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Important to Form Good Habits !!!

Get the habit of going to J. Sutton Clark's for CORSETS, style, quality and variety unsurpassed.

A splendid line of Ladies' and Misses' Underwear just arrived.

A New Assortment of Ladies' Wrappers. Shirtwaists in Many Different Patterns.

Fine Linen and Huckerback Towels. Detachable Dress Shields.

BOOTS, - SHOES - AND - RUBBERS.

J. SUTTON CLARK, - - - St. George, N. B.

D. BASSEN'S Spring, 1910, MILLINERY OPENING

We continue to-day the spring opening display of our greatest spring stock of merchandise, that has ever been seen in this store--one that proves the progressiveness of previous years.

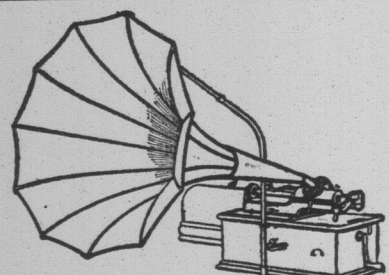
Each season it seems as if we could go no further, and yet, this spring we are as far ahead of last, as last spring we were ahead of the year before.

We have engaged Miss Richardson, of Lunenburg, N. S., as our Milliner for this season. With long experience and ability, we can promise you the greatest satisfaction.

We made the best selection in every line in our store. You cannot help but be pleased. BE SURE AND ATTEND OUR OPENING ON:

SAT. MARCH 26, 1910 At D. Bassen's CARLETON ST., ST. GEORGE.

Watch - Maker - and - Jeweller.



EDISON, "NEW MODEL" PHONOGRAPHS

Are the best that money can buy. They are in a class by themselves. Come in and let us demonstrate these truly wonderful instruments to you.

Victor Talking Machines, Records, Needles, Etc. Edison Two and Four Minute Records. Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Novelties, Etc., Stationery, Calling Cards, Playing Cards, Pens, Pencils, Inks, Scribbles, Pads, Etc. Toy Books and Games. Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Optical Goods of every description neatly repaired.

ORDER WORK A SPECIALTY.

J. W. WEBSTER, JEWELLER AND OPTICIAN, ST. GEORGE, - - N. B.

To My Customers :

I take this early opportunity of advising you that I will be in a position to supply you in the several lines of goods that I handle, and give you better values than anyone else in the business.

We are all aware that each year more money goes out of our country for goods that could be furnished here, and there is only one way of keeping the money home: that is to give people as good values as they can get elsewhere.

If you will still continue to give me your trade and influence I can assure you it will be to our mutual interest.

I. E. GILLMOR, Bonny River.

Easter.

Those who laid the foundations of Christianity upon the old Roman forms of religious faith and practice acted wisely in placing the festival of the resurrection of Christ in the spring time of the year. Doing so naturally superseded popular and ancient ceremonies of much significance in the atavistic worship with the most impressive and far-reaching fact in the whole scheme of the redemption of man. Possibly at the spring time the mind is naturally prepared to accept the doctrine of the belief in the resurrection. Some one has correctly remarked that the early days of spring are a sensation rather than an experience, a hope rather than any visible reality. In the softness of the air, in the lengthening days, in the pleasant sounds, and sweet odors of the earth, there is consolation after the rigors of winter, and there is inexpressible hopefulness awakened in the human heart. The "showers of shadowing roses" have not yet come, but we are certain that they will, and the whole earth will blossom and glow with the beauty which is yet in her bosom, making us realize that we are of the essence of the Creator and contain a portion of Him in ourselves. Possibly there is none of the great incidents of the Saviour's earthly life which is more difficult of acceptance than that of the Resurrection, and yet it is plain and simple enough to the true believer who has received with earnest feeling and sincere faith the statement of the earlier incidents which culminated in our Lord's death upon the Cross of Calvary. In the Resurrection the redemption of fallen man, the atonement for sin, was accomplished, even though it may be claimed that the spectacle of the Ascension was necessary for the unity, the harmony and symmetrical beauty of the Christian system. Of course Bible critics have long expressed doubts of the reports of the Resurrection and much learned lore has been written upon the subject. But Nature in its revivification of the earth in the spring time of the year furnishes to the humble Christian a revelation that helps so confirm in his mind the Sacred record. With great rejoicing, or with ardent devotion, with the absolute ignoring of doubt and misgiving, the Christian, fortified by hope in the fulfillment of God's promise, hails the festival of Easter. He is conscious of the full completion of the Divine plan, of human redemption. The birth of Christ, His burial, His resurrection from the grave, have made humanity triumphant over sin and eternal death. And perhaps, too, in this day and age there is a consoling hope which comes from a cause other than that which is taught at this time by Nature. There seems to be proof of the truth of Christianity in the striving which is so generally apparent of the desire to live a Christian life. It is true that it once takes a pessimistic view of the events of the hour, of the sounds of war, of the unhappy personal occurrences which terminate too often in loss of life, in the open and ever filling prisons, in the presence of disease, he may find much that is discouraging, but a little reflection will assure him that at no previous period in the world's history was there put forth the effort which is now put forth to put into practice that which makes for the Christian life. "The best proof of Christ's resurrection is a living Church which itself is walking in new life and drawing it from him who has overcome death."

Social and Personal

Dr. E. M. Wilson returned to St. John on Friday. Elmer McLaughlin of St. John spent Friday at home. Carl Maxwell returned home on Friday from Elmville. Miss Jean Kelman has accepted a position with D. Bassen. Miss Mae Stuart of Second Falls spent Sunday in town. Miss Clara Hay spent the Easter vacation with Miss Hazel Knight. Carl Johnson of East Millinocket spent the Easter holidays in town. Miss Myrtle Milne is spending the Easter vacation with friends in town. Roy McKay and Percy Tayte of Mount Allison are at home enjoying the Easter holidays. Mrs. Nelson Dodds and family spent a few days at Bonny River returning home last evening. Miss Carrie Gillmor is enjoying the Easter vacation with friends in St. John. Fred Dewar and family left yesterday for the West. We wish them success. Miss Sarah Moore returned from St. Stephen Tuesday where she has been spending the holidays. Burpee Douglas returned from St. Stephen last evening where he has been spending a few days. Miss Agnes Crickard who is attending Normal School is spending the vacation at home. Miss Gertie Armstrong who is attending Business College at St. John is at home for a few days. Miss Vida Maxwell has been home for Easter vacation from the Normal School, Fredericton. Mrs. T. R. Kent Miss Knight, Miss Lord and Mr. Lord enjoyed a trip on the Viking on Saturday. Miss Maud Dick who has spent the Easter vacation at home returned to Wilson's Beach today. Mrs. Thomas Choynet accompanied by her father Mr. J. B. Green arrived from South Portland on Thursday. Miss Fanny O'Brien, accompanied by her sister Miss Edna, returned to Richardsonville, Deer Island today. Mrs. and Miss Gorvan of Deer Island who have been visiting Mrs. Allan Grant returned to Deer Island today. Miss Helen Lynott returned to St. John yesterday after spending the Easter vacation at the home of Mrs. Robt. Dodds. Mrs. Fred McLeod and Miss Vera Taylor spent the holiday season at St. Stephen returning on last evening's train. Mrs. James Chase entertained twenty of her relatives on Wednesday evening last in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dewar who leave this week for the West. A very pleasant evening was spent with games and music, and at 10 o'clock dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dewar and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dewar and four eldest children, Mrs. Charles Craig and son, Mrs. John Dewar and Mr. Ernest Jackson.

General News.

Lima Ohio March 27.--Two men were instantly killed, another was fatally injured and a house was burned to the ground as the result of a collision between the two inter urban electric trains near here today. Both trains were destroyed. The collision occurred at a place where the tracks curve around an untenanted house. Both cars were going at full speed and dashed into each other with terrific force. An exploding fuse set the wreckage into a blaze which communicated with the house and completely destroyed it. Sterling, Kas., March 27.--Two persons were killed and three injured when an automobile collided with a carriage. The dead are: Wylie Lloyd and Miss Bertha Mosman. Wilmington, Del., March 26.--Never before yesterday have the crime annals of Wilmington made such a ghastly showing. Three murders, violent shooting assaults that may result in three more deaths, a half dozen persons slightly wounded and two suicides comprise the startling record. The most sensational occurrence was the tragedy on the Baltimore & Ohio express train. A negro who tried to escape from prison is in hospital. His death is expected at any time. The suicides were Mrs. Hattie Kommel and Charles Tindall, the latter after he had shot and killed Mrs. Clara Newcomb, because she refused to elope with him. Montreal, March 27.--Rodolphe Forget and a party of Nova Scotia Company magnates left today on a private car of the Intercolonial to attend the annual meeting of that company which will be held Wednesday at Trenton, Pictou county. Mr. Forget, before leaving, expressed the conviction that his faction will win out at the annual meeting, as he had with him proxies for more than 32,000 shares. Amongst the party accompanying Mr. Forget were J. N. Greenshields, K. C., J. W. McConnell, H. A. Lovett, K. C., and W. Grant McLeod, while they were to be joined at Quebec by Messrs. Belleau and Lorne Webster. Canada thinks its iron and steel concerns, which have been fed on subsidies for fourteen years, can no longer claim to be infant industries requiring nourishment from the government nursing bottle. The bounties, which thus far have amounted in the aggregate to \$14,000,000, are to be stopped. Waverly, Mass., Mar. 29.--Charles A. Beyer of Centre Harbor, N. H., and Ernest M. Barlow, were killed and Mrs. Catherine Bryer, wife of the former was seriously injured in a collision here to night. On their way to a wedding their carriage was struck by a train with the above result. St. Petersburg, Mar. 27.--The newspapers announced that the Government is about to introduce in the Duma a naval building programme providing for an expenditure of \$375,000,000 during the next decade. The first instalment of the programme will call for \$27,500,000. Toronto, March 24--(Special)--Peter J. Truss, a post office employe, arrested Sunday, charged with the theft of thirty-eight letters belonging to T. Eaton Company, was found guilty by a jury this afternoon and sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary. Prof. Lowell, who recently reported from the observatory in Arizona that a new canal has been completed on Mars, is very confident that the planet is inhabited by intelligent beings, but thinks they do not necessarily resemble our human race.

Auto Smashup

Winnipeg, Mar. 21.--An auto traveling at a high speed at Seattle, Wash., on Saturday, struck a post, and Mrs. W. W. Dresser, one of eight occupants was killed and several others were badly injured. Mrs. Dresser who before her marriage seven years ago, was Miss Lillian Stickle, was born in Stirling, Ont.

General News.

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