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**Ladies' Trimmed Dress Hats**—Smart new styles in silk velvet and plush; large hats with approved trimmings, black and all favored colors. We were fortunate in securing several hundred of these hats at prices which make it possible for us to offer tomorrow wonder values at \$5, \$6 to \$7.50.

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### LOCAL NEWS

#### CITY WATER WORK.

Commissioner Wigmore announced this morning that work of installing a twelve-inch water main in Wall street, replacing a six-inch main, was completed yesterday, and that a crew of men are employed today installing an eight-inch main in Spring street, in place of the present four-inch. This latter main will connect up with Burpee avenue.

#### LOOKS LIKE GOOD SEASON.

When asked this morning what the outlook was for the coming winter season at this port, Commissioner Bullock said that it should be a good one. He said indications pointed to a busy season.

#### DEMPSEY IN CITY

Jack Dempsey and party reached the city this afternoon on the Maritime Express after spending five days hunting in the woods back of Havelock. The champion had his moose along on the same train and as soon as he arrived he made arrangements to have it forwarded to New York. The party will leave on the Boston train this evening.

#### A BUSINESS TALK.

A meeting of the employees of Wasson's stores was held last evening in the Sydney street store. A round-table discussion of the business took place, in which many of the employees participated. C. R. Wasson, who has just returned after a visit to several American cities, spoke of the methods employed by the stores in these centres. The whole conference was an interesting one and many benefits are expected to result both to employer and employees. After the meeting the employees were tendered a dinner at Bond's by Mr. Wasson.

### MILITIA STAFF COURSE AGAIN THIS WINTER

Will be Commenced About November 1 Under Direction of Lieut. Col. Sparling.

A militia staff course, a branch of military training was established several years ago but which has not been given since the first year of the war, will be held this winter, commencing about November 1 and continuing through the winter for a theoretical examination in the spring and then finishing with twelve days of practical training in the summer. The course will be given in two divisions. The object is to train officers in higher tactics and in staff duties to object lessons on the staff of non-permanent active militia or for appointments as staff officers in case of mobilization.

The subjects included are strategy, military history, map-reading and field sketching, tactics and general and administrative staff duties. The course has been divided into two parts, theoretical and practical, and an examination on the first part must be passed before the applicant will be given the second. The theory part of the training includes a series of lectures which will be given at St. John and Moncton by Colonel Sparling during the winter and on examination in the spring. Those successful in passing the examination will then be eligible for twelve days practical course next summer, probably at Petewawa, Ont., and a practical examination at the end.

The letters M. S. C. corresponding to the P. S. C. given to permanent force officers who graduate from the Imperial Staff College, England, will be affixed to the names of the successful candidates and will be recorded thus on the militia lists.

### PRESENTATION TO COL. POWELL

Traveling Bag from the Permanent Force Rifle Association.

At headquarters of military district No. 7, this morning, Lieut.-Col. A. H. Powell, A. A. and Q. M. G. of the district, was made the recipient of a handsome traveling bag from the permanent force rifle association on the eve of his departure from the district. Colonel Powell has been transferred to military district No. 6, with headquarters in Halifax, and will leave soon to assume his duties there.

Captain W. V. R. Winter, the senior supply and transport officer, made the presentation on behalf of the association, and spoke feelingly of the regret that Colonel Powell's departure would bring to all the members of the association. In a way, he said, they were glad that Colonel Powell had gone, as it might be considered in the light of a promotion, where No. 6 was a larger district than No. 7, but the colonel would undoubtedly be missed by all his associates here, and it would take a good man to fill his place.

The colonel, in replying, thanked them for their kind thought in remembering him, and expressed himself sorry to leave associations which had made themselves so much a part of his life. The meeting dispersed with the officers present giving three hearty cheers for Colonel Powell and wishing him every success in his new post.

### GROWN GONDLUDES ITS CASE IN THE PARIS HEARING

Counsel for the Defence Addresses Jury; First Witness for Paris Called

Five or Six Will Endeavor to Establish Alibi, Says the Prisoner's Counsel—Hattie Lavigne Identifies Paris in Court.

The crown concluded its case, and the first witness for the defence was called at this morning's session of the fifth trial of John Paris, charged with the murder of Sadie McAuley in St. John on August 2, 1921. No new facts were disclosed beyond those given at the previous trials.

C. H. Vernon, K. C., counsel for the prisoner, in his address to the jury, said that while Paris was unable to bring any witnesses to testify for him at the last trial, sufficient money had been raised to call five or six at this trial.

When the court opened, Hon. J. P. Byrne, attorney-general called Hattie Lavigne, who was with the little McAuley girl the day she was murdered. The Lavigne Child.

Hattie Lavigne, aged 12, of 73 City street, said she was living at 80 Clarence street in August, 1921. She told of Sadie McAuley going with her to Douglas avenue. After delivering his dinner to her father, Hattie said, she and Sadie went picking berries. They met a man who helped them to pick for a half hour or an hour. He then offered to show them where there were larger berries. Sadie went with him, but Hattie said she refused to go. She went home but returned later in the afternoon with Sadie's sister, Liane, but could not find Sadie. Paris was asked to stand up. Asked by the attorney-general regarding the man who gave her the berries, Hattie said "That is the man," indicating Paris.

To Mr. Vernon she said she did not go out the avenue any farther than where her father was working. She said in the first three trials she had said Paris looked like the man, it was not until the last trial that she had said Paris was the man she saw in the park.

Detective Patrick F. Bidcombe told of a search being made for the finding of the body of Sadie McAuley. He told of arresting Paris at Westfield on August 19, on a warrant from Truro, where Paris was taken on August 22. He brought Paris back to St. John on Sept. 18.

A sketch map of Riverview Park and vicinity, prepared by the witness was accepted in evidence.

Mr. Vernon asked the witness if Detective Scott, a Pinkerton man, had ever told him that he did not think Paris was the man. The attorney-general asked the question and was not pressed.

Alexander Day, team owner, 72 Adelaide street, told of seeing a man of a dark complexion, wearing a cap, on August 2. He said Paris looked like the man, but he was dressed differently.

Segt.-Detective Power, told of the disappearance of Sadie McAuley and the search for and finding of the body. In consequence of information given by John McDonald, the witness investigated a story told by Walter Humphrey. The rest of his evidence was similar to that given at the last trial.

This, announced the attorney-general, concluded the case for the crown.

The Defence Opened.

Opening his address to the jury, Mr. Vernon, outlined the case for the defence. He said he wanted the jury to show that Paris was not the guilty party; that Paris never made the statements charged by Walter Humphrey; that Paris left St. John on August 2 and remained in Truro continuously until the night of August 3, when he left for St. John, arriving here on the morning of August 4. He said at the last trial Paris was unable to bring witnesses to testify for him. Since that time a small amount had been raised that would enable him to bring five or six witnesses from Truro to corroborate statements made by the prisoner. He called Gordon Hayman, carpenter, Truro, N. S., said he was a police officer in Truro under Chief Gass for four years and was the N. H. for two years. He said his son left for the west from Truro on the night of August 3, traveling on No. 9 train to St. John. He said he knew Paris for seventeen or eighteen years. He said he saw Paris at Truro station on the night of August 3 when he went to see his son off.

Cross-examined he said he again saw Paris from the train. He said he did not know Paris was dressed at the time.

DEATH OF HIRAM S. LAKE. Many friends will learn with regret of the death of Hiram S. Lake of 28 Pitt street, which occurred at an early hour this morning. Mr. Lake, who was of Loyalist descent, was in the eighty-first year of his age and until last night was in his usual health, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis. He was in the employ of the Goodwin Fruit Co. for more than thirty years. He leaves two sons, Colburn J. of California and Justus G. grocer, of Elliot row. There will be service tonight at eight o'clock at the residence of Geo. Chamberlain, 145 King St. East. Interment will be at Midland, Kings Co., on Friday.

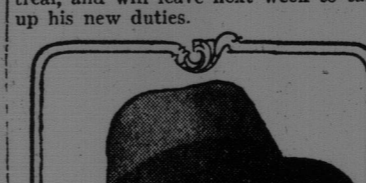
MEXICO WANTS AGENTS IN CANADA. The commercial agent of Mexico in Toronto has written the St. John Board of Trade stating that the exporters are desirous of obtaining correspondents or agents in the Maritime provinces. Many Mexican houses, he also says, are desirous of obtaining a representative who would be interested in such Canadian manufactures as machinery, hardware, drugs, dry goods, rubber articles, aluminum articles, nickel, sardines, salmon and canned fruit.

BANK CLEARINGS. The St. John bank clearings this week were \$2,467,778; last year \$2,333,122; in 1920, \$3,009,010. Halifax clearings this week were \$2,611,691. In Moncton they were \$1,019,711.

### F. C. WESLEY IS REMOVING TO MONTREAL

Will be Managing Director of Engraving Department of Herald Publishing Co., Ltd.

After being identified with the business section of St. John for more than twenty years, Frederick C. Wesley, head of F. C. Wesley Co. engravers, has accepted the position of managing director of the engraving department of the Herald Publishing Co. Ltd., Montreal, and will leave next week to take up his new duties.



F. C. WESLEY

The successful management of his business in St. John, which has been well known amongst photo engravers in the principal cities of Canada, has brought to Mr. Wesley a flattering offer of participating in the big Montreal engraving establishment. He has had a wide experience in the art, having been engaged in this business in Buffalo and Toronto before coming to St. John.

Mr. Wesley came to St. John to take charge of the engraving plant of the Telegraph Publishing Co., Ltd., later resigning to go into business for himself. He established the firm of F. C. Wesley Co. in Water street, and has been located there ever since. Business expanded and at the present time his work covers practically the whole of the maritime provinces.

To a Times reporter yesterday, Mr. Wesley said that in intention to keep the St. John plant he operated as usual under the management of Alfred Hall, who has been associated with him since his coming to St. John. The local equipment will have the added facilities of the Montreal plant for the execution of particular classes of work.

Both Mr. Wesley and his wife, who was formerly Miss Mary Gordon of St. John, have a host of friends who will regret to learn of their departure from the city, and they can be assured of a hearty reception in the event of future visits here.

### September Weddings

#### Day-After.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place in the United Baptist church at Havelock, N. B., Tuesday, Sept. 26, when Rev. Abram Perry officiated in the marriage of Miss Clara Greta Alward, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burpee W. Alward, of Havelock, and Clarence Daniel Day of St. John. The bride wore a navy blue suit with hat to match, and grey cross fox fur, and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents. Many lovely gifts were received, including a substantial check from the bride's father, and silver from the staff of the Bank of Montreal, St. John, where the bride was employed for several years. Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Day and daughter, Helen, and Frank Doucett of Moncton, also Mrs. W. H. Freeze of Lynn, Mass.

#### Jones-Frost.

A pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at four o'clock in Trinity church, when Miss Marion Margaret Frost, only daughter of Major J. S. Frost and Mrs. Frost, was united in marriage with George David Jones of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong, assisted by Rev. Dr. Henry Prince of St. Stephen's church, New York, cousin of the groom. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a traveling suit of navy blue and black, hat-trimmed with Princess Mary blue and beaver scarf, the gift of the groom. She carried a bridal bouquet of Ophelia roses. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Jones left for a trip through the maritime provinces, and on their return will reside in Fair Vale. Numerous and costly gifts, including silver, cut glass and linen, were received.

#### McCurdy-Whalen.

James G. McCurdy of this city and Miss Frances Whalen of Chatham were united in marriage in Chatham at six o'clock this morning. They are expected to arrive here on the C. N. R. tomorrow afternoon.

#### Cavichi-Bennet.

Miss Pearl Bennett, who made her home with her sister, Mrs. Cecil McLean, 408 Main street, left last Saturday for Boston and on Monday was married in Manchester, N. H., to Louis Cavichi of Boston. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. B. Williams. They will leave on Saturday to make their home at Jamaica, B. W. I. Mrs. Cavichi is a daughter of Mrs. E. W. Parsons of Alma, Albert county, and has many friends in this city who will wish her every happiness in her new home.

#### JURY ENTERTAINED.

The members of the jury in the Paris case were the guests of the Opera House management for the last night's show. The previous evening they accepted an invitation to attend the performance at the Imperial.

### Blouses Compliment Suits



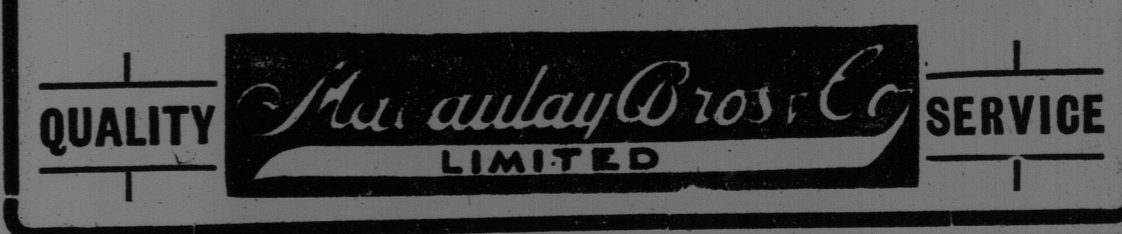
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\$18.65 \$19.85

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