

ST. JOHN STAR, MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 1904.

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RUBBER SPONGE FRICTION
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We give a written contract to do your
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DR. F. H. DICKIE, Proprietor,
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By Donahoe line steamship "Or-
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J. S. Libbon & Co., Smythe street of-
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Libbon & Co. also offer special low
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Ale and Porter, 4c. per glass or
Highest Award Colonial and Indian
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J. RHEA, 20 Mill Street.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 1, 1904.

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Star for July was 6,073.

STILL GROWING.
When, at the end of June, the Star
was able to report that its circulation
had passed the 6,000 mark, the man-
agement expected that would be the
limit for this summer. During June,
the Twentieth anniversary celebration, the be-
ginning of the half-holiday and the
prevalence of startling news sen-
sations such as the awful General Slocum
disaster, naturally increased the
sale considerably, and it was hardly
expected that during July the Star
would do more than hold its own, if in-
deed it did not lose a little.

So it is with great satisfaction that
we can announce that, in spite of the
disagreeable weather which generally
interferes somewhat with the sales, the
month of July has also broken all pre-
vious records. It seems that every person
who buys the Star once buys it regu-
larly thereafter and tells his friends
about it.

The average daily circulation for July
was 6,073, a substantial gain over June
and an increase of 1635 since the first
of the year. The best illustration of
the steady growth of the Star is the
following comparison of the circulation
for the four Julys of its existence:

July 1901 1977
July 1902 2326
July 1903 5773
July 1904 6073

Following are the daily sales for the
past month:

July 2-Saturday 6340
4-Monday 5880
6-Tuesday 5880
8-Wednesday 5830
10-Thursday 5830
12-Friday 5928
14-Saturday 6325
16-Monday 6340
18-Tuesday 5870
20-Wednesday 5946
22-Thursday 5930
24-Friday 6225
26-Saturday 6115
28-Monday 6141
30-Tuesday 6098
31-Wednesday 6320
Total 151,324
Daily average 6073.

A WISE LABOR PREMIER.
The conservative and statesman-like
behaviour of the new labor government
of Australia is as much of a surprise to
its enemies as it is a disappointment to
some of its supporters. In spite of the
frantic urgings of the more radical of
its followers, Premier Watson persists
moving slowly and in adopting no line
of policy that might infringe upon the
established rights of one class for the
possible benefit of another. A notable
instance of his evident determination
to serve the people rather than any
party is found in his reply to the fol-
lowing resolutions passed at a great la-
bor convention at Melbourne and pre-
sented to his approval by an influen-
tial delegation of labor leaders:

"That this meeting is in entire accord
with the workers of every land in de-
manding one adult vote, a tax upon
land values, exclusive of improvements;
the settlement of industrial disputes by
courts of compulsory conciliation and
arbitration, the abolition of child labor,
and advocates all legislation that will
ameliorate the condition of the work-
ers."

That this mass meeting of workers
send fraternal greetings to their fellows
assembled on this day; assert with them
their desire for peace, and are opposed
to militarism in all its forms—their de-
termination to overthrow wage-slavery
and capitalism, and establish by their united
efforts that international co-opera-
tive commonwealth in which all the in-
struments of industry will be owned
and controlled by the whole people, and
equal opportunity be given to all to lead
healthy, happy, human lives.

Premier Watson replied that his min-
istry supported nearly every one of the
measures mentioned, but that caution
was necessary in endeavoring to give
them effect. "You can," he said, "de-
monstrate that a particular step is a
good one, and this will lead further and
further on in the direction in which we
wish to travel, but to attempt to bring
about a collective commonwealth be-
fore the people have been prepared and
imbued with a proper sense of their re-
sponsibilities toward their neighbors
would be worse than useless, because
it would bring disaster in its train, and
demay and disappointment to the most
optimistic in our ranks."

This attitude of the first "labor"
premier the world has known will do
much to dignify and strengthen the
cause which is too often judged by the
mouthings of the loudest but least re-
sponsible members of labor unions.

The resignation of Dr. Fraser from
the pastorate of St. Stephen's Presby-

terian church removes from St. John
one of the ablest preachers and most
eminent scholars that ever filled a pul-
pit here. His congregation and his
many friends will feel his loss keenly,
though they know that in the new line
of labor which he has chosen his splen-
did ability fits him for a career of
great usefulness and for the accom-
plishment of work which shall bring
honor to himself and to his church.

The only excuse for the removal of a
man like Dr. Fraser from the active
ministry is that in his new position as
a teacher of preachers he will be able
to improve his thinking, indirectly but
none the less forcibly, upon hundreds of
times as many people as he could reach
from any one pulpit.

A FOREST LOVER.
(By Francis Barine.)
All summer long the woods have called
to me
Pent in the dusty city walls; and I,
Who love them so, in spirit made re-
spond.

To every well-remembered rock and
tree,
Green forest glades my longing eyes
could see,
And boughs' leaf-lacework clear
against the sky;

And I could hear the pines, aloof and
high,
Above the street sounds, murmuring
coarsely.

So potent is their spell, the grave, deep
woods,
Sometimes I wonder if, when laid to
rest—
Eased of the burden of life that tolls
and grieves—
I shall not dream of woodland ways and
moods;

And, through brown earth laid warm
upon my breast,
Still hear the pines and friendly talk
of leaves.

HAPPINESS IN RUSSIA.
(From the Brooklyn Eagle.)
The address which took the place of a
sermon, in the course of his address,
Mr. Fraser said that he would send
his resignation to the Presbytery to-
day.

In this connection Dr. Fraser said:
"I met one of my people whom I met on
the other side of the ocean and from
whom I have spoken to
on the subject of coming
home, and several absent from the city
who have written me, with few excep-
tions agree in the view that it would
hardly be fair for the congregation to
oppose my removal, and I would ask
you, therefore, in order to make it
easier for me to do what I feel to be
my duty, when the Presbytery gives
you to appear in your interests, to give
your consent to my leaving you. Con-
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LOCAL NEWS

The Chancellor, Major Howell of To-
ronto, who has been editing the War-
rior for some time, is expected to ar-
rive in this city Tuesday.

Rev. C. Burnett of the Leinster
street church held an open-air service
last evening on King square. Some
good old-fashioned hymns were sung
and a practical sermon was preached.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McLennan of
Cedar street, Indian town, are called
upon to mourn the loss of another
child, the infant daughter, which is
the second little one to leave them in
the course of a few months. Mr. Mc-
Lennan is a St. John Railway Co.
fireman.

Two bicycles were found on the
streets early on Sunday morning and
the police think that in one case the
wheel was stolen. Officer McNamee
found the first bicycle on Union street
and Officers Crawford and Perry ran
across the other one on Brussels
street. Both were taken to the cen-
tral station, where one was afterwards
given to its owner.

Mrs. John McAlary, (nee Williams)
an Indian town, will leave tomorrow
for the Northwest to join her husband,
who has been in that
country for a few months
past. Mrs. McAlary has been recently
returned from Yarmouth, where she
had been visiting relatives.

The new motorcar, Ackerman of
Spurr Cove, Milford, who was rolled
between passing cars on the park
branch in trying to jump from one
vehicle to the other, is still confined to
his home from the injuries he then
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MEN'S REGATTA SHIRTS—Hard fronts. Colors: Light Blue, Grey and Navy Stripes
on White Ground. Sizes: 14 to 15 1/2, at 75c. Each.

MEN'S REGATTA SHIRTS—Hard Front, separate cuffs, in pretty Stripes of Blue and
White. Sizes: 14 1/2 to 16, at \$1.00 Each.

MEN'S REGATTA SHIRTS—Soft fronts, separate cuffs, White Grounds with small Blue
Figures. Sizes: 14 to 16, at \$1.00 Each.

Men's White Shirts with colored pleated fronts.
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Sweeping Reductions in all kinds of Dress Goods. Now is the time to buy
dresses for the children before school opens; from 15c yard up.
Six Hundred Pairs of LADIES' CORSETS to go at nearly half price—30c.
50c, 60c, 75c, 80c, 90c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00, 10.50, 11.00, 11.50, 12.00, 12.50, 13.00, 13.50, 14.00, 14.50, 15.00, 15.50, 16.00, 16.50, 17.00, 17.50, 18.00, 18.50, 19.00, 19.50, 20.00, 20.50, 21.00, 21.50, 22.00, 22.50, 23.00, 23.50, 24.00, 24.50, 25.00, 25.50, 26.00, 26.50, 27.00, 27.50, 28.00, 28.50, 29.00, 29.50, 30.00, 30.50, 31.00, 31.50, 32.00, 32.50, 33.00, 33.50, 34.00, 34.50, 35.00, 35.50, 36.00, 36.50, 37.00, 37.50, 38.00, 38.50, 39.00, 39.50, 40.00, 40.50, 41.00, 41.50, 42.00, 42.50, 43.00, 43.50, 44.00, 44.50, 45.00, 45.50, 46.00, 46.50, 47.00, 47.50, 48.00, 48.50, 49.00, 49.50, 50.00, 50.50, 51.00, 51.50, 52.00, 52.50, 53.00, 53.50, 54.00, 54.50, 55.00, 55.50, 56.00, 56.50, 57.00, 57.50, 58.00, 58.50, 59.00, 59.50, 60.00, 60.50, 61.00, 61.50, 62.00, 62.50, 63.00, 63.50, 64.00, 64.50, 65.00, 65.50, 66.00, 66.50, 67.00, 67.50, 68.00, 68.50, 69.00, 69.50, 70.00, 70.50, 71.00, 71.50, 72.00, 72.50, 73.00, 73.50, 74.00, 74.50, 75.00, 75.50, 76.00, 76.50, 77.00, 77.50, 78.00, 78.50, 79.00, 79.50, 80.00, 80.50, 81.00, 81.50, 82.00, 82.50, 83.00, 83.50, 84.00, 84.50, 85.00, 85.50, 86.00, 86.50, 87.00, 87.50, 88.00, 88.50, 89.00, 89.50, 90.00, 90.50, 91.00, 91.50, 92.00, 92.50, 93.00, 93.50, 94.00, 94.50, 95.00, 95.50, 96.00, 96.50, 97.00, 97.50, 98.00, 98.50, 99.00, 99.50, 100.00, 100.50, 101.00, 101.50, 102.00, 102.50, 103.00, 103.50, 104.00, 104.50, 105.00, 105.50, 106.00, 106.50, 107.00, 107.50, 108.00, 108.50, 109.00, 109.50, 110.00, 110.50, 111.00, 111.50, 112.00, 112.50, 113.00, 113.50, 114.00, 114.50, 115.00, 115.50, 116.00, 116.50, 117.00, 117.50, 118.00, 118.50, 119.00, 119.50, 120.00, 120.50, 121.00, 121.50, 122.00, 122.50, 123.00, 123.50, 124.00, 124.50, 125.00, 125.50, 126.00, 126.50, 127.00, 127.50, 128.00, 128.50, 129.00, 129.50, 130.00, 130.50, 131.00, 131.50, 132.00, 132.50, 133.00, 133.50, 134.00, 134.50, 135.00, 135.50, 136.00, 136.50, 137.00, 137.50, 138.00, 138.50, 139.00, 139.50, 140.00, 140.50, 141.00, 141.50, 142.00, 142.50, 143.00, 143.50, 144.00, 144.50, 145.00, 145.50, 146.00, 146.50, 147.00, 147.50, 148.00, 148.50, 149.00, 149.50, 150.00, 150.50, 151.00, 151.50, 152.00, 152.50, 153.00, 153.50, 154.00, 154.50, 155.00, 155.50, 156.00, 156.50, 157.00, 157.50, 158.00, 158.50, 159.00, 159.50, 160.00, 160.50, 161.00, 161.50, 162.00, 162.50, 163.00, 163.50, 164.00, 164.50, 165.00, 165.50, 166.00, 166.50, 167.00, 167.50, 168.00, 168.50, 169.00, 169.50, 170.00, 170.50, 171.00, 171.50, 172.00, 172.50, 173.00, 173.50, 174.00, 174.50, 175.00, 175.50, 176.00, 176.50, 177.00, 177.50, 178.00, 178.50, 179.00, 179.50, 180.00, 180.50, 181.00, 181.50, 182.00, 182.50, 183.00, 183.50, 184.00, 184.50, 185.00, 185.50, 186.00, 186.50, 187.00, 187.50, 188.00, 188.50, 189.00, 189.50, 190.00, 190.50, 191.00, 191.50, 192.00, 192.50, 193.00, 193.50, 194.00, 194.50, 195.00, 195.50, 196.00, 196.50, 197.00, 197.50, 198.00, 198.50, 199.00, 199.50, 200.00, 200.50, 201.00, 201.50, 202.00, 202.50, 203.00, 203.50, 204.00, 204.50, 205.00, 205.50, 2