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PRICE TWO CENTS.

REFRIGERATORS.

Another lot just in of our celebrated REFRIGERATORS at prices from \$8.00 up. The Lightning Freezer, The White Mountain Freezer, Balcon Fly Traps, The Daisy Fly Killer, Window Screens, and other seasonable goods.

SHERATON & SELFIDGE.

MID-SUMMER SALE.

To-morrow, (SATURDAY), and succeeding days during the sale we shall offer SPECIAL BARGAINS IN LADIES' LACE, JET AND CLOTH CAPES, the latest and most fashionable. And also in SUNSHADES.

WELSH, HUNTER & HAMILTON.

97 KING STREET.

THORNE BROS.

call attention to THE FAMOUS CHRISTY'S COOKERY AND BEST AMERICAN HATS.

THORNE BROS., - 93 King Street.

WE INVITE ATTENTION TO OUR LARGE STOCK OF LADIES' SUNSHADES, COATS, GLOVES, HOSE AND UNDERWEAR, BEADED CAPES with epaulet shoulder, CHILDREN'S HOODS and HATS IN SILK AND LAMBROUS.

KEDEY & CO., - 213 Union Street.

READY AGAIN FOR SPRING TRADE.

JOHN WHITE,

55 to 57 CHARLOTTE STREET.

IN STOCK:

Gentlemen's Cutlery, Razors, Scissors, Leather Purcases, Wallets, Pocket Books, Memo. and Blank Books, Stationery, Lunch and Picnic Baskets, Balls, Toys in variety, Wax and China Dolls, Game Banks, Month Organs, etc.

WATSON & CO'S

COR. CHARLOTTE AND UNION STREETS.

HAVOC REIGNS SUPREME.

ARRIVAL OF A BIG MID-SUMMER STOCK.

During the next few weeks we have open to the public our entire stock of New and Seasonable Goods, and have arranged to take advantage of the low price of these goods, and to sell at actual cost.

POPULAR 20TH CENTURY STORE,

12 CHARLOTTE STREET.

DeFOREST,

THE TAILOR.

Leave your Order Now for a nice stylish Suit, Pants, or Coat and Vest. Stock of cloth large and the latest patterns.

JAS. A. ROBINSON,

No. 16 Dock St., MERCHANT TAILOR.

FIRST EDITION. TOWN HALL FULL OF DEAD.

FEARFUL SPECTACLE PRESENTED AT ST. MANDÉ, FRANCE.

Terrific Death of the Railroad Disaster—Wounded Heavily—Killed—Human Clusters—Forty-Three Killed and 184 Injured.

Paris, July 28.—The collision between two excursion trains at St. Mandé, near Vincennes, was a most terrible affair.

The engine of one of the excursion trains telescoped three carriages loaded with excursionists, and at the same time the rear end of the engine of the damaged train exploded and set fire to the wreckage, while scores of people were trampled down, wounded and hurled beneath the ruins of the three carriages.

In a very short time the flames spread to such an extent that numbers of the wounded were slowly roasted to death before the eyes of those who were doing their utmost to rescue them.

Many of the unfortunate people imprisoned beneath the cars were drowned in the sea when they were thrown into the water.

Forty minutes elapsed before the firemen were able to obtain water, but when they did so they poured torrents upon the wreckage, and seemed to be utterly unaware of the fact that they were drowning the people they were attempting to rescue.

To-day the town hall of St. Mandé presented a fearful spectacle.

The blackened bodies of the dead lay in rows upon tables in the building.

In some cases the remains are little more than heaps of cinders intermingled with portions of limbs or fragments of other parts of what were but a short time ago human beings.

One pile of charred limbs and human cinders was especially conspicuous, and consisted of a mass of unidentified and unconnected bodies in a heap.

The majority of the victims were women and children.

At dawn people began to flock to the scene by thousands, many seeking friends who had not returned from the fete. There were 20,000 persons around the station, and the school and town hall, where the bodies of the dead were lying, were besieged by distracted people.

One man suddenly came upon the bodies of his wife and daughter. His cries attracted his brother-in-law, who, in turn, recognized a grandchild lying dead and heard that his wife and his mother were in a hospital dying.

A man half-demented, seeking his family, stopped a litter and found that bore the charred bodies of his wife and baby. Five of this man's children were in the train, and only one was rescued living.

Among the injured sent to the hospital a number died immediately, and an expense for not only did he have to pay the enormous costs, but he was obliged to be actually found in possession of his property with the main line.

The policy of the Duke of Devon in 1865 as slowly working out the results foretold by many. The bulk of the people who are going or coming, all have got the dry rot.

Several years ago, when the Great Northern railway was to be built, the Marquis of Exeter spent a great sum of money in opposing the line, and he was not alone in his opposition.

Some great owners like the Duke of Devon are unloading as fast as they can, perceiving the evil days coming.

The Duke's estate, however, are in Scotland, and there land still fetches a good price. Mr. Balfour says not long ago at a great profit.

In England it is a drug on the market.

No sooner do holders exclaim, "Now we have reached the lowest prices," than there is another great drop, unless the land happens to be on Fall Hill, when it fetches a \$1,000,000 an acre.

Cardinals Disappointed.

Rome, July 28.—The recent heavy losses at the Vatican have compelled a series of economical measures there.

A commission of cardinals has been appointed to study economies, especially with reference to the pontifical army.

The Pope adds that he remains in Rome during the heat of the summer, and that the cardinals can as well endure the heat in their turn.

Several of the cardinals are disheartened with this forced retrenchment and labor.

Requested by the Lord Mayor.

London, July 28.—Sir Joseph Stovary, lord mayor of London, has requested the foreign committee of the Columbian Exposition to-day at the Mansion House.

Lady Stovary and Sir Richard Webster, the attorney-general were present. The lord mayor made a speech, in which he warmly commended the Chicago fair to the English people.

SAMEL WHITBREAD does not import five million cigars at one time neither does he pay five million dollars duty for them, as he always did a fresh lot of Havana cigars.

Mr. Whittaker, the Chicago fair to the English people.

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Ogilvie's "BEST" "CROWN" Roller Oatmeal.

The finest Manitoba Flour, a Choice Patent, all a greatly reduced price.

WHOLESALE ONLY.

JOSEPH FINLAY, 65, 67 and 69 Dock St.

Sanitas

The best disinfectant for preventing the spread of infectious diseases.

The preparation is a colorless solution of a fragrant odor, is not poisonous and does not stain linen or carpets.

It is put up in powder and liquid form and retails at 40c. each.

R. D. McARTHUR, MEDICAL HALL, SAINT JOHN, N. B.

HARNESS, HARNESS.

A full stock, made of the Best Materials.

HORSE COLLARS

A special make and quality.

HORSE BLANKETS,

the best values in the city.

T. FINLAY,

227 Union St.

WORKINGMEN: ATTENTION.

A Full Stock of SOLID SHOES

For the Working Classes at 40 KING STREET.

W. H. COCHRAN.

AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE.

BIG Annual Marked Down SALE

to wind up the balance of our Summer goods

GENUINE BARGAINS.

Look Here at our Prices:

108 Nice Tweed Suits \$6.75

265 Pairs Dress Pants 2.75

200 "Tweed" 1.50

100 Odd Vests 1.00

50 "Coats" 3.50

50 Children's Suits 1.50

60 Doz. Shirts & Drawers 25c.

This lot for this week only.

AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE.

Cor. King and Canterbury Sts.

WESLEYANS ON GAMBLING.

THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BRITISH CONFERENCE SPEAKS TO THE POINT.

He thinks it disgraceful to any class to be connected with the gambling traffic.

London, July 28.—The president of the Wesleyan conference today made an authoritative statement on social scandals.

He condemned the doctrine that gambling is a necessary evil.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

MISS STRICKS—Married This Morning.

Pr. LEBLANC, July 29, 3 p.m.—Wind, southeast, cooler, dense fog. Therm 17.

SCHOONER VIOLA has been chartered to load coal at Hoken for Lunenburg, N. S.

BASEBALL.—A meeting of the baseball league committee will be held in J. J. Hebert's office, Prince William street, at 8 o'clock this evening.

BEVERLY'S NOT RECORDED.—There is a ledger liquor dealer to keep a light over the door of their bars at night. Within the short space of a hundred feet in the North end four bars were unoccupied last evening.

THERE is not much contagious disease in St. John now. During July only one case has been discovered, two of which have recovered.

There are a couple of cases of diphtheria, two or three of scarlet fever, two of typhoid fever, and one of measles.

DETECTIVE JOHN KING is busily engaged in an attempt to trace a hold-up fight to its origin.

This requires considerable skill and it may be some time before the detective accomplishes his purpose.

The bulls are badly cut up, and any information regarding the fight will be gladly received at the police office.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.—There will be a strawberry and ice cream festival in the school room of Brunsell street.

The festival will be held on Thursday evening under the auspices of the 2nd St. John Company Boy's Brigade of Canada.

A musical and literary programme has been arranged and those who attend will doubtless spend a pleasant evening.

PARSON COCHRAN.—This company of Boston artists make their first appearance at the Palace this evening in a very attractive programme including selections on a variety of musical instruments.

The programme includes Mr. Cahly comic recitations and songs by Mr. F. Reynolds, caricatures by Mr. Macdonald, "Candy" and other popular songs by Miss Lawlor, Royal marionettes by Mr. Palmer and other features. It is expected that a full house will be present tonight.

Married This Morning.

The interesting event followed in last evening's Gazette passed off very quietly at the residence of Mr. W. H. Quinlan of Main street, this morning.

At six o'clock, Rev. L. G. Stevens performed the ceremony which united in matrimony Mr. Solomon McNeill and Miss Nellie Quinlan.

Quite a number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present.

The bride was attended by her sister Miss Annie Quinlan, while Rev. J. W. McNeill brother of the groom was best man.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the residence of the bride.

Among the very handsome presents received by the bride was a handsome gold watch and a very pretty china set.

THE MILL STRIKE.

At the meeting of the Mill Men's Union held in the Ship Laborer's Hall last evening the agreement made at the meeting of the owners and the committee men in the morning was ratified.

The men have agreed to return to work on the understanding that the reduction spoken of in yesterday's agreement shall come into effect after the first pay.

He wants to reduce ten cents a day of the pay of those receiving \$1.50 and to make a pay raise reduction on the wages of those receiving less than that amount.

Only a few of the men, however, seem to be willing to agree to the reduction being made so soon, the majority of them refusing to submit to it.

Mr. Gregory said this afternoon that the mill is ready to start as soon as a sufficient number of the men agree to go to work and accept a reduction after the first pay.

If this number is not secured to-morrow the mill will not start till next week.

There is as yet no word of any of the other mills making a start although it is thought that a couple of them may resume work.

STOCKS TO INDIA.

By TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

London, July 28.—Despatches from Bombay state that heavy rains and serious floods prevail in that presidency.

London Stock Exchange.

London, July 28.

Consolidated for money and 97-10 for the next 10 days.

100 Consols at 100.

100 India 3 1/2 at 100.

100 India 4 1/2 at 100.

100 India 5 1/2 at 100.

100 India 6 1/2 at 100.

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FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

Hand Bags, Club Bags, Satchels, Valises, Gladstone Bags, Extension Cases, Shawl Straps, Trunk Straps, Basket Trunks, Saratoga Trunks, Portmanteaus, Luggage Labels.

We call the attention of our Customers to the very Large Stock and great variety we have of these Goods

All Sizes. All Shapes. All Qualities.

The Largest Stock in St. John, and at the LOWEST PRICES.

MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON, 27 and 29 KING STREET.