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Has a world-wide reputation. Will hold its edge better than any other make.
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You never hear of baking day troubles from a cook who uses a ROYAL GRAND RANGE. A perfect baker with a small consumption of fuel. Has all the good features of the best stoves now in use with patented improvements peculiar to itself.

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TWO SPECIALS NOW ON.
Well Made Men's Pants, 75c. Pair
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ASHKINS, No. 655 Main Street, N. E.

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We will sell the balance of our Mink Ties and Stoles at liberal discounts. Prices range from \$20.00 up.
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All This Season's Goods and Our Own Make, which is sufficient guarantee.
Prices: \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25 to \$4
See our Window Display.

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Outfitters to Men, Youths and Boys,
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SPECIAL For One week Only, No Longer.
A Clearing Out of our Ladies' Pleated Skirts in all sizes. Regular price, \$2.50—Now Only \$1.48.
THE PARISIAN STORE, 47 Brussel Street
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Close at 6 p. m.; Saturday 11. St. John, Feb. 23, 1907
Snaps at HARVEY'S Tonight.
In Overcoats, Suits, Pants
Today winds up our Mid-Winter Sale and we have added many special snaps for those who buy here tonight. In Overcoats, Suits, Pants, Boys' and 3-Piece Suits, etc. Be sure and call.
OVERCOATS—REGULAR \$6.00 to \$20.00 for \$3.95, \$6, \$8.75 and \$12
MEN'S SUITS—REGULAR \$6.00 to \$20.00 for \$3.95, \$5, \$6.98, \$8.75, \$10 to \$15
MEN'S PANTS—SALE PRICES \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.98 and \$2.50
ALSO SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, TIES, HATS, ETC.
J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and Furnishings, 199 to 207 Union St

SAY JEROME NOW BELIEVES THAT THAW IS INSANE.

Mrs. Thaw Almost a Wreck After the Two Days of Cross-Examination—Is She To Be Paid for Testifying?

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of the man who shot Stanford White for her sake, and needed the three days grace brought by the holiday, from District Attorney Jerome's searching cross-examination. This was indicated by her appearance when she visited her husband yesterday.

Mrs. Thaw looked but a shadow of her former self and those who have seen her almost daily since the trial said the change was almost ghastly. That she is suffering severely under the ordeal is plainly apparent and some fears were expressed yesterday when her appearance was noted, that she might not be able to withstand the trying situation still before her. Judging from the progress of Mr. Jerome's cross-examination as so far developed, he cannot possibly finish with the witness in two days.

TO CALL THE MARSHIONESS TO THE WITNESS STAND.

Widow of Marquis of Donegal to Testify in a Suit of Her Mother, Mrs. Twining

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—By the terms of an order signed yesterday by Judge Greenbaum, in the supreme court, the Marchioness of Donegal will be called upon to appear before the United States consular general in London as a witness against her mother, Mrs. Ada L. Twining, in a civil action. The Marchioness will be examined by commission to discover what she knows about payment having been made to her mother on account of a bill of exchange for £1,075 made by Charles T. L. Allen in London, on August 15, 1902.

ALL SORTS OF OFFENDERS FOUND FOUR CHILDREN CHAINED TOGETHER IN HOUSE

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 23.—Four children were found by the police yesterday afternoon chained together in a room on York street and left without even a fire to keep them warm. It seems that a man by the name of Ferris, halting from Pennsylvania, arrived in the United States on Thursday night, with four children, whose ages range from twenty-three months to three years.

FIFTEEN HAVE BEEN SAVED FROM THE BERLIN WRECK

—HOOK OP HOLLAND, Feb. 23.—In the early hours of the morning, the three remaining survivors were taken off the wreck of the British steamer Berlin by the same Heboet crew which has done so splendid work during the past 48 hours. The rescued persons are all women.

ST. JOHN RIVER LOG DRIVING WAR ENDED; BLISSFUL PEACE HAS BEEN DECLARED.

Admiral Pond Calls a Truce, and Joining Hands With His Opponents Proudly Hoists the Stars and Stripes Over the Mills at Van Buren

With Admiral Levi W. Pond and Abner Hammond being together on the halyards, the Stars and Stripes was raised over the Van Buren mills on Wednesday last and the St. John river lumber war declared at an end. This is the story brought to the city today by Admiral Pond, who has spent the last week or ten days in the Van Buren district endeavoring to arrange a settlement of all his difficulties.

Mr. Pond claims upwards of \$15,000 from this company on an old bill for boom toils and driving toils, covering the past six years. He says now that the company is prepared to make a settlement, though definite figures have not yet been discussed, but the company will act fairly with him and as is prepared to accept \$10,000 in full settlement. In addition to this, the company will protect him against any damages in the future, by reason of delays in the driving.

There is still a slight difficulty to be encountered. When the Van Buren people about to take action on a particular line, they replied by sending a delegation to Augusta to impress upon the Maine legislature the advisability of repealing the present log driving charter and thus giving the American lumber companies the right to handle logs as best suits themselves. The effect of this would, no doubt, materially injure lumbering on the lower St. John, and since then Mr. Pond has been endeavoring to secure Mrs. Twining in an affidavit submitted on the motion for a commission, Mr. Allen asserts that he has reason to believe that Mr. Russell paid the whole amount due on the bill of exchange.

CENTRAL AMERICA IS REALLY ENGAGED IN WAR

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 23.—"War is an actual condition in Central America," said Under-Secretary of State Rogers last night. We have received a message from the Mexican consul general at the capital of Honduras, which says: "Minister of Foreign Affairs Cullon declares that active war has been started against Nicaragua. President Bontilla is now at the head of the Honduras troops and marching to the front to meet the army of Nicaragua."

MONKTON NEWS.

Mrs. Thomas Charters Died This Morning
Plans Arranged for Summer Races.

MONKTON, N. B., Feb. 23.—One of the oldest residents of this vicinity passed away this morning in the person of Mrs. Thomas Charters, who after an illness of two weeks, passed away at the home of her son E. F. Charters. She was aged eighty-five years and previous to the illness which resulted in her death, had enjoyed excellent health. She was taken ill with a grippe and succumbed after two weeks.

GENERAL BOOTH STARTS ON HIS TOUR OF WORLD

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Wrinkled with age, but with enthusiasm undiminished, General Booth, of the Salvation Army, left London this morning to board the Atlantic transport liner steamer Minneapolis at Southampton, bound for New York, whence the General will proceed to Canada and the Far East. He will spend two weeks in New York before proceeding to Canada to take the steamer April 1 for Japan. While in Ottawa General Booth will be the guest of the Governor General, Earl Grey. After travelling through Japan the General will go to Peking, and expects to be back in London by July and commence another "automobile campaign" through the British Isles. He will celebrate his seventy-eighth birthday April 11 in the middle of the Pacific, while on his way to Japan, and expects to be received in audience by the Japanese Emperor.

CONSIDERING PLANS FOR NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL

A meeting of the committee appointed to make arrangements for the erection of a new Sunday school building in connection with Germain street Baptist church was to have been held last evening, but as all the members of the committee were not present a postponement was made. Architect H. H. Mott has drawn up draft plans calling for a brick building with stone facing. The new hall is to be built on the lot of land on the northern side of the church. A gallery will be provided along the sides and rear of the hall. Class rooms will be built off the galleries. The hall is to have seating capacity for 400 people. The building, it is anticipated, will cost in the vicinity of \$15,000, of which amount \$5,000 is now on hand.

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THE STAR, ST JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1907

HARD AND SOFT COALS. We guarantee REASONABLE PRICES, BEST QUALITY, PROMPT DELIVERY. R. P. & W. F. STARR, Limited. 49 SMYTHE ST. 14 CHARLOTTE ST. Telephone 9-115.

Wall Paper Bargains!

We have purchased from one of the largest manufacturers in Canada 5,000 rolls of Wall Paper worth from 25c. to 1.25c. per roll, and will place the entire lot on sale tomorrow. 15c. per roll. All set. Paper for sets. Border 2c. yard. All set. Paper for sets. Border 2c. yard. Paper your Bed Room, Dining Room, Kitchen, Hall or Parlor at 2c. per roll, while this lot lasts. Send us a postal or call and ask us to send you our Sample Book. This bargain won't last long.

PEOPLE'S DEPARTMENT STORE, 142 MAIN ST. SLEIGH HEATERS!

How to keep warm when driving. By using one of Lehorn's Patent Sleigh Heaters. Cost of operating one cent an hour—think of it—yet people go out driving and complain of the cold, when a small amount of money—only two dollars—would make them feel comfortable, and perhaps save doctors' bills.

H. Horton & Son, Ltd. 9 and 11 Market Square.

A Little Better Than Any Other

Sold by all dealers in high grade CIGARS. Agents: Evangeline Cigar Store, Cor. Main St. and Paradise Row.

SPORTING MATTERS ON THE SPEEDWAY. This afternoon will see the second day's racing on the Millville speedway. Six new races have been made ready this week and no doubt this afternoon will see some fast work.

MARATHONS WIN. The Crescents of Marysville and the Marathons of this city met in the Marathons rink last evening, and as a result there is a three cornered tie in the Provincial Hockey League.

CURLING. ST. ANDREW'S DEFEAT HAMP-TON. HAMPTON, Feb. 22.—Three rinks of St. Andrew's curlers played evening of Hampton this afternoon and overcame with the following results:

HOCKEY. HOCKEY IN P. E. I. CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Feb. 19.—Everything is in hockey circles in this province at present. In the Prince Edward Island league series, so far four matches have been played.

MARATHON SPORTS. The first of the series of sports to be held by the Marathon Club will take place on Friday evening, March 1st, in the Queen's roller rink.

CHATHAM DEFEATED NEW-CASTLE. Chatham defeated Newcastle on Thursday evening in a one-rink curling match. The skippers were: Chatham, H. McKendry, 19; Newcastle, John Russell, 14.

A Few Smokers Have not yet tried THE BEST 50 Cigar Ever Sold, the PIXIE. Those who buy once buy it again. MADE BY NEW BRUNSWICK CIGAR CO. 507 MAIN ST.

KING EDWARD HAS RECENTLY GRANTED A COAT OF ARMS TO QUEEN ALEXANDRA



LONDON, Feb. 22.—The picture shows the special coat of arms recently granted Queen Alexandra by her royal husband, who did not like anybody but himself to use the royal arms. The Queen's coat of arms is a combination of the Danish and the British coat of arms.

THE RING THE TWIN ROBBED.

DENVER, Col., Feb. 21.—A questionable decision by Referee Reddy Gallagher at the end of the ten rounds tonight gave the big fight of the pair to Harry Lewis in his go with Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Boston, in the Coliseum, which was crowded to its capacity, the receipts being over \$11,000.

Foreign Ports. PORTSMOUTH, N.H., Feb. 22.—Wind northwest, light, fresh. NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Cld, sch High G. Halifax, Ballook, from St. Martin's, N.B. for New York.

PRINCCESS CLEMENTINE THE FEMALE POLITICIAN. The daughter of King Louis Philippe is dead. She was one of the most popular politicians of her age, and it is said that she was the only woman Disraeli married.

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LOCAL NEWS

The family wash gets as much consideration at Ungar's Watering St., as if done at home. Perfect work.

The most delicate work is scrupulously attended to by the Ungar Laundring staff, Waterloo street.

Free lessons in art needle work given by the Corticeil Silk Company at Forsters' Hall, 31 Charlotte street. Hours 10-12 and 2-4. Children's class Saturday morning.

Rev. David Lang and Rev. A. A. Graham will exchange pulpits on Sunday evening. In the morning at both churches the Secretaries of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

The men employed in Fowler's axe factory who went out on strike last Monday on account of the engagement by the company of a man who was objectionable to them, returned yesterday afternoon and decided to return to work. The difficulty will, it is understood be settled by arbitration.

We wish to remind our numerous customers that we are now selling our soft bosom shirts, all new spring styles, at 98c. each. They are temptations for money savers.

The month of February is drawing to a close and with it the annual furniture sale at Chas. S. Everett's, 41 Charlotte street. Many people take advantage of this clearance sale to procure articles for the home at very low prices.

Councillor Lowell who attempted to retire from the municipal council last year but consented to remain in response to the strong demand of his constituents, has announced his definite determination to retire this year.

A meeting of the Maritime Racing Association is called for this evening at eight o'clock in the Victoria Rink.

AFTER CAPITAL FLEERS. W. Whitebone, A. Logan and R. McLean of St. John have challenged any three skaters in Fredericton or Marysville to match races in either place, time, 40-45 seconds, one half mile in 1:28; Logan against a half mile in 1:28; Logan against a half mile in 1:28.

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Spring Housecleaning!

Do not put off having your old, shabby Parlor Suite, Lounges, Couches, Easy Chairs, Etc. Repaired and Reupholstered in the latest style, and made equal to new. Have them done now before the Spring rush. New Furniture Coverings in latest styles to select from.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd. Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 Waterloo Street.

AMUSEMENTS OPERA HOUSE 1,000 seats at ten cents. Annual engagement of JERE MCAULIFFE and his big stock company in the following strong list of plays. Matinee Today FAIRIES' WELL

Tonight Outcasts of A Great City Our Polite Vaudeville at Every Performance. Here in a Refined New Parodies. Franklyn & Hiatt, Character Changes Stars and Dances, Pinaud & White, Comedy Musical Experts, Madam Flower, the Bronze Melba.

OPERA HOUSE 5 NIGHTS ONLY. Starting Tuesday, Feb. 26 The W. S. Harkins Co. IN CHANGE OF BILL NIGHTLY. Tuesday, Feb. 26th. The Latest English Melo-drama. "SHALL WE FORGIVE HER?"

KEITH'S THEATRE "The Housing Next Week" BEING NEXT WEEK. The Magnifies, the king and queen of the trapeze, and their trained dog "Pros"; Clara Steele and Fred McLeary, singers, dancers and chapp artists; Dynes and Dynes, the student and Chinaman, comedy club jugglers; The Bedell Bros., refined acrobats, introducing some of the greatest feats ever seen; Morris and Steele, refined black face comedians, singers, dancers; Joe Ellis, the happy Dutchman, singing and monologue comedian; Travel Views, on the Stereopticon; Bioscope, entirely new series of animated pictures.

EVERYBODY SKATES Everybody skates but mother; She sits around all day. Looking very cross at father. Who skates old age away. Brother he does likewise; So does sister Ann; Everybody skates but mother, Even our old man. And they all skate at the Queen's Rollaway

The management reserves the right to refuse admission, or the use of seats to objectionable persons. Admission, 10 cents. Skates, 15 cents.

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STORE OPEN TONIGHT UNTIL 11 P. M. UNION CLOTHING CO. 26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B. Old Y. M. C. A. Building. ALEX. CORREY, Mgr.

OUR NEW SUITS are, without exception, the best that can be had for their price. They are all extra well trimmed and cut in the very latest style. Our prices range from \$6.90 to \$20.00

Men's New Soft Bosom Shirts Our special line of 88c. each beats them all. Come, see them, they are dandies. Others at 50c. to \$2.00.

UNION CLOTHING CO. GENERAL BOOTH'S MESSAGE THROUGH THE GRAPHOPHONE

A Frenchman Who Says That Harry K. Thaw Was for Years a Hypnotic Subject—English People Have Very Bad Manners

LONDON, Feb. 22.—A few days ago the king's motor car when passing Ely man over and killed a favorite dog belonging to Mr. Arthur Feast, of Ely. The matter having been brought to the attention of his majesty the following letter has been received from Sir Dighton Probyn by Mr. G. M. Hall, coroner of Ely, who interested himself in the matter. "As all applications to the king connected in any way with money have to be submitted to his majesty through the privy council office, Lord Feilding has made over to me your letter to him to deal with and to reply to. "The king was very sorry to hear that a little dog had been run over by one of his majesty's motors and has commanded me to send you the enclosed check for £25, which I shall feel obliged by your kindly giving to Mr. Arthur Feast by way of compensation to him and his wife for the loss of their little terrier. "The meeting of the colonial conference on April 15 next, will mark the beginning of one of the most critical periods in the history of the British Empire. "The arrangements for the conference are now far advanced. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, there is reason to believe will preside at any rate at the opening meeting, which will be held at the mother country. Lord Elgin, as secretary of state for the colonies, will be present throughout the conference, and the secretary of state for war, the first lord of the admiralty, and the president of the Board of Trade will attend when part of the questions which they are interested are under discussion. "General Booth at the age of seventy-nine has spoken an epitome of the work of the Salvation Army into a little cylinder and it comes out full of the personality, vitality and fervor of the General. "It took us twelve months to get the General to talk us this graphophone record, but it is worth it," said the manager of the Columbia Graphophone Company. He held back because he was afraid that the record of his voice would not come out well. Now he is delighted with it. "When the machine is set going the familiar tones of General Booth, which have moved men and women in all parts of the world, come out strongly and clearly. "I am glad they are enjoying themselves," came the General's voice. "The Salvationist is the friend of happiness. But amidst all of your joys don't forget the sons and daughters of misery. "He then takes the hearer with a touching word-picture through haunts of suffering and poverty. "Brought it all on themselves, do you say? Perhaps so, but does that excuse or not assisting them? You don't demand a certificate of virtue before you drag a drowning creature out of the water, nor the assurance that a man has put his rent before you deliver him from a burning building. "The 'South Wales Echo,' of Cardiff, publishes a remarkable story told by a man who asserts that for five years until October, 1905, he was valet and confidential servant to Mr. Harry Thaw. The man's name is James Morley and he is a Scandinavian by birth. He says that he is in possession of evidence which if given would have had an important bearing upon the case. His employer, he says, on friendly terms with a certain Frenchman who used to hypnotize Mr. Thaw, at first for diversion and afterwards of set purpose. Ultimately the Frenchman had complete and unbounded hypnotic power over Mr. Thaw. "Mr. Stanford White, the murdered architect, quarrelled with the Frenchman over an actress. Mr. White accused the Frenchman of being an impostor, masquerading under a bogus title. This aroused the Frenchman's bitter hate and Morley says he holds letters proving the murderous passion which the foreigner harbored against Mr. White. "Morley declares that Mr. Thaw was the unconscious tool of the Frenchman and committed the murder under hypnotic influence. "Mr. Lloyd George, despite the fact that he is an ardent Free Trader, has announced during the course of an interview that he intends to introduce a bill which will be a good measure of protection for British manufacturers. "Thousands of foreigners apply for patents in this country in the course of a year," he said. "I do not object to that, but they use them for the purpose of preventing any one from setting up an industry or utilizing that patent in this country. That I consider to be an intolerable abuse of the privilege conferred upon them. "I would confer the privilege upon foreigners if they would use it on British soil and I would say to them: 'If you are coming and if you seek protection and special protection from

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or ST. JOHN. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by 7,000 people during the day. SUN and ST. JOHN Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

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TO LET.

TO LET—On Dorchester street, self-contained house, 45 Dorchester street, Apply 113 Charlotte street. Can be seen Thursdays. 22-2-1f. TO LET—A flat and shop. Can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays 3 to 5. Apply 20 City Road, W. J. STICKHOUSE. 20-2-6

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

PRIVATE SALE—Household Furniture consisting of Hallett and Davis Square Piano, Large Cabinet Organ, Roller Top, Old Mahogany Furniture. Also 45 yds. of new Brussels Carpet and other householding goods. Enquire mornings and evenings, residence of MISS MITCHELL, 119 King St., East, City. 12-2-1f. FOR SALE—One new delivery pump, one second-hand express wagon. Apply to R. DIXON, Sydney street, opp. Victoria School. 22-2-4

HOUSEHOLD HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 186 Carmanthorpe street. 22-2-6 WANTED—Three girls. Apply NATIONAL DRUG CO. 22-2-2 WANTED—Dining room girl at Westside House, West End. 22-2-3 WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. GEORGE ROBERTSON, 216 Germain street. 22-2-1f

SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET.

SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET—Small fresh food shop, 280 Prince William street. G. S. FISHER & CO. Sydney street. 12-2-1f

TO LET.

TO LET—At 148 Waterloo street, lower flat, hot and cold water, patent closet. Seen Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5. Apply M. G. ADAMS, 164 Sydney street. 12-2-1f

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

WANTED—Ship carpenters, wages \$4 per day of 9 hours. Apply WALLACE SHIPYARDS, Vancouver, B. C. 22-2-1f WANTED—Shoemaker; steady work. Apply at SINCLAIR'S SHOE STORE, 65 Brussels street. 12-2-1f

VOILAIRE AND ROUSSEAU WERE STILL IN THEIR COFFINS

PARIS, Feb. 22.—Orders for monuments to Voltaire and Jean Jacques Rousseau have been given by the Government to Men, Segoffin and Bartholme. Some little time ago special visits were paid to the crypt with a view to ascertaining whether their remains were really in the coffins as if they had been thrown to the winds after the "Great Jour." They were found when the coffins were opened. Those of Voltaire were reduced to a skeleton, but Rousseau's had remained so intact that his features looked as if he was sleeping. But a few minutes afterwards the tissues were reduced to powder through contact with the air, leaving only a skeleton like that of Voltaire.

REAR END COLLISION.

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—A rear end collision between two freight trains on the G. T. R., near St. Lambert, between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, caused some delay to traffic. Both trains were south bound and the first was standing on a curve when the second train crashed into the rear, sending the van and two freight cars into kindling wood. Both train crews escaped without injury.

WEST INDIAN NEGRO.

The West Indian negro is a born peacher. He catches the quail by the cruel expedient of strewing finely powdered cayenne or bird pepper in the little dust pits where the birds "wash" their faces. The bird, which is helpless as he is thus easily caught. When he wanders a wholesale supply of fish he was probably intended for the making of new government roads, over a hole in a mountain stream, and the fish are killed by the concussion. But his favorite resource is the bark of the dogwood tree. This he drops into a river hole, and the mullet, intoxicated, comes to the surface of the water. This singular property of the dogwood has caused it to be employed as a medicine.

FLATS AND HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—Upper flat of 5 or 6 rooms, modern improvements, for family of three adults. State location and price. Address FLAT, care Star Office. 22-2-1f WANTED—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping immediately. P. C., care Star Office. 22-2-1f WANTED—On May 1st, a heated flat of seven or eight rooms, in central location. Address GEORGE W., care Star Office. 22-2-1f

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BOARDING—Pleasant rooms, with or without board, 107½ Princess St. 22-2-6 TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 22-2-1f BOARDING—GUILD HOUSE. First class board can be obtained by day or week. Apply at 10 and 12 Charles street. 22-2-1m.

NOTICED THE SYMPTOM.

A little girl went for the first time to church with her mother. All went well during the service, but the child grew uneasy during the sermon, which was a long one. The mother tried in every way to keep the child quiet, but in vain. Finally the child observed that the preacher had a pompous way of paraphrasing his chest and lungs at a new mother was assuring the child that the preacher would soon stop, he did—for another start—and the tired child burst out on her mother's assurance, "No, he won't; he's swelling up again."

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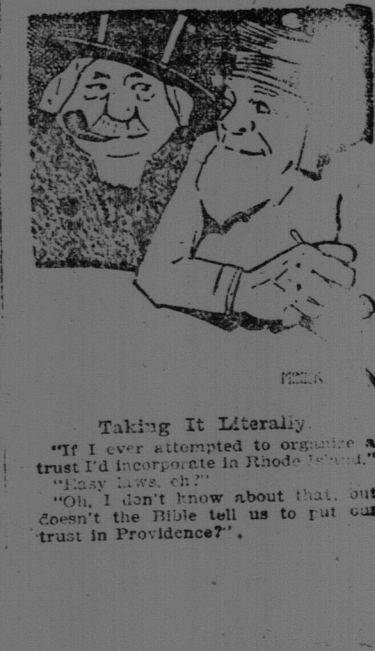
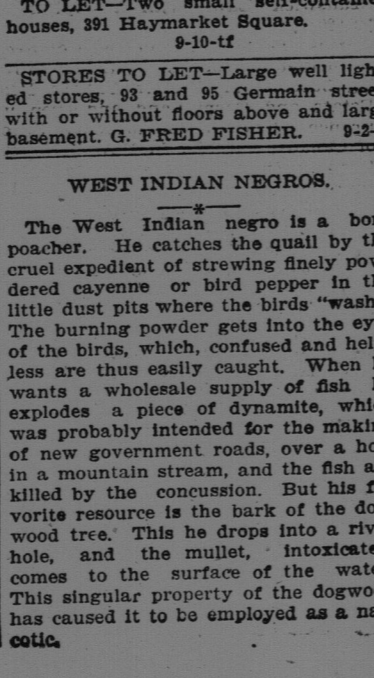
Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 24, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less. Entry must be made personally, at the local office for the district in which the land is situated. The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans: (1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years. (2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother. (3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land. Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent. W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

100 SAID TO HAVE BEEN KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Feb. 22.—Train No. 21, known as Chicago and St. Louis express, is reported to have gone over an embankment at Mineral Point, eight miles east of this city. A relief train bearing all available physicians left here at 12:47. Officials refused to allow newspaper men to accompany the train. PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—A long distance telephone message from Crouse's Hotel, South Fork, two miles from Mineral Point at 1:45 a. m. stated that 100 lives were lost. The cause of the accident was not known at this hour. A relief train left South Fork at 1:30 a. m.

FIRE IN HALIFAX

(Special to the Sun.) HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 22.—Fire at midnight gutted the upper portion of building on Granville street occupied by offices of the Acadia Powder Co. E. P. Allison, barrister, and the J. C. Wilson Co. All the firms suffered some damage by water, but none of the losses are heavy. Taking It Literally "I've I've known a Chicago man to organize a trust I'd incorporate in Rhode Island. 'Why large ch... 'Why, I don't know about that, but doesn't the Bible tell us to put our trust in Providence?'



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THE MARCH OF SCIENCE. As a rule it takes an Englishman without any sense of humor to appreciate Punch, but occasionally paragraphs appear in that most staid and serious publication which can be enjoyed even by frivolous outsiders.

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SOLD QUEEN'S CLOTHES AND LOST HER JOB. American Flaunts Hat Worn by Royalty and Servant Comes to Grief.

ROOSE, Feb. 22—How Margherita, Queen-mother of Italy, saw a woman wearing some of her cast-off clothes in the street, and what came of it, is the subject of an amusing story now going the rounds. It is a story that has been told for many years, and is so full of interest that it is worth repeating.

TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION. The government of Ontario, like that of New Brunswick, is receiving a large share of attention from temperance workers, and during the past few weeks Premier Whitney has been sorely tried by delegations urging the abolition of a clause in the liquor act which provides that three-fifths of the vote polled shall be required to carry local option.

THE HUDSON BAY ROUTE. Premier Laurier's announcement yesterday on the Hudson Bay route, although it did not include any declaration of policy, is of the utmost interest. It indicates that the government is seriously considering the feasibility of such a railroad and steamship service as has been proposed, and that later day investigation concerning the country through which such a railroad would pass has practically upset all the old beliefs.

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THE FIGHT AGAINST OPIUM. The Chinese government which for thousands of years has followed the accepted principle that fear of punishment is the strongest incentive towards uprightness is now attempting an experiment along other lines. In the remarkable campaign instituted recently against the opium habit hope of reward is held out to those persons who bring about the best results.

AMBIGUOUS. He—I am going to kiss you when I do. She—Leave the house at once.

EDISON'S SCHEME. When Thomas A. Edison was living in Menlo Park a visitor from New York said to him one day: "By the way, your front gate needs repairing. It was all I could do to get it open. You ought to have it trimmed, or gressed, or something."

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DEATHS. THOMSON—At the residence of his son-in-law, Wm. Symest, Fairville, February 20th, William McGregor Thomson, aged 87 years.

DEATHS. LILLEY.—In this city, at his home, No. 45 Middle street, West End, on the 22nd inst., Katherine Lilley, widow of John Lilley, leaving two sons and three sisters to mourn.

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SATURDAY SERMONETTE

WRITE THAT LETTER TODAY. She has been looking for it for two years, your poor old white-haired widowed mother. She told me about you when I first met her two weeks ago, and although I never saw you and she has only a photo taken when you were a little boy, I know how you look, for your mother painted your picture for me that day.

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I am going to remove from Main Street to 16 Main St. in the near future, and am offering my stock at

From 25 p. c. to 50 p. c. Discount. Gentlemen's Watches that were \$11.35 to \$15.25. Now Only \$8.45 to \$11.50.

Ladies' Watches that were \$3.70 to \$24. Now Only \$2.50 to \$18.00. Clocks that were \$3.00 to \$11.00. Now Only \$2.00 Up

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BARBARIC RELICS OF BRITONS FOUND. BRIEF DESPATCHES.

Massive Bracelets and Armlets of Solid Gold That Once Adorned Warriors Bold.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Workmen engaged in a sandpit at Grayford, Kent, have unearthed a number of massive bracelets or armlets of solid gold, supposed to be portions of the barbaric ornaments of ancient British chiefs.

The supposition that the sandpit was the burying place of the chiefs is supported by the discovery of bones at the same spot and of weapons of stone and flint close by.

The armlets were found at a depth of three or four feet from the surface. Their value as gold alone is estimated to be from \$250 to \$500, but their antiquity and historical associations make them priceless.

They are in a perfect state of preservation, and bear inscriptions on some of the jewels, which have not yet been deciphered. Experts are of opinion that they date from a period long before the Christian era.

They have been deposited at Scotland Yard as treasure trove, and are now the property of the crown.

In May last eight similar bracelets were found near the same spot, and the finders received as their share of treasure a sum equal to about \$10. Those bracelets are now in the British Museum.

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The Star

SUPPLEMENT.

ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY FEBRUARY 23, 1907

CONDEMNED MURDERER NOW
IN HONORABLE POSITION

Poor Seed Supplied by Government Resulted in Failure of
Irish Crops—The Year's Linen Trade Was
Exceptionally Good

DUBLIN, Feb. 23.—Light has just been thrown on the extent of the failure of the potato crop in the West of Ireland at a recent meeting of the Leitrim County Council.

linen districts but who wishes his name suppressed, tells an interesting story. Four years ago it appears an indigenous variety of the linen plant, plentifully furnished with spines, was found growing in the northern part of the State of Mato Grosso.

TWO FRENCH LEADERS WHO HAVE AT LAST
AGREED ON SETTLEMENT OF CHURCH QUESTION

Through the efforts of President Fallieres the cleavage between Premier Clemenceau and Minister of Education Briand has been healed. A plan acceptable to both, has been reached on the terms of the agreement for the leasing of the church property, and this will be presented for ratification.



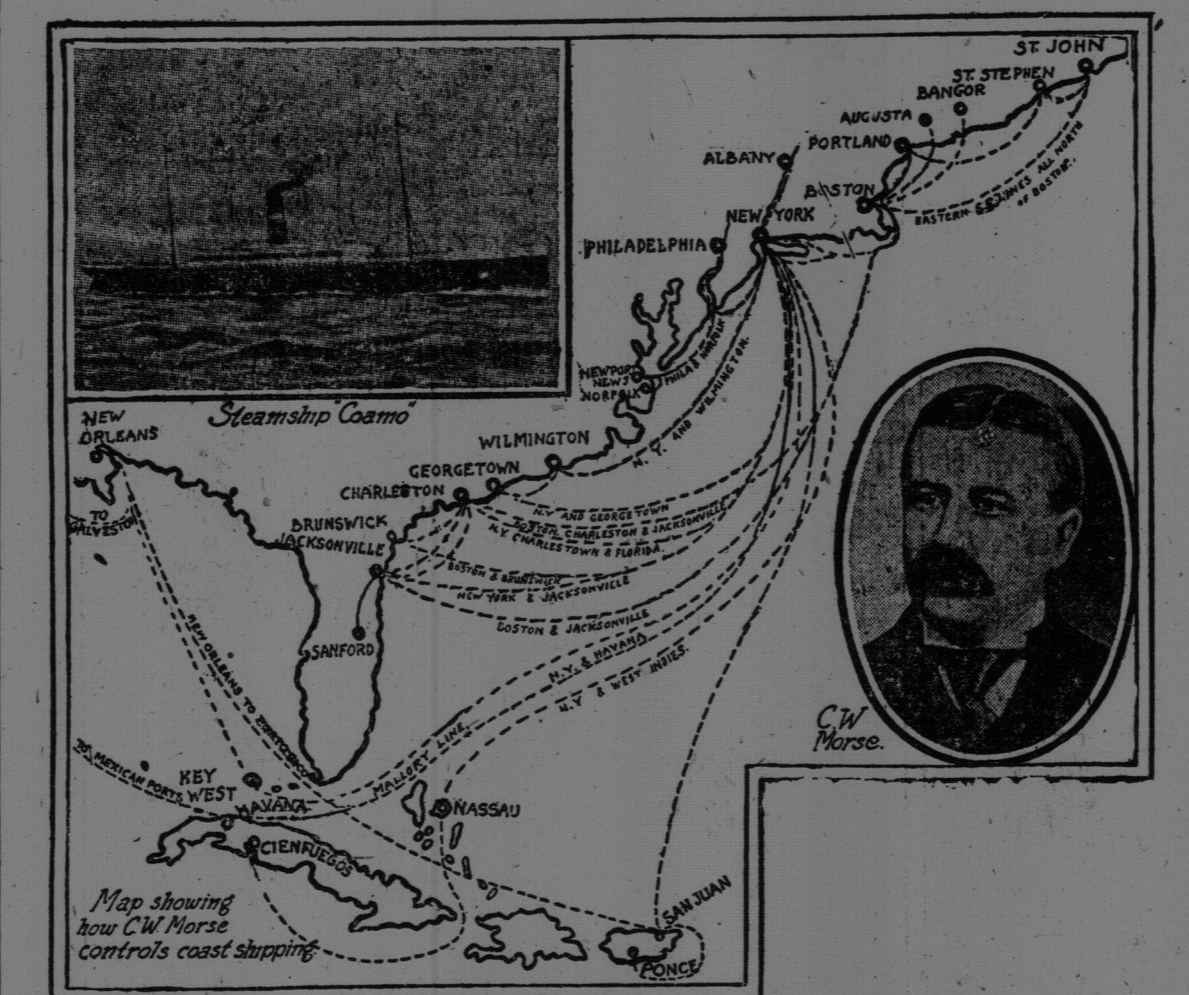
identified by the same witnesses, convicted and tried and sentenced to death by the same judges, but against whom the evidence, tainted from the first was so utterly untrustworthy that he was acquitted. Allen and the others declared solemnly that they had not intended to hurt Sergeant Brett.

cause nearly all the fibre used by the Belfast and other northern mills comes from Belgium and Russia anyhow.

The report of this year's linen trade in Belfast and Ulster has been exceptionally good. Unfortunately, however, notwithstanding the efforts of the agricultural department it does not indicate any advance in the growing of flax in the northern province.

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., Feb. 22.—Israel Whitney Lyon, the tooth powder manufacturer, died suddenly today from pneumonia. He was 31 years old.

C. W. MORSE, THE SHIPPING KING, AND
THE STEAMSHIP LINES HE NOW CONTROLS



C. W. MORSE, SHIPPING KING, BUYS ANOTHER STEAMSHIP LINE. The New York and Porto Rico Company, which has just been purchased by C. W. Morse, runs five boats between New York and the island and two boats between Porto Rico and New Orleans.

THE POLONYI SCANDAL WHICH CAUSED
A SENSATION IN THE AUSTRIAN COURT

VIENNA, Feb. 23.—The scandals in Hungarian politics continue to worry the aged Emperor Franz Josef. The Polonyi affair threatens to take the proportions of a Hungarian Panama.

her German name and title is a pure blooded Hungarian and has long been regarded as one of the handsomest women at the Austrian court.

HOW AUSTRIA'S EMPEROR
QUIETLY SNUBBED PRUSSIA
Franz Josef Ordered the Court into Mourning for the Queen of Hanover.

THE BOERS ARE AT THEIR
OLD TRICKS IN AFRICA

British Settlers Annoyed Just as They Were Before the War, and Seemingly They Have No Remedy—Natives are Becoming Very Independent

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 23.—The depredations of Boers on loyalists' property are not confined to the Orange River Colony. Generally speaking, they are an idle and unprogressive people, and revere an real improvements on the land which may entail the employment of more labor.

ADMIRAL CHARLES DRURY AND HIS
FIANCEE, MISS AMY MIDDLETON



on my return about 150 posts had been uprooted and apparently taken for firewood. The natives live in terror of the Dutch farmers and will not "give them away" even if they know the culprits.

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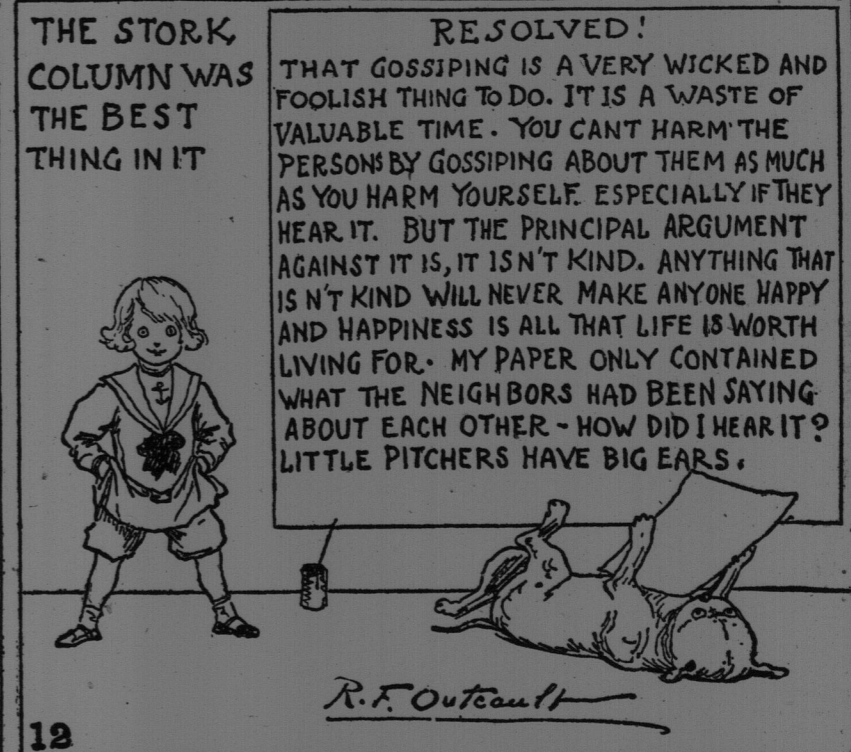
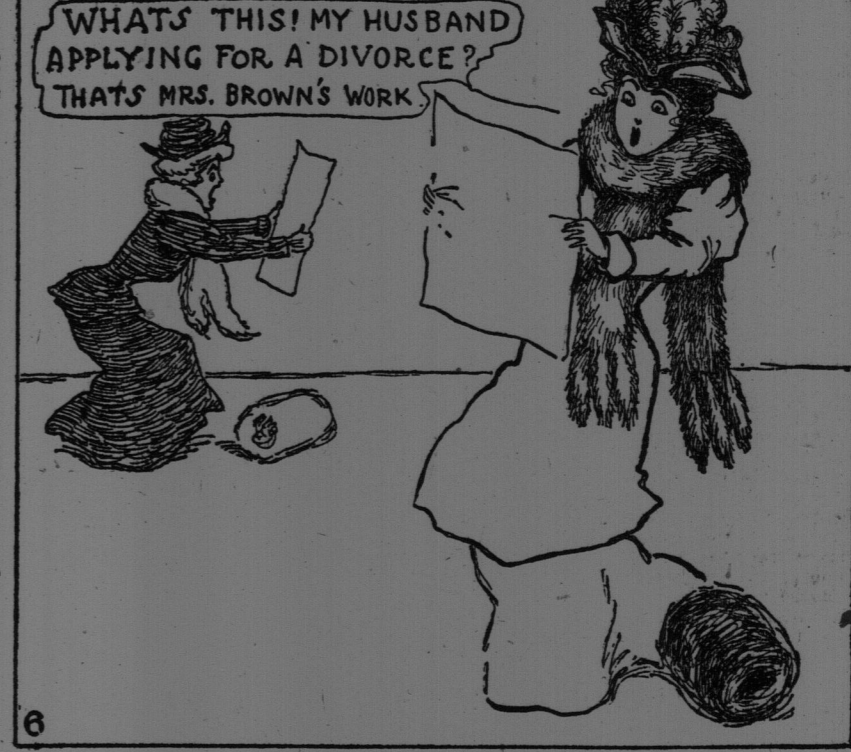
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WINSTON'S WORK

By Honor Willis

Copyright, 1907, by M. M. Cunningham. The sun was just rising behind the bluffs when Darrel strolled out onto the veranda of the bungalow...

Darrel again studied the sketch. "It is worth more," he said, "you had more brush strokes than I have in my whole book..."

Scott was studying his captor. She was certainly a remarkably pretty girl. The stern determination of her eyes could not hide their depth and lustre...

The fever scorched him physically and befogged him mentally. He tossed in a hot, restless haze at times babbling childishly of "Mother"...

FIRE AND WATER

By Louis J. Strong

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Was that father's—no, Tige had not hurt him—it was the fire—and heedless Joe—where was the spring—and the cup. There! mother was bathing his burning head and face and neck...

CAPTURING A BURGLAR

By Harriet Lammie Smith

Copyright, 1907, by Mary McKeon. Scott sat on the steps of the gull-hall and fanned himself with his hand...

"Thank you," Scott said gratefully, and dropped into a chair, rubbing his aching arms with ungrateful relief. After a minute or two he was shocked to discover that the girl was in his hand...

"I should think you'd know it at first glance," said Rowena, tragically. Her eyes told me that my face had been taken on the expression of the New York flat hunter—a look of grim reality...

"I want to see you," he said, and he was looking at her with a look that was almost pleading. "I want to see you," he said, and he was looking at her with a look that was almost pleading...

It was late of the next day, the sun was sending its last level rays across the door, when Joe Harris came to himself and looked about with a calm and growing consciousness...

"Your mother asked me," he began—"the girl interrupted him. "I have no mother. Your excuses will only make a bad matter worse."

"Hold up your hands," said the request came in tones whose determination could not be mistaken...

"I feel like a perfect culprit when I have to look at you," he confessed. "I have to look at you," he confessed. "I have to look at you," he confessed...

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FOR RENT.

By C. D'Arcy Mackay

Copyright, 1907, by C. T. Macarolis. "Be sure it has six light rooms, four outside," abjured Grace.

"With a window seat there," said Dwight, "and a bookcase against the wall."

"I must remember that you know it's attractive, and the reality is a lot of shabby little rooms overlooking an open street on one side and somebody's back yard on the other. But I'm starting awfully early in the season and that ought to give me a better choice."

"You must have to look at once—the poor boy!"—a warm rain fell upon his face—the cup vanished—his groping, trembling hands could not find it—how could he have had so much when he was burning—his head was aching—he could not see—he could not see—he could not see...

Once a Scotchman was visiting New York, and coming across as statue of Washington stood gazing at it. Just then a Yankee came up and said to him: "There's a good man. A lie never passed his lips."

"Well, aren't you glad to see me?" brightly. And what are you going to do with me?" "I don't know," said Darrel to both questions. "What brought you here, Elizabeth?"

"The girl looked into his face, with her candid eyes all of wonder. "Why, because, didn't they send you word that I was coming?"

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AT THE COMPLAINT DESK. By Katie Austin. Copyright, 1907, by C. H. Sutcliffe. For the third time, James Macrae crossed the door, when Joe Harris came to himself and looked about with a calm and growing consciousness...

THE ST. JOHN STAR

For the Home Dressmaker



Some Stylish Suits for Eastertide

THOUGH the glory of the Easter parade has been dimmed, though most of the more exclusive women make little or no effort to sport new clothes on Easter Sunday, there are still many women who like on that day to burst the chrysalis of their winter attire and come forth in the gay colors and soft clinging fabrics and filmy laces that seem specially appropriate to reawakening nature.

Now this is not the risky thing to do it once was; for though even the cleverest buyers and greatest dressmakers cannot absolutely declare so far in advance what will be the most modish and popular style of the coming season, the general trend of fashion is so marked that it is fairly safe for any one but the hyperfastidious woman who can endure none but the most ultra and exclusive models to buy her clothes early.

So far, at least, there promises to be no startling innovations. One is always safe in choosing a voile gown, either silk or wool, as it seems to be perennially in favor; nor is the reason hard to find, as nothing quite takes the place of this sheer fabric, which is equally useful for a light-weight, somewhat dainty morning suit or for more pretentious afternoon gowns. There are many new designs in this material, noticeably striped or plaid effects in monochrome or in lovely harmonized colorings.

So skillfully and exquisitely blended are these plaids, checks and stripes, so indefinite in outline, and without any appearance of loudness, that even the stout woman, who usually has a secret longing to wear colors and styles that her innate common-sense, if not an over-frank family, condemns as impossible for her, may indulge herself at

last and gratify her penchant for fancy weaves. The light-weight clothes, even the cheviots, show modifications of the plaid and striped effects, while the time-worn shepherd's plaid has reappeared with its somewhat glaring two-color combination, modified by an undertone of still a third shade. Silks will be stronger than ever, but more, perhaps, for gowns than for tailored suits.

Rajabs, however, will be more than ever popular for coat and skirt, and deservedly so, for never has it been shown in such exquisite soft colorings.

As for trimmings, the day of the simple self-trimmed plainly stitched suit seems forever past, save for strictly tailored suits for morning wear. Tassels and fringe of silk or chenille, braids of all kinds, even for thin voiles, soutache braiding on heavy net, swiss and batiste embroideries, combination embroidery and laces, or of several kinds of lace, taffeta bands and tiny frills, fichus of silk or lace, or shaped collars of lace are all to be seen, even on suits intended for street wear.

The lines also are not greatly changed. As is customary for spring, most of the jackets come just to the waist line, and the Eton will have another trial. But it is an Eton with a difference, for the scarf and shawl and mantle effects that have been noticeable during the winter have had their influence, and we see most of these small coats drooping slightly to the front with fichu or pelerine collar, sloping shoulders and mantilla-like sleeves.

The models shown today illustrate clearly how Paris differentiates between last spring's and this spring's Eton or bolero jacket. The pelerine lines are very evident, even in the little model to the left with its coat sleeve. By the way, there

seems no prospect of an immediate return to long sleeves, despite the cries of "woof" that have been heard for some months.

This first suit to the left is of a very good design for the home dressmaker, as its stylish simplicity is not difficult to achieve. It is of citron-colored cloth, with collar, revers and cuffs of black taffeta outlined with white silk braid an inch wide. The revers have a motif in hand-embroidered white faille, edged with white braid about a quarter of an inch wide.

Strikingly stylish is the next model, which is the latest thing in the

strictly tailored suit, both in cut and material. It is the new green, with tiny black stripes. The cutaway coat, which has a regular coat back with two buttons, is bound in black silk braid of a fancy weave. The plain skirt is circular and very flaring at the bottom.

The pelerine effect and sloping shoulders are clearly seen in the smart voile suit on the central figure of the picture. It is of a rather sheer, soft wool, braided in narrow taffeta bands the same color as voile. Blue chenille tassels finish the collar points.

Extremely becoming to a slender,

youthful figure would be the last model, which is developed in a light-weight cloth of a warm dark blue, with a linen vest of the fashionable citron color. The collar, tie and cuffs are in a deeper tone of citron. If this shade is not becoming, the vest may be white, with the collar, cuffs and ties in black taffeta. The circular skirt is finished with two-inch-wide stitched bands of the cloth.

SUPREME COURT GRANTS NEW TRIAL FOR SOLIS

Decision Based Entirely on Judge Gregory's Charge to the Jury, and There Was Not a Dissenting Voice—Judge Gregory Ill and Unable to Sit, But He Agreed With Finding of the Court.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 22.—Thomas J. Collins, convicted of the murder of Mary Ann McAuley at New Ireland, and sentenced to be hanged on the 25th of April next, was granted a new trial today by the supreme court.

FIRST REPORT OF NEW BUREAU OF RAILWAY STATISTICS OF CANADA

OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—The first report of the new bureau of railway statistics of Canada has been issued.

JUDGMENT DELIVERED BY SUPREME COURT.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 22.—The following judgments were delivered by the Supreme Court this afternoon:

DEPUTATION TO DISCUSS PATENT MEDICINE BILL

OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—The Minister of Inland Revenue was seen today by a deputation representing the druggists of the Maritime Provinces.

HERNER'S DYSPEPSIA CURE

will regulate all disorders of the stomach, and the above trouble will disappear.

WINNERS RECEIVE THEIR PRIZES

One Boy at Police Sports Won a Ham, a Bottle of Perfume and a Pair of Braces.

The police station was a busy spot yesterday afternoon, the occasion being the presentation of prizes to the winners in the policeman's sports.

MARRIED IN MONTREAL AND WAS PROMPTLY ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—Jacob K. Swartz, alias John G. Gordon, alias J. W. Miller of Norwich, Conn., is under arrest here on a charge of bigamy.

February Sale

Ready-to-Wear Clothing!

Get Your Share of these Extraordinary Offerings

Suits better than the kind you thought was best. But we need every inch of room we can get before Spring goods arrive.

- \$18 Suits for \$14.40
15 Suits for 12.00
12 Suits for 9.60
10 Suits for 8.00

Raincoats, Overcoats and Trousers

Some Overcoats Half Price—\$5, \$7.50, \$9, \$11

A \$12 Black Suit for \$9.60.

A. GILMOUR, 68 King St.

HUDSON BAY ROUTE FAVORED

Laurier Believes it Would be of Great Benefit.

Government Will Announce Definite Policy Soon Regarding Construction of Railway to Fort Churchill.

DEATH OF JOHN C. MURRAY OF KINGSLEAR, YORK CO.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 22.—The death occurred this evening at his home in Kingslear, of John Murray, one of the most respected and well known men of York county.

FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL AT SUSSEX A SUCCESS

SUSSEX, N. B., Feb. 22.—The second fancy dress carnival of the season in Sussex, took place this evening.

SAD DEATH OF NORMAL SCHOOL STUDENT LAST NIGHT

FREDERICTON, Feb. 22.—The death occurred this evening of Joseph McKinnon, Douglasstown, a student of the Normal School here at a city hotel.

Opera House.

The largest house of the week saw a good play at the Opera House last night, when Hearts Adrift was presented.

W. S. Harkins Co.

The W. S. Harkins Company begin a series of engagements at the Opera House opening Tuesday, Feb. 26th.

EMPIRE OF IRELAND SAILED YESTERDAY

C. P. R. steamship Empire of Ireland left for Liverpool last evening with ninety first, ninety second, and 253 third class passengers.

Among the passengers from this city are Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKean, whose son is attending school in the old country.

LETANG MAY SOON HAVE GREAT CEMENT INDUSTRY.

ST. GEORGE'S, N. B., Feb. 22.—J. Sutton Clark informs your correspondent that one of the main objects in building a railway from Letang Harbor to the point in York county is for the purpose of developing the immense cement area at Letang, which are considered the best in America.

SEALED TENDERS

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tender for Miscoe Breakwater Extension," will be received at this office until Friday, March 15, 1907, inclusively.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RAILWAY.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tender for extension of Souris Wharf," will be received up to and including Thursday, February 28th.

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RAILROADS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Commencing March 1st and until April 30th, 1907.

SPECIAL LOW RATES

To British Columbia and Pacific Coast Points FROM ST. JOHN, N. B.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY, JAN. 15th, 1907, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:

EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY

INTERNATIONAL DIVISION WINTER REDUCED RATES

Effective to May 1, 1907

St. John to Port of Spain

St. John to Boston

St. John to Port of Spain

St. John to Boston

St. John to Port of Spain

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