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Ale and Porter, 4c per glass or  
Highest Award Colonial and Indian  
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TO RENT, OR WANT  
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Which is read by every-  
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The average daily circulation of the  
Star for July was 9,078.

**ELECTION SIGNS.**  
While the frantic raising of the race  
and religious cry by the Liberal jour-  
nals in the province of Quebec is in it-  
self a pretty good sign that elections  
are near, it is not wanting other  
portents equally significant.

For instance, there is the noticeable  
anxiety of many prominent Liberals  
to withdraw from the strain of party  
strife and retire to the sequestered  
seclusion of offices, the occupancy of which  
is not dependent upon the life of any  
government. Within the last year the  
parliamentary ranks have been seri-  
ously depleted in this way, and by the  
time P. E. I. and Manitoba get new  
governors, Nova Scotia, a new chief  
justice, and the other dozen or so val-  
uable vacancies will have been filled,  
several more of the rightness of which  
will be safely out of the way of the com-  
ing deluge.

The enormous supply bill passed this  
year should not pass unnoticed by those  
who are watching for prophetic signs.  
Almost eighty millions it will total,  
and the purposes to which it is being  
devoted are highly significant. There is  
a \$5,000 grant for a monument to  
Champlain in St. John for instance.  
Mind you, we are by no means pro-  
testing against that grant, but does  
anyone think that it was given solely  
to please the shade of that distinguish-  
ed man whose chief claim to fame lies  
in the fact that he discovered the win-  
ter port of Canada?

And almost every other constituency  
in the Dominion has something like  
that; something to make the electors  
look happy and say: "Oh! ain't we got  
just the kindest government you ever  
saw." Of course those same electors  
will have to pay for that something,  
but so long as they do not actually see  
the hand of the tax collector in their  
pockets, they are not apt to think of  
that.

Then it should be taken into consid-  
eration that the government stands to  
gain a good deal by calling the elec-  
tions before the beginning of work on  
the Grand Trunk Pacific. Of course  
it can get its campaign contribution  
from the company any time, and well-  
to-do it may not be forgotten that the  
whole eastern section of the road  
is to be built by the government itself,  
and that before the contracts are  
granted it is in a very advantageous  
position to make profitable deals with  
would-be contractors, which deals  
would materially increase the prosper-  
ity of the machine.

All these things taken together with  
the recent open declaration of the gov-  
ernment that all the gifts in its pos-  
session, all jobs on the I. C. R., in the  
militia, in every department of public  
service are open for competition to  
party heaters on the system that the  
best machine men gets the best job,  
no other qualification being necessary,  
it is not difficult to make a pretty  
good guess at what is going to happen.

**TAXATION AND PROSPERITY.**  
The enormous increase in the cost  
of government in Canada and in the  
taxation of the people is shown in the  
resolutions proposed yesterday by Mr.  
Bell. Mr. Fielding has adopted the  
method of excusing these increased  
public burdens and public expenditures  
by saying that the business has in-  
creased and the people are more pros-  
perous, and that everything is done on  
a larger scale than seven or eight  
years ago. That explanation is not  
satisfactory. The increase in the  
amount of business done by the people  
does not call for extravagance on the  
part of the government. There is reason  
to fear that the people of Canada are  
not getting rich so fast as Mr.  
Fielding seems to think. This is not  
the most cheerful year that has been  
for the farmers in Eastern Canada.  
Mr. Fisher and his comrades, who  
claimed credit in times past for the  
increased output and good price of  
butter and cheese, are not so ready to  
accept the responsibility for the pres-  
ent dairy conditions. The Canadian  
farmermen are not in raptures over  
the profits of their business. Ship-  
owners are not receiving extravagant  
dividends. On the whole, the ability  
of the people to pay taxes is not equal  
to that of the Laurier government to  
impose them.

The one Russian that has "made  
good" since the beginning of the war  
is Admiral Skrydloff. Alexeff is  
away in the background. Kurapatkin  
has yet done nothing to justify the  
hopes that followed him, Makaroff  
died before he had his chance and of  
all the other leaders not one, except the  
defender of Port Arthur, has done  
anything to make his name remem-  
bered. But Skrydloff's daring and  
masterly handling of the Vladivostok  
squadron has marked him as a com-  
mander with ideas and energy. The  
exploits of his feet have been almost  
the only thing the Russians have to  
cheer about and that they have wor-  
ried the Japanese is shown by the

**D. FOWLER'S**  
EXT.-OF-  
**WILD**  
**STRAWBERRY**

**CURES**  
Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Cramps, Colic,  
Pain in the Stomach, Cholera, Cholera  
Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Sea Sick-  
ness, Summer Complaint, and all  
Fluxes of the Bowels.  
Has been in use for nearly 60 years  
and has never failed to give relief.

swelling of popular feeling against  
Admiral Kamimura, whose duty it is  
to catch and destroy those elusive  
Russian ships.

James Ross, the president of the St.  
John Street Railway Company, told  
the reporters who asked him yester-  
day about improvements, that they  
must see the local directors. These  
were in a position to know what was  
wanted, he said, and were the ones to  
provide it. This seems to confirm  
what the Star has been given to under-  
stand for some time: That Mr. Ross  
and the young men who are being will-  
ing to have the line extended in dif-  
ferent directions and to improve the  
service in other ways, but has been  
held back by the parsimony and short-  
sightedness of the local directors.

**WEDDINGS.**  
**Tabor-Lee.**  
Benjamin Tabor, an employee of the  
Hart Boot & Shoe Company, and son  
of J. W. Tabor, of Fredericton, was  
married at St. John yesterday morning  
to Miss Bertha Lee, of the West Side.  
Rev. Mr. Sampson tied the nuptial  
knot. The happy couple left on the  
Boston train for a short visit to Wood-  
stock and Houlton, and will arrive in  
Fredericton the latter part of this week  
to take up their residence.

**Taylor-Follock.**  
A quiet but pretty wedding took place  
at Fredericton at 1 o'clock yesterday  
afternoon when Frank A. Taylor, of  
New York, was united in marriage to  
Miss Edna Taylor, of St. John. Mr.  
Taylor has been a school teacher at  
Clinton, Victoria county. The groom's  
present to the bride was a handsome  
gold chain. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will  
reside in New York.

**McGregor-Landers.**  
BOSTON, Aug. 3.—The marriage of  
F. McGregor, of New Boston, to  
Miss Agnes Landers, of St. John,  
was solemnized this afternoon at  
the Holy Cross cathedral.  
The bride was Miss Gertrude  
McGowan, of St. John, a cousin of  
the bridegroom. The ceremony was  
attended the groom. The couple  
will spend their honeymoon in Europe,  
sailing Friday on the steamer Celtic.

**SUCCESSFUL PICNIC.**  
The Sunday school picnic of Zion  
church held yesterday was the  
largest and most successful in the  
history of the church. About 300 were  
present and a very pleasant time was  
spent by all. A programme of sports,  
including races, archery and air gun  
practice, was carried out very suc-  
cessfully. The following was the  
winner in the girls' air gun shooting: J.  
Lacelle, first prize; Mr. Flaveling,  
second prize. Ladies—First prize, Miss  
B. Irvine; second prize, Mrs. A. C.  
Powers. In the archery competition  
Miss Alice Robinson, of the Ladies' class  
Mrs. A. C. Powers won first and Miss  
Robinson, second prize.

**MORE BURGLARIES.**  
Last night about half-past ten a  
crowd assembled in front of O. H.  
Warwick's store, King street, as the  
result of a rumor that the store had  
been entered by burglars. Deputy Chief  
Jenkins and Acting Detective Caples  
made a search of the store. They  
found a hole in the rear leading up  
to two open windows, but found no  
burglars.  
In Carleton on Tuesday evening bur-  
glars entered the grocery shop of Mrs.  
E. McCallum. A small amount of  
money was stolen.

**GETTING READY TO MOVE.**  
The free public library commis-  
sioners at a meeting yesterday decided  
to close the old library and prepare  
for removal to the new building on Chip-  
man Hill. The reading room in the  
old library will be kept open during  
the present month.  
The commissioners elected the fol-  
lowing officers: Chairman, Richard  
O'Brien; secretary, Thomas Millidge,  
and treasurer, Dr. James Christie.

**CHEAP CHEESE.**  
Cheese can now be purchased at the  
factory for seven cents per pound.  
Last fall the price quoted was eleven  
cents. The reduction is principally  
due to the over-stocking of the English  
market. The seven cent price applies  
particularly to Swiss or Cheddar.  
The cheese favored by the local trade  
is 8 cents to 8 1/2 cents.

**BIRTHS.**  
**THOMSON.**—Aug. 3rd, 1904 to Mr. and  
Mrs. J. Boyd Thomson, a son,  
COPP.—At 109 Carmarthen street, Aug.  
3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Copp, a  
son.

**DEATHS.**  
**PAGE.**—In this city on 4th August,  
Eva May Gertrude, daughter of Fred-  
erick and Catherine E. Page, aged  
six months and 13 days.  
**FUNERAL.**—From father's residence, 45  
Erin street at one o'clock Friday, 5th.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum, of  
Adelaide street, have the sympathy of  
their numerous friends in the death of  
their infant son, David Harold, which  
occurred yesterday morning.

Next Sunday a memorial service will  
be held in the Sussex Free Baptist  
Church in honor of the late John  
Roach, who was buried at Roachville  
yesterday afternoon.

On Saturday evening, Aug. 6th, Victo-  
ria Temple of Honor and Temper-  
ance No. 2 will pay a fraternal visit to  
St. George Division, Sons of Temper-  
ance, in their hall, Market building.  
Its members are cordially invited to  
attend.

Yesterday's fine weather brought joy  
to the fishermen, for the last three  
weeks of fog has made the fishing per-  
fectly dead both around the harbor  
and all over the bay. There is hardly  
any fresh fish to be had just at present,  
but if the weather keeps as it did  
yesterday there ought to be a good  
supply very soon.

The Prince Rupert arrived yesterday  
punctually at a quarter to five, after  
the best crossing as regards weather for  
the last few weeks. The cargo was  
not too heavy, and the passenger list  
numbered about seventy, including  
Mr. and Mrs. James Milligan, Dr. T.  
D. Walker, and Mrs. Dr. Freeman of  
Bridgetown.

Rev. William McIntosh of Ottawa  
addressed the Congregational Bible  
class last evening. He gave an inter-  
esting and instructive address and  
spoke at some length on church union.

The Boys' Brigade band will go up  
on the Beatrice E. Waring on Satur-  
day excursion to Belleisle. The pres-  
ence of the band lends additional in-  
terest to the trip and it is now one  
of the most popular on the river.

The city beaches were crowded yester-  
day afternoon by all sorts and condi-  
tions of men, women and children.  
There was a sprinkling of American  
tourists and a few young ladies who  
wanted a quiet bath. The tide was at  
its best during the afternoon.

A canoe was given to the little boys  
and girls from Bermuda. A varied  
selection of drills, songs, choruses and  
otherwise was given by Capt. Bennett  
and Miss Smith sang a duet and Capt.  
Bennett acted a solo. The children  
were for Bridgetown this morning and  
will make a tour of the Annapolis val-  
ley.

The committee having in charge the  
Carleton curlers' fair held an organiza-  
tion meeting Tuesday night and fixed  
yesterday, the 1st inst., as the date  
for their festival. Arrangements  
have been made for greening and  
otherwise decorating the rink, and  
every effort will be made to bring off  
an entertainment better than has yet  
been.

**DOMINION PARLIAMENT.**  
OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—This afternoon  
Bill of Finance on motion to go into  
supply, moved the following amend-  
ment:  
That the total taxes collected for  
the year ending 30th June, 1897,  
were \$28,648,625, customs \$19,473,247,  
excise \$2,170,878 (public accounts), and  
other taxes \$7,004,500 per head of popu-  
lation, notwithstanding the pledges of  
the Liberal party in opposition to re-  
duce the total taxes collected for the  
year ending June 30th, 1893,  
were \$49,015,595, viz.: Customs \$27,004,  
excise \$1,915,773, and \$20,105,818 per  
head of population.

And further, it appears from the  
statement of the finance department  
for the year ending June 30th, 1897,  
that the total taxation for the year  
ending 30th June, 1894, is \$33,195,620,  
viz.: Customs \$4,449,808, excise \$32,447,  
and other taxes \$28,713,364, or \$22.57  
per head of population.

That the government maintains the  
expenses of the country at a figure out  
of proportion to the increase of popu-  
lation, and that the total expenses for  
the year ending June 30th, 1894, as  
stated in the budget speech by the  
minister of finance, has reached the  
vast sum of \$28,000,000, viz.: consoli-  
dated accounts \$24,500,000, capital account  
\$11,500,000, exceeding the total expendi-  
ture for the year ending June 30th, 1897,  
by \$23,027,244.

That the total estimates for the year  
ending June 30th, 1894, are \$77,744,609  
and that of these estimates nearly \$15,  
000,000 have been submitted on or after  
July 25th, when a careful considera-  
tion of the items is no longer possible.  
This house regrets that notwith-  
standing the pledges of the Liberal  
party in opposition to reduce taxation  
and expenses, the government is main-  
taining a policy of high and steady  
increasing taxation and expenses, and  
is thus setting an example of wasteful  
and extravagant management of a  
character which must work serious in-  
jury to the people and interest of Can-  
ada.

Mr. Bell supported his motion in a  
strong speech and was backed by R.  
L. Borden and other prominent Con-  
servative members. Sir Whitford Laur-  
ier and Mr. Fielding defended the gov-  
ernment.  
After a long debate Mr. Bell's amend-  
ment was defeated by a vote of 30 to  
48.

OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—With only sev-  
enteen members present in the house  
several millions were voted in supply  
from midnight till 1:25 a. m., this  
morning, when Fielding submitted  
further supplementary estimates for  
1894 amounting to \$81,000, of which  
\$500,000 is for the International and  
\$28,450 for 1903 and mostly for canal.  
Nova Scotia gets \$33,000 for harbors  
and rivers in New Brunswick \$2,800  
for the same services.

**SLIGHT FIRE.**  
A slight fire took place yesterday af-  
ternoon in the premises of the Cana-  
dian Mill Company, North Market  
wharf. Some waste on the top floor  
caught fire, and the attempt to put it  
out with buckets of water proving un-  
successful, a still alarm was sent in,  
and No. 3 hose and No. 1 Salvage  
Corps responded. The boxes contain-  
ing the burning matter were lowered  
down and put out without damage.

**LOCAL DIRECTORS TO BLAME.**  
James Ross left last night for Syd-  
ney, his yacht leaving in the afternoon  
for Halifax. Before leaving, Mr. Ross,  
in conversation with a reporter, said  
he could not give any information as  
to the plans of the company either re-  
garding extension of the line or im-  
provement in the service. "You must  
see the local directors," said Mr. Ross.  
Mr. Ross spent the afternoon in an  
inspection trip over the line. He was  
taken to the new park and expressed  
himself as being much pleased with it.



Edipose

## DOWLING'S MATCHLESS

—SALE OF—  
**Blouse Waists.**

Its our annual Clearance Sale, the great overshadow-  
ing went in the retail Shirt Waist Selling. It's a memor-  
able event. The values we have given in previous Waist  
Sales are still fresh in the minds of our customers, and  
this sale beats previous records at almost every point.  
What more can be said? What more need be said?

The Prices, 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50  
and a few hundred at higher prices.

Many of those at 50c. were \$1.00, those at \$1.00 were  
\$2.00, and those at \$1.50 were \$3.00, and all the better  
qualities have been greatly reduced in price.

## DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street

The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices.  
**D. A. KENNEDY,**  
(SUCCESSOR TO WALTER SCOTT.)  
32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B.

### Here's a Bargain for the Men.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT.

WHITE UNLAUNDRED SHIRTS, 75c. quality, Sale price 50c. each.  
They are the best shirts in Canada for this price. Linen bosoms and re-  
forced.  
WHITE LINEN COLLARS for men. All sizes, all shapes, 15c. each or  
two for 25c. (Bosoms' make.)  
SOFT BOSOM SHIRTS for men are the correct things for warm days.  
Sale price 60c. and 75c. each.  
We sell the best CASHMERE SOCKS for men in the city (tans or black)  
at 25c. and 25c. pair.  
Sale of MEN'S BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, 75c. Now 45c.

### BOUGHT A FLYER.

F. B. Edgecombe has purchased  
from W. H. Huxley of St. John, his  
speedy racer, Patty Bang, She is  
seven years old, dark brown in color,  
and is regarded as one of the fast  
pacers in the maritime provinces. She  
has a track record of 2:31-2, but has  
frequently made trials at a much  
faster clip. This morning Mr. Edge-  
combe paid a visit to the race track  
and did a half mile with the mare  
in time of 1:14-2. It is not Mr. Edge-  
combe's intention to enter Patty Bangs  
in any races.—Fredericton Herald.

### DR. MACKAY DEAD.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 2.—John Hector  
Mackay, familiarly known all over  
the maritime provinces as "Doc" Mac-  
kay, died in Truro today of acute  
Bright's disease. He had been in fail-  
ing health for some months. He was  
58 years of age, son of the late Alex.  
Mackay, Senator Mackay was a brother.

### PULP MILL FOR SALE.

Property and works of The St. John  
Sulphite Pulp Company, Limited (in  
liquidation), situated at Misepoc, in  
John County, New Brunswick.  
The Mill Property of the Company  
comprises over three hundred acres,  
Works are situated on the Misepoc  
river, a quarter of a mile from the  
sea and six miles by water from the  
City of Saint John. The wharf accom-  
modation is ample. Works are new  
and substantially built of pressed  
brick, fitted with modern and up to  
date appliances, including electric  
plant, and are capable of producing  
two hundred tons of pulp per week.  
There is room in the present building  
for additional plant, which when in-  
stalled would double the output. The  
mill dam is substantially built of  
stone and is about fifty feet high. The  
water is taken to the turbine wheels  
by a long pipe, which is driven by  
gears, which gives ample supply for driving  
machinery and pulp making.  
Tenders for purchase of above de-  
scribed property will be received by  
the undersigned up to October first,  
1904, the highest or any tender not  
necessarily accepted. Further informa-  
tion will be supplied on application.  
EZEKIEL B. KETCHUM,  
JOSEPH A. LIKELY,  
St. John, N. B., July 27th, 1904.

### FOR SALE.

The following property of The St.  
John Sulphite Pulp Company, Limited  
(in liquidation):  
Steamer "Frederick A." seven years  
old, tonnage 2115, length 87 feet, 5  
3 rows 80 feet long by 22 feet wide  
by 7 feet deep.  
1 decked scow 21 feet long and 12  
feet wide.  
1 piling scow 32 feet long by 18 feet  
wide, with conveyor chains.  
1 piling scow, 31 feet long, 23 feet  
6 inches long by 16 feet broad.  
1 ton brass scrap, about.  
5 tons wrought iron scrap, about.  
230 tons slack coal, about.  
1 large safe.  
4 dump carts.  
1 double aloft.  
Tenders for purchase of above de-  
scribed property will be received up to  
the undersigned up to September first,  
1904. The highest or any tender not  
necessarily accepted.  
EZEKIEL B. KETCHUM,  
JOSEPH A. LIKELY,  
Liquidators.  
St. John, N. B., July 27th, 1904.

### EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN

## BOOTS AND SHOES

We still have a few of those big values in Men's Working Boots,  
with top soles, standard screw-tapped, at \$15 pair.  
\$12.—Women's Dong. Kid Bal. \$12.—Dongola Kid Oxford, self  
patent or self tip. Medium or heavy  
sole. Easy fitting and good wear-  
ing. Splendid value for \$13.50.  
\$1.50.—Extra Fine Dongola Kid  
Bal. patent toe caps, good solid  
soles, whole faking. A very stylish  
boot and bargain at our price,  
\$1.65 pair.

ALL NEW GOODS. NO OLD STOCK.

## Sanborn's Shoe Store,

339 MAIN STREET, North End.

## TAKE NOTICE.

### Removal Sale is Now Going On

at E. Marcus's, No. 35 Dock Street.

I will remove to my new quarters, (No. 30 Dock St.)  
on or about the middle of Sept. My stock must be sold  
before moving, at any cost, so as to save expense.  
Parlor Suites, regular price \$30.00; sale price \$19.75.  
Bedroom Suites, regular price \$15.00; sale price  
\$10.50.  
Lounges, regular price \$3.50; sale price \$4.15.  
All our stock is reduced below cost for removal sale.  
Now is your golden opportunity—it may not occur again  
for a long time.  
I have also a better line of all kinds of furniture that  
will be sold below cost.  
Goods sold on easy terms as usual.

## E. MARCUS, 35 Dock Street.

### BAND CONCERT.

Will be Given at Foot of Garden Street  
Tomorrow Evening.  
The Carleton Cornet Band gave the  
west end people an enjoyable hour last  
evening in the shape of an open air  
concert from the band stand, King  
square. The whole place was crowd-  
ed and it seemed as though all of  
Carleton had turned out to hear the  
music, which comes all too seldom  
in this city.  
Tomorrow night the same pro-  
gramme will be played on this side,  
at the Garden street stand.

### BEEETLES AND A HUMMING BIRD.

Some time ago the Sun contained a  
description of the frame of an  
ostrich which had been imported from  
California by A. Gordon Leavitt. Mr.  
Leavitt at that time expressed a wish  
for a humming bird, so that the two  
might be placed side by side as the  
largest and smallest specimens in his  
collection. A day or two ago Fred Z.  
Campbell sent Mr. Leavitt a humming  
bird. This tiny creature is now being  
prepared for mounting, but in this  
work some difficulty is being experi-  
enced. The body is so small that it  
cannot well be handled and Mr. Leavitt  
has been compelled to call in the  
assistance of several beetles, which  
are now engaged in eating away from  
the skeleton the little scraps of flesh  
attached to it.

### EASTERN STEAMSHIP CO.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE.  
There is to be no steamer from St.  
John to Boston on August 1st and 5th,  
1904.  
Effective Aug. 1st to 7th inclusive,  
Steamers will leave St. John Wed-  
nesday at 8 a. m. for Lubec, Eastport,  
Portland and Boston.  
For Boston direct on Tuesdays and  
Saturdays at 6:30 p. m.  
Returning.  
From Boston via Portland, Eastport  
and Lubec, Mondays and Fridays at 9  
a. m.  
From Boston direct Mondays and  
Thursdays at 12 noon.  
Commencing August 27th, steamers  
leave St. John Mondays and Wednes-  
days at 8 a. m. (Atlantic Standard)  
for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and  
Boston.  
Fridays at 8 a. m. for Eastport,  
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at 9 a. m.  
Fridays at 9 a. m. via Eastport and  
Lubec.  
All freight via the steamers of this  
company is insured against fire and  
marine risk.  
W. G. M. E. D., Agent, St. John, N. B.

Gilmour's Clean-Up Sale!

Lively sales this week. This Clean-up of odd suits has proven a perfect success. Every article in the sale was found just as represented, and in many instances, a great deal better than was expected.

Several lots of BLUE SERGE SUITS, formerly \$15, \$16, and \$17, for \$7.50. Several lots TWEED AND WORSTED SUITS, formerly \$15, now \$10.00.

TWO-PIECE SUITS, coat unlined, stylishly got up—suits 35, 38, 40—formerly \$12, for \$8.50.

Can you wear a 34 or 35 breast suit? If so, you are in the way of the best bargain that has "come down the pike" All 34's and nearly all 35's have been reduced to HALF PRICE. Why? Because we will not keep 34's in future, and we are overstocked with 35's.

20TH CENTURY SUITS—Finished in 15 minutes, \$10 to \$20. 20TH CENTURY SUITS—Specially made to your measure in 10 days, fit guaranteed, any quality you may desire from \$12 to \$30.

Custom Department—New cloths arriving daily. Favor us with your orders now before the rush.

A. GILMOUR, Fine Tailoring and Clothing, 68 KING STREET.

FLOUR GONE UP. An Advance of Twenty Cents Made Yesterday.

Owing to the recent sharp advances in the price of wheat the Ogilvie Flour Milling Co. has announced an increase in the price of flour of twenty cents per barrel.

It is not expected that this most recent advance will affect the price of bread, which has been steady for some time.

HOME FROM CAMP. E. B. Wilson, leader of the Y. M. C. A. camp at St. Martins, arrived home at noon yesterday, accompanied by the St. John boys and those who had to pass through this city en route to their homes.

The boys are loud in their praise of the hospitality of the citizens of St. Martins and declare that no better place could be found for a Y. M. C. A. camp.

It is not known just where the next camp will be held, but there is some talk of having it at Robertson's Point on the St. John River.

News has been called "the manna of a day," and this applies with particular force to the news contained in the little wast ad.

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Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

At the end of five innings the Franklins and Clippers each had one run to their credit in their game last evening on the Victoria grounds and Empire McAllister stopped play on account of darkness.

Table with columns for team names and scores. Includes Franklins, Clippers, Burns, L.F., etc.

Clippers. A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Wood, 3b. 2 0 2 0 1 0 McDonald, 1b. 3 0 0 0 0 0 Cooper, c. 2 1 3 0 0 0

Franklins. A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Carson, 1b. 2 1 1 3 0 0 Conboy, 3b. 3 0 1 1 0 0

Summaries—Victory, August 3, 1904. Franklins, 1; Clippers, 1. Two base hit, Mills. Stolen base, Kearns.

Struck out, by Case (3), Durson, McDonald, Mills, by Nesbit (2), Ward, Paris, Lynch. Bases on balls, of Case (3), Carson, Harris. Hit by pitcher, Ward. Wild pitches, Case (1), Nesbit, 45 minutes. Umpire, Jas. McAllister.

The King street east Stars defeated the Silver Stars of the north end last evening, at the foot of Oregon street, by a score of 4 to 1.

Ward, Durson, Case (3), Nesbit, 45 minutes. Umpire, Jas. McAllister.

National League. BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Two games were played here today, Boston winning the first, 7 to 6 in ten innings, and St. Louis taking the second with a score of 8 to 3.

The home team was out-batted in the earlier innings, but its misplays were much less expensive than those of the visitors.

Zerfoss' retirement due to a badly broken finger. Brant's home run when two men were on bases because of errors practically decided the second game in the eighth inning.

It was close and well played up to that point, catches by Geier and Bryant being especially noteworthy. The following are the scores:

Score table for Boston vs St. Louis. Boston 7, St. Louis 6.

At Philadelphia—First game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Second game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Third game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Fourth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Fifth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Sixth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Seventh game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Eighth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Ninth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Tenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Eleventh game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Twelfth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Thirteenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Fourteenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

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At Philadelphia—Sixteenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Seventeenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Eighteenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Nineteenth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Twentieth game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

At Philadelphia—Twenty-first game: R.H.E. Cincinnati... 10 0 0 1 1 30-7 10 3 Philadelphia... 0 0 0 2 0 11-10 10 3

AT THE "LONDON HOUSE." Thursday, Aug. 4th.

Great Bargains At Our August Clearance Sale "Women's Wear."

Ladies' linen suits, muslin dresses, fine lawn shirt waists, fine lace and embroidery underskirts, separate wash skirts, dressing sacques, children's dresses—all reduced at this August sale.

Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits--Bargains.

- \$3.50 Fancy linen suits, size 32 to 38, now \$3.98. 6.25 White linen suits, size 32 to 38, now 3.98. 5.85 White muslin dresses, 32 to 36, now 3.98.

Separate Wash Skirts REDUCED.

- \$5.65 Cream lustre dress skirts, now \$3.98. 2.25 Black and white duck skirts, now 1.50. Linen outing skirts, now 1.00.

The Finest Lawn Waists Reduced to \$1.50.

- \$3.50 Fine lawn and insertion waists for 1.50. 2.85 Swiss embroidery waists for 1.50. 2.45 Lace insertion waists for 1.50.

The Finest Lawn and Muslin Underskirts to Go at Our Reduced Price, \$1.98 Each.

- \$5.60 Lace and muslin underskirts, now \$1.98. 4.90 Insertion flounced underskirts, now 1.98. 4.25 Cluny lace underskirts, now 1.98.

Men's Shirt Sale Tomorrow.

August reductions on MEN'S AND BOYS' REGATTA SHIRTS—soft fronts, stiff fronts. Reduced to 59c, 69c, 98c. American styles.

F. W. DANIEL & CO London House, Charlotte St.

YOUR HUSBAND'S CHAIR

Is supposed to be particularly comfortable. But why should not every chair in the house be the same? We have a line of chairs that are substantial, handsome and comfortable.

Morris Chair, (same as cut) with reversible velvet cushions \$9.00

But to fully realize what good furniture at low prices is like, a visit to our store is necessary.

GEO. E. SMITH, Successor to F. A. JONES CO., LTD. 18 King Street.

Business Opportunities. Classified Advertisements.

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. 6 insertions charged as 4. No less charge than 25 cents.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE. WANTED-At once, a capable person to take charge of an infant. Also a general girl. Apply to MISS HANSON, Woman's Exchange, 125 Charlotte street.

HOUSES TO LET. TO LET-May 1st, set-outside house, 4 Charles street, occupied by present tenant seven years. Can be seen Friday from 1 to 4. Also house No. 5 Charles street, one door from Garden street. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday afternoons. For terms, etc., apply MISS GILLEN, 125 Union street.

ROOMS TO LET. FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET IN TREMONT HOUSE, cheap by day or week. 108 Charlotte street.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE-At 97 Exmouth street, a lot of household furniture, consisting of sideboard, bed-lounge, parlor sofa, etc. Can be seen any time. J. E. ARTHUR.

PRIVATE SALE-The entire household furniture of Herbert E. Price will be sold at his residence, 104 Metcalf street, beginning on Tuesday, the 2nd instant, afternoon and evening.

FOR SALE-Two beautiful Scotch Collie Pups, 8 months old. One black, tan and white, very stylish, will make a very handsome dog when he matures. Price \$15.00. One sable and white, will be heavy coated, very showy. Price \$10.00. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. These pups were bred by the son of Champion Christopher, who sold for \$4000. Dam, by son of Southport-Protection, who sold for \$5000. Extended pedigree on application to B. V. Millidge, St. John.

FOR SALE-A Church Organ at a bargain, by WM. PETERS, 226 Union street.

FOR SALE-Freehold property, a house and barn, on Erin street. Apply to JOHN RYAN, Marsh Bridge.

FOR SALE-An arc lamp, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

BOARDING. BOARDERS WANTED-Two lady boarders can be accommodated in a private family by applying at 57 Crown street, Carleton.

SEA VIEW COTTAGE, AT LORNEVILLE, St. John County, one of the prettiest places on the coast of the Bay of Fundy, can accommodate permanent boarders. The proprietor, R. W. Dean, will arrange to take guests from and to St. John, especially on Saturday and returning. Monday. Accommodation good, reasonable. Apply 57 SEA VIEW COTTAGE for particulars.

SEWING MACHINES. Special Bargains in good second-hand Machines: Wheeler & Wilson, \$5.00; Domestic, \$3.00; New Home, \$10.00; Singer Improved, oak, \$12.00.

F. F. BELL, 70 GERMAIN STREET

TO LET. TO LET-Lodgings at 34 Horsfield street. Furnished.

TO LET-A flat of five rooms on Bridge street, North End. Enquire of CAPT. J. E. PORTER, 75 Main street, North End.

AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH. At St. Philip's church last night a reception was tendered to Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Coffin. There was a general good time, consisting of a musical programme, an address from Dr. A. B. Walker, M. A. LL.D., and refreshments. The musical programme included the following: Vocal trio, Misses Walker and Miss Hogan; banjo solo, Rev. C. H. Coffin; vocal solo, Miss Lizzie Dawe; vocal solo, Miss Sadie Walker; juggling banjo solo, Rev. C. H. Coffin; gramophone selections, Mr. Naah.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S LINIMENT to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

INDIANTOWN HILL DANGEROUS. A horse driven at a slowly trotting pace down Indiantown Hill yesterday morning, stumbled, and the driver and a woman who was seated beside him, were almost flung into the street. If they had been thrown out a serious accident would have happened. The horse's head caught in one of the hills of pavement, which are on the hill from top to bottom.

"Poverty is a bully if you are afraid of her, or truckle to her; but a wise use of the want ads. will often enable you to cut her acquaintance altogether."

ON THE OUTSKIRTS. Suburban life is quite dead. The auto follows come from town, and make their horns go toot, toot, toot, and throw some chug-chugs in, to boot. And do their best to run us down. -Cleveland Leader.

THE Summer Saine Laxative-Shorts "SA LAX," a choice remedy; try it. 35 cts. All Druggists and C. W. Short, St. John, N. B.

BIG FIRE IN MONTREAL. MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—As a result of a fire late tonight in the business district several firms were badly damaged and sustained heavy loss. The fire broke out in the produce establishment of J. M. Taylor & Son, 68 St. Paul street, and spread to the adjoining premises. J. M. Taylor & Son lost \$15,000, partially insured; W. D. Broad & Co., 65 St. Paul street, lost \$25,000, partially insured; Monett & Foster, produce, lost \$20,000, partially insured.

Brand New FURNITURE STORE N. A. HORN BROOK & CO., (Formerly of the F. A. Jones Co., Ltd.) IN THE NEW O'Regan Building, 15 Mill St. Our stock is, of course, right from the manufacturers, and is up-to-date in style and quality. Every household need in the line of Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths will be found in our stock. Call any time and look at the goods we carry. No Furniture house in the City can do any better for you than we can, and few of them can do as well. We Are Ready to Fill Your Wants.

ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 1904.

DYKEMAN'S.



A Great Sale of Cotton Wash Materials at 10c. a Yard.

We are going to make one clean sweep sale of Cotton Goods, and you will find this the biggest value that you have ever had offered to you in this city.

Also, a Sale of Remnants of Cotton Wash Goods.

After the most successful season we have ever had we find a lot of remnants. These will be placed on a counter by themselves and sold at very special prices.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.

THORNE BROTHERS

How about a Straw Hat, Soft Hat, Stiff Hat for Summer Wear?

As you stroll along 'neath one of THORNE'S HATS you are assured of the latest and best.

Made To Fit Clothes!

Summer Suits Reduced to \$15.50, Formerly priced \$21.50, \$20.00 and \$18.50.

If you want a bargain in a made to order Suit we will expect you soon.

C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts., St. John, N.B.

NEW INDUSTRIES. Notice has been given by James H. Whitman, Fort Dufferin, N. B. Jas. Hunter, St. John; Joseph Heaton, Hampton; John H. McRobbie, St. John; Alfred G. Edgewood, Fredericton, and J. Willard Smith, Hampton, of application at the end of two weeks for incorporation as the Victoria Acetylene Manufacturing Company of Canada, the chief place of business to be at Hampton.

SOMETHING NEW. We have just received a decided novelty in a Perfume Vending Machine whereby you can perfume your handkerchief with "Ideal" June Clover perfume for 1c. The machine is made in the shape of a cow's head. You simply drop one cent in the slot, pull down horns, and perfume will spray from end of tongs. The machine is located just outside door No. 11, Charlotte street.

Arnold's Department Store 11 and 15 Charlotte Street.

The Steamer "Maggie Miller." Will leave Millidgeville for Summerville, Kennebecasis Island and Bayswater, daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 6.45, 9.30 a. m., 2, 4 and 6 p. m.

Dr. A. H. Merrill, DENTIST, Cor. King and Charlotte Street Entrance: 76 Charlotte Street. Phone 1631.

ROBINSON'S Fine Cakes and Pastry Good Bread, Confectionery, Ice Cream, Cold Soda. LUNCHES, TEAS, Etc. 173 Union Street.

LOCAL NEWS.

TO ADVERTISERS. Owing to the Star going to press early on Saturdays during the summer months, advertisers are asked to please send all changes to the office on Friday afternoon. The Star cannot guarantee to change advertisements received any later.

First class board at Ottawa Hotel, King square, at reasonable rates.

Good heavy soft wood, \$1.20. Broad Cove coal, \$3.50 per load. Watters, Walker's Wharf. Phone 612.

Harley Knox, park policeman, has reported William Horton for allowing a dog to follow him in Rockwood Park.

Still the record keeps up. Last night the police found three men loitering in two business houses open. This town is a snitch for a burglar.

DON'T GET YOUR SCOTCH UP! Bring cash with prompt order to Gibson & Co. and get Scotch mat at \$5.75, chestnut at \$4.75, hazelcut at \$3.90 (delivered) from steamer "Alders" to arrive.

The "three lamps" at Reed's Point have been taken down for repairs, and until they are replaced three red incandescents will shine from the top of the lamp-post.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Face, of St. John, who with them in mourning the death of their infant daughter who passed away this morning.

The steamer Champlain, formerly the Queen, which has been thoroughly rebuilt, was given a trial on the river last night to the entire satisfaction of all concerned. She is expected to leave here for the St. Lawrence on Friday.

Very general sympathy will be felt for John Mortley, M. P., and Mrs. Mortley, Newcastle, in the death of their daughter, Alice Rose, aged sixteen years. The sad event occurred on Saturday.

Prof. E. Brydson-Jack, who has been engaged in an examination of the Fredericton water system, suggests that if an analysis shows the water to be impure the intake be removed farther up river and that better filters be used.

A quiet wedding took place on Monday morning at the residence of Frederick Whitney, Sussex, when his eldest daughter, Mary, was united in marriage to John Prescott, of Sussex, by Rev. W. Camp. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Prescott drove to Goose Creek for a brief trip.

George Cook, who murdered his wife in Halifax, and whose sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life, has had again heard from. Owing to bad conduct he was removed from Dorchester penitentiary to the institution at Kingston. According to a letter received yesterday, Cook again was a convict.

POLICE COURT. Bold Attempt to Steal a Tub of Butter from the Market.

In the police court this morning two drunks were fined \$4 each. George Wilson, an officer, was fined \$5. Wilson was found drunk in the old Burial ground. It was only two days ago that he was released from custody.

John Kerby, alias John Johnston, was given in charge yesterday by William Dunn, clerk of the market, on a charge of stealing a tub of butter. Kerby was remanded this morning till tomorrow.

FROM JAIL TO HOSPITAL. David Guthro Suffering from Paralysis.

David Guthro was this morning taken to the hospital on the recommendation of the jail physician, as Guthro is suffering from a form of paralysis attributed to excessive drink.

In April last the Guthro house on Westmain street was raided by the police and the inmates arrested. All were given a reasonable time to get out of town, but David walked in, and was rushed into jail to serve a six months' sentence.

HOME FOR INCURABLES. The board of management of the Home for Incurables met yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers: President, Dr. Thomas Walker; vice-president, W. R. Turnbull; treasurer, Hon. J. V. Ellis; and secretary, William C. Jordan.

THE ARCHBISHOP'S TRIP. The Archbishop of Canterbury will arrive in New York on August 21st or 22nd. He will go immediately to Ottawa to meet Lord Minto and will afterwards visit the principal cities of Canada. St. John included. After a short visit with friends in the State of Maine, he will pay his respects to President Roosevelt and sail for England on Oct. 14.

FACTORY COMMISSION TODAY.

Inquiry Into Conditions Surrounding Provincial Factory Hands Begins This Afternoon.

John Palmer, mayor of Fredericton, and James G. Stevens, Jr., of St. Stephen, arrived in the city this morning to attend the organization meeting of the Factory Act Commission, which opened this afternoon at three o'clock in the local government rooms, Church street, and is at present going on. Mayor Palmer is the chairman of the commission and Mr. Stevens is the secretary. Other members of the commission who are attending the meeting this afternoon are Mrs. Fiske, Charles McDonald and M. J. Kelly.

At the meeting this afternoon a plan of action will be adopted and an itinerary mapped out.

Mayor Palmer, in speaking to the Star this morning, said that so far as he knew the sessions of the commission would be open to the press and the public would be given the full benefit of inquiries into factory conditions. It is possible that St. John and neighborhood will first occupy the attention of the commission. The work of the commission will take up many months.

The commission is authorized by its act of incorporation to subpoena witnesses. Among the witnesses to be examined here are the different factory owners and managers.

A JOLEY CAMP. The Members of Camp Ava, Up River, Are Getting Famous.

There is a little spot on the river, but a few miles from Indiantown, where five families have been enjoying themselves in their own quiet way. The spot is known as Ava Camp, and is almost opposite Westfield. Here has been erected what is known as a Cabin Home and near-by eight tents give accommodation to the ladies and gentlemen who are so thoroughly enjoying the outing.

On Saturday last a birthday party was held there in honor of Miss Grace Lewis, which was attended by about 65 people. A most enjoyable time was spent and all visitors expressed themselves as delighted and surprised at the novelty of the camp.

This is the fifth season that Ava Camp has been a favored spot by those who are seeking a perfect account of their retreat has spread abroad, as they have been requested at the close of the season to write a description of their outing for the Ladies' Home Journal, and with this end in view they are keeping a strict account of all expenditures, so as to be able to give a detailed account of all months spent, thus giving a perfect account of what a really first class outing costs.

It is understood that several social events are booked for the next few weeks.

VISITORS KILL THE SWANS. The Birds Have Been Getting Too Much Rich Food—Give Your Lunch to the Bears.

Two of the swans recently hatched at Rockwood Park have died and one is dying. The other four are enjoying the best of health and the caretaker expects them to turn out all right if he can prevent the visitors to the park from feeding them. It is supposed that last year a number of swans were killed in this way and the supposed cause of the death of the two who died this year was the cake and candy given them by the caretaker.

Mr. Knox says that visitors would confer a great favor and relieve him of considerable anxiety if they would refrain from throwing dainties to the swans. Anybody having a surplus lunch or an overabundance of sweets is kindly invited to the bear pit, where the two extremely healthy brutes are guaranteed to eat all foodstuffs thrown to them.

W. C. GARRETT'S STATEMENT. Referring to the Fairville case in which W. C. Garrett and McMurray were concerned, the Telegraph this morning says: "There is no truth in the statement made in a last evening's paper that Officer Lawson made the arrest without authority, as McMurray Bros. laid the charge."

Mr. Garrett would retain the Star this morning that he was arrested by Officer Lawson without a warrant and upon the complaint of James McMurray. He laid no formal charge against him as far as he knew. Mr. Garrett says he was not drunk when he went to McMurray's store to demand \$4 due him, and did not, as reported, seize a show case full of pastry or anything else. There may be further interesting developments in the case.

STREET CAR ACCIDENT. William Wilson, an elderly gentleman, who resides at the Aberdeen Hotel, Queen street, sustained some pretty bad injuries last Saturday evening by falling while alighting from a morning street car.

The accident occurred near the corner of St. James and Canterbury streets. Eye witnesses who saw the accident attribute it to the slowness on the part of the conductor and motorman in stopping the car after Mr. Wilson had signalled for him to do so.

LABOR DAY PICNIC. Arrangements for the Labor picnic to Watters' landing on Labor Day are progressing. At the last meeting of the Trades and Labor Council committees on music, printing and sports were appointed.

The Trades and Labor Council is asking for tenders for the supply of refreshments on the picnic grounds on Labor Day. Tenders should be addressed M. J. Kelly, 35 Water street, and should be sent in before Tuesday, the 9th instant.

MGR. CONNOLLY'S WILL. The final passing of accounts in the estate of the late Rev. Thomas Connolly took place this morning in the Probate Court. The estate was probated at about \$15,000. Very Rev. W. F. Chapman, V. C., is the surviving executor. T. P. Regan, proctor.

THIS EVENING. Meeting of No. 8 Bearer Co. Baseball—Portlands v St. Josephs on the Shamrock grounds.

PERSONALS.

Edward Johnson, who was operated upon at the hospital recently for appendicitis, is recovering rapidly at the home of his parents, Mecklinburg street.

Mrs. James Moffat and her daughters Mrs. Hodgson, of Fort William, Ont., and Mrs. Wheeler, of St. John, have returned from a visit to Amherst Shore. — Amherst Telegram.

Miss Bessie Burton is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Burton, in St. Andrews.

Mrs. Isabel Cecil Spaine, of West Somerville, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Tobin, St. George street, West St. John, N. B.

Harry Breen, who boards with his sister, Mrs. L. Greenleaf, of the city, was removed to the hospital yesterday morning, where he is suffering with typhoid fever.

Miss Jennie Breen, of Main street, left Monday morning by the steam Mastic for Fredericton, where she will spend her vacation with friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. Moore and Miss Edith Moore of Charlottetown, P. E. I., are visiting Mrs. J. R. Copp.

Frederic Tavelle, arrested in the city last night from Fredericton. Rev. Willard MacDonald of Fredericton is in the city.

Mrs. H. S. Bridges, Miss Bridges and Stanley Bridges returned yesterday from Shelburne.

F. M. Brodie and Ernest Everett will leave on Saturday for a two weeks' trip to St. Louis.

The Misses Lizzie and Belle Corbet of Wright street are visiting friends in New London, Conn.

Frank McCaffery, city editor of the Telegraph, and Gerald McCaffery of the I. C. R. office staff, left yesterday morning on the St. Croix for a two weeks' trip to Boston and other American cities.

Miss Nora O'Brien, who has been visiting in St. John, went to Fredericton on Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles P. Randolph.

At the recent meeting of the Dominion Educational Association in Winnipeg the following maritime province people were appointed members of the ensuing year: Superintendent H. S. Bridges, St. John, N. B.; Principal E. J. Lay, Amherst, N. S.; J. Robertson, St. John, N. B.; and Supervisor A. McKay, Halifax. Dr. J. R. Inch is an honorary president of the association or office.

Ellen Slipp and niece, of St. John, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Slipp in Hampton.

Miss Florrie Irwin, daughter of John Irwin, the Main street baker, returned yesterday from Spout Island, where she seriously injured her foot. She is at present under Dr. Broderick's care.

Mrs. David McLellan and Mrs. F. J. Harding, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. James Robinson "Riverview" Derby, says the Newcastle Advocate.

David Tapley, customs officer at McAdam, who has been in the city for the past month, left for McAdam yesterday afternoon, accompanied by his wife and daughter. Mr. Tapley, who stayed with his brother-in-law, Hon. James Holly, Douglas avenue, came to the city to receive medical treatment, for he is a sufferer from heart trouble. He is in a very feeble state.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tapley and Miss Florence Tapley, of Maryville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Dowling, Douglas avenue.

Stanley Elkin is home on a visit to parents. Chicago is now his headquarters.

George Stairs, of Halifax, is registered at the Royal.

A. V. Pines and wife, of Kentville, N. S., are staying at the Royal.

FISH ARE SCARCE. Pisarcino Fishermen Say Port Dufferin Guns Scare the Fish.

Prospects for even a fair fish market tomorrow are very poor and if the Westport does not land here tonight a goodly supply there will be a great scarcity of all varieties.

The Pisarcino fishermen have had hard luck lately. Night after night the fog made it impossible for them to go out and during the last two days when the weather has been fine, although a little calm the fishermen claim that the big gun shooting at Fort Dufferin has frightened the fish away. One of the largest local dealers only received five shad from Pisarcino today, the small catch being attributed to the gun firing.

The following prices will prevail tomorrow:

Salmon, 20c. to 25c. per pound. Shad, 15c. to 20c. each. Mackerel, 15c. to 18c. Halibut, scarce, 10c. to 12c. pound. Boneless cod, 15c. pound.

BATTLE LINE NEWS. Shanghai, in port Aug. 4, strm. Himer, Capt. Lockhart, for Java and Fort Said for orders.

Cape Race—Passed, Aug. 4, str. Cunaxa, Capt. Starratt, from West Bay for Port Head, for orders. Weather fine and calm.

Sharpness—in port, Aug. 4, str. Pydna, Capt. Coesley, for Ferdinandina. Cardiff—Arrived, Aug. 3rd, strm. "Platae, Capt. Marsters, from West Bay.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of the late Mrs. Emma Reynolds took place this afternoon at three o'clock from her late residence, 63 Adelaide street. The services were conducted by Rev. P. P. McKim and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery. There were no pall-bearers.

Modern Style Walking Skirts.

A limited number of \$5.75 Garments to be sold tomorrow at..... \$3.95

The cut in price will occasion a brisk demand for this sensible and approved style of garment, so if the offer possesses an interest to you, an early morning visit is advised.

Ladies' Walking Skirts

Made in nobby design. The fabric is basket weave frieze, seven gore flare effect, neatly trimmed with self-strappings and buttons, well tailored and finished throughout; colors of navy, grey, green and black. These are good value at \$5.75. On sale tomorrow.....

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