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The Latest Style with the best crystal lenses. Sold everywhere for \$5.00 — Our special price for a limited time **\$2.75**

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OUR SPECIALTY is home cooking done by the women of the exchange. Try our White and Brown Bread, Small and Large Cakes. Reasonable Prices.
Woman's Exchange, Tea and Lunch Room
155 Union Street
Substantial Lunch 15c to 35c.

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED — To work at night. Royal Cafe.
GIRL WANTED — For general housework. Apply Mrs. Rubin, 31 Gold street. 3884-11-4.

STORE WANTED — Main street. Write Store, care Times. 3886-11-4.

FOUND — Small purse on Pitt street. Finder can have same at Times office. 3887-11-1.

FIRST-CLASS PASTRY COOK — Wanted. Apply Wamamakers', 141 and 18 King St.

WANTED — Nurse girl, from two to six. Apply 57 Hazen street. 3870-11-4.

YOUNG MAN WANTED — As driver. Apply Salvation Army Wood street. 3871-11-4.

WANTED — Clerk in restaurant. Bring references. J. Allan Turner. 3878-11-4.

WANTED — A girl for confectionery store. One with experience preferred. Bond's, 90 King street. 3883-11-4.

DO LET — Flat No. 16 Richmond street, lately occupied by John Keefe. Apply Taylor & Swenney, Canada Life Bldg. 3891-11-6.

WANTED — Blacksmith for railroads. Good wages, steady work. Apply Migration Employment Agency, 144 street. 3876-11-1.

TO LET — Three rooms, hot and cold water, bath, electric lights, for two adults. Guild, 53 Cranston street. 3881-11-3.

PIANO PLAYER, in splendid condition. Anyone can play it. Going at almost third original price, with seventy records thrown in. West 386-21.

LOST — Silver watch, initials C. W. M. on case, between Haymarket Sq. and Crouville. Finder leave at Mowatt's Drug Store. (Chas. W. Magee). 3887-11-3.

OST — Gun-metal watch and foil between Public Library and Brown Betty Tea rooms via Union, Germain, King and Charlotte streets. Finder please leave at Sheriff's office, Court House. 1644-11-4.

HAMPTON-CRAIG

A very pleasant event was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron B. Craig of Millinocket, Me., on the evening of the 28th inst., when their daughter Alice Eletha was united in marriage to John Hampton, of Port de Grave, Nfld., by Rev. M. S. Trafton of Fort Fairfield, Me. The bride and groom were attended by the bride's father, Covie Craig, and Miss Clara Leaman. There were about eighty immediate friends and relatives present to witness the ceremony. The bride was the recipient of very many beautiful and costly presents. Among the presents were a set of furs from the groom, a sewing machine from her mother, \$50 in gold from her father, and other smaller amounts aggregating about \$100. A very hearty supper was served at ten o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Hampton will leave for Newfoundland on Nov. 8.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Quotations furnished by private wires of J. C. Macintosh & Co., (members Montreal Stock Exchange), 88-90 Prince William street, St. John, N. B., Friday, Oct. 31, 1913.

	Yesterday's Closing	Today's Opening
Am Copper	78 3/4	79 1/4
Am Can.	81 1/4	80 3/4
Am Can Pfd.	90 1/4	90 1/4
Am Sm & Ref.	63 1/4	62 3/4
Mar. Tel. & Tele.	120 1/4	120 1/4
Am Cop.	35 1/4	35 1/4
Atchafson X D.	94 1/4	92 1/4
Balt & Oho.	94 1/4	93 1/4
B. R. T.	87 1/4	87 1/4
C. P. R.	226 1/4	223 1/4
Chic & St. Paul	100 1/4	100 1/4
Col Fuel & Iron	28 1/4	28 1/4
Chino Copper	40 1/4	39 1/4
Con Gas.	129 1/4	129 1/4
Erie	27 1/4	27 1/4
Gen. Elec.	140 1/4	140 1/4
Gr. Nor Pfd.	123 1/4	123 1/4
Gr. Nor Ore.	32 1/4	32 1/4
Inter Harvester	108 1/4	107 1/4
Ill. Cent.	105 1/4	105 1/4
Int. Met.	14 1/4	14 1/4
Nevada Con.	15 1/4	15 1/4
Miss. Pac.	28 1/4	27 1/4
N. Y. Cent.	95 1/4	95 1/4
N. Y. Ont. & West.	20 1/4	20 1/4
No. Pac.	107 1/4	107 1/4
Nor. West.	104 1/4	104 1/4
Nor. Haven	82 1/4	82 1/4
Penn. X D.	108 1/4	108 1/4
Pr. Steel Car.	25 1/4	25 1/4
Reading	160 1/4	160 1/4
Rep. Ir. & Steel	19 1/4	19 1/4
Rock Island	15 1/4	14 1/4
So. Pac.	87 1/4	86 1/4
Sou. Ry.	22 1/4	22 1/4
Utah Copper	52 1/4	52 1/4
Un. Pac.	151 1/4	150 1/4
U. S. Steel	56 1/4	56 1/4
Western Union	63 1/4	63 1/4
West. Electric	66 1/4	66 1/4

New York Cotton Market

October	18.85	18.85	18.74
December	18.59	18.54	18.69
January	18.31	18.26	18.42
March	18.21	18.29	18.43
May	18.29	18.30	18.40
July	18.20	18.31	18.39

Chicago Grain and Produce Market

Wheat	85 1/4	86 1/4	86
May	90 1/4	91 1/4	90 3/4
Corn	70 1/4	70 1/4	70 1/4
December	71 1/4	71 1/4	71 1/4
July	71 1/4	71 1/4	71 1/4
Oats	39 1/4	39 1/4	38 1/4
December	42 1/4	43 1/4	42 1/4
May	42 1/4	43 1/4	42 1/4
Pork	20 1/4	20 1/4	20 1/4
January	20 1/4	20 1/4	20 1/4
May	20 1/4	20 1/4	20 1/4

Montreal Morning Transactions

(J. M. Robinson & Sons' Private Wire Telegram)	Bid.	Asked
Bell Telephone	143	143
Brazil	88 1/4	84
C. P. R.	226 1/4	223 1/4
Can. Cottons	32	32 1/2
Can. Iron	32	32
Crown Reserve	168	168
Can. Car Pfd.	59	62
Detroit	37 1/4	38 1/4
Dun Iron	37 1/4	38 1/4
Laurentide	162 1/4	164
McDonald	19	20
Mont. Cottons	50	60
Penman	54	54
Montreal Power	206 1/4	207
Richelleu	106 1/4	106 1/4
Ames	12	12 1/4
Shawinigan	129	129 1/4
Sherwin Williams	54	54 1/4
Soo	131	131
Textile	81 1/4	81 1/4
Tooke's	33	35
Tuckett's	189	185
Ontario Ry.	132	141
Lake of the Woods	132	132
Winnipeg Elec.	197	197
Can. Cottons Pfd.	72 1/4	72 1/4
Cement Pfd.	91 1/4	92
Iron Pfd.	88	88
Illinois Pfd.	89 1/4	89 1/4
Spanish River Pfd.	40	40
Ames Pfd.	70 1/4	70 1/4

Sounds Better

Montreal Gazette:—The gain of \$25,000,000 in Canadian bank deposits in September has drawn renewed attention to the possibility of some easing in the rate for call money, and a more plentiful supply of funds for the street. While banking views are somewhat mixed as to the actual position, it is generally conceded that there has been a tendency to improvement in the last ten days, and, barring unforeseen developments, the improvement is likely to continue slowly and quietly to the end of the year. The worst of any strain is now over.

LATE SHIPPING

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Today
Schr. Shamrock, from Maitland.
Schr. James Barbour.

Sailed Today
Schr. Edna May.
Schr. Manchester Spinner, which was expected here on Wednesday, has not yet arrived. She left Manchester on Oct. 17.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Sister Mary Vincenta was held from St. Vincent's convent this morning. Requiem high mass was celebrated in the chapel at 8.30 o'clock. Rev. M. O'Brien officiating. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, Father Duke, Father O'Keefe, Father Howland, Father Walsh and Father Murphy of Debec were present. The pall bearers were James Barry, P. Mooney, Thomas M. Burns, R. O'Brien, James Lee and James McDade. Interment was in the new Catholic Cemetery. The service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Father Duke and Rev. Father Howland. The funeral of William Kingston was held at three o'clock this afternoon from his late residence at Randolph. The body was taken to St. Paul's church where the burial service was read by Rev. E. B. Hooper. Interment was in Fernhill.

DEATH AT AVERY'S PORTAGE

On Monday, October 27, Mrs. Bethany Fairley, died at her home, Avery's Portage, Northumberland county. She is survived by four sons and one daughter.

LOCAL NEWS

We are a little out of the way, but we put money in your pocket.—Pidgeon's, Cor. Main and Bridge.

The paper your neighbor reads and enjoys is the Boston Sunday American. 11-2

All Saints services in St. Paul's church. Holy Communion at 8 and 10.30 a. m. 8382-11-1.

Hallowe'en carnival at Rollaway tonight. Fun for spectators as well as skaters; band at eight. 3874-11-1.

SPECIAL WEEK-END SALE
Don't forget the great week-end sale of ladies' and children's headwear at J. K. Storey's, Union street. 3872-11-3.

BABY DEAD
Mr. and Mrs. James Porter were called on today to suffer the loss of their infant son, Robert McPherson.

SPECIAL THIS WEEK
In addition to the regular special features appearing in this week's Boston Sunday American. Get your copy early. 11-2

T. L. Murphy's second consignment of ladies' ready-to-wear coats just received. Scotch kimono sleeve effect. Certainly the latest shown—72 Germain street. 11-2

FOR HOME SEWING
Thousands of yards of all kinds of dress goods, at less than half the price at Bassen's, 207 Union street, Opera Block.

FURS
Everything in furs obtained of us will be found of the highest quality, perfect in fit and right up-to-date—H. Mont Jones, 54 King street. 11-5.

KEEWATIN DANCING CLASS TONIGHT
The Kewatin Dancing Class will meet tonight in the Keith Street and meet tonight in the Keith Street and meet tonight in the Keith Street.

FIRST-CLASS PLUMBERS WANTED
Wanted—First-class plumbers and steam fitters, steady employment, good wages. A. H. Farrell. Box 648, Fredericton.

MOULDERS' UNION
Local 848 will hold open meeting Saturday, Nov. 1, Bowman Hall, 19 Brussels street, 8 o'clock. Every member expected to be present. Non-members welcome. 3870-11-1.

ROOMS TO LET
No. 169 King street east, water furnished or unfurnished, hot water heating, electric light, all modern conveniences, \$5.00 per week and upwards, payable in advance. Apply to F. R. Dearborn, 98 Prince William street.

TO ENTERTAIN MINISTER
A meeting of a special committee of the Board of Trade was held this morning to make arrangements for the entertainment of Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works, who will be in St. John soon. The discussion was largely preliminary, and nothing definite was decided upon. Further meetings will be held at which the arrangements will be completed.

MINK FURS
Mink continues in great popularity. We have on hand a large stock of choice neckwear and sets in this fur. All are desirable models for this season—H. Mont Jones, 54 King street. 11-5.

BLACK LYNX FURS
Fashion still leans towards lynx. It is a very beautiful fur and garments of it possess great distinction. There are none more beautiful than those which we show—H. Mont Jones, 54 King street. 11-5.

EMPEROR SPECIALS
A Dangerous Wager, Kalem Western, an exciting and powerful western trimming with thrills, featuring Miss Billington and Colwell Blackwell.

The Saving Lie, Pathe drama, a gripping drama of great interest, that will keep you enthralled from start to finish.

A Compromising Complication, Vitaphone farce. If you are fond of humors, don't miss this picture. It sure is humorous.

M. J. Green, Vitaphone comedy, one of those rare comedy screams, I'm a Sick Man, it's got "pendiclers," Saturday matinee as usual.

ROLL-CALL SERVICE
The annual roll-call service of the Brunswick Baptist church was held on Wednesday evening and was full of interest. At 8.30 o'clock the members of the church and congregation sat down to a substantial tea provided by the ladies. At 8 o'clock the roll-call service was held, the pastor, Rev. M. F. McCutcheon, presiding. A thoughtful and inspiring address was delivered by Rev. A. F. Newcombe on the relation of the church member to his church. The thank-offering, received amounted to \$120.38. A spirit of optimism pervaded the gathering, and the outlook was considered most encouraging.

(The charge for inserting notices of Births, Marriages or Deaths, is 50 cents.)

MARRIAGES

MACLEAN-SMITH—On Thursday, Oct. 30, at the residence of the bride's parents, Wentworth street, by the Rev. W. H. Barracough, B. A., John Hector MacLean of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, Winnipeg, to Elizabeth Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Morton Smith.

DEATHS

MOORE—In this city on 30th inst. David Moore of Black River, in the 40th year of his age, leaving a sorrowing wife, four small children, mother, four sisters and four brothers.

Notice of funeral later.

PORTER—In this city on 31st inst. Robert McPherson, infant son of James and Eliza Porter.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs. William Brittain and family wish to thank their many friends and especially St. Luke's choir for kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement.

PRESENTATION TO MISS TRAVERS

Women's Canadian Club Honors Retiring Treasurer — Interesting and Gratifying Reports at Annual Meeting

With an unusually large attendance the annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club was held last evening in Keith's Assembly rooms. Mrs. G. A. Kuhring occupied the chair. A letter was read from Mrs. E. A. Smith, president of the club, expressing her sincere regret at not being able to attend. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and the reports of the audit committee received.

Reports of a most satisfactory nature were received from the following ladies: Recording secretary, Miss Clara McGivern; corresponding secretary, Miss Melrose; historian, Mrs. Gronlund; treasurer, Miss May Travers.

At the close of Miss Travers' report business was temporarily suspended when on behalf of the members of the club, Lady Tilley presented the retiring treasurer with a handsome watch bracelet. The acting president explained that Miss Travers had performed most faithfully the onerous duties of secretary of the organization for the last six years, but was now obliged to retire from office. Miss Travers feelingly replied:

The reports of the following committees were brought in: Refreshments, Mrs. H. A. Powell; immigration and La Tour, Mrs. J. A. Smith; hall committee, Miss Travers; education, Mrs. Kuhring. Reference was made to the welcome sign for immigrants, the permission received to erect a La Tour memorial on Fort Howe, and the free school lectures and the flags presented to some schools.

A motion for the adoption of the reports was made by Mrs. Hutchinson in which she praised the faithful work of those on the various committees. The motion for adoption was seconded by Mrs. Manning W. Doherty, who also praised the seal of the committee.

A resolution was moved by Mrs. Melrose of the nominating committee to the effect that \$100 be set aside by the club to meet the expenses of the treasurer. The motion carried unanimously.

A letter was received from the local Council of Women asking the club to send delegates to a meeting called for a full discussion of the woman's suffrage question. A delegation was appointed to attend the meeting, but this does not commit the club to any decision, as it does not discuss or vote upon controversial questions of this nature.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—Hon. president, Lady Tilley; president, Mrs. E. A. Smith; 1st vice-president, Mrs. J. A. Powell; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. H. Frank; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. C. B. Allan; recording secretary, Mrs. Manning Doherty; treasurer, Mrs. May Travers; literary secretary, Mrs. Lawrence.

Advisory board: Mesdames G. F. Smith, John McAvity, James P. E. Chisholm, Robert T. Thomson, Miss Travers, Miss Leavitt, Mrs. Estabrooks, and Mrs. John Bullock.

While the ballots were being counted a full report of the annual meeting of the Federation of Canadian Clubs, at Hamilton, Ont., was given by Mrs. J. R. VanVar.

At the conclusion of the meeting a resolution of thanks was tendered the press, Walter Golding, manager of the hall, and others who had helped in the various endeavors of the club. Thanks was also extended to Mrs. Chisholm for music furnished by her on several occasions during the year.

ST. LUKE'S MISSION

"Nearness to Christ" was the subject dealt with by Mr. Newton at the 8 o'clock service yesterday, when there was the usual large attendance. At the children's service at 4 o'clock, the minister spoke on the subject, "A Boy of Prayer," illustrating this from the life of Samuel, whom God had called.

At the 9 o'clock service Mr. Newton based his remarks on Isaiah 55-6, 7, "Seek ye the Lord while He may be found, call ye upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and He will have mercy upon him, and to God for He will abundantly pardon."

At the close of his sermon, the preacher pleaded a momentary decision for Christ on the part of all.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. B. Pugsley will leave by tonight's train for her home in Salem, Mass. She is accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. Gross of Penobscot, who will spend the winter with her son, B. O. Gross.

Miss Marion McFarland left on Wednesday evening for San Francisco via Boston.

Miss M. T. Lawlor of St. Patrick street is confined to her home on account of illness.

F. L. Potts returned on the Boston train last night from Marysville where he conducted the sale of household effects of the late Alex. H. Hallowell of Harbor, Mass., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. McSorley of St. John, for her last couple of months, returned home on the S. S. Calvin Austin this morning, very much improved in health. She was accompanied by her mother.

AT THE Y. M. C. A.
The senior boys of the Y. M. C. A. entertained the young members of the Ladies' Aid Society to a masquerade bawloween social held in the Y. M. C. A. building last evening. The usual games were played and the partners were chosen in a very novel manner. One of the features of the evening was a "kiss" hunt. Several couples were hidden in different places round the room and the persons winning the most were entitled to a prize. This contest was won by Murray Leithman and Miss Irene McQuade. A grand march was formed through the assembly rooms and a flash light was taken of the group in the gymnasium. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Howard acted as chaperons for the party.

CLEARINGS HERE AGAIN SHOW GAIN OVER SAME PERIOD OF LAST YEAR

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ger volume of business in the sister city because he had known the Halifax bank to swap credits simply for the purpose of inflating their clearings. Another fact or which contributes to the figures is the amount of clearing done for the smaller branches in other parts of the province. Halifax has a larger field to clear for St. John does not clear even all the business arising in this province, because everyone of the outside branches clear direct through Montreal.

The clearing merely represents the exchange of notes and currency among the banks and this is affected by many circumstances. The amalgamation of the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Bank of New Brunswick would make the necessity for exchanging checks, etc., that much less and this would cause a reduction in the clearings, while a new bank entering the field or even the transfer of some large accounts from one bank to another would increase the figures, although the business of the community remained at the same level.

On the whole, however, the bank clearing gives some idea of the condition of business and the fact that the last figures show such a substantial increase is received with satisfaction.

SPECIAL—WHAT SOME WOMEN THINK ABOUT OUR GENUINE SALE

Why, I can get a silk waist of the latest materials for \$10.00, and what is more any color. How can they sell so cheap? Why, the flouncing for corset covers, just think, Sarah, for 20c a yard. What do you think of the collars for 15c each? Gorgeous! These are some of the remarks our customers are making as they purchase. Tomorrow will be a great saving day at Neckwear and Fancy Goods, 71 Germain, cor. King first floor.

EXONERATED C. P. R. TO A GREAT EXTENT IN AUSTRIA

Vienna, Oct. 31.—The budget, submitted by the Austrian government to the matter of emigration and its relation to the various steamship lines. It adopted resolutions disapproving the monopolization of business by shipping lines belonging to a pool, but expressing the opinion that the recent increase in emigration was due to economic conditions.

These resolutions are regarded generally as exonerating to a great extent the C. P. R. The release of Samuel Altman, the C. P. R. manager in Vienna is expected soon as a result of Great Britain's diplomatic representations.

THIS IS A WARNING! TAKE HEED

If the parties who are endeavoring to make things unpleasant for patrons of local picture houses by creating unpleasant odors through the aid of chemical preparations, wish to avoid the unpleasant consequences of their tactics, they tried it last night in a local theatre, and caused a disagreeable odor to arise. They are known to the management, and they had better take heed and remain at a careful distance unless they wish to be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

DIED IN EDMONTON
G. Havelock Babbitt, of Edmonton, Alta., is dead. Mr. Babbitt was the second son of the late Robert T. Babbitt, of Gagetown, N.