

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1906.

ETHEL,

A Women's High Cut Buttoned OVERBOOT.

Overshoe Weather Is Here at Last.

We are now selling a Women's Extra-High Cut Waterproof Buttoned Overboot, made on the British last, with coarse soles to prevent slipping.

Black Fleece Lining, buttons fastened on with clasp, especially intended for Overshoes, at \$1.75 a pair.

Waterbury & Rising,
King Street. Union Street

Christmas is Drawing Near

We wish to inform our customers and others that our stock for Christmas is now complete. We have done our utmost to get a good assortment of stock for Christmas shoppers, and we have paid cash for all our stock and we are selling for cash only. We are now in a position to give you values in clothing and goods, furnishings that never were given before.

OVERCOATS from \$5.00 to \$15.00.
SUITS from \$6.00 to \$15.00.
CAPS from 25c. to \$1.50.
TIES 15c. to 50c.
FANCY MUFFLERS 25c. to \$1.00.

C. Magnusson & Co.,
The Cash Clothing Store,
73 Dock Street, St. John, N. B.

Workingmen

If you want to be warm and comfortable these cold days, get inside of one of our Sheep Lined Jackets. They are frost-proof and only

\$4.75 Each.

E. O. PARSONS, WEST END.

"Silent" Parlor Matches

Everybody, Everywhere, Every Time.

Ask your grocer for them. Made by Canada's Match Makers, THE S. B. EDDY CO.

SCHOFIELD BROS.,

SELLING AGENTS - ST. JOHN, N. B.

If You Want a Pretty Soft Wool Cloud or Cheap Fur Collar Go to WETMORE'S, Garden St.

WAR THREATENED ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Two Opposing Bodies May Meet on the Field of Battle—The Gunnet Thrown Down.

Rule 9.—Beavers to wear grey ribbon and Stars to wear their own colors.

Rule 10.—In attacking a fort the armies can advance in any direction they wish.

Rule 11.—Scouts can be posted at any place in the city.

Rule 12.—The armies are bound to accept the umpire's decision.

Rule 13.—When a man is once captured he is not to fight any more.

Rule 14.—Each member of the opposing armies is to deposit five cents with the secretary of the Junior Beavers. This will be returned to him if he takes part in the fight, if he does not appear they deposit goes to the treasury.

Will the Stars kindly send a committee of two men to the Star office at 8.30 tonight. If this challenge is not accepted then we shall know that the Stars are afraid to go against us. Kindly be at this office at the time appointed and oblige the Junior Beavers, Per THOS. DALEY, Sec.-Treas.

Every Lively Store

where clothing materials are sold carries a full and comprehensive supply of the most reliable and dressiest domestic cloths.

The Oxford Make.

COMMERCIAL

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—The statement of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for the year ending November 30, 1906, was issued this afternoon. It shows net profits of \$1,741,153 for twelve months, which is 17.41 per cent on the paid up capital of \$10,000,000. Dividends of 7 per cent, and the bonus of one per cent, absorbed \$800,000, the sum of \$341,153 was written off bank premises, \$30,000 was transferred to the pension fund and \$25,000 to the San Francisco relief fund. After this \$500,000 was added to the rest, bringing that account up to \$5,000,000, or one half the paid up capital. A balance of \$103,502 was carried forward as compared with \$58,571 brought forward a year ago.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.)

St. John, N. B., Dec. 12, Tues. Wed.

Cig. Op's Noon.

Amalg. Copper	115 115 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	128 128 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Ref.	133 133 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	44 44 1/2
Atchafalaya	105 105 1/2
Am. Locomotive	75 75 1/2
Br. R. R. Tr. Co.	118 118 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	58 58 1/2
Can. Pac. R. R.	127 127 1/2
HOCKING	28 28 1/2
Colo. P. and Iron	57 57 1/2
Distillers	70 70 1/2
Den. and Foster	24 24 1/2
Erie	45 45 1/2
Nipissing	125 125 1/2
Kansas and Texas	41 41 1/2
Louis. and Nashville	148 148 1/2
Missouri Pacific	94 94 1/2
N. Y. Central	92 92 1/2
Nor. and Western	124 124 1/2
North West	207 207 1/2
Ont. and Western	49 49 1/2
Pac. C. and Gas Co.	105 105 1/2
Reading	104 104 1/2
Republic Steel	40 40 1/2
S. S. Rubber	78 78 1/2
Texas Pacific	128 128 1/2
Rock Island	31 31 1/2
St. Paul	128 128 1/2
Southern Pac.	94 94 1/2
Southern Ry.	95 95 1/2
Twin City	108 108 1/2
Union Pacific	87 87 1/2
U. S. Steel	184 184 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	49 49 1/2
Western Union	104 104 1/2

Sales in New York yesterday 1,100,000 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Cig. Op's Noon.

Dec. corn	42 1/2
wheat	74 1/2
oats	34 1/2
May corn	43 1/2
wheat	79 1/2
oats	35 1/2
Jan. pork	15.90 to 15.75

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Tues. Wed.

Cig. Op's Noon.

Dom. Coal	67 1/2
Dom. L. and S. pfd.	68 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	70 1/2
C. P. R.	107 1/2
Twin City	107 1/2

Fancy Goods.

HANDKERCHIEF CASES, 35c. to 95c.
DENTIST AND COMB SETS, 25c.
TABLE MATS, (5 in set), 25c.
COLLAR AND CUFF BOXES, 75c. and 81c.
CRUMB TRAYS AND BRUSH, 55c. and 60c.
GLOVE AND HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, 25c. and 40c.
PURSES, 25c. up.
CHATELAIN BAGS, 60c. up.
LADIES' UMBRELLAS, nothing more suitable for a gift, 75c. to \$3.
FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS.

Our Handkerchief counter is a great place for Xmas gifts. Wider in variety than ever before is the present gathering.

HEMSTITCHED AND FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS, 5c. to 75c.
STOCK COLLARS in endless variety, 25c. to 75c. each.

Regatta Shirts.

The newest things in SHIRTS are here, 50c. to \$1.25.

NICKWEAR of a distinguishing tone.

MADE UP TIES, 25c. to 50c.

BOWS, 25c. each.

FOUR-IN-HANDS, 25c. to 50c.

FLOWING ENDS, 50c.

PUFFS, 50c.

THE INTERNATIONAL SEAMAN'S UNION

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—The International Seaman's Union expects to conclude its sessions tomorrow. Today's sessions were devoted to union matters and proposed amendments to the laws. William H. Frazier of Boston, International Labor, reported on the political efforts of the American Federation of Labor, where he had been one of President Gampers' staff of speakers. He recommended that the effort be repeated next year against every candidate unfair to labor and that members of organized labor should from now on spare no effort to defeat its enemies and elect its friends. In a general report he recommended that every member of the Seaman's Union not a citizen take out papers as soon as possible so as to be able to vote at every election.

VIC. OPENS TONIGHT.

At the re-opening of Victoria Rink tonight single admission will rule for those who have not season tickets. The band will play a brand new program of popular music and a veritable glare of excellent ice is assured. With such favorable weather and real winter condition the prospects for a banner season are particularly bright. It is timely to state just now that Christmas presents of Victoria Rink season tickets are most acceptable. A great many names have been enrolled by Santa Claus already, and a call on 'phone 888 is all that is necessary to put more on the list.

GOOD SHOOTING ON THE NORTH SHORE.

R. Walter Dean of Lorneville has returned from a trip to Dalhousie, where he was visiting his brother, J. E. Dean, at the Inch Arran House. Mr. Dean says that ducks are very plentiful at Bay Chaleur. He and Mr. Waters of Toronto were very successful in the woods. They secured a lot of game.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Tues. Wed.

Cig. Op's Noon.

December	8.25
January	8.48
March	8.65
May	8.72
July	8.85

Christmas Gifts!

AT THE BIG NORTH END STORE.

You can make your friends happy at little cost to yourself if you choose your remembrances from our Stock. We can't give you a complete list of the things we have, and we would not if we could, because we want you to call, as our Stock is much prettier than any description we can give you of it.

Read carefully, consider fairly, act promptly, profit largely where good quality and low prices reign.

Ladies' Gloves.

We are showing a splendid line of DENTIST and FANCY GLOVES. All that fashion sanctions in the matter of glove taste is here.

KID GLOVES, (all shades), 75c. to \$1.10 pair.

SUEDE GLOVES, \$1.25 pair.

FANCY WOOLEN GLOVES, 25c. to 50c.

Shirt Waists.

In a good variety of patterns.

CREAM LUSTRE WAISTS, 95c., \$1.10, \$1.40.

BLACK LUSTRE, do., \$1.10, \$1.45, \$1.85.

FANCY LUSTRE, do., \$1.40, \$1.75, \$1.85.

WHITE SILK WAISTS, \$1.50 and \$2.50.

FLANNELETTE WAISTS, 50c. to \$1.10.

Men's and Boys' Furnishings.

Regatta Shirts.

The newest things in SHIRTS are here, 50c. to \$1.25.

Men's Gloves.

You cannot make a mistake in selecting gloves for Xmas gift. They are useful and always acceptable.

MEN'S LINED KID GLOVES, 50c. to \$1.15 pair.

MEN'S LINED MOCHA GLOVES, 75c. to \$2 pair.

MEN'S WOOLEN GLOVES, 25c. to 50c.

BOY'S WOOLEN GLOVES, 25c. to 50c.

MUST STAND PAT ON ENGLISH SPELLING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—"Stand pat" on spelling was Representative Keifer's plea during the course of a speech he made today in the House. He said that for the first time in the history of the country it was proposed to legislate on the proper use of the English language in public prints.

WAS ONCE C.P.R. DIVISION ENGINEER

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—John F. Stevens, chief engineer, and J. G. Sullivan, assistant chief engineer of the Panama canal commission, who arrived today on the steamer Panama, from Colon, are home for the holidays and expect to return to the isthmus early in January.

A LITTLE DETECTIVE.

The Star wine again. Dozens of instances could be quoted every week in which lost and found articles are returned to their owners by the aid of this paper's condensed advertising columns, but a recent occurrence is quite unusual, and worth telling about.

FREDERIGTON HOCKEY PLAYERS ORGANIZE

FREDERIGTON, N. B., Dec. 12.—A meeting of the hockey club was held last evening at the office of H. F. McLeod for the purpose of organizing the following officers were elected: Hon. Pres., W. T. Whitehead, Pres. H. F. McLeod, Vice-president, J. D. Black, Treasurer, George T. Burden, Secretary and Manager, H. M. Blair. A committee composed of R. A. Malloy, J. D. Black and H. M. Blair was appointed to interview Mr. Hanson with regard to making arrangements for playing at the Arctic Rink. Another meeting of the club will be held on Friday evening next when the matter of amateurism will be discussed and delegates elected to the New Brunswick Hockey League.

LARGEST WEIGHING MACHINE.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—H. Pooley & Son, Limited, of Kidsgrove, have just made the largest single weighing bridge that has ever been designed. The machine will weigh 100 tons, and was designed for Cammell, Laird & Co.

TOOK POISON THROUGH A FUNNEL.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—A verdict of "suicide while temporarily insane" was returned yesterday at the Battersea Coroner's court on Thomas Loder, 75 years old, who committed suicide by taking carbolic acid through a funnel.

CHILDLESS VILLAGE.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—It was stated yesterday at a meeting of the Bowland Education Committee that there has not been a child at school for twenty years from the village of Horton-In-Craven, in the West Riding of Yorkshire. The village has 250 inhabitants.

HARE HUNT IN THE STREETS.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—A hare was killed in the streets of St. Albans yesterday. It made its way through the alley cloisters to High street, and was chased by men and dogs through Peter street to the other side of the city, where it was slain as it was trying to escape into the fields.

RELICS OF THE ROMANS.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Rev. P. M. Wathern, rector of Welwyn, Herts, has discovered the remains of a Roman wall in the rectory grounds, and a large quantity of Roman bricks and flints were turned up.

NELSON'S CHAIR SOLD.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—An antique fire-side chair, which formerly belonged to Lord Nelson, was sold for \$80 at an auction at Blakeney, Norfolk.

MUSHROOMS FOR THE MILLION.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—They have been such a glut of mushrooms in Berkshire that they have been retailed at one penny a pound.

Magee's Made-to-Order Persian Lamb Jackets

Our Persian Lamb Jackets are becoming more popular all the time. They have style and quality.

The skins are choice—in small, medium or large glossy curls.

The linings of Satin are plain dark or light figured materials of excellent quality.

The styles are from the centres of fine fashions.

Jackets made to order in any style—plain, or with Collar and Revers of Mink, Sable, Chinchilla or Ermine.

FIT AND SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

D. MAGEE'S SONS,
Manufacturing Furriers, 63 King Street

For Christmas Purchasers

We have just opened up a magnificent line of Bon-Bon Crackers, Beautiful Baskets and Fancy Boxes, Dainty Sweets all ways on hand.

Buyers need not go home to their dinner or supper, but may have either, or a lunch, in our dining room off our Parlor. Why wear tired expressions when by giving us a call you will leave wearing a bright and happy smile.

SCAMMELL'S Confectionery & Restaurant
Tel. 1118. 63 CHARLOTTE ST.

Xmas Sale.

A Fine Assortment of Watches and Chains

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or poor the price for milk is the same and quality is the only consideration. By giving daily and observing greatest care in handling we can guarantee our

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PROTECTION in case of sickness or death.

Write for particulars to H. NOAKES, Secretary, 144 Charlotte Street.

DRAKE LEADS THE FLEET.

Her Gunners First in the Battle Practice Competitions.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The gunners of the armored cruiser Drake, flagship of the Second Cruiser Squadron of the British Atlantic fleet, commanded by Rear Admiral Prince Louis of Battenberg, have made a record of 106 hits out of 123 shots from the 8.2-inch and 6-inch guns. This was accomplished during the recent gun practice in Arad Bay, with the target four miles distant. The crew of the Drake thus held the whole British fleet both in gun laying and battle practice competitions.

WILL BE PENSIONED FOR LIFE.

Hero of Kopenick Exploit to be Amply Provided For.

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—William Voigt, the broken down cobbler, whose exploit at Kopenick is certainly without parallel, is experiencing equally unparalleled circumstances in his imprisonment. Creature comforts for the inmate man reach the prison for him daily. A number of lady sympathizers have subscribed a fund for securing him a pension for life. No German misdeed factor ever before convulsed two hemispheres with laughter.

RHYOLITE, Nev., Dec. 12.—The Rhyolite Athletic Association has been formed with a capital of \$30,000 to promote a finish fight between Jack O'Brien and Tommy Burns. Both men have agreed to fight here for a purse of \$25,000.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 12.—Nervous shock caused by his car almost striking a woman and child on Thanksgiving Day was the cause of the death of Harry C. Sutton, a local motorman. Sutton stopped his car suddenly just in time to avoid crushing the pair and then fell unconscious. A physician found that Sutton had become paralyzed. He remained unconscious until his death.

LADIES FIRST.

A pretty American Duchess sat in her drawing room, and her little son, the Marquis, stood beside her in lace and velvet.

A Peer, entering, bowed over the Duchess' white hand, and then said to the little Marquis:

"Will you give me a kiss, my dear?"

The boy shrinking behind his mother said, bashfully:

"Mamma will give you one."