for five, but we have just as good a ten dollar suit as you can find in the city of St. John.

Men's Suits in nice striped worsteds, first class trimmings and fit perfect, \$10.

Men's Suits, striped Tweed, latest fashionable cut, good linings, all desirable shades, \$10.

Men's Suits. English serge, best make, single or double breasted, \$10.

Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, any style, first class trimmings, \$6.50, 7.50, 10.50 and 12.00.

Men's Shower proof Overcoats, latest style and best goods, only \$10, well worth \$14.

Men's Pants, nice striped worsteds, all new and fashionable shades, \$3, 3.50 and 4.00.

Men's Black Clay Worsted Pants, best quality, \$3.

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RUSSIAN GREED.

Her Promises to Evacuate Manchuria Have Been Broken.

The Energy of the West Joined to the Craft of the

R. H. McDonald in Manitoba Free Press.)

Préss.)

The evacuation of Manchuria was promised by Russia eighteen months ago. Today she is practically mis-rees of the 363,220 square miles in that splendid province—a white man's country full of wood and minerals. Alteready she is casting covetous eyes on Mongolla with its 1,300,000 miles of terribory. and before western statesmen tory.

ready she is casting covetous eyes on Mongolla with its 1,300,000 miles of territory, and before western statesmen have realized this she will be preparing for a coup d'eat in Chihli, in which province Pekin stands.

It is a curious characteristic of Russian policy that it always goes straight to a definite goal. The great empire of the Bear marches with steady strides on all her southern and eastern borders. From the Balkans to Persia, and Turkestan; and along the boundary line of Thibet and China for thousands of miles she keeps moving toward the sea with a quiet persistency which has something terrible and yet grand about it.

In this onward march, which has added more territory to the czar's dominions in the last two hundred years than the whole surface of Canada, no opposition has acted as more than a temporary check, no treaty has restrained the Moscovite. Even the pledged word of the czar has been violated in order to serve Russian policy, which combines the energy and perseverance of the Occidental with the treachery and craft of the Oriental character.

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to complete establishment of her position and the closing of the door to the other powers.

The open door principle requires to be maintained in China for two reasons. First because it is the only fair way for the powers to secure a share of trade and commerce in that vast empire; and secondly, because the moment the powers attempt to divide China up they will have to face 450, 100,000 of armed fanatics.

Russia has appropriated Manchuria despite the fact that she has no trade worth talking of, and will never develop the province herself. Germany has Shantung, and by the weakness of Great Britain has been allowed to close the door there to British railway enterprise. France is steadily following a policy of plunder in the three southern provinces. The Yangtse valley, with its 550,000 square miles, State

CAPITAL OVER \$5,000,000.

It is stated that the Cape Breton Coal & Iron Company will in a short time begin operations toward the development of their coal areas at Cariboo Marsh and Mira Road, a few miles from Sydney. This will be a very large industry, and will have considerable effect towards increasing Sydney's importance as a coal port. It is said that the capital invested will be over three million dollars, and a number of Montreal people are interested.

The person who gave the Hallfax Chronicle correspondent this information also stated that a large quantity of machinery has been ordered and will shortly be shipped, and that a line of railway will be constructed into Sydney, where the shipping plers will be located. The stock has been underwritten by leading New York bankers, and will be listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

CLEAR CASE OF LUCK.

Do you believe in luck?
Sometimes. See that fat woman with
the red hat over there?
Yes.
Twenty-two years ago she refused to
marry me.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

AS IT IS SPOKE.

She—You say yous—automobile has been acting strangely all day?

He—Yes; it has stopped I don't know how many times.

She—And what are you putting the oil on it for?

He—To stop its stopping.—Yonker' Statesma.

CIRCUS FAMILY.

ome Eleven Hundred or More Sit at a Table Together.

A Scene That is More Remarkable Than the Public Ring

wonderful of all the things to be seen —that is, when one is fortunate enough to be there and see it. After the thousands of eager spectators have their fill of strange sights and sounds and have gone on their way homeward the little family of the Barnum & Bailey circus, consisting of some eleven hundred or more men, women and children and freaks, sit down to dinner. Then, indeed, there is something doing.

An Eagle reporter was fortunate enough yesterday. He saw about 100 pounds of beef, 300 loaves of bread, with vegetables, drinkables and dessert to match, disappear within the space of a brief half hour. He saw daring equestriennes seated on narrow planks beside dog-faced boys and other similar monstrosities, eating the same food as the Chinese twins and the bearded lady opposite, He saw a man who eats needles and the woman who swallows anything from a jacknife to a six pound gun amicably helping each other to corned beef and cabbage. And he saw the whole thing done so smoothly and with so little fuss that, except for the subdued clatter of a thousand knives and forks, he might with closed eyes, have believed he was in the diningroom of the most select and exclusive hotel in the land.

The meals of the circus folks are served at odd hours, odd in the proper and improper, sense. They are served as it were, between times. They are all served in the big dining room tent, which is pitched as near the big tent as possible. There are three regular recals a day—breakfast at 6 o'clock, lunch at 11 and dinner at 4.30, or as soon as the afternoon performance is finished. Those who have the hardest work during the evening performance come in for some light refreshment as soon as the afternoon performance is finished. Those who have the hardest work during the evening performance come in for some light refreshment as soon as the order of the show, purely from personal preference eats all his meals in the big tent and fares the same as the humblest tent man ordriver. At every meal served to the circus family at least one

at one of the long tables and the work of serving them began.

The interior fittings of the big dining the tare worthy of notice. As they stood yesterday there were six tables about seventy feet each in length, seven tables about fifty feet long and four smaller tables, from twelve to twenty-five feet long. The tables are simply boards supported upon folding wooden horses, with steel frames above. These wooden horses are worth a special article in themselves. They are the lightest, strongest and most compact ever designed and were the wonder and admiration of the military inspectors of the continent during the European tour of the circus. For that matter the whole commissariat department proved as great a wonder to the military agents as the show did to the general public.

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There are his constitution with the blown up and three more driver also.

On November, 1807, only a month be fore her end, the Anson was one of the standard and the standard

In full swing of the season. A splendid array of what's fine and seasonable is h There are four reasons why this store is becoming more and more conspicuous as the North End's shopping centre. The public's absolute certainty of the goodness of every line of merchandise; the very large assortments and always very complete selections; the time tried satisfaction resulting from every individual transaction; the public's entire confidence that our prices are the lowest.

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Tapestry Carpets, 28, 35, 40, 45, 48, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 30c, yd.

Wool Carpets, I yard wide, 75, 80, 35c.

Carpet Squares, 3 yards square, and 3x3 1-2 yards, \$4.50, \$5.75, \$6.50 each.

Rugs! Rugs! Rugs!

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Fancy Rugs, large size, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$2.00, \$2.50 each.
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Japanese Rugs, 25, 20, 50, 58c., \$1.20, \$1.75 each. Fancy Mats, fringed, 18, 25, 40c. each Wool Mats, large size, \$1.35 each.

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point of quality, wide range of selections, completeness of stock and special ly low prices, the display admits abso lutely of none better

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English Oiloloths, 2 yards wide, 60, 70c. yd.

Linoleum, 2 yards wide, 85c. yd.

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Japanese Mattings.

Curtain Poles.

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Some of the most serviceable Linens
we have ever seen are now in stock.

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We are selling them at prices that tel the story better than argument.

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Linen Towels, 18, 20, 24, 28, 30, 35, 40, 44, 50, 55, 70c. pair.

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other draperies at prices within the reach of the slimest purse.

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Chenille Portiers, \$2.75, \$3.50, \$3.65 pair.

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\$3.85, \$6.00 pair.

Spot Curtain Muslins, 18, 20c. yard.

Fancy Muslins, frill or lace edge, 22,
25, 36c, yd.

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edge, 50c. yd.

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9, 11, 12, 15c. yd.

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7, 8, 9, 10c. yd.

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that was carrying out an anchor ahead, by which fatal accident the boat's crew ronsisting of twelve men, perished and soon after the ship drifted on the rocks and almost instantly went to pieces.

According to this contemporary account the Anson went to pieces. That it was probably a figure of speech, however, for Captain Anderson, who is conducting the salvage operations, reports that the wreck lies on the sea bottom, practically intact. That it would be possible to raise her to the surface after she has lain so long under water is problematical. Still she was made of British oak in the days when ships knew how to keep affoat. It is barely possible that the frigute may be raised intact. eight of them busy all the time while the meal is going on. They serve first the soup, then the meat and vegetables the souphed and the souphed and sordered, and lastly the desert.

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