

GOOD TROUSERS!

Just hold up your Trousers when you remove them tonight, and take a good square look at them. If you think your dignity would be benefited by a new pair we want to tell you we have just received a fine lot of ready-to-wear Trousers as if you ever got good fortune to see, and we have marked them at prices that should effect a speedy clearance.

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Prices for these Fine Trousers.

UNION CLOTHING CO.,
26 and 28 Charlotte Street.
ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

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ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of the SUN or STAR. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by nearly 8,000 people during the day. SUN and Star Classified ads are veritable little busybodies.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—(Old) Stanhope Carriage. A No. 400 McLaughlin, Red Gear. In perfect condition. Very little used. Apply M. R. A. Stables, Lanier St. 17-8-8

FOR SALE—Baby Carriage Apply Box 489 Star Office. 18-8-8

FOR SALE—Desirable summer cottage with large grounds, good spring water, etc., close to popular station on C. P. R. Apply Box A, Star office. 18-8-8

FOR SALE—15 acres of land, two minutes walk from Hampton Station. Apply 148 Union St. 8-8-1 mo

FOR SALE—Range, almost new. Apply 80 British St. 12-8-8

FOR SALE—Gordon Printing Press. Prints 10 by 15 sheet. Apply JOHN T. MCGOLDRICK, Lower Cove. 21-7-8

ROOMS AND BOARDING

BOARDING AND ROOMS—Terms moderate. Mrs. Shanks, 11 Prince William Street. 14-8-1 mo

ROOMS—121 Union street, centrally located. 13-8-8

TO LET—A nice room with board for gentleman at 120 Elliott Row. Right hand bed. 25-8-8

TO LET—Furnished room. Gentleman preferred. 14 Church street. 22-7-8

FURNISHED ROOMS—Bright and cheery. 25 Carleton St. 20-7-1 mo

LOGGING—Transient or permanent. Single and double rooms. 6 Charles St. 11-8-8

ROOMS AND BOARD—Apply 143 Union street. 27-8-8

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, heated. Apply 18 Peter street. 25-8-8

BOARDERS WANTED—Gentleman as he accommodated at 10 and 12 Charles Street. 2-8-8

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—At Bideau Hall corner of Union and Prince William Sts. 19-5-8-8

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE

WANTED—Five men for railway construction. Work guaranteed. Grant's Employment Agency, 73 St. James St., West St. John. 17-8-8

WANTED—General girl, must be good plain cook. No washing. Apply 27 Dorchester street. 15-8-8

WANTED—Orphan October 18th, at Roxbury and afterwards in St. John, reliable house girl, not under 18 years old, with reference. Apply to MRS. J. B. CUDLIP, Roxbury Park, Roxbury, N. B. 15-8-8

WANTED—General girl in small family. Apply 231 Main St. 11-8-8

WANTED—A general girl, also a young girl for upstairs work. Apply at 123 King street. 10-8-8

GIRL WANTED—General housework. 55 Waterloo Street. 23-8-8

MISCELLANEOUS

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY—Young man with \$150 to invest will learn of an opportunity to come in on a deal that will secure a permanent income after a few months. Unless you can raise the money after being convinced don't answer. Address Box 497, Star Office. 12-8-8

BAGGAGE TRANSFER

S. J. WITHERS, GENERAL CARTAGE AGENT, 59 Germain Street. Phone 1655, West Side Express. Furniture packed, moved, stored. 25-8-8 mo.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On Saturday night in "The Nickel" or vicinity, a pocket book containing a small sum of money and some receipts. The finder will confer favor and be rewarded by returning to D. MAGEE'S SONS, 63 King St. 12-8-8

LOST—Wire haired fox terrier, white with black spot over eye. Finder please return to L. E. Wilson, 76 Germain St. 10-8-8

WANTED

WANTED—Coat and skirt makers. Apply T. L. Murphy, 75 King street. 11-8-8

WANTED—To buy a work horse about 1400 lbs. Apply immediately to A. E. Hamilton. 11-8-8

WANTED—This fall, small comfortable flat or cottage. Write particulars to Box 493, Star office. 11-8-8

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Gentleman's clothing, footwear, fur, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, fire arms, tools, etc. Call or send postal. H. GILBERT, 24 Mill St., City. 12-8-8

BUSINESS CARDS

NOW LANDING, all sizes Scotch Antrhalite, delivered promptly. Tel. 42. James S. McGivern, Agent, 5 Mill St. 11-8-8

CHIMNEYS AND FURNACES CLEANED—Prompt attention to all orders left at 154 Mill St., 13 Dock St., and Hall's Book Store, 57 King St. JAMES HALEY, 154 Mill St., City. 15-8-12

W. H. YATFIELD, Mason, Plasterer, Builder, Stucco work in all its branches. 2444 Union St. Estimates furnished. Only union men employed. Telephone 1613. 11-8-8

J. A. WILLIAMS, CARPENTER and CONTRACTOR, office 109 Prince William Street, Telephone, 2091. All kinds of work promptly attended to. 15-8-8

FIREWOOD—Mill Wood cut in stove lengths. For big load in City 11:30; in North End, 10:30. Pay the driver. This wood is just from mill MURRAY and GREGORY, LTD., Phone 251. 12-8-8

J. D. McAVINY, dealer in hard and soft coal. Delivery promptly in the city, 39 Brussels street. 11-8-8

WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Grocer and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince William Street. Established 1870. Write for family price list. 11-8-8

D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Telephone 14-977. 1-1-977

HOUSE PAINTING—Now is the time to arrange for your spring house cleaning. I am prepared to give estimates on all kinds of house work. Paper Hanging, Tinting, Painting and Graining, Whitewashing, etc. All kinds of Sign Work a specialty. Prices low. Good Work guaranteed. F. W. EDDLETON, 63 Sydney street; House 10 Haymarket Square. Telephone 1611. 11-8-8

F. C. WESLEY Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water street. St. John, N. B. Telephone 982. 11-8-8

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 2 Coburg St. 11-8-8

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED—Two table girls Clifton House. 14-8-8

GIRLS WANTED—Apply at D. F. Brown Paper Co. 12-8-8

GIRLS WANTED—Apply White Candy Co. 12-8-8

WANTED—Girl for general housework. To go home night. Apply Mrs. T. McATEE, 20 Golding street. 12-8-8

WANTED—A girl to go outside of the city. Apply between two and four or seven and nine o'clock. Apply 37 Union St. 10-8-8

TO LET

FLAT TO RENT—All conveniences. Rent moderate, apply 26 Mill street. 10-8-8

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Francis Kerr Company, Limited, has purchased all the right, title and interest in the coal and wood business lately carried on by the St. John Fuel Company, and will continue the said business under the firm name of FRANCIS KERR CO., LIMITED.

FRANCIS KERR CO., LTD., Per Francis Kerr, Manager.

ORIENTAL CAFE

Excellent cuisine, courteous attention. Our menu is the best in the city at the price. Dinner, 20 cents. Ticket for 5 meals \$1.00. Special lunches served at all hours. Chinese dishes a specialty. 105 Charlotte street, opposite Dufferin Hotel. 10-8-8

DE-WAY

Whom 'tis said is the Greatest Clairvoyant, Astrologer, Psychio Palmist and Mental Scientist Combined.

In the World Today. Now in your midst and can be consulted daily, 10 a. m. until 8 p. m. 25 Carleton Street

Read Wisely—An Honest Proposition. I heartily agree and guarantee to make no charge if I fail to tell you what you wish to know in regard to health, love, marriage, business, speculation, law suits, or in fact any of everything that you might be in doubt about. I will tell you the culmination of every hope, fear or ambition that you might be the possessor of and advise you correctly as to the best course to pursue in order to gain contentment and happiness. An attempt to do my wonderful methods I will call you by name and tell you the exact object of your visit or read you free of charge. Readings also for \$1.00.

Scenic Route. Steamer "Maggie Miller" leaves Millville for Summersville, Kennebecas Island and Baywater, daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 6:45 and 8:30 a. m., 2:4 and 6 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 6:30, 7:30 and 10:30 a. m., 2:45 and 6:15 p. m. Saturday at 6:15 and 9:30 a. m., 2:30, 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 8:30, 7, and 10:30 a. m., 10:30 and 1:30 p. m., 2:30 and 6:15 p. m., 5 and 7 p. m. JOHN MCGOLDRICK, Agent.

LOVERS LEAP FROM RAILWAY CAR

ROME, Aug. 16—A romantic elopement from Turin has had a dramatic sequel. Giacomo Buscagli, aged 25, was engaged to Maria Piovano, aged 17. But the girl's parents would not consent to the match, and the lovers decided to elope.

They took the train to Modena, and had accompanied part of the journey in safety, when suddenly a passenger who had been crying then suspiciously sent to the match, and the lovers decided to elope.

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The girl is so badly injured that she is not expected to recover.

AUSTRIA OFFERS TROOPS TO ENGLAND

MELBOURNE, Aug. 16—Colonel Evans, on behalf of the officers and men of the Sixth Australian Infantry Regiment, one of Victoria's crack military corps, has offered to assist for service in India at once, should the Bombay disturbances continue.

A cable to this effect was sent to Sir George Clarke, Governor of Bombay, who is also the regiment's honor colonel.

In a letter conveying the offer, Colonel Evans says: "The officers and men of the Sixth Australian Infantry Regiment are ready to accept of any conditions that the government may see fit to impose, provided that the situation in India before taking action."

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

WE ARE OFFERING 3 Great Bargains

Upright Pianos

If you want a reliable PIANO at a Genuine Bargain

Come in and see what we are offering.

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY if you come at once, for it is not every day we have such bargains to offer.

BELL'S PIANO STORE 79 Germain Street

ROAST BEEF INDICTED BY MEDICAL CONGRESS

Experiments Show That It Is Not the Solid Foundation of the British Army.

LONDON, Aug. 16—The roast beef of old England received a severe blow at a sectional meeting of the British Medical Congress, at Sheffield, yesterday.

Lieutenant Colonel Davies, professor of hygiene at the Royal Army Medical College, Major R. J. Blackburn, Major G. S. Crawford, both of the Royal Army Medical Corps and Captain W. Sinclair, R. A. M. (India), in papers read at the section devoted to the army, the navy and ambulance work, all agreed that abundance of meat was quite unnecessary, and that cheese and fish, both of which were cheap, were excellent and nutritious food.

Major Blackburn said that experiments had rather upset the popular notion that roast beef was the solid foundation of the British army.

How "Tommy Atkins" might deal with such a change in his diet as that suggested was indicated by Lieutenant Colonel Potheringham, of Canada, who spoke out of the fulness of his own experience.

Lieutenant Colonel Potheringham agreed that cheese had an extreme value as an article of food. An attempt had been made to introduce it into the rations of the Canadian soldiers, but they were painfully not cheese-eaters, and the savory item had to be abolished because of the abominable waste that went on.

It was urged that the revision of British rations should provide for a better supply of fish, which is a great cheese supplier would prevent a great deal of unnecessary drinking.

Buckets of cold water were also poured on alcohol in the same section by Major Fredmore, who, speaking from a long experience in India, advised that non-drinkers were far more immune from sunstroke than those who did drink alcohol.

Major Blackburn also pointed out that he had no brief for total abstinence, which he regarded as a healthful habit, but even in the hospital its use, even on scientific grounds, rarely is justified.

Alcohol was not a preventive of colds and lots of yum to our eyes were rarely needed, but actually perils.

The various papers and speakers in the section agreed that alcohol was not good for long or sustained effort.

Dr. James Kingston Fowler, dean of the faculty of medicine of the Medical Society, of London, in the course of an address on the subject of "Medicine," which he followed by a general review of sanatoria for a variety of affections other than tuberculosis.

The advantages of an open-air life, combined with careful medical supervision, became better known, said Dr. Fowler, the sea voyage which so often means life in a windy passage on deck and a stuffy cabin below, and the hotel at a health resort in the continent, where influenza perhaps is rife, will be replaced by sanatoria.

WATER FAMINE CAUSES BIG PANIC IN LISBON

Serious Michap to Canal of Aqueduct Cuts off the City's Supply.

LISBON, Aug. 16—Last night Lisbon was threatened with a total lack of water, the danger being due to a serious mishap in the canal of the great aqueduct that supplies the entire city.

Toward evening the police were notified that a surface that would be quickly before midnight, and the poor classes, to supply themselves with water, had to wait until the aqueduct was mended.

There was a perfect panic in the city. Thousands of the poor rushed to the public fountains to fill cans, pitchers and all available vessels. Some afterward had to go to a health resort in the city, where they were left to the shops and potteries.

The city was a scene of picturesque confusion.

The water sellers, with an eye to future profits, attempted to prevent the public from filling vessels at the fountains, and there were conflicts, resulting chiefly in a great smashing of earthenware pitchers. The police in some instances intervened.

In the houses of the wealthy baths, tubs and barrels were filled against the expected famine.

As the water in the greater part of the city began to fall the municipal officials occurred yesterday they would be responsible for the safety of the public at entertainments. Theaters and cinematograph exhibitions, and other public manifestations is causing energetic measures to be taken which, it is hoped, will prevent an absolute lack of water.

FAMINE WILL FOLLOW QUAKE

Two Hundred Thousand People Are Homeless in Algeria and Bandits Prey on the Populace.

CONSTANTINE, Algeria, Aug. 15—The following the terrible earthquake which occurred yesterday, which killed from 500 to 1,000 citizens in a score of Algerian towns, borders of wild bandits have swept in from the desert bent on loot and pillage and are starting a reign of terror, which the French troops are trying hard to check. The soldiers are today shooting at sight, but despite their efforts, many acts of courage and lawlessness are being committed.

Scores of dead are being removed from the ruins and the work of the searchers and rescuers is frequently interrupted by the fighting. Two hundred thousand natives are homeless. Supplies are being rushed into the affected territory, but it is feared a famine may result before the outgoing districts can be reached. In some places the earth disturbances have dried up springs and the people are without water.

The victims lived in mud-huts and similar flimsy quarters that crumbled under the first shock. Severe damage was done in the coast towns of Guelma, Philippeville and Aine Mara. The interior towns suffer equally heavy damage. The heaviest loss was at Neudon. The first shock at 9:30 was the most severe and wrought the greatest destruction.

MARRIED IN HASTE

(Atlantic Constitution.) Applying for a divorce, an old Georgia negro said to a judge: "Hit only cost me a string of fish for me to get a whole lot, but please God, I'd give a whole ter git rid of her."

A STRONG ATTACHMENT.

"That man seems very much attached to 'Penks'." "Yes. He is the sheriff."—New York World.

SUDDEN DEATHS.

One sudden death occurs among women to eight among men.

NEXT YEAR'S TERRORS REVEALED BY PROPHECY

"Disaster on Disaster, Follows Fast and Follows Faster" in 1909.

LONDON, Aug. 16—There is no falling off in the number of disasters predicted by "Old Moore" in his almanac for 1909.

The sudden striking down of a statesman, a very destructive city fire, a most terrible railway disaster, and a "violent storm in the office of a city newspaper" are some of the calamities predicted for January, but no hint is given as to the nature of the last-mentioned eruption.

February is earmarked for a dreadful theater or public building catastrophe in the Manchester district, and a prominent financier, a tube accident in New York is predicted for May, and the discovery of mountains of silver ore in Mexico will upset the bullion market in June, a month which will witness alarming riots in Liverpool.

In July an earth tremor will shake Birmingham, there will be a railway disaster and an excursion boat calamity in the Irish sea.

Many members of Parliament will pass away in August, causing much election excitement, and there will be a terrible disaster in Hull or Grimsby, and "fashions will run very eccentric this month—with the ladies."

An awful earthquake in the West Indies is promised for September, and explosions may be expected in the north during this month.

The American coast is expected to scream loudly in November, but otherwise the month will be comparatively quiet, and the year will end with hard times on the east coast.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June 28th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN. No. 4—Mixed train for Moncton (leaves Island yard)..... 6.30 No. 2—Express for Ft. du Chene, Moncton, Campbellton and Truro..... 7.30 No. 4—Express for Moncton, Ft. du Chene, connecting with Ocean Limited at Moncton for Halifax, Quebec and Montreal..... 11.00 No. 26—Express for Point du Chene, Halifax and Pictou..... 12.45 No. 12—Suburban for Hampton..... 13.15 No. 28—Express for Sussex..... 13.15 No. 18—Suburban for Hampton..... 13.15 No. 14—Express for Quebec and Montreal..... 13.40 No. 16—Suburban for Hampton..... 13.40 No. 10—Express for Moncton, Sydney, Halifax and Pictou..... 13.45 TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN. No. 9—From Halifax, Sydney and Pictou..... 6.25 No. 12—Suburban from Hampton..... 7.15 No. 7—Express from Sussex..... 9.00 No. 13—Express from Montreal, Quebec and Pictou..... 12.50 No. 17—Suburban from Hampton, 15.30 No. 10—Mixed from Moncton, arriving at Island Yard..... 16.15 No. 3—Express from Moncton and Point du Chene..... 17.15 No. 28—Express from Moncton, Sydney, Halifax and Pictou..... 17.25 No. 15—Suburban from Hampton..... 17.25 No. 1—Express from Moncton and Truro..... 17.30 No. 11—Express from Moncton, Halifax, Pictou and Moncton (Sunday only)..... 1.40 No. 11—Mixed from Moncton, arriving at Island Yard daily..... 4.40 A through sleeper is now running on the Ocean Limited from St. John to Montreal.

All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time. 24 o'clock in midnight.

CITY TICKET OFFICE, 3 King Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271. Moncton, N. B., June 26th, 1908.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION TORONTO

August 23 to September 14th, 1908. Return tickets from Campbellton, and East, including the Prince Edward Island Railway.

FIRST CLASS ONE WAY FARE. August 27, 29 and 31—Sept. 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9. SPECIAL EXCURSION FARES TO TORONTO. August 28th and Sept. 4th. From ST. JOHN, \$10.80. All tickets good to return, leaving Toronto September 16th, 1908.

TENDERS FOR STREET SIGNS

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk of the City of Saint John up to 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, the 20th instant, from persons willing to supply 100 Street Signs according to specification to be seen at the office of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Persons tendering are requested to furnish sample of sign proposed to be supplied.

The placing of the Signs will be done by the City.

Tenders to state time of delivery. Not bound to accept any tender.

HURD PETERS, Director of the Department of Public Works.

MUSH AND LOGIC.

(Washington Star.) General Dabney H. Maury tells in his "Recollection of a Virginian" of an odd story in Fredericksburg who was reduced to taking in boarders in order to make both ends meet. On one occasion of peculiar stress, the lander was obliged to say that there was nothing in the house for his boarders to eat except mush. But give them that. If they are Christians, they will accept it in resignation and thankfulness. And if they are not Christians, it is a deal too good for them.

RAIL MILLS ARE LIKELY TO OPEN VERY SOON

SALT STE. MARIE, Ont., Aug. 15—The rail mills are likely to open soon. Mr. A. C. Boyce, M. P., who is closely in touch with the steel rail situation, as well as the 500 rail mills stated yesterday that he had received from an authentic source word that some rail orders would be forthcoming in a few days when the rail mill would be started.

Mr. Boyce stated that the Algoma Steel Company for steel rails for the National Transcontinental Railway contracts which would keep the mill going for some time. Still further orders were under consideration.

VELVET. In connection with the insistently clinging character of velvet it may be noted that this stuff takes its name from the Italian "veluto," shaggy, referring in this respect a parallel with "velutis," which comes from the Latin "vela," a bristle.