

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1908.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

Ladies' Spring Jackets

Distinctly striking in their exclusiveness. They are styles that are neat and yet have a cut and finish that stamps them distinctly different from any other makes. Many of them are self-trimmed, not elaborately but what you would call ingenious touches of the designer's art. Prices on these high grade Coats are in harmony with the reputation of this store which stands for reasonable prices on the best of goods, \$3.50 to \$15.00.

Ladies' Silk Coats

Some very attractive styles from the short length to the long 50 inch Coats. Prices from \$5.50 to \$30.00.

F. A. DYKEMAN & Co.,
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

EASTER LILLIES

Five hundred Blooms in Pots.
Art Flowers on Saturday.
Roses, Carnations, Violets, Double Tulips, Bi-color Daffodils, Paper Whites, etc.

Telephones—**WALTER GILBERT** 143 Charlotte St.
Main 812 and 1960 Corner Princess

Our \$3.00 Shoes

FOR WOMEN

are splendid value and judging by the unprecedented sale THIS SPRING the women of St. John know it and appreciate them.

When you consider that there are

Patent Colt, Plantinum Calf, Tan Calf, Chocolate Kid, Black Kid

In narrow, medium and wide shapes with high, medium and low heels to choose from, you will realize something of the big range we carry.

If you want a good fitting, nice looking shoe at a medium price, you can get it from us.

McRobbie 94 KING STREET

New Kodak!

No. 3 Bulls Eye,
for Pictures 3 1/4 and 4 1/2.
Price.....\$8.00
Call and see them.

E. G. NELSON & CO.,
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

EASTER GOODS.

We have just received a nice assortment of Easter Novelties direct from Japan.

Easter Chickens, 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c.
Ducks, etc., 2c, 5c, 10c, 25c.
Rabbits, 2c, 4c, 5c, 10c.
Basket Novelties, 1c and 15c.

SPECIAL.
50 doz. Ladies' Silk Ties, Samples, worth from 25c to 75c. Our prices, 10c, 15c, and 25c. A great bargain.

Arnold's Department Store,
Phone 1765, 83-85 Charlotte St.

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Dr. John G. Leonard,
Dentist
15 Charlotte Street,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

McCALL PATTERNS 10 & 15c

LADIES VESTS

all sorts of Vests at low PRICES.

Half sleeve Vests, special 2 for 25c.

Vests with straps, no sleeves 25c.

Long sleeve vests, light weight 19c.

Half sleeve vests, special good quality, 19c, 22c, 25c, 28c each.

Long sleeve vests, medium weight, good for now, 25c each. Knit corset covers with and without sleeves, 75c each.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts.
Store Open Evenings.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Frosts to strong west to northwest winds, fair and cool. Wednesday fine and not much change in temperature.

LOCAL NEW

School Inspector W. S. Carter, has appointed Friday, May 15, as arbor day in this district.

Best goods procurable, at lowest prices in St. John, is what C. B. Fidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets, offers you.

This evening in Exmouth St. rooms, Exmouth street basketball team will play the Outcasts of Carmarthen St. Geo. Emery will referee.

This evening Court La Tour Independent Order of Foresters will meet. Election of delegates to High Court and other important business will take place. A full attendance is requested.

Tonight in the Salvation Army Hall Carleton, there will be a concert entitled "Katie's White Robe" in seven-act scenes. Brigadier Turner, Major Phillips and headquarter staff will be in attendance. A fine time is assured all who attend.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Arthur Read took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her residence, 4 Paradise Row. Rev. Mr. McLean conducted the services. Interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas Walker took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock from her late residence, Bellevue Avenue, Pookok. Rev. Mr. McLean conducted the services. Interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The meeting of the Men's Bible Class of St. John's (Stone) Church, postponed on account of the Easter meeting, will be held this evening at eight o'clock. As there will only be one more meeting of the class after tonight's the group is expected to be large.

The entertainment under the auspices of the A. O. H. cadets will take place this evening at 8 o'clock in St. Malachi's Hall. The best local talent will take part. The entertainment is for the purpose of procuring uniforms for boys wishing to join. A number of Irish bagpipes will also be procured.

Last evening's snowstorm was unseasonable and interfered with the Easter parade of new hats. But nothing interfered with the display of jewelry and novelties at Walter H. Irving's, 55 King street. The alarm clocks now on sale there are the best value for the money in the city.

The Fernhill Cemetery Company has issued a handsomely illustrated report by its directors containing a list of the lot holders up to date, with a well prepared plan of the grounds, copy of by-laws and a lot of information which will be very useful to lot owners. These will be mailed free of charge to lot holders sending their name and address to the company's office, 85 Prince William street.

At a meeting of the council of the Moncton Board of Trade yesterday, it was decided to memorialize the Dominion government for the Dominion grant of \$50,000 for the Dominion Exhibition in 1909. It was further resolved to petition the government for an armory for Moncton and request the marine department to construct light-houses along the Petitcodiac River for the benefit of navigation.

A movement is on foot to furnish the 52 Exemption of this province with a new set of colors. With this object in view a fund has already been started and the colors will shortly be received. The suggestion came from Colonel Vidal when he last inspected the regiment and has been taken up by the officers and men and Daughters of the Empire—Charlottetown Guardian.

LICENSE QUESTION TO BE ARGUED TOMORROW

Supreme Court Will be Asked to Give Judgment at Once on the Ward Question.

Before the full bench at Fredericton tomorrow Hon. D. J. Hazen and Hon. C. N. Skinner will present arguments as to the interpretation of that section of the Liquor License act by which the number of licenses in St. John is limited. Mr. Hazen will uphold the view taken by the temperance people that declare that the individual ward system must prevail. Mr. Skinner will contend that the wards are to be taken solely for the purpose of determining by population the number of licenses which may be issued.

Section 15, sub. sec. 1 reads as follows:—

"The number of tavern licenses which may be granted in the respective municipalities shall not in any year be in excess of the following limitations: In cities and incorporated towns respectively, one for each two hundred and fifty of the first one thousand of the population of each ward taken separately in which licenses may be issued and one for each full five hundred over one thousand of the population of each ward. Provided further that in the city of St. John subject to the provisions of sub section, 4 there shall not in any year be issued more than seventy-five tavern licenses."

Mr. Hazen will argue that according to this each ward must be treated separately. If in Sidney ward there is a population of 1000 that ward is entitled to six licenses and no more, and that this ward cannot be given additional licenses to make up for the shortage elsewhere.

Mr. Skinner's contention is that only the population should be estimated by wards, and that the licenses may be distributed elsewhere in the city (Carleton excepted) irrespective of ward lines, and always provided that exclusive of hotels the total number of retail licenses shall not exceed seventy-five.

Argument will be heard, it is understood some time tomorrow and the supreme court will be asked to give judgment at once so that the commission-ers may be instructed before Saturday, the day on which the licenses are to be issued.

THE CHARITY BALL WILL BE A BIG AFFAIR

The Different Committees Have Everything in Readiness for Thursday's Event

The charity ball to be given in the Assembly rooms of Keith's Theatre on Thursday evening by St. George's Society promises to be one of the leading affairs of its kind held here for some time. The Grand Band will furnish the music and will play a programme of fourteen dances and three extras. It is expected that three hundred and fifty persons will be present. The catering is in charge of Mrs. Dunbrack.

The official guests are:—
Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Tweedle, Mayor and Mrs. Sears, President Cameron of St. Andrew's Society and Mrs. Cameron, United States Consul Willich, Col. White, D. O. C. and Mrs. White.

TWO YEARS EXEMPTION IS A LOSING GAME

Civic Officials Do Not Favor the Plan Which Permits Defaulting Taxpayers to Vote.

City Hall officials and especially those in the Chamberlain's office are inclined to the opinion that the plan of allowing all persons to vote who are not more than two years behind in their taxes is not a success. In the past during the week previous to elections scores of taxpayers have handed in their contributions to City Hall, and had their names entered on the voter's lists. On various occasions as much as fifteen thousand dollars has been received in one day by such payments. The ordinary receipts in a day at this time of year average about three hundred dollars, and last week the pre-election rush brought only six hundred dollars additional. Instead of fifteen thousand as under the old system.

Great difficulty is experienced in making up the lists. Families move from one ward to another so frequently that it is hard to keep track of them, and when each name has to be followed through the assessment books for several years, the duties of the officials become rather complicated. Formerly no man could vote unless his taxes on the last assessment were paid. Today a man who is square up to 1905 finds his name on the list.

Some hundreds of young men come of age each year, others from outside points make their homes in St. John. All these are entitled to vote for two years before paying any taxes.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The Furness steamship Kanawha is due here today from London via Halifax.

Steamer St. John City left London for St. John on April 20.

Steamer Centin is due today to load for South Africa.

PERSONAL

H. H. Brown, of St. John, N. B., is spending Easter in the city. It will be remembered Mr. Brown was manager of Fairland last autumn—Ch. Town Guardian.

Miss Edna Leverman, has returned to her home at Lakeview, after having spent a very pleasant winter with her friend, Mrs. Mack Millar, at Edmundston, N. B.—Halifax Echo.

Mr. Charles Doherty, of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway staff, returned to Moncton last evening.

Miss Lettie H. Ward left on yesterday's train to make her future home with friends in Beverly, Mass.

Zemacura Customers Are Satisfied Customers.

We are constantly hearing of good results from users of this salve. In cases of eczema and painful sores it is without an equal. 50c. box, at the

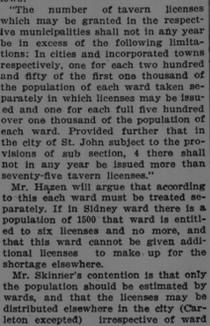
Royal Pharmacy,

47 KING STREET.

Matchless Silver Polish

The best in the world—has no equal. Regular price 30c.; Reduced to 20c.

DAVIS BROS., Reliable Jewellers,
54 Prince Wm St., St. John, N.B.



TEETH TRUTHS.

It is not universally known how necessary perfect teeth are to health. The process of mastication must be performed properly, or indigestion and kindred ills follow. Your teeth need the care of a good dentist. That

Infant's Spring and Summer Garments.

Our Spring display of Children's Clothing is the largest we've ever shown. We don't know another place where you can find a prettier or more attractive showing of Children's Garments. Sizes to fit from 6 months to 3 years old.

CASHMERE COATS, \$1.95, 2.25, 2.45, 2.75, 3.00, 3.50, 4.25.	SILK BONNETS, 60c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, 1.00, 1.50.
BERGE COATS, \$1.50 and \$2.10.	SILK HATS in White, Pink and Blue, \$1.15 and \$1.55.
PIQUE COATS, \$1.45, 1.55, 1.85, 2.50.	SILK AND MUSLIN HATS, \$1.15 and \$1.50.
WHITE LAWN DRESSES, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, 1.15, 1.55, 2.15, 2.50, 2.55.	MUSLIN HATS, 60c, 55c, \$1.00.
MUSLIN DRESSES, \$2.25.	MUSLIN BONNETS, 25c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.45.
COLORED CAMBRIC DRESSES, 50c, 75c, \$1.45.	

We are showing a stock of Children's Cashmere and Cotton Stockings in Black, Tan, Red and Cream, superior to anything in the city at the same prices.

S. W. McMackin, 335 Main St., N.E.

COLONIAL BOOKSTORE.

We are offering a few odd and slightly damaged boxes Note Paper and Envelopes at Half Price.

The paper is in perfect condition. It is only the box that is soiled.

FOUND—Pair of Gold Nose Glasses.

T. H. HALL, 57 King Street, Phone 588.

ODD LOT OF BLEACHED DAMASK CLOTHS.

150 Cloths only, in three different sizes as follows:—

Size about 2 yards square, Prices, \$1.10, \$1.55, \$1.80, \$2.25.

Size about 2 1/2 yards long, Prices, \$1.40, \$2.20, \$2.50, \$2.80, \$3.25.

Size about 3 yards long, Prices, \$2.20, \$2.60, \$3.40, \$3.75.

All Perfect Goods. This will be a grand opportunity to select Table Cloths suitable for Summer Cottage use. As the quantity in this lot is limited an early selection is advisable.

Sale on Wednesday
LINEN ROOM

Hand Embroidered Robes, \$5.00 Each.

In White and in Natural Linen Shade.

Semi-made Skirt with embroidered material to make up the waist. Most desirable garment for summer. Easily made. Low in price.

Sale in Lace Department,
GROUND FLOOR

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON Ltd