wholesale price of oil throughout Canada has gone down correspondingly. The Imperial Oil Company branch and the Canadian Oil Company received official notification of this today.

The cutting of the tariff in two is believed to be a clear gain for imported oil, and the removal of a protection to home industries. The bonusing of home industries will have hardly any effect in the tariff.

Retail dealers say that there is hardly any likelihood of their reducing the retail price any more. They claim that their profit has been little or nothing and that the reduction in wholesale price will only give them a small additional profit.

ROBERT P. CHANDLER DEAD.

Death Comes Suddenly to a Well Known and Well Liked Citizen, of St. John.

Robert P. Chandler, one of St. John's best known citizens, died this morning at half past seven at his residence, 242 Duke street. The announcement of his death will come with suddenness to his many friends, for it is only a few days ago that he was seen on the street, apparently in very good health. The cause of death was diabetes.

Mr. Chandler was born at St. Andrews in 1844 and was a son of the late Judge Chandler. While yet quite young he located in the city of New Brunswick and engaged extensively in the lumber business with success. About five years ago he removed to this city and ever since has taken an active interest in the city's affairs. He was of a genial temperament and made friends wherever he went.

He is survived by his mother, one sister and two brothers. The brothers are Dr. Chandler, of Moncton, and James Chandler of Hamilton, Ont.

The funeral service will be held at his late residence tomorrow evening and the remains will be taken on Saturday to Moncton for burial.

FILLING UP THE HARBOR.

Complaint Against Dumping of Dredging Mud in Dangerous Place

To the Editor of the Star: Sir,—There are some persons who think that the entrance to West Channel is not the proper place to dump the spoil from the dredge at Sand Point, and who can give good sound reasons for their belief. The captains of the tugs handling the spoils with the spoil seem to think different, however, and live up to their convictions. At the rate at which they are carrying on their work the West Channel will soon be a dangerous place and some of the boats will come to grief.

The more spoils the more dollars for the tugs, and the more mud dumped where it is better dumped with some day ensure another display of fireworks and wind at board of trade and common council, with perhaps a picnic for a delegation to Ottawa. There must be some person whose duty it is to avert the calamity.

CITIZEN.

AN ELEGANT DISPLAY.

Without doubt, the finest display of pianos ever in stock in a show room at St. John is now to be seen at the Nordheimer piano parlor, situated in John White's furniture warehouse, 28 Charlotte street. Among other pianos are to be seen a magnificent Steinway, nature grand, finished in beautiful mahogany; also a Steinway Vertegrand piano (trade mark). This is an elegant upright piano in a mahogany case finished in oak; this piano is in great demand, especially in New York. Among the Nordheimer pianos in stock is a style (Art Nouveau); it is a piano of refinement, not alone in its tonal beauty, but also in the artistic lines of its case work. Also a style (S.) cabinet grand piano, the case is noble and striking. These Steinway and Nordheimer pianos, with others, which were selected by Mr. Prince when in Toronto some two weeks ago, make a grand display, and visitors will not be disappointed if they make a special call if only to see them. Specimens of pianos which represent the production of the highest art and skill. G. A. Prince is direct representative in New Brunswick.

HARDEN GETTING INTO JAIL.

Sheriff Ritchie Strictly Enforcing the Regulations.

Sheriff Ritchie has put in force a new regulation, or rather, has revived an old one, re the trial of prisoners from the police station to the jail. Up to a day or two ago, all prisoners from the police station sent to jail were taken in on a memorandum from the police clerk and after the rush of the morning's business was over the prisoners were made out.

All this, however, has been changed, and now the prisoners are sent to the police station cells till the commitments are prepared and then entry is made to the jail in due form.

The Young Clippers defeated the Aberdeens last evening in a 13 inning game by a score of 4 to 2.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper, of St. John, have arrived in Hampton to spend the summer months and are boarding with Miss Cochrane at Hampton Station.

The marriage of J. P. Gallant, of Sydney, to Florence, third daughter of Postmaster Vantour, of Richibucto, took place in the R. C. church yesterday morning. Rev. Father Doucette, of Shippegan, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony.

Wm. J. Smith, of Chatham, has been appointed station agent for the Kent Northern Railway at Rexton.

Bishop and Mrs. Jarrar, of Boston, are at the Royal.

Dr. and Mrs. Hannay will sail from Halifax on the 22nd inst., for a trip to England and will be absent two or three months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Foot returned this morning by L. C. R. train from a trip through Western Nova Scotia.

Capt. E. P. Fullerton, whose life was spared of, is now improving in a private hospital, this city.

Miss Hazel G. Armstrong, of Dorchester, Mass., is spending her vacation with Miss Nellie A. Graham, of Portland street.

Miss Genevieve Murphy, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Murphy, Rockland road, has returned to Rexton City Hospital.

Conrad P. Hatheway, of Boston, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. E. Wardroper. He will go from here to the Phillips, as private secretary to W. Cameron Forbes.

Miss Alice M. Marsh, who has spent several years with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Simpson, Sunderland, England, has returned home, accompanied by her sister, Miss Emma Marsh, of New York.

Miss Florence Fitchard, of Hampton, leaves this afternoon for Newton Lower Falls, Mass., where she will enter the Newton hospital to become a trained nurse.

The engagement is announced of George D. Siegh, of this city, to Miss Helen L. Day, of St. John, N. B. —Springfield Republic, Sunday, June 6, Springfield, Mass.

POLICE REPORTS.

A key found on Market Square awaits an owner at the central police station.

The glass in the alarm box-12, broken when the false alarm was sent in the other night has not been replaced.

The police were called upon last night to extinguish a bonfire on Richmond street.

The police found a light of glass broken in a window in Mr. Gilbraith's store on South wharf last night. They boarded it up.

Three keys found on Main street await owners at the North End station.

Humphreys P. W. Keefe and J. O'Hearn have been reported for painting signs in the city without a license, they not being ratepayers.

William Monahan, Herbert Kelley, "Buckeye" Lynch, Harry Beavils and lads named Willis and Muelitt have been reported for playing ball on the Marsh road, and hitting and throwing the ball against Patrick Nugent's house.

Officer Covay made a great find on Main street yesterday and one that if it had been allowed to lay there might have caused considerable trouble. It was nothing more harmless than five sticks of dynamite.

NO BARBERS OR SHOEMAKERS.

A merchant showed the Star a letter today from a customer at Plaster Rock, Albert Co., deploring the fact that there is not a shoemaker at that place or a professional barber. The writer says that there are 200 men at Plaster Rock who are engaged in the lumber business, and that they have no place to get their hair cut or their shoes shined. He further says that in making this statement concerning the lack of barbers that he is not personally interested, as he has never had a razor on his face, and that he is not a young man.

WIFE COMPLAINS OF IL-TREATMENT.

Mrs. Edward McDonald, of the North End, with an infant in her arms and tears in her eyes called at the guard room of the North End station last night and complained that her husband neglected her, and only worked when he felt like it and left her alone for days. His mother, the unhappy woman said, is harder on her than her husband. The officers assured her the case would be investigated.

A SUPPORTER OF W. M. JARVIS.

A police court official was descending the stairs in the court house on Wednesday when one of the female prisoners was washing them. He asked: "Phoebe, is there any soap on the stairs?" "No," she replied, "but if there was a Star reporter here, I'd put some on for him."

THIS EVENING.

Jerusalem Night at Centenary. Baseball—St. Josephs v. Clippers on Victoria grounds.

Meeting of motomen and street railway conductors in Orange hall, Simonds street.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. Sir. Evangelista, 1011, Hester, from London via Halifax, general cargo.

Sailed. Ida M., Shafter, 185, Maitland, from Halifax.

\$5.00

Best Value Ever Offered. We make the Best \$5.00 Gold Green in this city.

Tooth without plates \$5.00 Gold fillings from \$10.00 Silver and other fillings \$6.00 Teeth extracted without pain.

Consultation. The Famous Halse Method, 15c. FREE

BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS, 277 Main St. Dr. A. D. BAKER, Proprietor

SALE OF

Night-

gowns.

A wholesale's overstock of Ladies' White Cambric Nightgowns has been secured by us at very advantageous prices. We pass them on to you at a saving of 25 per cent.

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS, made of good white cambric, neck front and sleeves finished with hemstitched frills. Tucked yoke, with Hamburg insertion, full sizes. Our special price

59 Cts.

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS, neck and good white cambric, neck front and sleeves finished with hemstitched frills. Tucked yoke, with Hamburg insertion, full sizes. Our special price

83 Cts.

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS, made of fine English cambric, with low neck and sleeves, finished with medallions, made from good English cambric. Sale price

\$1.39

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS, made of fine English cambric, with tucked yoke, finished with Hamburg medallions; front, neck and sleeves trimmed with fine lawn Hamburg. Special sale price

\$1.19

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS, made of fine English cambric, with low neck and sleeves, finished with medallions, with fine lawn Hamburg. Worth \$2.00. Our special sale price

\$1.49

Morrell & Sutherland,

27-29 Charlotte St. Oppo. Y. M. C. A.

Confirmation Shoes.

If the children are to be confirmed this Spring you will certainly want them to appear at their best. You would not think of allowing them to be confirmed in their old shoes.

For the Girls.

We have all the dainty Spring Styles in Shoes—Oxfords, Sandals and Slippers. Very pretty new Spring ideas. Patent Leather and Patent Kid. Some are handsomely trimmed. Our White Kid Slippers are beauties.

For the Boys.

High and low cut shapes. Some in Patent Leather and Viol Kid. We have the Shoes that the boys like and the Shoes that look next on them.

We wish every mother would come here and see our Confirmation Shoes. To Pass This Store is an Unjustice to Your Pocket Book.

D. MONAHAN.

162 UNION STREET

Great Reductions

In Men's Suits.

Many lines are almost sold out. The odd sizes that are left are now offered at

25 per cent. Discount.

Men's Coats and Vests at \$4.50, and \$5.00, well worth \$7.00.

Wilcox Bros.,

Market Square and Dock St.

THE EMPRESS

SHOE

FOR WOMEN

Save 25 p. c. Duty.

Equal in style, make and flexibility to any American Shoe.

Sizes, 2 to 7; width, C, D and E.

All Leathers.

Oxford Ties, Laced Boots, Prices, \$2 to \$5

Button Boots

FOR SALE BY

FRANCIS & VAUGHAN,

19 KING STREET.

ASBESTOS FOR HUMAN ASHERS.

Asbestos, which takes its name from a Greek word meaning incombustible, consists chiefly of silica, magnesia, alumina and oxide of iron. It was known to the ancients, who used it as a wrap to preserve the ashes of those whose bodies were consumed on the funeral pyre.

The modern demand for this valuable product has produced a supply from many quarters as far apart as the Alps and Canada. Its quality is determined by the length, strength, and fineness of its fibers, which can be so manipulated as to resemble wool, and to be woven into cloths, ropes, and felted fabrics, which resist any ordinary flame.

Some fifty years ago its many uses began to be appreciated. An closely woven cloth or felt, it is a valid protection against fire. It is largely used as packing for the pistons of steam engines, and as non-conducting coverings for boilers, or for fireproof cement. Combined with clay, it forms the familiar fuel of our gas stoves, which burns, but is not consumed, and it has proved of very special value in the manufacture of a safety paint, and an indestructible filter for acids, or for electric gloves.

LATE CHARTERS.

The schooner Chesley, now at New York, has been fixed to load lumber at Annapolis and Bear River for Clan Puigos.

The schooner Viator, 804 tons, will load plaster at Hillsboro for Chester at \$15.00.