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Corsets a specialty.  
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Cleanest, Cheapest, Best.

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## LADIES' VESTS

Our 48c. Quality, the  
Unshrinkable Kind,  
The Best Value in  
Town.

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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
Special Notice...  
Sawed Soft Wood...  
Men's Overcoats...  
Iron Tools...  
To Let...  
For Sale...

## LOCAL NEWS.

The first calendar to reach the Star  
office this season is that issued by the  
Imperial Life Assurance Co. of Canada.  
J. F. Driscoll, special agent, St. John.  
It is a very handsome calendar.

Mr. Atkinson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is  
still continuing his course of lectures  
on the "Liberation of the Vessels of  
the Jewish Ritualism," at Gospel Hall, 50  
Paradise Row. The next lecture will  
be given on Tuesday evening at eight  
o'clock, subject, "The Table of Shew-  
bread." On Thursday at the same hour  
the lecture will be on the Golden Altar  
of Incense, an on the following Sunday  
at seven o'clock in the evening the  
lecture will be on the tabernacle build-  
ing itself, illustrative of the household  
of saints now being gathered out of  
the world according to Ephes. ii. 22.

## W. K. REYNOLDS DYING.

He Was Operated on at the Hospital  
This Afternoon.

W. K. Reynolds was yesterday after-  
noon removed from the American hotel  
to the General Public Hospital, where  
he is this afternoon being operated up-  
on. The operation is being performed  
by Dr. G. A. B. Addy, assisted by Dr.  
W. A. Christie.

Reports from the hospital are to the  
effect that Mr. Reynolds is in a very  
serious condition, and it is not believ-  
ed that he can recover from his ill-  
ness. Although he may stand the op-  
eration it is very doubtful whether he  
can survive for many hours.

In the death of Mr. Reynolds the  
province will lose one of the most  
clever and racy contributors to the  
press. He was a free lance in journal-  
ism, a clever critic and had a keen  
sense of humor. He had many warm  
friends, and a very wide circle of ac-  
quaintances, who will learn of his  
death at a comparatively early age  
with sincere regret.

Mr. Reynolds is a native of St. John  
and received his early education here.  
He began the study of law in the office  
of Gray & Kaye, but subsequently  
he abandoned law for journalism, en-  
tering regular newspaper work on the  
staff of the Daily News. He was later  
connected with the Tribune and the  
Telegraph leaving the latter in 1876 to  
edit the Sackville Borer. Since  
then he has worked on the Boston  
Globe, and during 1888 was editor of  
the Troy, N. Y., Daily News. Later in  
that year he worked as night editor of  
the Boston Post, which position he held  
until his return to New Brunswick.

In 1887, in company with  
J. S. Knowles, who established the  
Grippeck, and during 1890 he was  
editor of Progress. In July, 1898, he  
began the publication of the New Brun-  
swick Magazine, and in 1900 he started  
the St. John Freeman. In the provin-  
cial elections of 1899 he ran for St.  
John county on the government ticket  
and was defeated by a majority of 23  
votes. In addition to the journalistic  
work he has written and published sev-  
eral books such as Old Time Tragedies,  
which attained a wide local circula-  
tion. He was a prominent Mason until  
1894, when he was received into the  
Catholic church. He is a member of  
the N. B. Historical Society, has held  
official positions in the A. O. H., and is  
past president of the Hibernian  
Knights. He is unmarried.

## TEA AND SALE.

Interesting Affair in Centenary Church  
School Room This Evening.

The Hiram's Mission Band of Cen-  
tenary church is holding a tea and  
sale in the school rooms of the church  
this afternoon and evening. In the  
basement twelve tea tables have been  
conveniently arranged, while the large  
room on the upper floor is devoted to  
the different booths.

The ladies in charge of the different  
tables are:  
Ice cream—Mrs. F. A. Godsoe, Misses  
Helen MacMichael, F. Muriel Hea,  
Beatrice Lockhart, Mary McCarthy,  
Ethel Baird, May Sandall and Lulu  
Craibe.

Fancy table—Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. J.  
Hunter White, Misses Georgie Mott,  
Ida Godsoe and Ella Hay.  
Apron table—Miss Seeley and Miss  
Dawson.  
Doll table—Miss Gertrude Reid and  
Miss Murphy.  
Candy table—Miss Murray, Miss Eve-  
lyn Stockton and Miss Edna Austin.  
Tea tables in charge of Mrs. G. M.  
Campbell and Miss Minnie Allen: 1.  
Mrs. Rothery McLaughlin, Miss Laura  
McLaughlin. 2. Miss Salter, Miss Belle  
Shaw. 3. Mrs. W. Price, Miss Edith  
Murphy. 4. Miss Florence Reid; Miss  
Maggie Vincent. 5. Miss Bessie Har-  
rison, Miss Maggie Crawford. 6. Miss  
Catherine Thorne, Miss Alice McCar-  
thy. 7. Mrs. Hugh McCavour, Miss  
Birdie Tufts, Miss Lottie Alexander.  
8. Miss Mabel Barbour, Miss Jean  
Nixon. 9. Miss Belle Archibald,  
Miss Blanche Allen. 10. Miss  
Trueman, Miss Fannie Jenkins. 11.  
Miss Susie Turner, Miss Annie Bal-  
zey, Miss Ethel Purchase. 12. Mrs.  
Robert Price, Miss Florence Bowman,  
Miss Hannah Logan.

Tea and coffee—Mrs. W. G. Smith  
and Mrs. Salter.  
Carving—Mrs. C. E. MacMichael, Mrs.  
Calkin and Mrs. F. R. Murray.  
The sale starts at half-past four  
o'clock. Tea will be served from six  
till eight, and afterwards a musical  
programme will be rendered.

## MR. DALEY WINS.

The long battle over the vacant ap-  
prenticeship in the customs house is  
over. Despite the strong opposition  
put up by rival candidates, who suc-  
ceeded in holding up the appointment  
for some time, Mr. Daley has won the  
fight, and entered upon his duties to-  
day.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 2.—East-  
ern States and Northern N. Y.—In-  
creasing cloudiness tonight; Wednes-  
day—Rain; winds becoming east and  
fresh to brisk.

## SCOOPED AGAIN.

Way the Star Failed to Record a  
Magisterial Edit.

The Star confesses to being scooped  
on the disposal of Frederick Buchan-  
an. Really the police court reporter  
will have to get onto his job and be  
more careful. It is with regret that  
this paper finds another explanation  
necessary, but in justice to its readers  
the matter must be explained.

Yesterday a paragraph appeared  
stating that Buchanan had been exam-  
ined by Dr. James Christie and would  
shortly be disposed of. When this  
paragraph was written Buchanan was  
enjoying liberty. He had evidently  
been discharged on Saturday.

Mr. Henderson, clerk of the police  
court, was asked what had been done  
in the Buchanan case. He replied that  
the prisoner had been examined by Dr.  
Christie, but that he, Mr. Henderson,  
did not know what report had been  
made. He believed, however, that Bu-  
chanan would go to either the asylum  
of the jail, as the magistrate felt dis-  
posed to publish him. This morning  
Mr. Henderson said that he knew noth-  
ing about Buchanan being discharged  
until he read it in the morning pa-  
pers.

Chief Clark endeavors to keep a re-  
cord of all criminal matters, and he  
was not aware that Buchanan had been  
let go until the announcement appear-  
ed in this morning's paper.

Deputy Jenkins did not know that  
the prisoner had been brought before  
the court for disposal.

The guard room officer was in the  
same state of total ignorance, and the  
court room sergeant admitted that he  
knew absolutely nothing of the mat-  
ter.

It is from these persons that the po-  
lice court news is received, and as  
none of them had any idea of what  
had been done they were naturally  
unable to give information. This will  
account for the Star's negligence in  
not securing the news earlier. It may  
be added that Buchanan is now at lib-  
erty. He was let go for brutally as-  
saulting his father, who is 93 years old.  
Having honored his parents his days  
should be long in the land.

## A MATRIMONIAL EVENT.

A social event which is attracting  
more than the usual amount of inter-  
est in Carleton will take place this  
evening, when one of the most popular  
citizens of the west side will unite his  
fortune with that of a north end lady.

William Smith, constable, whose un-  
varying good nature and cheerful go-  
meaner have won for him the appella-  
tion of "Whistling William," will again  
tempt fate by launching the bark of  
his happiness upon the sea of matri-  
monial bliss. Mr. Smith is an experi-  
enced navigator on this tempestuous  
sea, but the storms encountered on  
previous voyages have not disheart-  
ened him. The last of his choice, Mrs.  
Vincent of Simonds street, has also  
had pilots on her journey through life,  
and with two such well qualified  
helmsman the ship of fate should move  
quickly and safely onward towards the  
far-off shore, and avoiding the rocks  
and shoals, upon which so many frail  
craft are wrecked, come at last to the  
harbor of refuge in which all is calm.  
The marriage will take place at seven  
o'clock at Mr. Smith's house, Rev. Mr.  
Burgess officiating.

## ALD. BULLOCK'S CAMPAIGN.

At the meeting of the common coun-  
cil yesterday Ald. Bullock moved that  
a committee be appointed to look into  
the working of the liquor license act.  
He stated that the liquor men sold on  
Sundays. It is worthy of note that on  
Sunday last Ald. Bullock searched for  
evidence in support of his statement.  
He found that John Walsh was in his  
saloon attending to the fire in his  
stove. William Keefe, who has re-  
cently started in business on Union  
street, was also in his place attending  
to some little details of the arrange-  
ment of the interior of the establish-  
ment, which is just now being fitted  
up. The Star is informed that neither  
of these men had any intention of sell-  
ing liquor, and at least one of them  
was not aware that he was violating  
the law by having a light in his saloon  
on Sunday.

## A FIRE ALARM.

About seven o'clock this morning an  
alarm was rung in from the 412 fire  
blaze on the roof of the General Public  
hospital. A spark had fallen from the  
chimney and started the fire. One of  
the hospital staff went up with a buck-  
et of water and put out the blaze be-  
fore the department reached the scene.

## The Owl Says

You can save money by dealing at  
**ARNOLD'S.**

We have about 1,200 Pairs LADIES' and  
CHILDREN'S GLOVES, Fancy Fingwood  
and Cashmere. Prices: 12c., 15c., 16c., 18c.,  
20c. to 40c. per pair.

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEARS, 12c. to 40c.  
LADIES' VESTS, 14c. to 75c. each.  
LADIES' WOOL HOSE, 15c., 18c., 25c.  
MEN'S WOOL SOCKS, 12c., 15c., 17c. to  
25c.

**DOLLS, TOYS, Etc.**  
During the past few weeks we have opened  
eighteen (18) cases of Xmas goods, our show  
will be ready in a few days.

Arnold's Department Store,

15 Charlotte St.

## NIGHT CLASSES

—IN—

ELEMENTARY AND ADVANCED

## ARITHMETIC.

Special course under first class  
teacher. Open every night (Sat-  
day excepted).

**THE CURRIE BUSINESS UNIVERSITY**  
20 Canterbury Street.

## NAVY LEAGUE.

Strong Branch Organized in  
St. John This Morning.

Jas. F. Robertson Elected President

—Membership of 65—Plans of  
Operation Formulated.

A branch of the proposed Navy Le-  
ague was organized in St. John this  
morning, with a membership of sixty-  
five of the most prominent men of the  
city.

James F. Robertson was elected pres-  
ident; His Worship Mayor White  
and W. M. Jarvis, president of the  
board of trade, vice-presidents, and  
Capt. Beverly R. Armstrong, secretary  
treasurer.

The following executive committee  
was named: Lt. Col. J. R. Armstrong,  
W. S. Fisher, Robt. Thomson, Dr. Mur-  
ray McLaren, Lt. Col. Geo. West Jones,  
G. Sidney Smith, S. D. Scott, Geo. Rob-  
ertson, Lt. Col. W. H. McLean, J. M.  
Finley and Mr. Justice Barker.

Those who enrolled themselves as  
members this morning were:  
His Worship Mayor Walter W.  
White, W. M. Jarvis, Hon. H. A. Mc-  
Keown, Hon. C. N. Skinner, J. D. Ha-  
zen, Lt. Col. J. R. Armstrong, Judge  
Arthur I. Trueman, Lt. Col. Hugh H.  
McLean, M. B. Edwards, Lt. Col. E. T.  
Sturdee, Ald. T. B. Robinson, R. B.  
Emerson, James F. Robertson, Lt. Col.  
A. J. Armstrong, Thomas Millidge,  
J. de Wolfe Spurr, H. B. McLeod, J.  
Freder Gregory, Joseph Finley, Harry  
W. deForest, Ald. John B. M. Baxter,  
G. Sidney Smith, Lt. Col. Alf. Mark-  
ham, J. S. Armstrong, Robt. Thomson,  
W. Hawker, C. F. Kinnear, Lt. G. Mur-  
raw, J. A. Clarke, Capt. Beverly R.  
Armstrong, S. D. Scott, E. H. McAl-  
pine, Daniel J. Fraser, J. W. Daniel, W.  
S. Fisher, Dr. Murray McLaren, W. H.  
Thorne, Chief Justice W. H. Tuck,  
Supt. James Osborne, C. M. Bostwick,  
George McLeod, John C. Miles, Judge  
P. McLeod, Judge J. G. Forbes, James  
E. Cowan, J. Morris Robinson, J. P.  
Ashworth, manager of Bank of Mont-  
real; R. Keith Jones, F. Caverhill  
Jones, Herbert C. Tilley, F. H. Arnaud,  
T. P. Blair, W. E. Staver, Albert T.  
Watson, W. Watson Allan, Geo. V.  
McInerney, Wm. Murdoch, W. Greig,  
Dr. T. D. Walker, Alex. Macaulay,  
James Knox, Thos. Stead, F. A. Jones,  
Jas. Manchester, Rev. Mr. McNeill.

It was decided to fix the annual fee  
at \$2, of which 25 per cent. goes to the  
home branch and two shillings for sub-  
scription to the Navy Journal.

After the election of officers Mr.  
Wyatt, the envoy under whom the  
league was organized, was called upon  
to speak. He did so briefly, expressing  
his gratitude for the kind reception  
given him in St. John and the great  
encouragement afforded him in his  
work. He pointed out the various  
ways the league could accomplish its  
mission, which was to create and in-  
crease public sentiment in favor of the  
development of the power of the em-  
pire. Among other ways he mention-  
ed were the circulation of literature,  
delivering addresses at meetings of  
friendly and fraternal societies, writ-  
ing for the press and above all bring-  
ing their personal influence to bear  
upon the members of the community  
in which they lived. He urged the pres-  
ent members to do all they could to  
gather into the organization all mem-  
bers of the population, to secure the in-  
fluence and enthusiasm of the young and  
the talent of the ladies.

Mr. Wyatt left on the noon train for  
Halifax, whence he will go to Char-  
lottetown and thence to Montreal and  
his trip west across the continent.

It was decided at the meeting this  
morning to ask Dr. Geo. H. Parkin to  
address the league at his next visit to  
St. John.

Votes of thanks were passed to Mr.  
Wyatt and to the newly elected presi-  
dent for his acceptance of the difficult  
office.

## THE CATTLE TRADE.

Mayor Receives Telegrams in Response  
to Those He Sent Yesterday.

In answer to his telegrams sent yes-  
terday, with reference to St. John re-  
lations to the cattle trade under the  
present conditions, Mayor White has  
received several acknowledgments. To  
the telegrams sent to Hon. A. G. Blair,  
Hon. Mr. Fisher, in the absence of the  
minister of railways, replied last night,  
promising that all in the power of the  
government would be done along the  
lines indicated in the mayor's despatch.

A telegram of thanks for the mes-  
sage sent has been received from the  
Leland line of steamships, and Foreign  
Freight Agent Corbett, of the C. P. R.,  
has wired his intention to give as much  
publicity as possible to the advantages  
of St. John as a port for winter cattle  
shipment.

## PRESENTED WITH A PURSE.

William McIsaac, the popular elec-  
trician of the Mispic pulp mill, who  
was recently married, was given a  
pleasant surprise on Saturday. The  
employees of the pulp mill, desiring to  
show their good feeling toward him,  
contributed a purse of \$25, which was  
presented on their behalf by Lawton  
Greenleaf, who at the same time tes-  
tified to the personal popularity of Mr.  
McIsaac. The latter warmly expressed  
his thanks for the gift, but was  
more delighted with the friendly feel-  
ing of which it was the token.

## BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of the late William J.  
Morrison took place at half-past two  
o'clock this afternoon from his late  
residence, 160 Leinster street. Rev. Dr.  
J. A. Morrison officiated and interment  
was made in Fernhill.

The body of Mrs. Clark, mother of  
Rev. Mr. Clark, formerly of this city,  
who died in Boston a few days ago,  
was brought to the city by the noon  
train today and taken by the steamer  
Hampstead to Hampstead, where in-  
terment will be made.

W. H. Hayward Company have im-  
ported over \$10,000 worth of new fancy  
china direct from European factories.  
During the month of December they  
will carry on a big sale of these goods.

Rarest Bargains in Garments  
For Women and Children.

We will have to devote part of our Cloak Room to the  
display of Christmas Novelties, and have cut prices on ready-  
to-wear garments relentlessly, that will make the clearing  
quick and decisive.

**Women's Jackets**, \$4.50 and 7.95, regular prices \$6.75 to 12.75.  
**Women's Capes** now \$3.95, 5.95, 6.95, 7.95 and 10.00. Some were  
\$15.00.

**Women's Raglan Ulsters** reduced to \$7.50.

**Women's Costumes**, only \$5.00 each.

**Walking Skirts**, \$1.98, 2.75 and 3.98.

**Girls' Coats**, 4 to 14 years, from \$1.98 up.

**Infant's Cloaks**, \$2.19.

**Flannelette Wrappers** \$1.25, regular value 1.75, 2.00 and 2.25.

COME EARLY FOR FIRST CHOICE.

## Morrell &amp; Sutherland.

29 Charlotte St.

Opp. Y. M. C. A.

## ONE CAR LOAD

## FURNITURE!

We are opening this week a car load of Bed-  
room Suites and Sideboards.

**Bedroom Suites from** - \$11.70 upwards.

**Sideboards from** - 10.80 upwards.

All new goods at lowest prices.

## CHAS. S. EVERETT.

91 CHARLOTTE STREET.

## SHOOTING SUPPLIES

... OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

Guns to Hire at Reasonable Rates.

Boxing Gloves, Punching Bags, Indian Clubs, Dumb Bells, etc.

## KEE &amp; BURGESS, SPORTING...

105 UNION STREET (Near Opera House) St. John, N. B.

SEE OUR DISPLAY OF

## IRON TOYS,

Consisting of Fire Engines, Hose Carts, Hook and Ladder  
Trucks, Railway Trains, etc., at prices from 30c. to \$1.50.

## C. F. BROWN, 501-5 Main Street.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—President  
Roosevelt delivered his message to con-  
gress today. He expressed the belief  
that the evils in trust organizations  
could be prevented by congress, and  
the people should not shrink from  
amending the constitution to assure  
the power sought. The question of  
the regulation of the trusts stood apart  
from tariff revision. He believed the  
tariff on anthracite coal should be re-  
moved. He hoped that a secretary of  
commerce would be created with a seat  
in the cabinet, and trusted the senate  
would ratify the reciprocity treaty,  
with Newfoundland, which is substan-  
tially on the lines of the Blaine con-  
vention. He endorsed the Panama  
canal scheme, and said there should  
be no halt in the work of building up  
the navy.

## THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Maritime—North-  
west winds, partly cloudy and colder;  
Wednesday—Fair weather followed at  
night by south gales with sleet or rain.

## THE PLAINTIFF WON.

The case of Smith vs. Cushing, an  
action for personal injuries received  
in the defendant's mill at Union Point,  
last April, and which has been before  
Judge Hanington and a jury in the  
circuit court the past week, was con-  
cluded at 10.45 o'clock last night. The  
jury found for the plaintiff and as-  
sessed the damages at \$92.70. The  
plaintiff was stayed on motion of L. A.  
Curry, K. C.; D. Mullin, K. C., and L.  
P. D. Tilley for the plaintiff; and L. A.  
Curry, K. C., and Charles F. Sanford  
(Barnhill & Sanford) for the defend-  
ant.

Girls' coats from \$1.98 up at Morrell  
& Sutherlands.

## POLICE COURT.

Violators of By-laws Dealt With This  
Morning.

No arrests were made yesterday, but  
this morning the magistrate dealt with  
several violations of by-laws. Charles  
Francis and Charles E. Ryan were re-  
ported for encumbering Mill street  
with boxes and barrels. They gave  
satisfactory explanations and were  
excused.

Robert R. Phillips, reported for tar-  
nishing driving his cab on Main street,  
blamed it all on his horse. The ani-  
mals, he said, had acquired a bad hab-  
it of running when they reached one  
particular point. Phillips was fined  
two dollars.

Several persons reported for allow-  
ing water to flow across the pavement  
at their residences on Duke street. Ex-  
plained that this was due to the wa-  
ter running down from the high land  
in rear of their premises. These cases  
were allowed to stand for a few days.

Fred. Baxter was reported for doing  
injury to the interior of his father's  
house on St. David's street. It ap-  
pears that a syndicate was formed in  
the Baxter family some time ago for  
the purchase of a hay cutter. The in-  
strument was worth about four dollars,  
and is owned by the father and Willie  
Fred, who took stock to the extent of  
\$1.25, appears to have been frozen out.  
He went to the house to borrow the  
machine and must have fallen against  
the wall while attempting to dodge a  
flat iron wielded by his brother. The  
damage to the plaster was assessed by  
the father at four dollars, but an  
agreement was reached whereby the  
matter will be settled off, Fred retiring  
gracefully from the hay cutting  
trust.

The tug Flushing arrived from  
Parrashore this morning towing tug  
No. 1, loaded with coal for the C. P. R.

## Satisfaction for the Feet.

In selecting a pair of boots you should consider **Quality,  
Style and Price.**

If you are paying too large a price for the quality and  
style you are getting, please try my store. There you will  
find the prices right.

I sell all classes of Footwear at a small profit, thus giv-  
ing you the best values in the city.

## REVERDY STEEVES,

44 BRUSSELS STREET