

French Roasted Almonds

Something new; fresh Almonds carefully roasted, then coated with a delicious sugar coating. The supply is limited but while they last we are selling them at

49c lb.

The Ross Drug Co., Ltd
100 KING STREET
The Rexall Store :: :: St. John, N. B.

To Start The Spring Season With a Grand Rush

Tomorrow and Saturday we will introduce to the St. John Ladies a number of the new styles in Trimmed, Tailored and Untrimmed Hats at very special prices.

As our stock is complete and so attractive, we naturally want to encourage early selections; for this reason you will find most attractive styles at the most attractive prices tomorrow and Saturday.

All the New Materials. All the New Colors will be found among these Specially Priced Hats Tomorrow and Saturday.

MARR MILLINERY CO., LTD.

Hudson Seal, Muskrat and Marmott Coats

BUY NOW! You Can Save at Least One Hundred Dollars on Next Season's Prices.

HUDSON SEAL COATS, \$300.00 up
BROWN MARMOT COATS, with Raccoon Collars and Cuffs, \$135.00

F. S. THOMAS
539 to 545 Main Street

Clearance Sale WINTER OVERCOATS
Men's as low as \$15.00; Boys' \$10.00 up
GENUINE BARGAINS

Turner
440 Main St. St. John, N. B. Cor. Sheriff

You INSIST On THE NICEST THINGS IN SWEETS

and will have nothing else? You're quite right; but have you tried PAGE & SHAW'S famous bottled and package confectionery lines? Have you ever eaten NEILSON'S—the Chocolates that are different? Discriminating candy-lovers prefer them both.

We want YOU to try them, at the New Candy Department, Main Office.

ROYAL HOTEL

Ice Creepers
Prevent Many an Ugly Fall

Don't risk a severe fall which may result in a bad shaking up, or perhaps a broken limb.

Prevention is better than cure. Come in and let us fix you out with a pair of good, sharp, strong Ice Creepers, which we offer you in three styles:

Folding Heel Creepers..... 50c.
Instep Creepers, with straps..... 50c.
The New Strap Creeper, which can be worn with boots, rubbers, or over shoes \$1.25

Ground Floor—Market Sq. Store

W. H. THORNE & CO. LTD.
Stores Open at 8.30 a. m., Close at 6 p. m., Close at 1 p. m. on Saturdays During February and March.

MR. ADVERTISER:
Advertising patrons are requested to submit advertising copy to The Times business office by 4.30 p. m. on the day previous to publication. Advertisements received at a later hour cannot be handled. Your co-operation will be much appreciated.

LOCAL NEWS

CUT AN ARTERY.
His numerous friends were pleased to learn that Captain K. J. MacRae of No. 1 Salvage Corps, was able to beat out his office duties again today, after having been laid up for about a week. He cut an artery in his foot on some broken glass while engaged at work at the Cameron fire in Charlotte street on last Thursday night.

PETRIE FOUND GUILTY.
The case of King vs. Thos. Petrie charged with theft of a camera, came up for trial in the county court this morning before Judge Macnaught. The accused was found guilty and remanded to jail, there being another charge against him. For Scott Mill appeared for the prisoner and C. H. Ferguson for the crown. The civil cases on the docket, having been read, and there being no further business before the court, the court adjourned sine die.

EXPECT DEFICIT WILL BE \$15,000

Each Storm Brings Expenditure for Snow Removal Higher—Extra Horses for Fire Stations.

Commissioner Fisher said this morning that up to Tuesday night the amount expended by the public works department for clearing the snow from the streets in connection with the street railway work amounted to about \$17,000. According to the report made by the power company the city received from the company \$8,300 a year for repairs and snow removal. As it is estimated that about \$4,000 will be required for repairs to the track sections next summer, it is expected the city's deficit in this regard alone will be in the vicinity of \$15,000. And this is, of course, dependent on the amount of snow which is yet to come.

The appropriation for other street work, including sweeping, opening catch basins, watering and snow removal from other streets not concerned in the street railway contract, is \$25,000, and although it is not definitely how much of this amount has been expended during the recent storms, it is expected that a good slice will be eliminated before the winter has passed.

The public safety department has also been put to extra expense by the necessity of having an extra team in each of the fire stations in the city. These teams were disposed of on Tuesday, but last night's storm made it necessary to have them returned in case of necessity.

REV. DR. MACRAE RESIGNS CHARGE

Is Going to Edinburgh for Course — Will Conduct Party on Tour of Europe.

Rev. Dr. Donald N. MacRae of Mitchell, Ont., son of the late Dr. Donald MacRae, one of the former esteemed ministers of Knox church, and a brother of K. J. MacRae of MacRae, Sinclair & MacRae, is resigning his pulpit to take a post graduate course in Edinburgh. For the coming summer he has accepted an invitation from The Temple Tours, Boylston street, Boston, to conduct early in April a party on an eight day trip through Europe, visiting France, Italy, Switzerland, the battlefields, Belgium, Britain, &c. A few Canadians desiring to go will be included in the party. Dr. MacRae is probably one of the most widely traveled ministers in Canada. Special features of the trip include an excursion to Versailles, a trip through the South of France along the Riviera, and by automobile to Nice, Monte Carlo, Genoa, Rome, Naples and steamer trip to Capri, the Blue Grotto and Sorrento, excursion from Venice to the Piave battle fields, steamer trips on Lakes Como, Lugano, Lucerne and Brienz, an ascent to the summit of the Rigi, and motor trips to Metz, Verdun, Argonne, Ypres, and through the Shakespearian country, the English Lakes and the Lochs of Scotland.

OFFER REFUSED

City Decided Not to Buy Lot in Kelly's Field — Taking Care of Future Cases.

The offer of Judge Armstrong of a lot in what is known as Kelly's field for \$500 was disposed of by the common council in committee this morning when a motion made by Commissioner Jones that the offer be rejected was carried.

Mr. Jones said that there was a public sewer running under this lot and the question had been raised as to the power of the city to enter for the purpose of making repairs. In view of the opinions expressed by the city engineer and city solicitor, as contained in letters read at a recent meeting, he thought the city should not buy the lot unless it was needed for some purpose. The motion carried unanimously.

In order that the city should have some guide to action in future cases of similar character, Commissioner Jones moved that hereafter the building inspector be required, before issuing a building permit, to ascertain from the applicant whether or not a public sewer has been constructed through the lot upon which it is proposed to erect any structure, and in every such case report to the council such circumstances and withhold his permit for building until the council has had an opportunity to consider and deal with the matter.

Mr. Fisher seconded the motion and suggested that the building inspector be furnished with a plan of the sewerage system to guide him. The motion was carried.

SUGGEST TAKING PLEBISCITE ON DAYLIGHT SAVING

Matter Taken Up by Commissioners This Morning — A Public Meeting.

Whether or not the daylight saving scheme would be adopted by the city generally this year was discussed by the city commissioners at the committee meeting held in city hall this morning. Commissioner Jones introduced the matter. He said some means should be taken to prevent the confusion of last year. He moved that representatives of the Retail Merchants' Association, Trades & Labor Council, school trustees and other public bodies meet with the council on Monday, March 8, to consider the question of the adoption of the scheme during the present season.

Mr. Thornton said that in view of the difference of opinion and the difficulty in ascertaining on what side the balance of public opinion lay, it would be more satisfactory to include this question in a plebiscite to be taken at the same time as the civic elections. The motion carried, it being decided to leave the question of a plebiscite until after the meeting.

WM. H. OLIVE MEETS DEATH IN MONTREAL

Member of Prominent St. John Family—Fataally Injured When Struck by Street Car.

Many old friends heard with much regret today the sad news from Montreal telling of the death of a former St. John man, William H. Olive, following injuries sustained in a street car accident while he was on his way to his office. Though it is quite a number of years since he had lived here, he was well remembered by many friends who feel keenest sympathy for his family.

Mr. Olive was born in this city not quite eighty-two years ago, a son of the late Isaac and Lorraine Olive. His father was one of the city's best known shipbuilders.

For some years Mr. Olive was connected with the Intercolonial railway here and later went to Montreal where he became general freight agent. Prior to his going with the I. C. R., he had been with the Eastern Steamship Company, or the International as it was then known, and at one time he was general traveling passenger agent with that company. His associations in both these capacities brought him in touch with many people and he made numerous friends in many parts of the country. On retiring from the Intercolonial he engaged in the insurance business, and became general agent for the Home Insurance Company of New York, with offices in Montreal.

Although well advanced in years he had always been particularly active, and had been in the habit of going to his office after retiring to his duties. With age, however, came a slight deafness, and it is thought that this contributed to the fatal accident. Two cars were approaching each other when he started to cross the street at the corner of Wood avenue and St. Catherine's, and when he passed behind one it is presumed he did not hear the other approaching. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the Western Hospital, where he died.

Mr. Olive is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Jennie, daughter of the late Alexander Sims of this city, and two sons, Arthur G. in Brantford, Ont., and W. H. A. in Montreal. Five brothers of his family are living—George M., a druggist in Cambridge, Mass.; E. Percé, photographer, of Boston, Mass.; John L., of Walling, N. S.; H. J., bus proprietor with the marine department here, and Frank H., of the Eastern Steamship Company, in St. John's. Mr. Olive, broker, and Mrs. R. McGearty of this city are nephew and niece.

In his earlier days Mr. Olive was one of St. John's most active and popular young men. His visits made here after going to Montreal, where he went soon after the big fire here in '77, he renewed his friendship with old acquaintances who were always glad to see him. His last visit here was about three years ago. He was well known as is known in St. John, a member of any society except the Royal Arcanum, of which he was one of the founders in this city. Since going to Montreal he had become very well known there, and was highly esteemed in business circles and by a large circle outside.

THE CITY COUNCIL Has the Authority

With respect to the proposed Fairbairn playground, W. F. Burditt, of the town-planning commission, told the Times-Star this morning that he was not opposed to having a playground in the new subdivision, at the place indicated by Councillor O'Brien and favored by Tuesday night's meeting. He had himself visited the place and pointed out this and another portion of the area as suitable for a playground. What he did oppose was the granting of the freemen's park, which should be reserved for industries, which were to be shut out entirely from the new subdivision. Mr. Burditt said there was a level field below the truck toward Millard, part of which the city owns, which would also make a good playground; but he had no objection to the location of one on the area near the Manawagonish road. In any case the matter is not up to the town-planning commission. It had made the plan of the subdivision and the city council had accepted the plan. The council could make the necessary change for a playground if it desired to do so.

FUNERAL OF BROTHER OF SIR LOMER GOUIN.

Quebec, Feb. 26.—The funeral of Senise Guoin, brother of Sir Lomer Guoin, was held at Grandin's yesterday. The obsequies were attended by Sir Lomer Guoin, Eugene and Ernest Guoin of Montreal, brothers, while Rev. Abbes C. Guoin and Arthur Guoin, also brothers, took part in the service.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO., LIMITED
The Stores of Service and Quality

Winsome Silks For Spring

Visit our Silk Room and enjoy the atmosphere of spring created by the beautiful Silks on display. These beautifully radiant Silks are fashion's latest products, and the colors and designs are seldom equalled in a season's showing.

HANDSOMELY DESIGNED FOULARD SILKS in navy and black ground with unusual designs of white, 36 inches wide. Price \$3.50 yard

DRESDEN SILKS of extremely beautiful designs for vestings, 19 inches wide. Price \$3.75 yard

BLACK SILK DRESS NETS, 52 inches wide. Price \$3.75 yard

WHITE SILK DRESS NETS, 52 inches wide. Price \$3.75 yard

SECOND HAND RANGES

We have now in stock a few SECOND HAND RANGES in first-class repair, that have been rebuilt, and we will guarantee their working qualities.

Anyone desiring a good second hand range at a low price will find many attractive bargains in this assortment.

The early buyer will have the largest variety to choose from. Better call today.

D. J. BARRETT Phone 1545
155 Union street, St. John, N. B.
Clean Your Chimney with Witch, the Famous Soot Destroyer.

Boys Today-- Men Tomorrow!

Many Boys get the wrong start in life by being poorly clad. Being well-dressed tends to good morals, good manners, good behavior and self-respect. It develops traits that cause him to forge ahead and as the boys of today are the men of tomorrow they should be properly prepared by being clad in clothes from the

Boys' Shop—Oak Hall.
Boys' Shop—4th Floor

OAK HALL - - **SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED**
KING STREET

FREE—With every purchase of \$5.00 and over in our Boys' Shop we are giving a card entitling bearer to the Free Hair-cutting Services of our Children's Barber Shop.

The Floor Covering Should be in Keeping With The Room

Quality in floor covering plus individual service in the selection of material and color are the chief essentials in the establishment of a correct foundation scheme for the well furnished home. Our rug department is especially equipped to supply these—the merchandise, of course, is of the highest standard—the service is that of experience and real interest in your problem—the prices always consistent with the quality.

No obligation entailed in an inspection.

A. Ernest Everett
THE HOUSE FURNISHER
91 Charlotte Street

The Eureka Vacuum Cleaner Will Make Spring Cleaning Easy!

"If You Want It Reliable Go To Magee's"

has been a well earned recommendation enjoyed by this business of ours for over 60 years.

Unusual Apparel For Spring
KNOX HATS, BETTY WALES DRESSES, MARK CROSS GLOVES, WOOLEN COATS.

D. Magee's Sons—Limited—Saint John, N. B.