



Fall Hats

'Tis no use denying that one dresses to please others more than one's self.

Neither is there use in denying that an attractive hat is the most essential part of one's dress.

Beauty, distinctive and charming, is what one desires in a hat, and Beauty, distinctive and charming, is what one finds in a hat at the

Marr Millinery Co., Ltd.

Persian Lamb COATS

The Coat of Distinction—Alaska Sable Trimmed 45 and 47 Inches Long

TWO SPECIALS AT

\$250 and \$325

Bright Curly All Sizes

F. S. THOMAS

LIMITED

639 to 545 Main St.

Moorcroft Hand Made Pottery.

New Vases and Bowls in This Famous Ware

W. H. HAYWARD CO., LIMITED

85-93 PRINCESS STREET

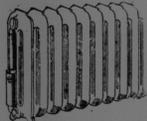
Soft Moist Heat

Makes For Health and Economy.

Have you ever noticed how a dry heat produces headaches? Such heat is not only unhealthy for you, but it is also destructive to your furniture which becomes loose-jointed and cracked with the very dryness of the heat.

SMP AIR MOISTENERS

keep the air soft, moist, pleasant and healthful, besides keeping furniture and other woodwork in good condition. The Air Moistener (pictured above) slides between the radiator coils as shown to the right.



2 Sizes—1, 1-4 quarts—2 1-2 quarts. 2 Prices—\$1.50, \$1.75.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.

Store Hours—8 to 6. Open Saturday till 10 p. m.

GIVES OPINION CITY NOT LIABLE

City Solicitor Reports on the Complaint of J. B. Day

St. Andrew's Street Property Matter—Taxation Question Over Till Thursday.

Commissioner Wigmore this morning submitted to the Common Council a report on a complaint of J. B. Day that sewerage backed up onto his property in St. Andrew's street. He presented the opinion of the city solicitor that the city was not liable. The report said that the sewer complained of had been renewed in 1920 and 1922 and now had three outlets to the main sewer. It ran under the house owned by Mr. Day and it might possibly back up after a very heavy rainfall. The basement of Mr. Day's house, the report said, was six feet below the level of the street.

The commissioner said he had suggested to Mr. Day that a trap be placed on the sewer pipe leading from the house to the sewer pipe leading from the house to sewer and this would stop any backflow.

The report was ordered filed and a copy sent to Mr. Day. Commissioner Frink reported that on July 16 an order had been passed for the purchase of an air compressor and other tools from the estate of Hon. William Pugsley. It has since been found that these goods were the property of the New Brunswick Real Estate and Loan Company, and on his motion the order was varied to permit payment to the latter company.

MATTER OF TAXES.

Commissioner Wigmore produced copies of two letters from the Maritime Nail Company, one to the chairman of the Board of Assessors, dated July 21, 1925, calling attention to the tax bill of \$6,200 and asking that the bill be the same as last year, as the same conditions, that the plant was idle. The second was addressed to the Mayor, under date of August 18, and said the assessors had written that they did not wish to take the responsibility of making any abatement in this bill, and asking that the Common Council take the same action as last year.

Commissioner Frink asked that the matter be allowed to lie on the table until the Thursday meeting of the committee and in the meantime he would take the matter up with the chairman of the board of assessors. This was agreed to.

LIBERAL WOMEN IN CITY ORGANIZED

Ward Committees and Officers Are Selected and Campaign Plans Made.

At a meeting of Liberal women of Saint John held on Saturday evening, ward organization for the campaign was proceeded with and plans outlined. The officers of the organization are Mrs. W. E. Foster, president; Mrs. William Pugsley, first vice president; Miss Amelia Haley, secretary and Mrs. G. P. C. McIntyre, treasurer.

OFFICERS FOR WARDS.

The ward officers named at the meeting were as follows: SYDNEY—Convener, Mrs. F. E. Holman; assistants, Miss Stevens, Miss Colwell and Mrs. William Ward. DUKE—Convener, Mrs. L. H. Condon; assistants, Mrs. F. J. Knowlton, Mrs. P. D. McAvity, Miss E. Mooney and others.

QUEENS—Convener, Mrs. W. Bowman; assistants, Miss Travers, Mrs. Walter Hall, Mrs. J. R. Thomson, Mrs. G. M. Whelpley, Mrs. William Johnston, Mrs. F. J. Power, Mrs. W. P. Broderick. PRINCE—Convener, Mrs. A. Winslow and Mrs. H. Gordon; assistants, Mrs. Sweeney, Mrs. Lawlor, Mrs. Peter Sinclair and others.

KINGS—Convener, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm; assistants, Mrs. James McCarthy, Miss Annie Travis, Mrs. Norman Sanction, Miss Helen Ryan, Miss Frances Ryan. WELLINGTON—Convener, Miss Edith Skinner; assistants, Mrs. E. W. Lunney, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. E. Hogan, Mrs. Monahan and Miss Peggy Gordon. VICTORIA—Convener, Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor and Mrs. R. T. Hayes; assisted by Miss Sharkey and others to be named later.

DUFFERIN—Convener, Miss Amelia J. Haley; assistants, Mrs. J. Bustin, Miss K. Menamin, Miss J. Lynch, Miss E. Johnston and Miss Sullivan. LANSDOWNE—Convener, Mrs. G. C. McIntyre; assistants, Mrs. W. F. Roberts, Mrs. J. P. Quinn, Mrs. J. C. Purdy, Miss Jackson and Miss Clark. LORNE—Convener, Miss M. McCloskey; assistants, Mrs. F. J. Wilson, Mrs. W. F. Kervan, Miss D. J. Doherty, Mrs. Laurie, Mrs. H. Dever, Mrs. C. Murphy, Mrs. Keenan and Mrs. G. D. McCloskey. STANLEY—Convener, Mrs. Danie Lunney; assistants to be named later. GUY'S—Convener, Mrs. James Sharpe; assistants, Mrs. Joseph Gleason and others to be named later. BROOKS—Convener, Mrs. W. E. Scully, assisted by Miss Ada Murphy and others.

PRIZES PRESENTED.

Five scholars received prizes for perfect attendance at the rally in St. Matthew's Sunday school yesterday afternoon. The scholars were Mildred Morrison, Elizabeth Clifford, Lester MacFarlane, George Brooks and Charles Brooks. The prizes, which were donated by the choir, were presented by Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison, who gave the address on the "Call to Worship, Conservation and Service" August 16. The school, superintendent of the school, presided and gave a brief address. There was a record attendance at the rally, and the programme arranged by the Presbyterian Church Board was carried out.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, OCT. 12.

High Tide... A.M. High Tide... P.M. Low Tide... 2.21 Low Tide... 2.40 Sun Rises... 6.35 Sun Sets... 6.40

Local News

WAS TAKEN ILL.

Amos Riley, 118 German street, was taken suddenly ill in Canterbury street about 8:10 o'clock on Saturday evening. He was taken into S. Hayward & Co's, where he received treatment and was later taken to his home in the ambulance.

NOT DETERMINED YET.

Commissioner Bullock said this morning that he was waiting further information from the Anchor-Donson line in regard to sailing schedules before making a reply to their request for a berth for this winter. The company asked that a definite berth be allotted to them for their ships as they proposed to make weekly sailings if this was done.

HOME-MADE COWBOYS

A dash of western color decorated the streets today when a group of returning grain harvesters appeared all topped up in flannel shirts, neckerchiefs and regulation Tom Mix-Buck Jones cowboy hats. The up-country lads had some hamlets in New Brunswick are in line for a flutter.

HERE ON EXCURSION

The Misses Bertie and Nellie Campbell, who are residing in Cambridge, Mass., came to Saint John on the railway excursion from Boston on Saturday and spent the week-end visiting their sister, Mrs. R. E. Wilson, 183 Chesley street, and their mother, Mrs. W. C. Flowers, 143 Wright street. They will return to Boston tonight, feeling that the excursion was well worth while.

MORMON BAPTISM

An interesting ceremony took place on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at Lily Lake, despite the cold weather. Baptisms were carried out by Elder Edwin Robertson of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and was witnessed by a number of people. After the ceremony they returned to their hotel at 124 German street where each one was confirmed a member by Elders Rine, Orchard and Frodsham. Elder Frodsham gave a lecture on the subject of baptism, and followed in entering in their new sphere of life. The meeting then closed with Benediction by Sister Brown.

MINISTERS MEET

Explanation is Made Relative to Maintenance and Extension Fund.

Because of a misunderstanding in the bodies uniting in church union as to the nature of the Maintenance and Extension Fund, there was a discussion of this at a meeting of the Saint John Ministerial Association of the United Church, held in Canterbury hall this morning with Rev. Robert G. Fulton in the chair. It was shown that the fund was not a new source of financial strain upon the churches but a budgeting of funds carried by the churches before union. The only additional amount asked for by the fund was to meet the expenses of the church union and emergency fund, necessary for the support of ministers temporarily out of charges because of the readjustment.

Those present were Rev. Mr. Fulton, Rev. George Orman, Rev. William Lawson, Rev. Hugh Miller of St. David's, Rev. Hugh Miller of Silver Falls, Rev. Henry C. Rice, Rev. W. McN. Matthews and Rev. A. D. MacLeod.

IS VICE PRESIDENT

F. O. Conlon of Saint John Officer of Insurance Field Club.

F. O. Conlon, New Brunswick representative of the Mutual Life of New York, returned yesterday from Montreal where he attended the annual convention of the Field Clubs of the company. The convention lasted one week. The meetings were held in the Windsor Hotel. Mr. Conlon was elected vice president of the club for the ensuing year.

On Friday at noon he was a guest at a banquet tendered by the Montreal Life Underwriters Association to the men who had recently passed their examinations and secured the degree of chartered life underwriter. On this occasion the chief speaker was Dr. S. S. Huebner, Ph. D., professor of economics at Penn. University. His subject was "Life Values." The diplomas were presented to the graduates by Arthur Wood, vice president of the San Life. Mr. Conlon was the only non-resident of Montreal at the banquet.

As Hiram Sees It

MONTREAL—Well, sir—I went into the barber shop today to get a shave. As soon as I got all fixed in the chair up comes a feller an' starts slinging my boots. Then the nice lookin' gal comes up on the other side an' starts in to fix up my finger nails. There I was hevin' three operations done on me all at once. I callate the hospital's saint as pronto hevin' no terrors fer Hiram after that. I didn't tell Hanner what it cost me to get a great time. I can't talk no French yet—but I haint met a Frenchman that can't talk English. They got two tongues to our one—an' I ain't sure that's anything to our credit—nuther. I would like to know what some of the gals says in French when they see me go by—yes, sir. —HIRAM.

A. A. KEARNS TO HIGHER COURT

Sent Up For Trial on Charge of Robbery With Violence

Mrs. Ida Dreskin Says She was Attacked and Robbed Saturday Night.

Arthur A. Kearns, of Charlotte street extension, Beausfield, appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate Allingham in the Fairville police court this morning on a charge of robbery with violence from Mrs. Ida Dreskin, 46 High street, and after evidence had been given by Mrs. Dreskin, Thomas Jones, 2 Summer street, Beausfield, and Mrs. Bella Long, also of Summer street, he was committed for trial. Kearns was not asked to plead although it was said that he would present an alibi for defence. G. Earle Logan appeared for the defence.

WOMAN TESTIFIES

In her evidence, Mrs. Dreskin said that a little after 9 o'clock Saturday night while she was collecting over in Summer street and on her way home near the Martello Tower, a man accosted her and struck her over the heart, catching hold of her collar and striking her a second blow and knocking her down. When she recovered, she found that a blue suit she had been carrying, and also a pocketbook containing \$78, had been taken.

In answer to Police Constable Tower, she said she thought her assailant wore a light cap.

To Magistrate Allingham, she said there was not any doubt in her mind that the accused was the man who had assaulted her.

TOOK HER HOME

Thomas Jones, railway mail clerk, residing at 2 Summer street, testified that while sitting in his home about 9 o'clock last Saturday night, he heard screaming outside. He investigated and met Mrs. Dreskin near the grave-yard fence. Her hat was off and she was very much excited. He took her to his home and there got in touch with the police authorities.

Mrs. Bella Long said she had been on her way home in Summer street Saturday when she heard screaming. She went in the direction of the cries and met Mrs. Dreskin coming towards her. The witness said she did not see anyone else about at that time. Later, Mr. Jones joined them.

Constable Tower said he had notified other witnesses to be present but they had not attended.

The Magistrate was of the opinion, however, that there was sufficient evidence to place Kearns on his trial and he, therefore, committed him. Mr. Logan made application for bail but this was refused.

N. H. S. AUXILIARY IN SESSION TODAY

Annual Meeting Hears Reports—President Speaks of Year and Future Work.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Association of the Natural History Society, this afternoon in the Natural History Union street, Mrs. Margaret E. Lawrence, president, was in the chair. The meeting heard reports from the secretary, committees and was to have election of officers.

Mrs. R. R. Rankine, secretary-treasurer, reported that the balance in hand was \$101.41. The gross receipts for the year had been \$261.41 and expenditures \$160. The lecture course had brought \$98 to the treasury and the exhibition of antiques had \$103.50. Miss Adelaide Fleck, representative to the Local Council of Women from the Ladies' Association could not give any report, because of inability to attend the meetings because of illness. She was welcomed to the meeting after her absence.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

Mrs. Lawrence outlined the excellent results achieved in reviving the interest of people in heirlooms and in the awakening of many to the value of possessions which they had not previously known were worth while, until the exhibition of antiques had been held in the museum. She spoke of the other activities of the association and proposed plans for its work, urging the members of the executive to enter into the new year with earnest purpose to make it the best year in the history of the association.

The lecture course, with its rich promise of good things, literary and musical, was referred to by Mrs. Lawrence and she announced that Mrs. Frances Ayscough, of St. Andrews, would begin the course for this season at the museum tomorrow afternoon.

HERE PENNILESS; TELL OF ROBBERY

Two Sydney Men Were Cleaned Out of Funds in Winnipeg.

Having their hard-earned money stolen from them while in Winnipeg en route to their homes in Sydney, N. S. and arriving in this city penniless and being forced to seek the police station for shelter during the night was the sad experience of Clarence Lewis and Lindsay Lewis who arrived here yesterday from the West. They said they put up at a boarding house in Winnipeg. Clarence had \$139 in his pocketbook and Lindsay \$100. Apparently while asleep they were relieved of their rolls, but whoever did the job, one of the men said, left their pocketbooks and through tickets. The men did not discover the loss of their money until they were on the train. One man then found that he had only 90 cents and the other a little over \$2. Efforts are being made today to secure them tickets for their home as their tickets brought them only to this city.

You Should Paint This Fall



To protect your property completely from the ravages of winter, use Hand and Ring Pure Prepared Paint this Fall—NOW. Neglect to use paint and varnish at the right time causes heavy loss to property—loss through expensive repairs, which need not have been necessary had paint and varnish been used.

The proverb "A Stitch in Time Saves Nine" is particularly true of paint, and we would like to prove this Fall that

Hand and Ring Paint "Wears Wonderfully Well and Lasts Longer."

11-17 King Street McAVITY'S PHONE Main 2540

Pyjamas advertisement featuring an illustration of a pyjama top and text: 'A refreshing night's sleep... these warm, cosy Pyjamas OF FINE QUALITY SHAKER FLANNEL, military collar, pearl buttons, silk loops. In assorted fancy stripes. An exceptional value \$2.25 NIGHTSHIRTS of Fine Shaker Flannel, with collars attached; sizes 15 to 18. Bought at a special concession, bringing the price down to \$1.65 Men's Shop—Street Floor

Shoes advertisement featuring an illustration of a shoe and text: 'The Talk of The Town SCOVIL'S \$7 SHOES for MEN BECAUSE OF THE SMART APPEARANCE, because of the comfortable fit, because of the long-wearing quality—this \$7 Scovil Shoe for men is recognized as the best value in town. \$7 Black or Tan, Oxford or High Boot—all one price. Better practice true economy—and get yours NOW. Other Fine Shoes \$5.85 to \$12 -Men's Shoes, Street Floor SHOES FOR BOYS in Boys' Shop, 4th Floor

Hats advertisement featuring an illustration of a hat and text: 'If It's Value You're Looking for—If It's True Economy—Here It Is—\$5 HATS for MEN Snap brims, just what the young men have been looking for. Also the new wide curl brims in the popular grey shades. Other Fine Hats—\$5, \$6, \$7, \$8 MEN'S HATS—STREET FLOOR SCOVIL BROS., Ltd. OAK HALL King Street

Laundry advertisement featuring an illustration of a laundry basket and text: 'Work! Work! Work!! Women have enough to do without wasting money and time over a washtub. Wasting money is perfectly true. You cannot hit upon a way as cheap as New System Damp Wash. And certainly none so clean. Just try it. New System Laundry 89 Charlotte Street, and Lansdowne Ave. Friday and Saturday at Double Coupons Louis Green's CIGAR STORE