



Elizabeth Arden Toiletries

The one place in New Brunswick to find the exclusive Beauty Aids of Elizabeth Arden is the Ross Drug Co. Ltd.

Perhaps there is nothing you could give of greater welcome than a dainty box of one of her famous preparations.

You then shop here just as though in one of Elizabeth Arden's Beauty Salons in Paris, London or Fifth Avenue.

The list is large and covers everything. Rare Perfumes, Creams, Wrinkle and Hollow treatments, Reducing Soap, Skin Food, Talcums, even Rouge.

None more beautifully boxed. None so economically efficient. Sole agents for New Brunswick are

Ross Drug Co., Ltd.
100 King Street

Beaverine Coats

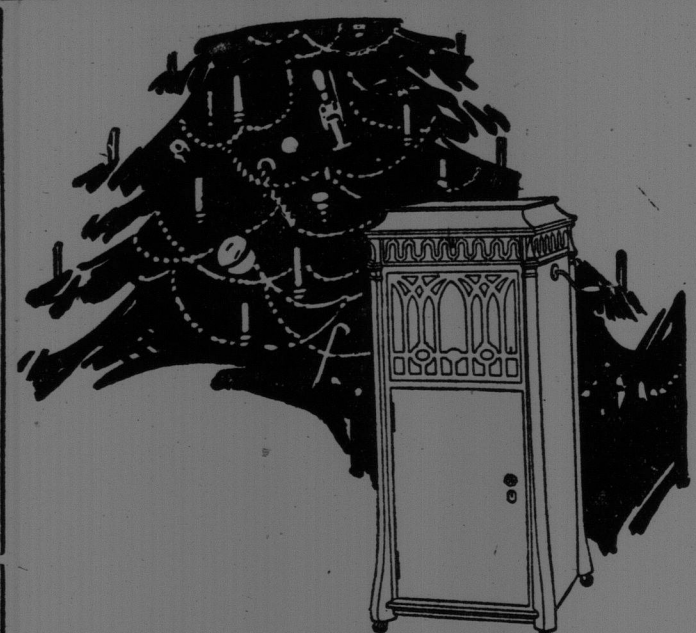
A Fur Coat at Popular Prices

A New Showing of these Coats in Different Styles, has arrived.

Just The Thing For That Gift

F. S. Thomas Limited
539 to 545 Main St.

Leaders Since 1855
W. H. HAYWARD CO., LTD.
85 to 93 Princess Street.



The Family Gift to the Home

Christmas without Carols—A Home without Music. How drab and incomplete it would be.

Now the contrast: "Carol Sweetly Carol," sung by the Metropolitan Quartette—at your very fireside—through New Edison Re-creation, as perfectly in every respect as the famous singers stood before you in the flesh. From the same source, Edison Re-creations of Dance and Operatic Music. Come in and hear the New Edison in our Phonograph Department, 2nd Floor.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.

Store Hours:—8 to 6. Open Saturday Till 10 p. m.

AUTO WRECKED AFTER WILD RUN

Emerson Bros. Truck Smashed Up on Courtenay Bay Flats

Madly Races Down King Street East When Left as Driver Delivers Parcel

Racing madly down King Street East hill and plunging over the seawall, a ton truck owned by Emerson Bros. was wrecked in Courtenay Bay flats this morning. No one was injured.

The truck started on its wild career from near the corner of Pitt street where Roy Livingstone, the driver, had left it while he was delivering a parcel.

STARTS AWAY

While he was calling at a house with the parcel, the truck started away down the hill. It rapidly gathered momentum and by the time the fence work at the foot of the street was reached it was traveling at a terrific pace. The noise made as the truck crashed through the fence attracted many people living in the vicinity.

After ripping its way through the fence the truck, which was covered with a winter top and enclosed cab for the driver, leaped down the 30 foot embankment to the railway track. There it turned over and took a further plunge, this time over the seawall and landed on its top on the flats of Courtenay Bay.

MACHINE WRECKED

The machine was badly wrecked. The winter top was smashed in, the front wheels broken, the windshield wrecked, the steering gear twisted out of shape, the engine partly torn from its fastenings and the mudguards bent into weird shapes. The truck as it lay with the wheels in the air was viewed by many citizens.

It was practically a new one, a member of the firm said this afternoon and he feared that it would prove to be a total loss. He said that efforts were being made to have the remains of the truck lifted at once.

Fortunately no people, teams or other automobiles were in the way as the truck sped on its way to destruction.

MISSING MEN SAFE ON BOARD SCHOONER

Beaver Harbor Schooner Men Held on Vessel Because of Storm Wrecking

The two Beaver Harbor men, Albert Eldridge and Edmund O'Brien, reported missing yesterday, are safe on board the schooner Gideon Huth off the Wolves, having been caught there by the storm late on Tuesday night, according to a long distance message received here this afternoon by the editor of the vessel from a man who was in communication with the men from the other schooner yesterday.

According to this report the men took a new sail off the Gideon Huth and before the repairs were completed the storm made it perilous to leave. They fastened their boat securely astern and are still awaiting smoother weather.

A large motor boat put out from Beaver Harbor just before noon today, but it was forced back by the sea and still running in that locality, it was reported. Since the word has been received that the men are safe it is expected that no further efforts will be made to take them off for as soon as the weather moderates they will be able to return in their own motor boat.

MISS MILLS HEARD ON WORK FOR GIRLS

Visiting National Girls' Work Secretary Addresses Joint Meeting Here

Miss Bona Mills, national girls' work secretary of the United Church of Canada, attended a meeting of the Saint John Girls' Council and the Girls' Leaders conference held jointly in St. Andrews' Sunday school last evening and gave an address on the work of the girls' councils, in the West, and the value of Mission Study in the C. G. I. T. program.

This afternoon Miss Mills was entertained at the tea hour at the home of Mrs. R. G. Fulton, Leinster street, when members of the New Brunswick Girls' Work board were present. This evening Miss Mills will address a public meeting in St. David's school room, and will speak of the relationship between the C. G. I. T. and the W. M. S.

Miss Mills who has been the guest of Mrs. J. S. Bonnell, Duke street, while in the city expects to leave for P. E. I. tomorrow morning.

GLAD TO SPEAK IN MARITIME CAUSE

Premier Taschereau of Quebec Responds to Local Trade Board Letter

F. MacIure Scanders, commissioner of the Board of Trade, recently wrote to Premier Taschereau, of Quebec, thanking him for the interest he was taking in Maritime development and what he had said at a recent public meeting in Montreal along these lines. This morning Mr. Scanders received an acknowledgment from Premier Taschereau in which the Premier said he had been only too glad to state in public his opinion on the matter and expressed the hope that the three provinces by the sea would secure in the Canadian Confederation the place which belonged to them.

HERE FOR WINTER.
Captain A. E. LeBlanc, assistant mine superintendent for the C. G. M. M., arrived here last evening for the winter season.

Local News

INSPECTOR RETURNS
Chief Prohibition Inspector W. L. MacFarlane returned to Fredericton last evening after a two day visit to headquarters here.

STILL LATER BLOOMS
Mrs. J. W. Keirstead, Rothesay, forwarded, to The Times-Star office, two dandelions, picked on her lawn on Dec. 10.

CASE NOT FINISHED.
Further evidence was heard by Mr. Justice Byrne in the Circuit Court this morning in the case of Smith vs. the Botany River Lumber Co. et al. It is not thought likely that the case will be finished until early next week.

THOS. MELVIN INJURED
Thomas Melvin, a "longshoreman" working at No. 6 shed was struck on the head for the last week by a sling and had his scalp cut. At the emergency hospital the wound was attended to and he returned to his work.

JOHN O'BRIEN SOUGHT
Last night Chief of Police Smith received a wire asking him to inform John O'Brien that his sister, Mary Elizabeth, was sick in the Harlow Hospital. An effort was made to locate the man referred to but up to noon today without success.

REPORT BETTER TODAY.
Friends of Hon. Lewis Smith, minister of agriculture, will be sorry to learn that he has been confined to his bed for the last week, quite seriously ill, but glad to know that reports today were that he was slightly improved.

ASSUMPTION SOCIETY
The Ladies' Society of the Assumption church met last evening with the president, Mrs. W. E. Morris, in the chair. Reports from the committees were received and it was decided to hold the last card party until after Christmas on Monday evening next.

ASK MERCHANTS TO HELP.
It was said by one of the local shipping men this morning that local merchants and importers could help materially to prevent congestion at the port by taking prompt delivery of goods brought in for them. It has been the custom to allow a week or ten days to the local importers to remove their goods from the sheds.

THE LATE MRS. A. G. DAY
William McConchie, brother of the late Mrs. Alex G. Day, of Adelaide street, whose death took place last night, arrived in the city from Central Blissett today. Mrs. Edmond Mills, of St. Stephen, a family friend, also arrived. Mrs. Day's funeral will be held at Brown's Flats tomorrow and services are arranged to be conducted at the house tonight. The funeral party will proceed up river by motor.

MUST NOT BE DONE
Hector Fantacer, of Italy, was fined \$24 by Magistrate Henderson this morning for interfering with an officer in performing his duty. Policemen Cooper and Gutter said he had tried to prevent them when they were arresting a drunken man. Fantacer said he did not know he was breaking the law. He had tried to tell the policemen he would look after the man and see him home.

NEW COMMISSION MEETS.
The commission to Consolidate and Revise the Acts of Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick met this morning in the Government rooms here. Hon. W. P. Jones, K. C., chairman, presided and the new members, J. A. Craighead, Newcastle, and E. H. Richardson, Sackville, with the secretary, K. E. MacLachlan, were present. It was said that only routine business had been dealt with.

RIVER ALMOST SEALED
River ice is now pretty strong in the narrower stretches and where tidal influences are not felt to any great extent. It is reported today that it was fairly well frozen over, though thinly as yet. There are a few patches of open water at headland points.

AT ST. COLUMBA'S.
The Ladies' Aid of St. Columba Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon for quilling. At the 4 o'clock supper was served in the church rooms. There was a large attendance. In the evening the W. M. S. of St. Columba church met at the manse, with Miss A. M. Townsend, president, in the chair. Miss Townsend led the devotions. Mrs. Catherine Leggett read the scripture portion. It was decided to change the night of meeting to the first Thursday of the month.

HALIFAX SHOWMAN HERE
L. R. Acker, veteran Halifax theatre owner, manager and horseman, passed through the city at noon today en route home from Boston and New York. He reports the usual ups and downs of the box office financial thermometer due to seasonal influences, but on the whole a better show season than for some years. Only recently Mr. Acker has added a fully-equipped stage to the Orpheus Theatre, which was formerly what is known as a "flat" staged house, permitting of picture screen only.

Property Sales Here And in Kings County

The following property transfers have been recorded:
F. D. Appleby to Emma H. Appleby, property Lancaster.
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation to J. J. Stothart, property Douglas avenue.

A. Wheaton to L. R. Debow, property Lancaster.
Ellen A. Foderick and others to R. A. Ross, property City Road.

KINGS COUNTY
C. A. Beckler to F. S. Harrington, property Greenwich.
E. A. R. G. and heirs of S. H. Flewelling to Leslie Steel, property Springfield.

A. J. McAdoo to R. C. Northrup, property Springfield.
John McGinnis to J. F. McGinnis, property Sussex.
Ella Roach and others to W. R. Carson, property Upland.

BEQUESTS MADE FOR CHURCH USE

Several Included in Will of Miss Florence Annie Jarvis

Thomas M. Davidson Estate More Than \$100,000—Others in Probate

In the Saint John Probate Court, before Judge H. O. McInerney, in probate of the will of Miss Florence Annie Jarvis, who left realty valued at \$8,000 and personally at \$8,000, several bequests were announced. These included \$1,000 to the priest of the Mission Church of Saint John the Baptist for the sisters' work; \$500 for the poor fund of the Mission Church; \$500 to the Social Service Council of the Fredericton Diocese; \$300 to St. James' Church, Westfield; \$300 to the Protestant Orphanage; \$200 to Trinity church, Saint John; \$400 to the Pickett Memorial Fund; \$500 for diocesan missions; \$100 to the Health Centre; \$500 to the Anti-Tuberculosis Society; \$200 for books for Mission church library; \$100 to Provincial Red Cross; and \$100 to the Milk Fund. Miss Ethel H. Jarvis, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, K. C., and Rev. J. V. Young are executors, and B. S. Smith was proctor.

TO ST. DAVID'S.
The sum of \$5,000 to be applied to the reduction of the church debt, was left to the trustees of St. David's church, Saint John, by the late Thomas M. Davidson of Little River, who died possessed of realty valued at \$11,500, and personally at \$95,600. Mrs. Rebecca Davidson, Mrs. Mary E. G. Woods and C. F. Sanford are executors, and Barnhill, Sanford & Harrison were proctors.

Letters testamentary were granted to Mrs. Annie M. Johnston in the matter of the estate of Robert A. Johnston, personal property, \$6,450. J. D. P. Lewin was proctor. In the estate of Julia A. McManus, who left real property valued at \$17,613 and personally at \$1,182.15, W. J. Currie was appointed executor. K. J. MacIae was proctor.

Miss Nellie Carleton was named administrator of the estate of Mrs. Ellen M. Carleton, whose property consisted of \$2,000 personally. W. M. Ryan was proctor. Letters of administration were granted to Mrs. Eveleen Bruce in the matter of the estate of Isabel Bruce. Personal property amounted to \$1,900. H. P. Pothington was proctor.

Thomas X. Gibbons was appointed executor of the estate of William T. Harrigan, who left personally, \$1,200. H. Heneberry was proctor.

In the estate of Mary Jane McCall letters of administration were granted to Frank H. McCauley. The estate consisted of personally valued at \$500. D. G. Willet was proctor.

DOES NOT SHOW ALL THAT SOCIETY DOES

Number in Home Not Measure of Work Accomplished by Children's Aid

The 21 children in the Children's Aid Home, 68 Garden street, do not by any means represent the number of children dealt with in any one month by the Children's Aid Society, said Rev. Scott this morning. The home is simply a clearing house between the street and the foster-home, and every effort is made to find homes as soon as may be. Many of the children dealt with never enter the home at all, but go direct to foster homes.

Of this last class are little ones whose parents are finding the struggle to live too hard and feel obliged to part with the child or children. In a number of such cases the agent of the Children's Aid Society has been able to place infants in homes where they will have far better conditions under which to grow up than their own parents could afford.

SOME EXAMPLES.
Some years ago an infant was found in the city and taken to the home. It was placed in a foster home and now has grown up to be bright and intelligent and is taking music lessons. Another child placed has grown up to be a nursing in the states. This part of the work, he said, is the most important and far reaching in its effects not only on the child but on the community.

Two Card Parties Held Last Night

One hundred tables were required to accommodate the players last evening at the weekly card party of St. Peter's. The convener was Miss Nellie Harrington. The prize winners were: Ladies' first, serving tray, Mrs. George Waring; second, electric iron, Mrs. Margaret Gilbert; consolation, Mrs. C. A. Gordon; gentlemen, first, smoking jacket, Thomas B. York; second, gloves, William Peterson; consolation, Hayden McCurdy.

A very pleasant time was enjoyed last evening at the Y. M. C. I. when the weekly night of cards was carried on with Mrs. John McDonald convener. The prize winners were: Ladies' first, Mrs. A. Mahar; second, Mrs. O. Traynor; consolation, Miss Geraldine McCann; gentlemen, first, George Arneanu; second, O. Magnusson and consolation H. A. Pierce. The door prize was won by Thos. Bonner.

Y'S MEN'S CLUB.
Arthur B. Gregg, chief of the secretarial staff of the Y. M. C. A. was the speaker at the regular lunch-hour session of the Y's Men's Club at "Y" headquarters today. He gave an interesting talk on his impressions of the world's assembly of workers with boys held in the Rocky Mountain fastnesses of Estes Park, Colorado, last June. The camp-meeting lasted 12 days and there were over 400 prominent workers among boys in session representing 20 nations. It was a most inspiring gathering, Mr. Gregg said, and proved lasting encouragement to him. Alfred Stephenson presided today and Ralph Stephenson was financier. The club during its business deliberations decided to proceed with its annual entertainment for the new-boys, January 2 and committees were appointed.

English Table Cutlery
Specially Priced for Early Christmas Buying

CABINETS OF CUTLERY

Walnut Cabinets containing 6 each Best Shear Steel Dinner and Tea Knives and 3-piece Carving Set, in Square or Round Handles.....	\$13.00 and \$14.00
Same as above with Best Non-Stain Dinner and Tea Knives.....	\$16.50 and \$18.00
Walnut Cabinets containing 12 each Best Shear Steel Dinner and Tea Knives and 5-piece Carving Set, in Square and Round Handles.....	\$22.00 and \$24.00
Same as above with Best Non-Stain Dinner and Tea Knives.....	\$32.00 and \$34.00

11-17 King Street **McAVITY'S** PHONE Main 2540

Only 11 More Shopping Days to Christmas

Gifts With A Personal Touch

SHIRTS
English Broadcloths in plain colors and fancy stripes, put up in Christmas boxes, an exceptional gift for only..... **\$2.35**
Other Fine Shirts—\$1.45 to \$6.00

NECKWEAR
A wonderfully fine lot of Ties in silk and wool, Mogadors, French and Italian Silks, all at **\$1.50**
Other Fine Ties 75c. to \$3

HOSIERY
Fancy Cashmires in checks, plaids, stripes, made by such well known English Houses as Jaeger, Morley and others **\$1.50**
Other Fine Hosiery—50c. to \$2.25

DRESSING GOWNS
English importations, full length, deep shawl collar, fancy girdle, bound with cord or braid, a variety of neat patterns—**\$8.50 to \$25.00**
Smoking Jackets \$8 to \$15

SLIPPERS
Offering a most extensive assortment in Operas, Everetts, Boudoirs, Pullman, and English Wools—**\$1.65 to \$4.75**

Men's Shops 1st and 2nd Floors

Santa Claus

Tomorrow Morning at 9 Entrance by Market Street

TOYS! DOLLS! GAMES! BOOKS!
Hundreds and hundreds of them for Santa to please the kiddies with on Christmas morning.
Bargain Basement

GIVE HER HOSIERY
And in our Women's Shop you'll find just the pairs to please her, whether it be silk, wool, silk and wool, and priced very low at 85c. to \$3.00.

GLOVES
Kid, wool, chamoussuede, silk knit, they're all here, and in such lovely new styles—85c. to \$4.50.

SILK SCARVES
In crepe de chene or knit-tel silk, plain shades, fancy stripes or printed designs, a beautiful array of colorings, \$1.00 to \$5.25.

UMBRELLAS
Browns, greens, reds, purples, etc., smart Bunty styles, with pretty trims of amber, white or grey handles with cord loops, \$2.50 to \$5.75. Silk Umbrellas \$6.50 to \$11.50. Kiddies' Umbrellas, \$1.95 to \$2.50. Women's Shop, 3rd Floor

Scovill Bros., Ltd. OAK HALL King Street.

Have a Heart For Yourself

You've got plenty enough to do these weeks without breaking your back over an extravagant wash tub. Gain time for Christmas duties and keep yourself from getting run down and catching cold or worse.

The real economy is in New System Damp Wash. Cleaner and cheaper than anything else. Many a big wash comes only to 75c. Some as low as 60c. Make your mind up and phone tomorrow.

New System Laundry
87 CHARLOTTE STREET AND LANSLOWNE AVENUE

GO TO LCU'S GREEN'S FOR SMOKERS' GIFTS
Largest Stock : : Lowest Prices : : Best Satisfaction : : Free Premium Coupons