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### Ready For Fall and Winter Trade

We are all ready with our fall and winter goods. We have had one more year's experience in our line, one more year of success and we are trying to break the records of previous years. We have broken the record this year in buying, having bought more, better and with more attention than ever before. Never before have we had in our store such a fine line of Dress Goods, Cloths, Flannels, Suitings, Plaids, Shepherd Plaids, Cottons, Gingham and Outings. Everything New and Up-to-date Also in ready-to-wear garments such as Ladies' and Childrens' Coats, Reefers, Skirts, Blouses and Sweater Coats. Also a fine lot of Neckwear and Shell Goods. Anything you want you will be sure to find here.

We also want you to know that we have engaged  
**MISS E. FOSTER**  
of St. John to take charge of our

### Millinery Department

She has had ten years experience in the largest Millinery Store in St. John, with a diploma for a superior at the trade. We, on our part, gave extra attention to buying our hats and trimmings.

All Are Welcome at Our Fall Opening

### D. BASSEN

Carleton St., St. George

### F. L. HAM

MERCHANT TAILOR

We are prepared to make your fall or winter Suit or Overcoat and will guarantee satisfaction. Our prices will suit you. Call and let us make you a suit with style and fit.

Water Street, St. Stephen, N. B.

### Meating & Douglas, Merchant Tailors

Clothing Cleaned and Pressed

St. George N. B.

Rooms over Milne, Courtts & Co.'s store

### Keep In Touch - - With Me - - -

And I will save you money on the following articles:  
**All Kinds of Up-To-Date Wagons, Spring Knee Blankets, Harness, Truck Wagons, Frost & Wood Farm Machinery, Gasoline Engines, Cream Separators, Sewing Machines, Pianos and Organs.**

I HANDLE THE VERY BEST LINES !!!

I buy and sell Horses and Milch Cows Several on hand at present

I. E. GILLMOR, - - - Bonny River.

### WEDDING PRINTING

IS A  
**SUCCESSFUL SPECIALTY OF OURS**  
Let Us Show You Samples, and  
Quote You Prices.

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### General News

Charlottetown, Sept. 18.—A meeting of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen took place Sunday. There was a large attendance from Moncton, Campbellton, Fredericton and Stellarton. The officers are: Past President, George S. Ryan; president, O. V. Cruickshank; vice-president, R. A. MacDonald; secretary, J. Hughes; treasurer, Robert Sweetman; warden, O. Bonard; conductor, F. Robins; chaplain, F. M. Kie; inside guard, A. Jardine; outside, W. Wilbur.

Washington, Sept. 17.—The Klondike placer miner district in Alaska has produced \$150,000,000 in gold since 1898 and mining experts estimate the amount yet to be mined will equal that already produced. Consul Cole of Dawson, states that the gold output for 1910 will exceed that of 1909, when more than three and a half millions was produced. Most of this gold, he states, was shipped to the new Canadian mint. Consul Cole reports that rich deposits of copper ore have been discovered in the southern part of the Klondike district.

St. John's, Que., Sept. 17.—While sitting at his desk in his office, Gabriel Marchand, editor of the Canadian Francois, and member of the Quebec legislature, was suddenly stricken with heart failure and died at his home a few moments later. The deceased gentleman was the only son of the late Hon. F. Marchand, at one time premier of Quebec. He was prominently known in French journalistic circles and was a great Liberal worker, besides being a most talented speaker. Mrs. Dandurand, wife of Senator Dandurand is a sister. He was 50 years of age and leaves a wife and three children.

The "Greetings" is always pleased to receive news items from readers of the paper. The doing of your district interest the people of other localities and give the impression that your district is a live one. Kindly forward any news you may have. Write on one side of the paper only. Mail in time to reach us Monday of each week (or sooner). Avoid all items reflecting on personal character, but send all the news. Check off this list, it may assist you to remember an important item. Deaths, marriages, accidents, church news, suppers, or presentations, removals, visitors, lodge news fires, public improvements, law cases the crops, school matters.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The balance of trade, which the statistics of the last thirty years have generally shown to be largely in favor of this country, has turned over. It now stands \$1,000,000 on the other side of the ledger for the first eight months of the calendar year. The month of August swung the pendulum and brought to the United States \$3,563,425 more in trade than it ever took out.

From that condition students of economies may draw conclusions as varied as they may be many. One is that there has been no readjustment of prices in the United States since the panic of 1907-08. Another is that the balance of the trade has been against us for a long time without showing in the statistics of merchandise, because Americans spend \$150,000,000 a year in Europe and more millions are paid for ocean steamship freight rates to the German and British banks at the close of business on Sept. 1, now being compiled, will verify the latter conclusion in a measure, and it is predicted that the gold imports for August, which amounted to \$9,668,183, are but the forerunner of the flow of gold due from Europe in September and October in settlements for the shipments of grain and cotton.

### Sherman-McCallum St. Mark's Church Scene of a Pretty Wedding on Mouday Last.

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at St. Mark's church St. George, N. B. on Monday, Sept. 19th, when Miss Jessie Agnes MacCallum youngest daughter of Mrs. J. A. MacCallum was united in marriage to Mr. Grant Simmons, Sherman of the C. P. R. engineering staff Brownville Junction, Me. The marriage took place at high noon, the bride who entered the church on the arm of her brother Mr. George C. MacCallum looked very charming in a handsome suit of tan chevron broadcloth with a panne velvet picture hat to match and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas, white carnation and asparagus fern. The church was beautifully decorated with quantities of autumn leaves and ferns. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. I. Lynds, the bride being given away by her mother. After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served those present being the immediate relatives of the young couple and the Rector and Mrs. Lynds. The brides going away gown was a severely tailored costume of dark green English tweed with close fitting green velvet hat with persian bend trimming. The happy couple left on the afternoon train enroute to Boston and vicinity followed by the good wishes of many friends. The honeymoon will be spent with Mr. Sherman's mother at East Derry, N. H. and his grandfather, Edgar J. Sherman of the Superior Court of Mass. at Jamaica Plain, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman will make their home at Brownville Junction. Many beautiful gifts testified to the popularity of the young people, Mr. Sherman having made many friends in St. George. The friends from out of town who were present for the wedding were Mr. Sherman's grandfather, Hon. M. H. Goudge, M. L. A. and Mrs. Goudge of Windsor, N. S., Mrs. Arthur G. Bailey of Woodstock, aunt of the bride and Mrs. T. H. White and little son of Shelburne, N. S. Music was furnished by the choir, the wedding march being played by Miss Jennie Mestling, Mr. George Crink acted as usher.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of Greetings,

Dear Sir:—  
I wish to call the attention of the Street Committee of the Council to the condition of the side walk on Carleton St.

The walk on one side would be greatly improved if the border which is gradually rotting away were replaced. The walk on the other side is in bad condition.

At small expense a great improvement could be made. Thanking you for the space and hoping this matter will be looked after

I am  
Yours truly  
Resident.

### Record Prices for American Apples in English Market

Washington, Sept. 18.—American apples tempt the English buyer, in proof of this statement, Albert W. Swalm, American consul at Southampton, reports that a shipment of apples from the State of Washington commanded a higher price than any other American apples ever offered in the open English market, much of the shipment being sold at from 8 to 12 cents a pound and eagerly taken at that price. The secret of success, he says, is for the American shipper to send good fruit, well packed, and kept out of an auction where a combination may control prices.

### Once Famous Atlantic Liner Sold for Junk.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—The Vancouver, of the Dominion line, has been sold for 15,000 pounds to be broken up, and one more veteran of the St. Lawrence is removed. The Vancouver before the advent of the big passenger liners was one of the largest and best known boats coming to Montreal. She has not been on the regular run for several seasons and visited port for the last time in 1908 when she brought a ship load of Salvation army immigrants.

### By The Way

The best part of a hunting trip is the anticipation—in the majority of cases.

A man who is continually looking for something to fight about generally finds it.

A great many sportsmen say they are "going shooting" when in reality they are only going hunting.

The granite men are still idle. The pulp mill accident has indeed been a severe loss to the granite concern, in that a lot of work upon which they were figuring has been lost.

What about the letter from the "Resident" on Carleton St? If the street committee could make a few repairs as suggested it would add greatly to the appearance of the street.

The Democrats in Maine are jubilant of their recent victory. It is thought by some of the leading statesmen that the wave will sweep the United States and that the overthrow of the Republican party is not far distant.

Canada ranks third among the countries buying from the United States. With this standing surely a mutually profitable agreement can be reached between Canada and United States.

Now that baseball is out of season why cannot St. George organize a football team. We have a spacious field for a gridiron and very little funds would be required to set the thing going. Only a small majority can play a good game of baseball but everyone can kick and run. All it needs is a start.

The question of the advisability of amending the B. N. A. act is receiving considerable discussion. At the rate the west is going ahead and if we wish to have any say in the Federal House it would seem that such an amendment would be indeed a wise move.

Some people can never forget an old grade. They keep it always before them, and go through a life with the one aim and object in view of trying to "get square" especially when they are in the wrong. If they do not "get square" in the first generation they remember it in the second. What a nice forgiving spirit a man like this has. Yet we have them right in our own town.

A traveller on the coast reads of Central Vermont is impressed by the large number of signs which prohibit hunting and fishing on the premises. One farmer, however, introduced a pleasing variety by the following notice: "Hunt, fish and be d---; if you get anything you will do better than I can, John Smith."

The old parson was endeavoring to do a little missionary work behind the big stone walls.

"What brought you hear my son?" he queried of an inmate.

"I am here, sir, because of my fondness for books," answered No. 2323.

"Indeed!" exclaimed the good man in surprise. "What kind of books, may I ask?"

"Pocket books," briefly replied the other.

Accompanying a check in payment for subscription last week a prominent St. Stephen man, writes the following letter. Editor "Greetings"

Dear Sir:—

I enclose check for \$3.00 in payment of subscription. Let me add congratulations on your success in other respects, and a hope that the paper is a success financially. It is what I wanted to make when I lived in St. George—a good local paper.

Yours truly

Subscriber.

The newspaper editor has a hard row to hoe and no one knows how good a little word of encouragement such as this makes him feel. Thanks.

### Chatham Police- man Shot

Chatham, N. B., Sept. 15th.—Policeman Walter Coughlan lies in his home today severely wounded as the result of a shooting affray last night in the hill district. He was passing along St. Andrews' street, near Buckley's store, when from a dark alley, a shot was fired hitting him in the right leg just above the knee. Three other shots were fired in quick succession and one bullet went through his uniform coat at the shoulder, while another whistled past close to his neck. The alley was pitch dark and all he could see was four bright flashes of flame. He made his way to the police station and, summoning another policeman, the two went back to the alley, but could find no one around. By the time his boot was full of blood, and when he reached Dr. Losier's he was laid up for some time. No arrests have been made as yet.

### Nestorian Society

The Nestorian Society of the High School held its weekly meeting and the following was the program:

Psalm—Edith Dewar "Lake Utopia."

Recitation—Bessie Connel "Work."

Review of Current Events—Grade X.

Debate—"Resolved that money has more influence upon man than education."

Affirmative—Arthur Dewar and Bessie Cawley.

Negative—John Dewar and Lillian McGee.

The Pres. decided in favor of the Negative.

### Legal Newspaper Decisions.

1. Any person who takes a paper regularly from the Post Office, whether directed to his address or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

2. If any person order his paper discontinued he may pay all arrearage, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made and collect the whole amount whether it is taken from the office or not.

3. The Courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers and periodicals from the post-office, or removing and leaving them uncollected, is prima facie evidence of fraud.

If you want to stop your paper, write to the publisher yourself, and don't leave it to the postmaster.

### Imperial Defence

Applauding the statement of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the west that Canadian loyalty is not dependent on any tariff agreement, the Maritime Merchant takes the ground that such an agreement is really not practicable. We quote—

"It would be a very sordid people that couldn't be loyal unless it were to the advantage of their pocket. It would be contradictory to British traditions were a race of Britons to develop now whose loyalty would depend upon an advantage in the markets of the motherland. But it may be said that the majority of good thinking Canadians, whatever they may think of the preference perse, are now agreed that as an intra-imperial measure the preference principle is not practicable. The best judgement of statement today seems to indicate that every unit of the empire will have to work out its own fiscal policy independently of each other part."

The merchant is right in its interpretation of the views of statesmen. Theoretically, an imperial preferential system has its merits as an attractive programme, but the moment we get down to cases, and ask how such a system is to be worked out to the mutual satisfaction, let us say, of Canada and Australia in the English market, the difficult nature of the task becomes evident.

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