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If your stenographer divides her time between the clock and the mirror read the "Star" want ads.

Weather: Hot today; showers and cooler tomorrow.

**Yachtsmen**  
Nothing nicer to take with you on your cruise than an **Edison Phonograph**.  
New stock of Records to select from.  
**We can also supply**  
Canvas, Manila and Cotton Rope, Marlin, Sail Twine and Needles, Galvanized Blocks—single double, Rudder Irons, Rowlocks, Cleats, Copper Tacks, Gromets, Hammocks, Paint, Tar, Oakum and Pitch, Cooking Utensils of all kinds, Oil Stoves, Brass Polish, Deck Brushes and Mops.

**W. H. THORNE & CO., Limited.**  
MARKET SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B.

**HUTCHINGS & CO.**  
Are Showing some New Styles in **White Enamelled Iron Bedsteads**.  
Mattress and Bedding Warehouses,  
**101 to 107 GERMAIN STREET**



**Emerson & Fisher, Ltd.**  
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**We Sell**

Watches, Diamonds, Silverware, Jewelry of all kinds, Clocks, Etc.

Rogers' 1847 Teas, \$2.75 Dozen.

**DAVIS BROS.,** 56 Prince William Street (under Bank of Montreal)

**S. ROMANOFF,**  
Successor to B. Myers, 695 Main Street.

We sell goods cheaper for equal qualities than any other house in the city. At no time during the coming month will there be an opportunity to make a dollar as far as now, in the great Reconstruction Sale. Another extraordinary chance on Ladies' Suits from \$8.50 up to \$15.00. Colors consist of brown, blue, grey, black, latest make and finest quality. Selling prices, the \$8.50 for \$6.00 and \$15.00 suits for \$11.00. You will make \$4.00 in ten minutes by buying your suit here. A BIG RANGE IN SILK WAISTS—A \$5.00 Waist for \$3.50, a \$3.50 for \$2.50—this week only. At the assortment in LUSTRE WAISTS, in Brown, Blue and Black; latest makes. SATYEN WAISTS at very low prices.

**S. ROMANOFF,** 695 Main St.

**PING PONG SHOES.**

Ping Pong shoes are similar to the ordinary Sneakers with this difference that being of American manufacture the Canvas is of a finer quality. The rubber Soles are of a superior grade and every pair has Sole Leather Insoles.  
Children's Red with White Trimmings, 65c.  
Girls' Red with White Trimmings, 70c.  
Girls' White with Black Trimmings, 70c.  
Women's White with Blk. Trimmings, 75c.

**Waterbury & Rising,**  
King Street, Union Street.

**Men's Suits, At greatly reduced Prices.**

In order to clear some lines of Men's Suits, in which the sizes are broken, we have made some sweeping reductions.  
\$8.00 Suits, Now \$3.95  
\$6.50 Suits, Now \$5.00  
\$7.50 Suits, Now 6.00  
\$10.00 Suits, Now 8.00  
\$8.75 Suits, Now 8.00  
Store will close Saturday at 1 o'clock.

**J. N. HARVEY,** Mon's and Boys' Clothier  
199 and 201 Union St

**LONDON LABORERS WANT SUNDAY WORK.**  
Sunday Closing Bill Raises a Storm of Protest.

It Means Starvation to Thousands, They Declare and Jews Especially Will Suffer—A Demoralizing Influence.

(Special cable to the Star.)  
LONDON, July 15.—The report of the select committee of the house of lords in favor of Lord Avebury's Sunday Closing of Shops Bill has raised a storm of protests among the dock laborers in the East End of London, as well as among the members of the Jewish community.  
Under existing conditions, owing to the Early Closing Act and religious observances, the Jewish traders lose 117 days in the year. If Lord Avebury's Bill becomes law they will have no fewer than 169, or an average of three days and a quarter a week.  
Ben Davis, secretary of the White-chapel and Spitalfields Costermongers' Union said in an interview this week that while he regarded six days as sufficient for any man to work it would be impossible for a person to earn a livelihood in rather more than three days, when starvation to thousands of the East End Jews would be all that remained with the Sunday closing in operation.  
"I am sure," he said, "that if the Jewish costermongers are prevented from trading on Sunday it will mean for them less than starvation to thousands of little children whose parents depend largely upon their takings at the Sunday markets for their livelihood. At least 10,000 men, women and children will be affected."  
"Although Lord Avebury's bill provides for the closing of shops and markets, public houses as well as tobacconists, are exempt. Anything more demoralizing than this it was impossible to conceive. Instead of inducing a man to lay out his week's wages in food and clothing, the bill encourages him to enter the public houses, where he is very likely to become drunk and dissipated.  
"Thousands of dock laborers will also be affected by the bill when, as frequently happens, they are kept working until after nine o'clock on Sunday morning, after which time no kind of food is allowed to be sold for consumption on the premises."

**MYSTERY OF RYAN'S DEAL EXPOSED.**  
Wall Street Astounded at His Cleverness.

Will Sell Hyde Stock at a Million Profit and Still Maintain Control of Equitable Society.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Thomas F. Ryan is willing to sell his Hyde stock to the Equitable Assurance Society, the American says. The stock continues that the formal proposition will shortly be made. He expects an advance on the price he is said to have paid. The advance will be a sum ranging between \$200,000 and \$1,000,000.  
The Ryan plan is expected to satisfy the Equitable directors. It is expected that the approval of Supt. of Insurance Hendricks, who favors mutualization, as Mr. Ryan controls the Equitable absolutely, the plan is expected to go through unless public clamor and legal interposition prevent.  
Mr. Ryan under his plan would still control the Equitable, even when he gets back the money he is said to have paid Hyde for the stock. His assuming he invested \$2,500,000—get back that sum and a handsome profit, and still be the master of the Equitable millions.  
That this plan is now well under way was admitted by a former director of the Equitable in an interview with the man who had the stock.  
The project is Napoleonic in conception and very few saw the man who had the stock which have caused Ryan to be looked upon as the cleverest manipulator of men and money in Wall Street.  
The plan was suggested a month ago, and was taken up by the corps of lawyers in the employ of Mr. Ryan. No financial circle was found in it, but the publication of the Hendricks report caused it to be in abeyance for a time.  
It was developed that the stock has not been purchased by Mr. Ryan, he will receive a sum of \$500,000 or \$1,000,000 for having posed as the owner of this stock.  
Paul Morton, it was learned, is the business partner of Thomas F. Ryan, and in his position of administrative head of the Equitable merely represents Mr. Ryan and has no powers other than those conferred by the man who procured his appointment.

**TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.**  
Two Killed and Many Injured in Riordan Paper Mills, Ont.

(Special Cable to the Star.)  
MONTREAL, Que., July 15.—A terrible explosion took place last night at the Riordan paper mills, Hawkesbury, Ont. Eugene Renaud and Joseph Severin were brought to the Victoria Hospital here and died this morning.  
Many others were injured.

**MARY ROGERS, MURDERESS, LOSING HEALTH.**

BOSTON, Mass., July 15.—A despatch today from Montpelier, Vt., says that it is understood there by Miss Rogers' friends that her health is none of the best. She does not sleep well, frequently walking the floor of her cell for hours at a time talking to herself, till from sheer exhaustion she falls on her cot. She has not given up hope and the first thing in the morning begs



MRS. MARY ROGERS, convicted of the murder of her husband, whose case has attracted national interest.

**POPULATION INCREASING.**  
Directory Shows Many New Names—Smith's Still in the Lead—Great Abundance of Mc's and Mac's.

The new city directory which has just been issued is brought up to May of this year, and shows an increase of ninety-five names over that of last year. There is a total of 18,425 names included in the Directory, and the publishers point out by multiplying by three, which has been found to be the most accurate multiple to take, the population of St. John at the present time is estimated to be 55,275, which is an increase of 285 people over the corresponding time last year.  
A short analysis of the first twelve names, which are mostly in common use, reveal the fact that as in almost every other British town of any size, the Smiths still retain first honors, and in the second place we find the good old name Brown. Curiously enough, although it is often found that Smith, Brown, Jones and Robinson finish the race for first place in the order given here, in St. John, the two latter names have taken quite a back seat, finishing a long way down the list.  
The following is a list showing the number of persons bearing the same names by St. John as shown in the 1905 Directory:

Smith	155
Brown	146
Murphy	139
Wilson	125
Campbell	114
McDonald	106
Clark	91
Thompson	89
McLaughlin	88
White	78
Jones	73
Armstrong	69
O'Brien	63
McCarthy	68
McLellan	62
Robinson	58

Those beginning with Mc and Mac number 1,662.  
Other varieties include two of the seasons Summer and Winter, quite a number of Barkers, Barbers, Bishops, Drapers, Clerks and Stars of all descriptions, who can be seen among Kings, Earls and Lords playing Bowles, or Ball by the Bay, Knight or

**MORE WAR CLOUDS OVER ALL EUROPE.**  
Hungary Throws Down the Gauntlet to Austria.

Norway's Action Set the Torch of Revolution Blazing—Hungarians May Leave Austria and Found Republic.

(Special Cable to the Star.)  
BUDAPEST, July 15.—Unless the present situation is wisely handled, it may develop into a turmoil involving the whole of political Europe.  
Hungary has thrown down the gauntlet to Austria. It has refused to raise taxes or to furnish securities for the Dual Empire. It has defied its own government. It has contemptuously ignored the order of the Emperor proroguing the Parliament. In short, it is burning with a defiance against Austria and threatens to cut the bonds of the alliance.  
Norway set the torch blazing, Norway seceded from Sweden; why, therefore should not Hungary secede from Austria? This is the argument that is everywhere heard in the various sections of Hungary.  
A parliamentarian who is known to reflect the views of M. Kosuth and the leaders of the Independence party during the course of an interview said:  
"If the Emperor does not recognize the impossibility of governing Hungary against the will of the nation, the country will follow the example of Norway, and set up a King or a republic of its own."  
"But," was interposed, "supposing the Emperor sends troops to compel you."  
"Let him send them," was the quick reply. "The Honveds, the militia of Hungary consists of as good troops as any that Austria can put into the field, and every Hungarian in the Austrian army will prove to be a real patriot in the hour of peril. If the emperor tries to suppress us with the sword we will show him that the Magyar sword is as sharp as the Austrian."

**GEN'L. BOOTH FAVORS HAGGARD'S PLAN.**  
Farm Settlements in Canada for England's Poor.

Head of Salvation Army Says British Government Has Unique Opportunity of Solving Vexing Problem.

(Special cable to the Star.)  
ADELAIDE, Australia, July 15.—Rider Haggard's suggestions regarding the establishment of farm settlements in Canada meet with the warm approval of General Booth.  
Gen. Booth on being shown a cable summary of Mr. Haggard's report said that it justified his long agitation in favor of overseas colonization. He endorsed Mr. Haggard's ideas and congratulated him on the zeal he has shown in advocating the replacement of the surplus urban population on the land.  
The general considers that the government has now a unique opportunity of dealing effectively with a most perplexing question, and at the same time of making one part of the empire, without injury to itself, help another with the certainty of strengthening the whole.  
While he recognizes the difficulty that faces the government in general, feeling the interest on loans to settlers, he does not consider it insuperable. He believes that if the scheme were generally launched there would be found a way to support the colonies and to support the colonies, and that when Canada sees the scheme actually being carried out the financial difficulty will disappear by the Dominion herself taking the matter up.  
Gen. Booth expressed himself as particularly pleased with Mr. Haggard's proposal that the poor-law unions throughout the land should join in helping to finance the scheme.

**FINE START FOR R. K. Y. C. CRUISE.**

The ninth annual cruise of the R. K. Y. Club starts from the club's anchorage off Millidgeville at three o'clock this afternoon. The club are usually fortunate in having good weather for their cruise and while there is little wind it is not expected that they will have any difficulty in making their first rendezvous at Carter's Point, where they will anchor for the night. The squadron will visit Evansdale, Jensen, Grand Lake, Washandeanoak Lake, Belle Isle and Oak Point.  
Captain Parker will conduct the annual divine service at Carter's Point at 11 a. m. Sunday, the 23rd inst.

**Men's Straw Hats**

**AT Half Price.**

We will offer the balance of our stock of Men's Straw Hats at Half-Price.  
\$3.00 Hats, now ... \$1.50  
2.50 " " ... 1.25  
2.00 " " ... 1.00  
1.50 " " ... .75  
1.00 " " ... .50

**James Anderson,**  
17 Charlotte St.

**Skirts! Skirts!!**

We have just placed on sale another lot of Dress Skirts. You'll have a hard time to find values like these with such small prices attached.

**S. W. McMACKIN,**  
Successor to SHARP & McMACKIN,  
335 Main St., North End.