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AT McLEAN'S BARGAINS FOR TO-NIGHT AND SATURDAY White Lawn, 40 inches wide, 10, 12 and 15 cents yard. 1/2 Gallon Bean Crocks, 10c; Tea Pots, 10, 12 and 15 cents. Lamp Chimneys, all sizes, 10, 12 and 15 cents. 1/2 dozen Decorated Cups and Saucers, 25 cents. 1/2 dozen Decorated Plates, 25 cents. Silk Ribbon, 5/4 inches wide, all colors, 15 cents yard. Tea Sets, \$1.98, Toilet Sets, \$1.98. 25c. Box Stationery, for 15 cents. These and other bargains await our customers. McLean's Department Store, 142 Mill St.



SCAMMELL'S SPORTING MATTERS BASKET BALL

ST. STEPHENS WIN AGAIN. Last night in Carleton City Hall the champion St. Stephen team again showed their superiority over the St. George quintette by defeating them by a score of 28 to 20. St. Stephens played a clean and scientific game throughout, having very few fouls called.

BASEBALL WELL KNOWN HEROES. President Paige of the Hamilton Baseball Club announced today that he has signed five players who were with the Bangor, Maine, team last season—a team he was connected with. The quintette are: De Rohan, catcher; Geo. Finmore, short stop; James Norris, first base, and Bill Gleason and H. Covey, pitchers. The last named is a southpaw, and Mr. Paige says he is a good one—Hamilton Times.

ON THE ALLEYS THE BEAVERS WON. The Beavers were successful in the bowling match against the Micmacs last night. The winners have played seven games and lost none, giving them first place in the league. The score was as follows: Micmacs G. Doherty, 79 78 83 237 H. Downey, 79 82 75 243 H. Gillard, 78 77 81 254 C. Tritts, 82 78 80 235 F. Harrington, 82 78 80 235 J. Bain, 84 81 82 250 Total, 1229 Beavers E. Cowan, 84 89 85 258 F. Johnston, 79 88 78 236 C. Tritts, 82 79 88 260 F. Smith, 86 79 85 252 W. Lingley, 82 82 88 252 Total, 1212 Standing of the Teams Won. Lost Beavers, 7 0 Newman Brothers, 6 0

Electric, 4 3 Micmacs, 3 5 Yanigans, 2 5 Iroquois, 0 8 The monthly roll off will be held to-night. A gold watch fob will be given as a prize.

MESSRS. KING AND McAVITY HAVE RESIGNED

FREDERICTON, April 2—Premier Hasen this morning received the resignations of Senator King of Chipman, Queens county, and George McAVITY of St. John, as commissioners of the Central Railway. The resignations will be placed before the government at the next meeting in this city on the 9th inst., and will undoubtedly be accepted. The present superintendent of the railway will be retained for the present at least, and will be in charge until the new commissioners have been appointed. It is understood that when the new commissioners are appointed one will be a practical railway man of long experience and that the other will be a successful business man of wide experience.

CANADIAN PACIFIC MAIL CONTRACT TO HONG KONG

MONTREAL, April 2—The contract of the Canadian Pacific with the British authorities for the conveyance of the mails between London and Hong Kong, the service in which the overseas limited has been employed, comes to an end in about a month. In fact, this week's sailing from Liverpool is the last westward-bound trip, though there is one more from the east. Negotiations are in progress looking for a renewal, but whether one can be arranged or not is yet impossible to say.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK RAILWAY BILL ADOPTED

OTTAWA, Ont., April 2—Mr. Michaud of Victoria and Madawaska got the Quebec and New Brunswick Railway bill adopted by the commons railway committee today. It is for an extension of building rights in northern New Brunswick.

REPORTS FROM SEALING FLEET

HALIFAX, N. S., April 2—A dispatch from Bay St. Lawrence reports the sealing steamer Viking, with twenty thousand seals on board and enough killed to fulfil loading. This is the first report from the Newfoundland fleet.

Easter Cards Some of the prettiest Easter post-cards and presentation cards ever designed have been issued by the firm of Raphael Tuck & Sons, long the leaders in this artistic enterprise. The designs are varied and beautiful, ranging from the plain cards to dainty and elaborate creations in presentation envelopes. Also newly issued are some admirable picture postcards depicting Canadian spots and scenery, the Rocky Mountain pictures being particularly beautiful.

BEAUTIFUL AND CORRECT

SPRING SUITS AND OVERCOATS

It is our determination to demonstrate NOW AND CONCLUSIVELY that as manufacturers in Men's and Boys' Clothing we sell highest class garments at 25 per cent. less than the same goods can be bought elsewhere. To prove this statement we ask that you include our stock in your inspection and comparison of other values and judge for yourself. Particular attention is directed to the following sale Saturday—

Men's Suits Men's Suits in Plaids and Mixed Goods, former price \$8.00, Saturday... \$4.50 Men's Suits in Mixed and Plaid Goods, former price, \$10.00, Saturday... 6.59 Men's Suits in Scotch and Hewson Tweeds, former price \$12, Saturday... 8.00

Spring Overcoats

Men's Fancy Striped Overcoats, former price \$11.00, Saturday... \$ 8.00 Men's Gray Overcoats, former price \$14.00, Saturday... 10.00 Men's Black Overcoats, former price \$15.00, Saturday... 12.00 Men's Rain Topper (Something New) Regular \$10.00 values, 4.99 Youth's Rain Topper (Something New) Regular \$8.50, 4.49

Union Clothing Co., 26-28 CHARLOTTE STREET, Opposite City Market. ALEX. CORBET, Manager

LOCAL NEWS

WANTED at the Royal Hotel, one kitchen girl; also an assistant pastry cook. 2-4

Several good cooks wanted at A. Gilmour's, 68 King street. Steady employment at the finest class of work. Apply at once.

There's an art in washing and ironing; any housewife will tell you that. Uggie's Laundry people have acquired all the fine points.

The annual meeting of the St. John Tennis Club will be held on Monday evening next at eight o'clock in the rooms of the Church of England Institute.

If you want to be an economical buyer trade with us. You are sure of saving one-quarter of cost anywhere else. Ladies' skirts \$1.48. Ladies' waists 35c. J. Ashkins, 455 Main St.

Your opportunity is right here. Thursday and Friday you can buy a \$10.00 Spring Overcoat for \$4.99 at the Union Clothing Company, 26-28 Charlotte street, opposite City Market.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

It is reported that W. W. Hubbard will be manager of the exhibition this year, with F. M. Schlanders as his assistant. The matter has not been definitely arranged yet, however. Work on the prize list is going forward satisfactorily.

In buying at the Union you buy direct from the makers and save the middleman's profits. That's why we sell so low. Union Clothing Company, 26-28 Charlotte St. Opp. City Market.

Another shipment of white lawn 40 inches wide, 10 yards for \$10.00. 3 patterns decorated cups and saucers, regular \$1.00 quality, tonight and all day Saturday 50c per half doz. McLean's Department Store, 142 Mill St.

The great removal sale at Henderson & Hunt's has started in with a rush. The bargains offered at this sale have been such as to send many a purchaser away contented and happy. Tomorrow, Saturday, will be the banner day. New lots of goods have been added, and intending purchasers should call early in the day and not wait until the evening rush is on. Extra salespeople will be added for the tomorrow.

As the result of her exertions in running to catch a street car yesterday, Miss Gregg, who lives at 50 Mecklenburg street, fell in a swoon just as she entered the car. The other passengers were afraid she was dead, and she was soon able to leave for her home.

The hazard in aid of the Seaman's Mission was brought to a successful close last night. The promenade concert under the direction of D. Arnold Fox was the feature of the evening. The various numbers were performed by local entertainers, and the latter two days it was carried on by a considerable fund for the building fund of the Seaman's Mission.

Two cases of smallpox have developed within a few miles from here. One case is that of Charles Hildout, who is living at the home of Amos Watson, Sr., Undine, the other is that of John McCuskey of Grand Falls Postage. Both have been reported to the Board of Health and the proper steps taken—Victoria Co. News.

IN PARLIAMENT

OTTAWA, April 2—Judge Cassels is authorized to investigate all allegations reflecting on the integrity of officials of the Marine Department.

The order in council authorizing Judge Cassels to investigate the charges was tabled yesterday and he will act.

The commission quotes the civil service report in regard to the great expenditures of the department and in regard to the lack of discounts granted the department.

The order states Mr. Brodeur assumes from that statement an allegation that commissions are received improperly and that enhanced prices are paid through dishonesty of officials.

The reorganization of the department has been left to the minister and has already been commenced.

The budget debate was closed to-night and there are several disappointed members as a result. Mr. Armstrong of Lambton and Mr. Wilson of Lennox had criticized the government in the afternoon. Mr. Hughes of P. E. I. charged the opposition with misrepresentation and Monday. Terms cash with order or C. O. D. to transporter.

This offer will apply to any order for Soft Coal FROM A HALF TON UPWARDS.

We offer the largest list of the best Soft Coals in the City to select from.

WINTER PORT NEW BRUNSWICK SCREENED COAL TRY IT AND SAVE MONEY.

SPRINGHILL, THE CLEAN BURNING SOFT COAL THAT LEAVES NO SOOT.

BROAD COVE, CELEBRATED FOR EASY LIGHTING, QUICK, CLEAN FIRES AND SMALL AMOUNT OF ASH.

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TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OFFER and get any quantity of any of these Soft Coals you may require from a half-ton upward to 5 tons, DELIVERED IN BAGS AND PUT IN YOUR BIN FREE OF EXTRA CHARGE.

J. S. GIBSON & CO., Dock, South Street, near North Wharf, and Charlotte Street office, open from 9 o'clock in the morning till 9 o'clock in the evening. Telephone 68.

REMANENT SALE OF OILCLOTHS.

Commencing Saturday morning the Messrs. Amland Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, will hold a big remnant sale of English oilcloths from one yard to ten yards lengths. Those who will participate in this rare sale should do their shopping early so as to avoid the rush.

These remnants are all in the latest patterns and this sale will last only as long as they remain on their floors. See adv.

SOFT COAL PUT IN BIN FREE. If you order at Gibson & Co's this evening, Saturday, Monday, you can get any quantity of soft coal from half ton upwards delivered in bags and put in the bin free of extra charge at the regular price asked for the coal.

The usual charge for bag-delivery and put in the bin is 50c per ton extra. You will save this amount on every ton if you order Friday, Saturday and Monday from Gibson & Co.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE Despite the heavy snowstorm the usual quota of Myrtle-Harder voters saw them present "Lost in the Alps" at the Opera House last night.

The play was up to the usual standard and in conjunction with the many clever specialties scored a decided hit.

"Tonight that beautiful play 'Davy Crockett' will be presented for the first time. This famous play has made a fortune for its author, and the incidents of adventure of this fearless Kentucky hunter.

Manager Harder has given this play a superb scenic dressing and this piece promises to be one of the feature plays of their engagement here.

An extra new vaudeville show is also billed for tonight.

A meeting of the treasury board was held last evening.

Messrs. A. J. Dawson and Charles E. Storr, representing the Standard of the Empire, a weekly proposed to be published as a supplement to the London Standard, appeared before the board to endeavor to have the City of St. John advertised in the new venture.

Both gentlemen addressed the meeting. Mr. Dawson said that the Grand Trunk Railway, the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern, the Dominion government and most of the local governments would take space. The proposed newspaper would have a circulation of about a quarter of a million.

Ald. Frink and Ald. Bullock were appointed a sub-committee to meet with one from the Board of Trade to look into the matter of advertising in the new paper.

Recorder Skinner suggested that correspondence be opened with other cities of Canada concerning the civic servants' appeal which had been taken to the board. It was decided to act on this suggestion.

It was also decided to have notice of motion for the issue of \$50,000 worth of bonds given at the next Common Council meeting. These bonds are to cover expenditures of water and sewerage department and of the ferry department.

After minor business had been taken up the meeting adjourned.

Remnant Sale of Oilcloths!

We will hold a big Remnant Sale of Oilcloths of English manufacture. These remnants are all in the latest patterns, and are from one yard to ten yard lengths, and marked down at greatly reduced prices to clear.

This Sale will only last as long as these remnants remain on our floors. Do your shopping early. Sale starts Saturday morning. No Remnants booked.

Amland Bros., Ltd. Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 Waterloo Street.

AMUSEMENTS

Princess Wesley & McLean, Mgrs. St. John's Most Popular Picture House. TODAY'S BIG SHOW The Crime of Royalty The Baby Show The Woodchopper King He Bought His Baby MR. PERCY BAYCE will sing "SWEETHEART DAYS"

The Nickel is The Thing 4—FOUR GREAT PICTURES—4 HIS THREE SINS A Story of Cavalier Days—Hand Tinted A Good Joke Genii of Fire Comedy A fairy legend "Cap" Kid A Burlesque of The Weber & Fields' Order. Mr. Maxwell Sings When Mandy Said Good Bye Mr. Beckley Sings Gallants of England Special Music By The Orchestra ANY SEAT 5c.

Soft Coal Put in The Bin Free On all cash orders placed at our office Friday evening 2nd, Saturday 4th, and Monday 6th, for Soft Coal of any kind WE WILL SELL YOU THE COAL AT OUR REGULAR DELIVERED PRICE AND DELIVER IT IN BAGS, AND PUT IT IN YOUR BIN ON THE GROUND FLOOR FREE OF EXTRA CHARGE. Our regular charge for bag-delivery is 50 cents per ton above the delivered price of the coal, so that YOU WILL MAKE THIS SAYING ON ALL SOFT COAL you buy from us Friday evening, Saturday and Monday. Terms cash with order or C. O. D. to transporter. This offer will apply to any order for Soft Coal FROM A HALF TON UPWARDS. We offer the largest list of the best Soft Coals in the City to select from. WINTER PORT NEW BRUNSWICK SCREENED COAL TRY IT AND SAVE MONEY. SPRINGHILL, THE CLEAN BURNING SOFT COAL THAT LEAVES NO SOOT. BROAD COVE, CELEBRATED FOR EASY LIGHTING, QUICK, CLEAN FIRES AND SMALL AMOUNT OF ASH. PICTON EGG, ONE OF THE CLEANEST AND STRONGEST HEATING AND LASTING COALS MINED IN NOVA SCOTIA. OLD MINE SYDNEY, THE HIGHEST STANDARD COAL FOR OPEN GRATE FIRES. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OFFER and get any quantity of any of these Soft Coals you may require from a half-ton upward to 5 tons, DELIVERED IN BAGS AND PUT IN YOUR BIN FREE OF EXTRA CHARGE. J. S. GIBSON & CO., Dock, South Street, near North Wharf, and Charlotte Street office, open from 9 o'clock in the morning till 9 o'clock in the evening. Telephone 68. P. S.—PEOPLE IN CARLETON AND FAIRBANKS CAN TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OFFER also by sending in the money with their order. We will not deliver C. O. D. in either Carleton or Fairville. We will endeavor to give prompt delivery to all orders, but, "first come first served." Remember there is no extra charge unless the coal has to be carried upstairs.

OPERA HOUSE Second Week, commencing March 30, THE FAVORITES. Myrtle-Harder Co. Endorsed by every newspaper in St. John as the best Stock Co. travelling. Ask anybody! WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY. Lost in the Alps Big hit. Great play. Wait and see! FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. Davy Crockett A play that has made two fortunes. VAUDEVILLE. Euro Sisters, Clara Evans, Musical Toys, new act; Bruce Morgan, Dancer; Jos. T. Kelly, Holland and Pinkney.

THE CEDAR Amateur Night Tonight. One of the best ever. JIMMY FAIRBANKS and three others in a comedy, sketch entitled Humor Him. This is the funniest turn that Jimmy has ever presented. All New Pictures Today. SONG—"I'd rather two-step than wait, Bill." Owing to the length of the performance admission to-night will be 10 cents. Matinee every day. Prizes for the children Saturday.

CURED OF POLITICS. "Your father is in politics," said the stranger, "is he not?" "Yes," replied the boy, "but mom thinks he's getting' curred of it." "How do you mean?" "Why, his stummock has gone back on him an' he can't drink like hisuster."