

## SHIPPING

### ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, NOV. 20.

A.M. P.M.  
High Tide... 10.14 Low Tide... 4.36  
Sun Rises... 7.33 Sun Sets... 4.46

### PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Wednesday.  
Str Almeria, Bourthwick, 2,884, from Sydney.

Cleared Wednesday.  
Schr Ononette, Longmire, 488, for New York.  
Str Governor Dingley, Ingalls, 2,856, for Boston.

Coastwise—Schr Empress, MacDonald, 612, for Digby; Valinda, Lewis, 56, for Clements; Schr Barbara W. Tower, 286, for Port Greville; Packet, Arsenau, 46, for St. Martins.

Arrived Thursday.  
Schr W D Mongam, Wilbur, 72, from Rockland, Me.

Coastwise—Schr Friendship, Phinney, 62, from Parrsboro; Schr Emerald, Clayton, 33, from Annapolis Royal.

Cleared Thursday.  
Coastwise—Schr Mavis, Brown, 20, for Wilson's Beach; Schr Friendship, for Annapolis Royal.

### Sailed November 20

Strm Eleni Stathos, Piraeus, Greece.

### CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 19—Arrd, strms Chignecto, St. John; Lake Giardeau, Lakes.

Sailed—Strms American Hospital Ship General R. H. Kelly, Great Lakes; Essex, Liverpool; Boone, Baltimore.

Montreal, Nov. 10—Arrd, strms Manchester Corporation, Manchester; Woodrich, Sydney, N. S.

Cleared—Strms Venusia, London; Cabotia, Glasgow; Lake Fagundus, St. Johns, Nfld.

City Island, N. Y., Nov. 19—Bound south, Motor Barge Daniel M. Munroe, Windsor, N. S., for New York; Schr Waltham, Windsor, N. S., for Newburgh, N. Y.

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 19—Arrd S. S. Glencoe, North Sydney; S. S. War Moncton, Quebec; S. S. War Racoon, Quebec; S. S. Malaga, Rotterdam.

Cleared—S. S. F. A. Samplin, New York; S. S. Sheba, St. John's, Nfld.; S. S. Brunswick, Rotterdam.

Sailed—S. S. Sable I, St. John's, Nfld.; S. S. Harold, Copenhagen; S. S. Glencoe, North Sydney; S. S. Grove, North Sydney; S. S. Maindy Abbey, Montreal.

### MARINE NOTES.

The four-masted schooner Holmes A. Frank, recently launched at Newcastle (N. B.), and en route from Gaspe to New York, put into Liverpool last week with her rudder damaged. A new one is being fitted by the Nova Scotia Shipbuilding and Transportation Company. After discharging at New York the Holmes A. Frank loads coal for Italy.

The following charters have been reported:  
Schr Jean F. Anderson, oal from Norfolk to San Domingo and then from the Gulf to North side of Cuba.

Sh. Jennie V. Merriam from St. Andrews Bay to Jamaica.

The steamers Prince Arthur and Prince George have been towed from Boston to New York, where they will be repaired.

Owing to threatening weather the whole of the Yarmouth fishing fleet returned home last week with only ordinary supplies.

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The D. G. S. Laurentian arrived at Yarmouth towing the automatic gas and whistling buoy, previously reported by the steamer Northland as drifting southwest by west of the Lunenburg lightship.

The finishing touches to the new steamer Bras d'Or, belonging to the Coastal S. S. Company, of Sydney, are now being made at Yarmouth and it is expected she will be ready for sea about the end of this month.

A New York publication of recent date contained the news that the steamer Yarmouth, formerly on the Yarmouth-Boston route, has been sold and is now known as the Frederick Douglas. She will run between New York and Cuba.

The schooner Isiah K. Stetson has arrived at Yarmouth from New York with a cargo of hard coal. Owing to unfavorable winds the vessel was at Vineyard Haven for twelve days. After discharging she goes to Liverpool to load pulp for New York.

The schooner Seth W. Smith, which recently arrived at Yarmouth with coal, will be laid up for the winter at St. Andrews, N. B.

W. T. Marlow, freight agent of the C. P. O. S., announced in Montreal yesterday that the Drumsenford will come to St. John in January and will be followed by the Rannford in February.

Word was received from Montreal yesterday that the Steamship Checkers Union, No. 1287, are asking for better working conditions in St. John this winter. They are now getting forty-seven cents an hour and it is rumored they will ask for seventy cents for day work and eighty cents for night work.

All efforts to refloat the schooner Arabia of Fortune Bay, Nfld., have failed and the vessel has been abandoned as a total wreck. The Arabia, loaded with produce from Montague, P. E. I., struck on a shoal off the entrance to St. Peter's Canal, Nova Scotia, last Saturday.

Several tugs failed in an effort to pull her off the shoal.

The steamer Metagama, which sailed from Liverpool for this port, will be the first steamer of the C. P. O. S. to arrive here for the winter season. She is due to open the sailing list of the C. P. R. from here on December 4.

The Greek steamer Eleni Stathos sailed at 10 o'clock this morning for Piraeus, Greece, with a full cargo of grain.

The Furness Withy liner Comino will sail tomorrow for London via Halifax with general cargo.

The Manchester Exchange sailed from Manchester on Nov. 16 for this port. After discharging here she will proceed to Philadelphia to load back to Manchester.

ANTI-DUMPING BILL  
IN BRITISH COMMONS.  
London, Nov. 19—An anti-dumping bill has been introduced in the House of Commons. It is designed to regulate the import of foreign goods and protect industries affected by the depreciation of foreign exchanges.

In New York, yesterday "Big Jim" Larkin and Benjamin Gitlow were released on \$15,000 bail.

## HELPLESS WITH RHEUMATISM

### Until He Took "Fruit-a-tives" The Fruit Medicine

R. R. No. 1, Lorne, Ont.  
"For over three years, I was confined to bed with Rheumatism. I treated with doctors, and tried nearly everything without benefit."

Finally, I tried "Fruit-a-tives." Before I had used half a box I saw improvement; the pain was easier and the swelling started to go down.

I continued taking this fruit medicine, improving all the time, and now I can walk about two miles and do light chores about the place."

ALEXANDER MUNRO.  
50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

## L. O. B. A. FAIR.

The officers and members of Cullum Lodge No. 36, L. O. B. A., wish to convey a hearty vote of thanks, through this paper, to the citizens and merchants of this city for their help in the fair that they held in their hall, Simonds street, last week, in aid of the new orphanage in Wright street, especially for the handsome donations from the merchants.

They had an electric toaster, a casserole dish, and a nickel coffee pot donated, for which a gentleman paid a generous sum, especially for the aid of the orphanage.

They also wish to thank the "Prentice Boys of Cullum" for the use of their games, also the Master of L. O. B. A. No. 141, Richard Stackhouse, Mr. McAfee, Mr. Adams and Mr. Louis McDonald for their generous help in running the games; also O. S. Dykeman for receiving the donations and looking after the same, and they hope that in the years to come the community may reap benefits from their work in providing a home for the orphan children.

Theatres exclusively for colored people are being started by a syndicate in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Washington, Pittsburgh, Richmond and other large American cities.

## PIGEON MOTHERS KITTENS.

London, Eng., Nov. 20.—Three kittens at a Chertsey house have been "mothered" by a pigeon. The bird has been most attentive to them, and they are asserted to have nestled round her in the most approved style.

## The HIGH SCHOOL FELLOW - he has his own style ideas - we match them here

Uncle Jack says:  
"There is a corner in my store devoted to him and to his sort of clothes."

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## ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN'S COUNCIL

At the meeting of the executive of the St. John Local Council of Women held in the King's Daughters' Guild yesterday afternoon with Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, the president, in the chair, the financial statement showed a balance in the council's favor after \$500 had been deducted for payment for a metal drinking fountain with a bubble system which is to be erected at the corner of Union and Brussels street.

Mrs. W. F. B. Patterson, who reported on the fountain, said she and Mrs. Smith had talked the matter over with Commissioner Fisher, who assured them that their wishes would be granted. A satisfactory report was read by Mrs. H. Lawrence of the immigration hostel committee. It was decided to rent the Metropole in Britain street which, according to the budget read by Mrs. J. Boyle Travers, the convenor, would cost \$3,000 a year to maintain.

Plans for a Rosebud day were discussed, and the needs of the home in Garden street were referred to by Mrs. David McLeellan and Mrs. W. B. Tennant. It was said that there was about twenty-eight children in the home.

Mrs. Edmund Flewelling and Mrs. E. A. Young were appointed to interview the mayor and report back as to any clothing being left over from the contributions for the Halifax disaster.

Mrs. B. Tennant invited the council to hold their meetings at her residence. This was gratefully accepted.

Arrangements were made to have Dr. Mabel Harrington give a ten minute talk on child welfare. A desire was expressed to have women appointed as censors of motion pictures and vandeville performances. Mrs. Hooper's resignation as first vice-president was regretfully accepted.

Mrs. J. Boyle Travers was appointed to fill the office of first vice-president until the annual meeting. Mrs. W. E. Raymond was congratulated on her appointment to the vocational training committee.

Every one the newest style and the best of workmanship. Offered in this sale includes all our High Priced All-Wool Serges, Silk, Poplins, Georgettes and Crepe-de-Chenes. We want to sell the whole lot we have on hand at this sale, and we have marked them at prices that people have never before had the opportunity of purchasing this kind at the low prices we are asking.

READ CAREFULLY THE BELOW MENTIONED DRESSES. COME IN AND CONVINCE YOURSELF

Ladies' Serge Dresses  
Thirty-four Ladies' Blue, Black, Taupe and Burgundy Dresses. Some tucked, plain and braided, Wool Serges. All the newest styles shown for fall and winter. Regular price up to \$47.00.  
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Twenty-five Serge Dresses in all shades. Good Wool Serges, in styles to answer all purposes. Regular price up to \$37.50.  
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Thirty Dresses in blue, taupe, green, black and other colors. Regular price up to \$35.00.  
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Fifteen Serge Dresses in black, blue, green and Burgundy. Regular price from \$22.50 to \$27.50.  
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Twenty-five Crepe-de-Chenes in blue, brown, taupe, blue black, in all sizes. Regular price, \$30 to \$40.  
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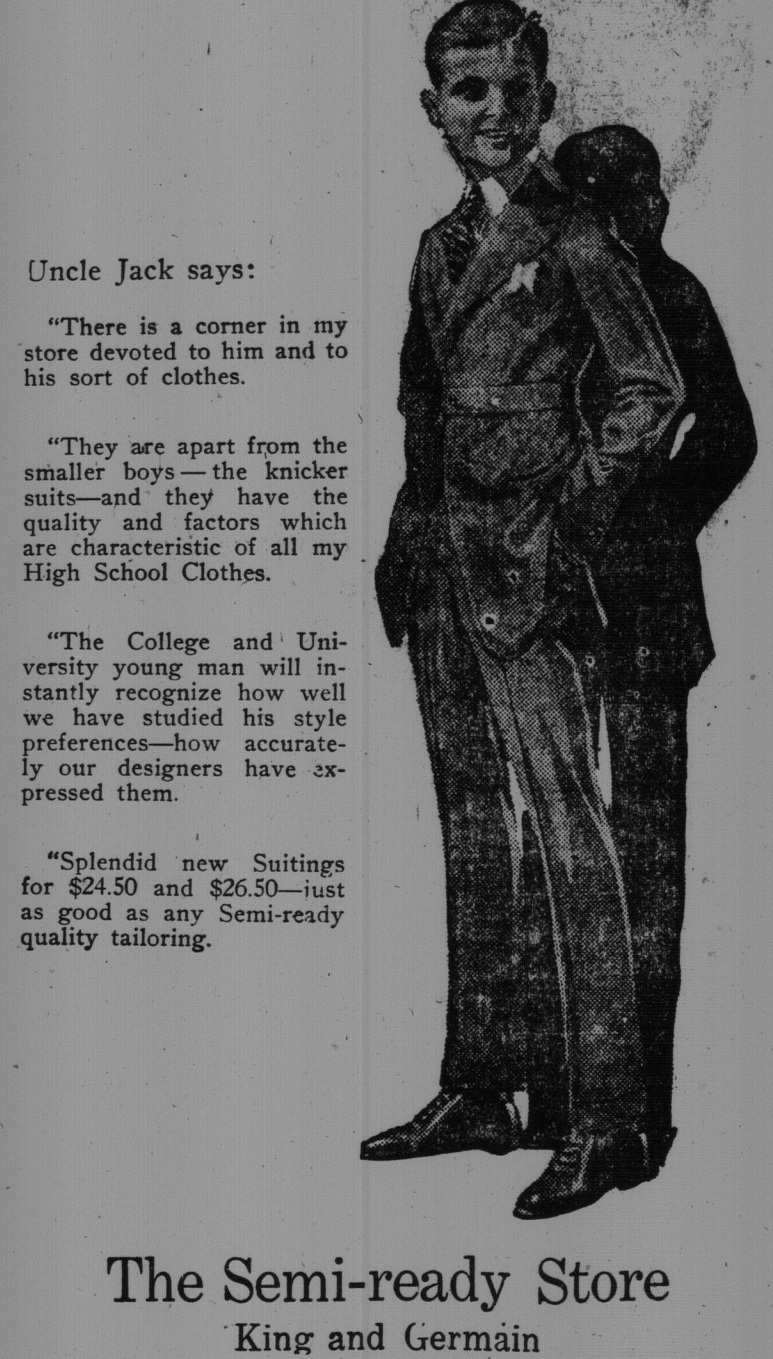
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