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ECONOMY CENTRE, ECONOMY CENTRE.
A GREAT SALE OF SILKS.

We have come into possession of a very large quantity of silks at about one-quarter of their regular price, and they go on sale at our store on **THURSDAY** morning at the following prices—

PONGEE SILKS, the 25c. Quality for 10c. a Yard.
These are in all colorings. An excellent silk for linings, millinery purposes and draperies.

WAIST SILKS at 25c. a Yard.
Some of them are worth as high as 75c. They are in all conceivable colors—in plain goods, stripes and plaids.

SATIN SLEEVE LININGS—Regular \$1 Quality at 40c. a Yard
These are an excellent quality and come in dark colors. Are suitable for sleeve linings for Ladies' and Men's Coats. This is the greatest silk bargain we have ever had to offer you. There are silks in the lot that are suitable for any purposes—linings, trimmings, waists, suits, etc.

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SPECIAL SALE OF
Sample Shoes at Cost Prices.

We have just 226 Pairs of these Bargains, including Men's, Boys', Youths', Women's, Misses' and Children's. If your size is among them you had better call at once.

C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts., ST. JOHN, North End.

FURS EXHIBITION FURS THORNE BROS. IN OUR STORE. THORNE BROS.

Ladies' Scarfs, Neck Pieces, Victorines, Muffs, Seal, Persian Lamb and Astrachan Jackets; also, Gents' and Children's Furs. These goods are up to our usual standard of excellence both in style and workmanship.

THORNE BROS., Hatters and Furriers.
93 KING STREET.

HOME FOR INCURABLES.
The October meeting of the board of management of the Home for Incapacitated was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Dr. Walker. Since the last meeting two patients have been admitted. There are now twenty-six in the residence, four in the male ward, nine in the female ward, one in the room for consumptives and six in private rooms.

The house is about filled, and it is now necessary to select from among the applicants those who seem to need the nursing and care that the home affords. No less than seven applications were read and considered at yesterday's meeting. An order was passed for the admission of one applicant, while some of the other requests stand over for further consideration.

Among the donations received last month was a gift of five barrels of flour from David Russell, to whom the thanks of the board were sent.

HONOR FOR TORONTO MAN.
CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—The executive committee of the trustees of Northwestern University have announced the election of Dean Thomas P. Holgate to be acting president of the institution, President Holgate has been identified with the Northwestern since 1895. He was graduated from Toronto University in 1894.

Tams and Coats.

We have just opened two cases of Children's Tams and Coats direct from manufacturer in England.
Tams, 50c. to \$1.00 each.
Coats, \$1.85 to \$5.00 each.
Also Children's Bonnets, Ties, Muffs and Mittens.

Arnold's Department Store
11 and 15 Charlotte St.

The Steamer "Maggie Miller."
Will leave Millidgeville for Summersville, Kennebecasis Island and Baywater, daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 9 a. m., 3:30 and 5:30 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 7 and 10 a. m., and 4:15 p. m.
SATURDAY leaves Millidgeville at 4:45 and 9 a. m., and 3:30, 4:30 and 6 p. m.
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ROBINSON'S
Fine Cakes and Pastry
Good Bread, Confectionery, Ice Cream, Cold Soda.
LUNCHES, TEAS, Etc., Union Street 173

DR. H. D. FRITZ,
Specialist in the treatment of Diseases of the
EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT
HAS REMOVED TO
170 P. BALDWIN STREET.

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THE DAYLIGHT STORE.

ONE HOUR SALE

BETWEEN 8 and 9 TONIGHT.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock tonight we will sell a lot of soiled and mussed Corset Covers for 10c.

Nicely trimmed. Come and see and buy.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets.
Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All changes of Ads Must be in Star Office, Not Later than 10 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

Millinery opening at Miss Florence Pym's, 67 Broad street will continue until Saturday.

A few nice front rooms, with first class board at reasonable rates. Ottawa Hotel, King Square.

Good heavy soft wood, \$120. Broad Cove coal, \$3.50 per load. Watter's, Walker's Wharf. Phone 612.

Much complaint is made by residents of Douglas' house, which is not done but that we should take some part in the election which is now on in favor of our house, and courtesy which are in peril at this time, more so than in 1896, for at that time the fast line was the issue, but now our life as a city is at stake in this Grand Trunk Pacific deal where the government now in power has sold itself to the Grand Trunk Railway Company.

At the end of the election in '96 the voters present by unanimous vote decided that the Grand Trunk Pacific should not be built, but if it should be built it should be called a public meeting and request the members of the Board of Trade, who signed the petition, to call a public meeting in favor of public ownership, to address the people in favor of it. I am sure Mr. McLaughlin or his associate in the county who took so much interest in our city in '96 will not be backward in taking his place and help hold up our own ports as against Portland, Me.

There is no need of independent party candidates in this election, but we can help elect those who are pledged to all the Grand Trunk Pacific deal and to make this a national party. Just think what that means. Eight hundred thousand dollars paid over to the city for our improvements at Sand Point, the interest of which will lessen the taxes of each taxpayer \$1.00 per head, and then, by public ownership every pound of freight originating on the railway will be saved by Canadian ports instead of by Portland, Me.

I hope Mr. Hatheway may accept my suggestion and call a meeting. Now is the time for independent voters to get together as they can settle the election. I remain as ever, yours truly, E. W. PAUL.

WELCOME FOR EVA BOOTH.

Salvation Army Making Great Preparations for Their Leader's Visit.—The Programme.

The Salvation Army officials are planning on a big time in connection with the visit of Eva Booth to this city. Miss Booth is expected to arrive here Saturday on the Montreal express and will be accompanied by Col. Jacobs, chief secretary, Lieut. Col. Pughmore, A. D. C., and Staff Captain Page, Miss Booth's private secretary. The great leader will be met at the station by the leading Army officers, though the reception will be but a preliminary. She will stay at Col. Sharpe's residence, while in this city. Three meetings will be held in the public hall on Sunday, and on Monday night the farewell address will be given. His worship, Mayor White, will occupy the chair. Hon. H. A. McKewen and Judge Forbes will also speak, and a number of other prominent citizens will occupy seats on the platform.

EASTERN LINE SUE.

Schooner Eleanor Wants Heavy Damages for Injuries Received in Collision in the Harbor.

The trial of the case of the schooner Eleanor Mitchell, against the International field worker, the coming Sunday, Mr. Pearce will address two meetings, one in the Main street Baptist church at four o'clock in the afternoon, and the other in Centenary church in the evening. Mr. Pearce is a capable speaker and his addresses are always full of interest.

The first witness this morning was Capt. Alcorn of the schooner Eleanor Mitchell. He said that on the morning of July 5th his schooner carried an anchor outside of the harbor and the fog was thick at the time, and the heavy wind which was blowing made it impossible for him to see the schooner. The fog was so thick at the time, and the heavy wind which was blowing made it impossible for him to see the schooner. The fog was so thick at the time, and the heavy wind which was blowing made it impossible for him to see the schooner.

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A St. John Lady Makes Presentation to Rev. Father Ryan—The Pledge Made at St. Anne de Beaupre.

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A CALL TO THE INDEPENDENTS.

The City and Port are in Grave Danger.

A Chance for the Independents of 1896 to Get Together and Strike Hard.

To the Editor of the Star:
As one of the executive of the Independent Party of 1896, I have been talking to quite a number who composed it. I find there is a unanimous feeling that our work is not done but that we should take some part in the election which is now on in favor of our house, and courtesy which are in peril at this time, more so than in 1896, for at that time the fast line was the issue, but now our life as a city is at stake in this Grand Trunk Pacific deal where the government now in power has sold itself to the Grand Trunk Railway Company.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. Capt. S. G. Fulton will receive on Thursday and Friday afternoons, Oct. 6th and 7th, at Mrs. Babbitt's, 57 St. James street.

Venerable Archdeacon Richardson of London, Ont., is in the city, the guest of his son-in-law, L. P. D. Tilley.

F. L. Alkman, having established a lodge of the Canadian Elks in St. John having eighty-six charter members, has left St. John for Toronto. Mr. Alkman intends establishing a lodge of Elks in Halifax.

Miss Ethel Morris of Harvey, Albert county, returned home yesterday after spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Ward.

A. M. Rowan of the north end is ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. Curren of Fairville, N. B., formerly Miss Mabel Virtue, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Chas. Virtue, Hutchinson street. Mrs. Curren sang the solo parts in the service at St. Andrew's church yesterday afternoon.

Montreal Witness.
H. Veal, of Bradstreet's staff, is seriously ill with typhoid fever at the hospital, Moncton.

R. W. Frink yesterday moved into his handsome new house, 114 Leiston street, which he bought from H. S. Wright.

Adjutant and Mrs. Jennings, of the Salvation Army, left last evening for Peterboro, Ont., where they will be stationed.

SHARP ELECTION WORK.

How the Liberals Are Bribing Nova Scotia Farmers in Advance With Cheap Hay.

A gentleman from Antigonish, N. S., who is visiting the city today, tells an interesting story of a typical Grit election device in Nova Scotia.

The hay crop in Antigonish this year is very poor and some time ago a request was made of transportation, as the railways that, as the farmers there had to import hay, the L. C. R. should grant a low rate of transportation, and they had done for Upper Canadians during the coal famine a couple of years ago. On August 31st a meeting of the municipal council was held, at which Mr. Emmerson and Mr. Fielding and Sir Frederick Borden were present. The request was then tendered but no answer was given.

But on Saturday, September 24, nearly a month later, the Conservatives of that county nominated a candidate to oppose the present Liberal M. P., Mr. McIsaac. A couple of hours after the nomination of Mr. McIsaac and S. M. McDonald, the Liberal candidate in Pictou county left for Moncton. On Monday they wired back last satisfactory arrangements had been made about the hay transportation and a few days later it was announced that, while all that had been asked was a reduced freight rate, the beneficent government had decided to allow importation of hay from the upper provinces free of all traffic charges.

Since then the municipal council of Antigonish has bought 2,000 tons and the Pictou council 1,000 tons from a Quebec firm at a very low rate and the farmers and hay merchants of this province can compete with. And, of course, every farmer who gets any is immensely told of the beneficence of the government which is giving him his hay cheaper than he could raise it.

POLICE COURT.

Today was civic court day at the police court and in the absence of Judge Ritchie, who is attending the Pugsley banquet, Clerk Henderson presided.

There was only one drunk before the court. Howard Newton, thirty-one years of age, hailing from Nova Scotia, was fined eight dollars for drunkenness and indecent exposure.

AN R. L. BORDEN CLUB.

Young Conservatives Will Form a New Organization.
Tomorrow evening the younger portion of the Conservative party in this constituency hold a meeting at the Conservative headquarters, Charlotte street, for the purpose of organizing an R. L. Borden Club. The object of the club is to bring together the young men of the city, whether they be voters or not, and of giving them an opportunity, better than they would otherwise have, of becoming acquainted with the political issues of the day. After organization has been completed tomorrow evening, speeches will be made by a number of prominent Conservatives. All young men between eighteen and twenty-five years of age are requested to be present and lend their aid in furthering the organization of the club.

UNION LABEL GUARDED.

A Philadelphia paper in a despatch dated Gettysburg, Pa., Sept. 15, tells of the conviction and sentencing to twenty months in jail of N. G. Meads, of Red River, Pa., for selling cigars with an imitation Union label. Judge Swopa, who presided, spoke of the prisoner's offense as low and mean, one which injured thousands and robbed them of the just rewards of their work. The action was brought by the Cigar Makers' Union.

Morrell & Sutherland. TELEPHONE 1552.

A WINDOW FULL OF UMBRELLAS.

None worth less than 75c.

Sale Price,

49c.

Ladies' and School Girls' Umbrellas, 22 in. frame, mercerized twilled Serge Covering, iron rod, different styles of Congo handles to select from. No Umbrella worth less than 75c. Sale price.....

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27 and 29 Charlotte St., Oppo. Y.M.C.A.

The Particular Man.

With an inclination to wear fine Shoes is the man we want for a customer. Nothing desirable, that any gentleman will want in fine footwear, is absent from our Fall and Winter lines. We have the finest Shoes brains can create or money can buy—beauties to look at, luxuries to the foot, \$2.00 to \$3.50. Vici Kid, Ideal Kid, Patent Leather, Enamel, etc. If you want well dressed feet, bring them here.

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162 UNION STREET.

Good Butter, 18c. per pound

or 16c. per pound by the Tub.
PURE LARD, 10c. per lb.; \$1.75 per Fail.
PERFECTLY CLEANED CURRANTS, 6c. per lb.
HIGH GRADE SALMON, 12c. per Can.
FRESH EGGS, 20c. per Dozen.
Goods delivered to Carleton or Fairville every day.

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THIS EVENING.

Vaudville at York Theatre.
Y. M. C. A. receding.
Annual meeting of St. John Christian Endeavor Union in Waterloo Street Free Baptist church.
Meeting of Nov. 2 and 3 Co. 3rd R. C. A., to return clothing and receive pay.
Meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in Trinity church.
Salvation Army Harvest Festival Sole, Mill street barracks.

PHILADELPHIANS AND SNAILS.

(Brooklyn Eagle).
John Barber, of the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange, tells of a hustling young collector for a New York publishing house. The youth was valiantly trying to sell a set of books to a Philadelphia bank cashier, and at last got so excited he accused the cashier of being slower than molasses in January. "You people here can't even eat snails!" he said. "Why not?" asked the cashier. "You can't catch them!"

'Swagger Overcoats!

That Keep Their Shape. That Are Easy to Buy. That Can be Relied Upon.

For \$10
In fact a number of Overcoats, Plain and Fancy Prices, Cheviots and Vicunas. All the fashionable stripes, perfectly tailored.

NO GARMENT LEAVES OUR HOUSE UNLESS IT FITS THE PERSON FOR WHOM IT IS INTENDED PERFECTLY!

For \$15
Brown and Grey Cheviots and Vicunas. Natty stripes and high-class work throughout. Very swell.

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For \$12
A handsome Dark Grey Cheviot with self-stripe, also Plain Grey Vicuna. Trimmings and style up to the hour.

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