

TODAY AT C. B. PIDGEON'S GREAT Mid-Summer Clearance Sale.

The most forcible trade movement in modern merchandising ever known to the history of St. John. This greatest bargain event has certainly eclipsed all previous undertakings—TRULY THE SENSATION OF THE DAY—THE WONDER OF THE HOUR.

SHOE BARGAINS—EXTRA SPECIAL

The greatest stock of fine footwear in this section of Canada is now offered at tremendous sacrifices to insure quick and positive clearance and make room for Fall shipments.

Men's Clothing and Boys' Clothing of Dependable Quality, at the Following Clearance Prices:

Table listing various clothing items and their clearance prices, including suits, shirts, and trousers.

Wonderful Hat Bargains.

Table listing various hat styles and their clearance prices, including straw hats and felt hats.

SPECIAL NOTICE

All goods reprieved in this sale are reduced from the most reasonable retail prices known to the city of St. John. At regular prices we are known to be lower than any competition in the province.

C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., North End. St. John, N. B.

PARISIANS' MEDIAEVAL BATH TUBS

The summer heat wave that reached Paris last week was accompanied by the appearance in the streets of thousands of neat little handcars surrounded by brightly burnished copper cauldrons containing boiling water to fill the small bathtubs of Parisians of small means.

Reduce Your Fat.

Rengo Rapidly Reduces Excess Fat Without the Aid of Tire-sole Exercises or Starvation Diet.

Every fat person is a victim of constant ridicule. Save yourself from humiliation and danger by taking Rengo. Don't wait until you are a disgusting sight.

ASSASSINATION OF EMPEROR.

There is a fifteenth century drawing in one of the museums representing the assassination of the Emperor Constantine, according to the commonly accepted legend of this time, in which the Emperor is seen wearing only his crown seated in an oblong tub, with the curtain drawn back, and holding the hands of assassins.

PERSONAL CLEANLINESS.

Sometimes the pump in the courtyard of the house block, which is comparatively private, and in those cases a large number of the tenants will perform their ablutions on the spot in public. This, however, is but an inadequate substitute for the morning bath of their ancestors.

THE GOVERNOR OF NEWFOUNDLAND SAFE

But at Least Forty Fishing Vessels Were Lost in the Storm

ST. JOHN, N. F., July 31.—Reports received today from Labrador indicate that at least forty fishing vessels were wrecked in the northeast which swept that coast early in the present week.

ONTARIO RECTOR CREATES EXCITEMENT

Left Suddenly With One of His Lady Parishioners

TRADE CONDITIONS AND CUSTOMS REVENUE

Depression Causes Decrease as Compared With Last Year

HOTEL ROBERVAL ON LAKE ST. JOHN DESTROYED BY FIRE YESTERDAY

MONTREAL, July 31.—News reached here this afternoon of the total destruction by fire of the Hotel Roberval, at Roberval on Lake St. John, the property loss being placed at \$100,000.

EMPIRE OF BRITAIN MAKES STILL ANOTHER TRANS-ATLANTIC RECORD

MONTREAL, July 31.—With her arrival at Quebec at 1 o'clock last night the Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Britain added one more to the list of record breaking runs she has made across the North Atlantic during the past two years.

GOT SCOTT ACT WITNESS

FREDERICTON, July 31.—Chief of Police Winter returned on this afternoon's steamer, bringing with him a man named Stewart, wanted as a witness in a Scott Act charge of third offense against a local hotel proprietor.

NEW STOCK PATTERNS IN MEDIUM PRICED CHINA DINNERWARE

Beautiful decorations in Pink or Green color effects, at MARVELOUS LOW PRICES

O. H. WARWICK CO., Ltd. 78 TO 82 KING ST.

STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS

Full line of Foreign and Domestic Cigars. Popular brands of Tobacco. A fine assortment of pipes and smokers' goods.

LORD ROBERTS WILL IN MONTREAL, OBLIGED TO CANCEL HIS ENGAGEMENTS

OTTAWA, July 31.—Lord Roberts has been overcome by the intense heat of the past two or three days and will be unable to fulfil the elaborate public functions arranged for his visit to the capital tomorrow.

THE TERCENTENARY STAMPS

OTTAWA, July 31.—The post office department reports that the sale of the special issue of stamps in commemoration of the Quebec tercentenary has now reached a total of twenty-nine millions, aggregating \$588,000.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—NOTICE

Brethren:—In accordance with a resolution passed at a meeting of the Boston Club on Tuesday evening last, I am authorized to request all members in the city to meet at Castle Hall, German street, on Saturday evening, Aug. 1st, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers for the year 1908-9.

DIARRHOEA Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. There is no need of anyone suffering long with this disease, for to effect a quick cure it is only necessary to take a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.



Bread Purity is of prime importance in the health and sustenance of life. Pure, sweet, whole some, satisfying bread is out of our daily life, day out, week in, week out. If not acquainted with the excellence of Heatt's Hygienic Milk Bread, hasten your trial order this way and be convinced of its superiority.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 1908.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure

## Dykeman's

### Two Big Bargains FOR MONDAY

**Black Sateen Wrappers to be Sold at \$1.29**

Made from a fine quality of soft, fast black sateen, lined body wide flounce on skirt, cut to fit and made wide; sizes run from 34 to 44. If you bought the sateen that is in these wrappers, by the yard, it would cost considerably more than we will sell the wrappers for ready made.

**WHITE UNDERSKIRTS**

**About 6 Dozen to be Sold on Monday at 69c**

They have a wide hem-stitched flounce with lace insertion set in, full width, and made from fine English cambric.

**F. A. DYKMAN & Co.**  
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

LOCAL NEWS

The deaths during the past week have been heavier than for numerous weeks, the total amounting to 18.

There were six marriages during the past week. In the same period twelve births occurred, seven of the infants being girls and five boys.

Walter Magee has completed the arrangements for the appearance here of the Boston Opera Company in the latter part of September. Six different operas will be presented by a company of eighty people.

Mr. and Mrs. (Capt.) H. D. Ferris and Miss Ella Powers wish to express their gratitude to their many friends for the sympathy extended them during their recent bereavement, caused by the death of the late Mrs. Emma Powers.

John Sears, who has been spending a month at Westfield with his parents, ex-Mayor Sears and Mrs. Sears, returned to his home in Chicago yesterday, accompanied by his sister, Miss Genevieve Sears, who will spend some little time in Chicago and then proceed to Minneapolis to visit another brother, Harold.

In the police court this morning two drunks were fined four dollars each. One of the two had just finished a two years' term in the Reformatory, and gave his name as Dugmore. He was sent to prison for stealing money from a fireman on board the steamer Yarmouth, Harry Berkeley, a youth charged with stealing a street car fare box was remanded to jail until Monday.

Last night several boys were reported for disorderly conduct on the streets of Union and St. David streets. The residents in that neighborhood have been disturbed by a number of mischievous boys who scream and yell and will not stop when asked to. Their names are: Donald Morrison, Frank Morrison, Harrison McCluskey and Roy McCluskey. They were reported to Officers Scott and Belyea.

Owing to a tremendous stock on hand at the present time, this grand midsummer clearance sale is of most valuable importance. Never before in our history have we conducted a clearance sale with such a tremendous volume of fine, desirable merchandise, and on account of the enormous volume of this handsome stock, it is necessary to be slaughtered most mercifully. We are determined that this mammoth stock must be disposed of before the end of the season; we have selected ten days in order that patrons may purchase to most profitable advantage and supply their wants when most needed. With us it's quite different; we are obliged to make room for the following season. Advance orders as a rule are shipped in advance. This being the case with us now, we are obliged to vacate space to receive daily arrivals of fall goods. C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets.

Look at the Classified Ads.

**SAY**

Wouldn't you consider a MAN'S PATENT COLT BLUCHER BAL that is well made, the uppers well fitted, the soles "Goodyear Welt" sewn.

**A BARGAIN**

**AT \$4.00** ?

We know it is good value and would like to have YOU see them. We have your size.

**FOOT LITTERS**

**McRobbie**

**30 KING STREET**

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Dickens, Scott and Thackeray. India Paper. Limp Leather.

**Price 75 Cents**

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Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

**GLASS FRUIT JARS**

We sell the Schram Automatic Seal—

Pints, 7c.; Quarts 8c. each.  
Fruit Jar Rings, 5c. doz.  
Tin Top Jelly Tumblers, 40c. doz.  
Table Tumblers, 40c., 60c., 90c. doz.  
This Glass Tumblers, 5c. each.  
Cut Glass Tumblers, \$1.10 to \$1.60 doz.  
Great values in Table Glassware. Odd lines of Crockery at clearing prices. Come for bargains.

**Arnold's Department Store,**  
Phone 1765, 83-85 Charlotte St.

**We are Engaged**

In the general jewelry business, and we have made a reputation for sterling honesty. We are receiving constantly new designs in Lockets, Brooches, Chains, etc., and our Watches, for both Ladies and Gentlemen, are well known to be accurate time-keepers. We also carry an enormous stock of Souvenir Goods at very moderate prices.

**A. POYAS,**  
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,  
Tel. 1507.

**PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE**

STORE OPEN TONIGHT TILL 11 O'CLOCK

**Hitting People In the Eyes**

That's what our four show windows are doing. We show more variety than most up town stores. Our windows are the centre of attraction.

**A White Lawn Shirt Waist Sale Tonight**

Waists of Fine Lawn, Lace trimmed, worth \$1.00.

**Sale Price 89c.**

Each

Cor. Duke and Charlotte St  
Store Open Evenings.

PYTHIANS PARADE TO THE STEAMER THIS EVENING

Members, Headed by the Band, Will Leave the Germain St. Hall at Six O'clock.

It is expected that about one hundred members of the local lodges of the Knights of Pythias will leave on the Calvin Austin this evening for the big meeting in Boston. They will be joined in St. John by a large delegation from Moncton and possibly by members from Eastport and Lubec, although this was not definitely known this forenoon. The Moncton contingent will arrive on the C. P. R. train, due here at five-thirty this afternoon, and will march direct from the station to the Knights of Pythias hall, on Germain street. If the Maine members have decided to come to St. John, they will reach the city on the Austin this forenoon or early this afternoon. All members of the order are requested to meet at the Germain street hall not later than six o'clock for the purpose of escorting to the steamer those who are going to Boston. Members of the order will wear uniform, but if the weather is unfavorable, the shortest route to the wharf will be chosen. The Third Regiment Band will accompany the parade. It is not probable that the Knights will return from Boston in a body. The band will come back on Saturday of next week, and likely quite a number of Knights will also return on that date, although some of them are talking of staying over until Tuesday. Camp will break up on Friday.

FIRE AND BOAT DRILL ON THE CALVIN AUSTIN

Spectators on Reed's Point wharf were treated to an unusual and interesting sight.

A number of short, sharp signals from the whistle of the Calvin Austin were heard and immediately the deck of the steamer was flooded with ship's employees of all grades and in all states of dress and undress. Every man rushed to his post, and jumped into the work of manning pump, hose and other fire fighting apparatus. A thorough drill was quickly gone through with indicating what would be done to subdue the flames in case fire broke out on board.

Scarcely was this completed when another set of signals were given by the whistle and the men rushed to the boat deck. Boats were cleared and swung on the davits ready for launching, and everything was made ready to allow a full load of passengers to leave the ship.

The extra drills were given on account of the unusually large passenger list the Calvin Austin will carry tonight with the Knights of Pythias excursion on board.

MANY FRIENDS OFFER TO HELP BOY ACTOR

Successful Skin-Grafting on Eugene McAuliffe

Johnny Taylor Sacrificed Part of His Leg—The Skin of a Young Pig Will Also be Used

One of the most remarkable cases of surgery, and one which calls for considerable praise, has been performed at the general public hospital.

On June 22nd T. Eugene McAuliffe, the son of the well known comedian Jere McAuliffe, was thrown from the Pacific express at the I. T. depot and badly injured. He was a member of his father's company which had just finished a tour and were closing for the summer months. When the boy was thrown off the rear platform three cars passed over his left leg badly mangling and tearing the limb.

Dr. T. D. Walker was one of the first to attend the unfortunate young fellow who was conveyed to the hospital. Dr. Walker could not continue on the case as he had to attend at Camp Sussex with the bearer corps and he introduced Dr. W. W. White to Mr. McAuliffe. Dr. White took charge of the case.

So bad were the injuries that it was found necessary to amputate the left limb well up in the hip. It was an awful wound and it was thought almost impossible for the boy to survive. However, Gene as he is known to his friends, is a boy with an iron nerve and told the nurse in one of his most critical moments that "I'm as good as ten dead men yet." The little fellow has undoubtedly assisted greatly towards the success of his case, by his gameness.

The case has been given special attention by Dr. White, and it is a pleasure to know that as each day comes the young patient steadily improves.

In speaking of the case yesterday, Mr. McAuliffe said that nothing but the excellent attention at the hospital and the work of the doctors had saved his son's life. After the limb was amputated there was not enough skin left to cover the immense wound, and it has been found necessary to graft skin on the wound so as to close it up. When informed that some patients would be needed as volunteers to supply the necessary skin, Mr. McAuliffe said that about a dozen friends of the boy gladly offered their services. One day last week John Taylor went to the hospital to offer a piece of his leg for the grafting. Mr. Taylor has been in the theatrical line. At the hospital a piece of skin about three inches by one and a half was removed from the calf of Mr. Taylor's leg and then placed on the wound. This grafting process has proved a success, and the skin is growing where it was placed.

It has been found in the United States that the skin from the stomach of a young pig proves better for grafting than that taken from a human being, and it is to be given a test on the calf of the General Public Hospital. Mr. McAuliffe has secured a very young pig and it will soon be found in a fit condition to be relieved of some of its skin for the benefit of making a final cure of the boy's wound.

It is said that the pig skin not only takes better, but makes a tougher and stronger stump than the skin from a human leg.

Ever since the accident the boy's father and mother have been constantly by his side. Mr. McAuliffe said yesterday that he is greatly pleased with the way his son's case has been treated. He intends making St. John his headquarters in the future and will take up his residence here.

Eugene was fourteen years of age last month. Despite the fact that his injuries are causing him much pain he is a patient, cheerful, bright and as cheerful as he possibly can be. He is quite a book worm and is constantly reading.

FEAR SMUGGLING BY AIRSHIP

Custom Officials Watching Government Aeroplanes With Great Interest

WASHINGTON, July 31—Although the United States has been slow to take up the balloon and aeroplane for army purposes, the probable future usefulness of this aerial craft in other directions is not being overlooked. Carrying out of a tentative plan to connect several large eastern cities by an aerial transportation line will depend largely on the success of Capt. Baldwin's flight in his dirigible balloon at the Fort Myer army tests.

One of the interested spectators will be Beekman Winthrop, assistant secretary of the treasury, who is directly in charge of the customs service and the revenue cutter service to patrol the coast and prevent smuggling but that the customs officials are giving consideration to the exigencies which may arise if aeroplanes become available in the illegal importation of goods is evidenced by the interest they are taking in aerial inventions.

"While we have not had occasion as yet to deal with a case of smuggling by means of aerial craft," observed Asst. Secy. Winthrop, Friday, "and while the use of airships for such a purpose exists only in fiction, it is essential that we look into the matter. I am going to make every effort to be present at the Fort Myer tests and I think they will be exceedingly interesting and especially the trials of the heavier-than-air machines."

YOUNG GIRL KILLED

MINNOLA, L. I., July 31—As a result of an automobile accident at Bulb Head, near Roslyn, L. I., today, Louise Reinhardt, the eleven year old daughter of John Reinhardt, was fatally injured and died in the Nassau County hospital here.

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Parents Attention!

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Canned Corn, 8c. a can.  
3 pint bottles Worcester Sauce, for 25c.  
4 pkts. Jelly Powder, for 25c.  
2 bottles German Mustard, for 25c.  
20 lbs. best Cane Granulated Sugar, for \$1.00.  
If you purchase one pound of our 25c. tea we will give you 21 lbs. best Best Family Flour, \$3.50 a barrel.  
5 bars Barker's Soap, for 25c.

11 ounces to the bar.  
A regular 25c. can of Cocoa, for 19c.  
A regular 25c. lb. of Coffee, for 25c.  
A 10c. Box of Blueing for 5c.  
A 10c. package of Swift's Washing Powder, for 5 cents.  
6 packages White Wave Washing Powder, for 25c.  
Pure Cream Tartar, 25 cents lb.  
Preserving Jars, pints 5 cents, quarts 6 cents, 1-2 gallons 7c. each.

Shirts for Men

We are offering today an exceptionally fine line of Men's Shirts, in latest designs and colorings at very moderate prices.

- Soft Front Shirts,..... 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25
- Pleated Front Shirts,..... 1.00, 1.25
- Starched Shirts,..... 1.00
- Fancy Outing Shirts,..... 75c., 90c., 1.00
- Duck and Gingham Shirts,..... 50c., 70c., 75c.
- Black Duck Shirts,..... 50c., 75c.
- Black Sateen,..... 50c., 75c., 90c., \$1.00

S. W. McMackin, 335 Main St., N.E.

**SUNDAY MUNCHING**

Nothing better than the candy we sell! Simply because we buy the best, and it's always fresh. Day before yesterday another lot of Moir's Chocolates opened. Better get some tonight!

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SATURDAY SPECIAL

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PARENTS! HERE ARE BARGAINS WORTH THINKING ABOUT.

**49c. Pants**  
Worth Nearly \$1.00

These are made to fit lads ranging in age from 6 to 17 years. They are strongly sewn, carefully cut and smartly tailored garments in Tweeds and Cheviots of serviceable patterns and colors. Pants we candidly recommend as most exceptional value.

**35c. and 50c.**  
Extra Good Blouses

Made to fit boys ranging in age from 7 to 14 years; well made and good looking blouses in Galatea, Gingham and Linens. A variety of sizes, and amply made. Nothing meagre or skimped about the goods in these blouses; they are well sewn and tastefully finished.

**35c. and 50c.**  
Sailor Blouses.

These are for smaller boys, say 4 to 7 years. They are in fresh new Gingham, Galatea and Linens, and present a striking pretty appearance. The workmanship on these blouses is of the best.

**65c. and 75c.**  
Blouses (Laundered)

Freshly and immediately washed and ironed, ready to put on. In Gingham, Galatea and Linens. A blouse that any boy would like to wear on Sunday or for special occasions. The prettiest of colors and patterns too, all novelty goods.

**Outing Suits,** Ready to put on, in Best Summer Home-spuns, **\$5 up**

**Fancy Vests,** Complete Clearance **75c to \$1.75**

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ONE CENT

Granite Iron  
Preserving Kettles

Light, Strong, Durable.

Table with 3 columns: Size, Price, and Description. Lists various sizes of kettles and their prices.

Tin Kettles, all Sizes.

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THE E. & F. SPECIAL WRINGER

QUARANTEED FOR 3 YEARS.

By this we do not mean that this wringer will wear only three years; but that if through accident any parts give out within that time, we will replace it free of charge.

Medium, Family Size, \$5.00  
Extra Large Size, 6.00

These Wringers have extra good rubber rolls and are ball bearing; hence they require only half the labor to turn as the old-fashioned, ordinary wringer does.

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Great Bargains  
IN SUITS AND  
SEPARATE TROUSERS

For Men and Boys

American Clothing House,

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SPECIAL PRICE

The Wilkinson Stiff Hat, for Men \$1.50  
Fast Colours, Latest Shapes, Easy Fitting

F. S. THOMAS

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LEARN TO SWIM

With a Pair of

WATER WINGS

They will Float a Grown Person as well as Child  
Great Fun in the Water Only 50c. Pair.

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RARE BARGAINS NOW AT HARVEY STORES!

It is usual with us to use the month of August to clear out all odds and ends in clothing and furnishings. This year we intend to make the SALE more general and starting today we are going through our entire stock making down prices right and left. This will mean a genuine chance to save money.

Bargains in Clothing. Bargains in Furnishings. Bargains in Tailoring

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Tailoring and Clothing, 199 to 207 Union St.

TALK OF ARMED  
CONFLICT ABSURD

This is the General Opinion  
in Venezuela.

Government Gives Reasons for Dismissing  
Minister From Netherlands—Dutch  
Cruiser Repelled.

CARACAS, July 31.—(Via Port of Spain, Aug. 2)—The differences between President Castro and the government of the Netherlands will probably turn out to be less serious than they seemed at first. All talk of an armed conflict is regarded as absurd in this country. The government believes that it had the fullest justification for its dismissal of M. De Roos, the Dutch minister and points to the action of the government of the United States in sending the English minister, Lord Sackville-West, to President Cleveland's request, in October, 1898, as well as a like demand upon Spain for the removal of Minister Dupuy de Lome by President McKinley, in February, 1898. Indeed, the case of Minister De Roos is said to be much more flagrant than either of the others referred to. In the case of Sackville and Dupuy de Lome, the letters written denouncing the American presidents were confidential and not intended for publication. De Roos, on the other hand, wrote his letter with the deliberate purpose that it should be published. There is a society in Amsterdam called the "Hoven Troon" (Loyal and True). Its membership consists of persons of various nationalities and its object is to secure employment for young Hollanders in foreign countries.

In order to secure information respecting the opportunities for employment, the society makes it a point of sending out letters asking for information to Dutch merchants as well as to the ministers of the various foreign governments throughout the world. It was in response to one of these letters of inquiry that Minister De Roos sent a letter which was published in the May, 1908, "Bulletin" of the "Hoven Troon" society in Amsterdam, in which was made this statement: "Referring to your letter of the 23rd of February, I am sorry to inform you that the present time is anything but favorable, for business. The system of government followed by the present almost dictatorial ruling president, which is economically for the greater and afterwards always for the amusement of monopolies, through all kinds of subsidies, has very nearly ruined the country."

WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, Aug. 2.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland arrived here today from Le Guaira with her officers and crew. She was refused all means of communication with the shore. The authorities there, he says, declined to accept the letter bags and an official communication to the German minister, who is in charge of Dutch interests in Curacao. He reports also that Venezuela is preparing her forts for a defense of the country. It is generally believed here that Holland will take prompt and decisive action.

GEDID WAS HANGED  
AFTER ASSERTING  
HIS INNOCENCE

Implicates Two Other Italians in Murder  
of Louise King.

KAMLOOPS, B. C., Aug. 1.—Cedid was hanged at 12 o'clock today in the presence of jail officials and a few spectators. The execution should have taken place at eight o'clock, but was delayed owing to the confession he made yesterday afternoon. The confession stated that he was innocent of the crime charged against him, and named two others, Moravelli and Cagliostro, as instigators and perpetrators of the destruction of the King's Hotel at Niagara in November, 1906, which resulted in the death of Louise King. He affirmed that Moravelli was intimate with King's wife and the intention was to get rid of King. To effect this powder was carried into the house. He tried to warn King, but his imperfect knowledge of English impeded him, and his warning was mistranslated by Moravelli. The latter and Cagliostro took him away and made him swear on crossed daggers not to say anything further on the matter, and they sent him to Salt Lake, where he learnt for the first time of the destruction of the hotel. He claimed that Cagliostro was enamored of King's daughter. The confession is not credited as it conflicts with the evidence. It was read on the scaffold at Cedid's request.

THE K. OF P. CONVENTION

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—The 25th convention of the Supreme Lodge and the Biennial encampment of the Uniform Band of the Knights of Pythias with the international convention of the Pythian Sisters, were formally opened in Boston today with an attendance of 75,000 delegates and members. The Pythians will hold business sessions and enjoy trips about the city for six days, closing next Sunday with a religious mass meeting.

A SCORE OF HOUSES ARE ALL THAT REMAIN  
OF THE HUSTLING LITTLE TOWN OF FERNIE

CROWDED COURT  
CHEERS ACQUITTAL

British Sporting Man Not  
Gulley of Blackmail.

Wins on Turf Have Made Plitt. Most  
Unpopular Man in Racing  
Circles.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The trial of Robert Slavier, proprietor of the Winning Post, on a charge of attempting to blackmail J. B. Joel, the Transvaal magnate and racing man, out of £25,000 by threatening to publish matter derogatory to him in the Winning Post, came to an end today with a verdict of not guilty. The result evoked loud cheering in the courtroom. The trial attracted more public attention than any for years past. The attitude of the public throughout was remarkable. They have applauded and lionized the accused at every opportunity. As he was said to be an adventurer whose record is anything but savory, these demonstrations were taken to signify hatred for Joel more than love for Slavier. Joel's frequent wins on the turf of late have been greeted with extraordinary bursts of vituperation, and it is no exaggeration to say that he is the most unpopular man in the racing world. There was an exceptional scene outside the Old Bailey, where the trial was held. Thousands had gathered there to await the verdict and they called repeatedly for Slavier. The crowd with difficulty controlled the crowd. Slavier was not discharged from custody at once. The police detained him, fearing that his partisans would tear him to pieces in their delight. The crowd waited a long time for him, passing the time in hooting Joel and his satellites.

THE INDOMITABLE WAS  
DELAYED BY A STORM

But Nevertheless Has Maintained an  
Average Speed of Twenty Six  
Knots.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—British naval officials are watching with interest the reports regarding the performance of the warship Indomitable, which the Prince of Wales is returning to England from Quebec, where he attended the triennial celebration. This battle-ship cruiser, for she combines the speed of a cruiser with the armament of a battleship, left Quebec on the morning of July 29 and although caught in a hurricane on the Straits of Belle Isle, wireless telegraph reports received at the Admiralty today contain the welcome news that the big vessel maintained the high average speed of 26 knots and that she expected to drop anchor off Clowes at 6 o'clock this evening. Taking into consideration the delay here it has been something of a triumph this voyage is looked upon by naval officers as satisfactory.

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Deficit—Grand Stand Receipts  
Only \$35,000.

QUEBEC, Aug. 3.—Now that everything is assuming its former appearance, they are counting up the cost down here it has been something of a surprise compared with past celebrations in Canada, but it was on an enormous scale. The pageants cost \$140,000, and of this only \$35,000 has come in from the grand stand. The sale of costumes may bring back \$25,000. The guests of the Commission, all of whose expenses were paid, will cost nearly \$25,000. For decorations the cost was \$17,000, and illuminations of the city exceeded \$14,000. Adding it all up and including \$20,000 that it costs the Provincial Government for the State ball, illuminations, etc., the sum will reach nearly half a million dollars. The only ones who gained financially were the cabbies, the boarding houses and refreshment bureaus—the charges warrant this distorted name—and a few odds and ends of trade, such as souvenir stores. A deficit threatens the Commission, which it may be difficult to make up, as only \$350,000 is in sight for the celebration itself.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAMME  
WAS NOT CARRIED OUT

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Of twelve important measures forehadowed in the King's speech at the opening of Parliament in January, just two had been passed up to the adjournment Saturday for the summer vacation. These were the Irish Universities Bill and the old age pension bill, neither of which was opposed in principle by the opposition, although the House of Lords amended some clauses of the pensions bill, only however to have them rejected by the House of Commons and to accept the rejection when the bill was returned to the Lords in its original form. The old age Pensions Bill will become operative January 1, 1910, so that only three months will be chargeable to the present financial year and no great increase in the budget will be necessitated. For the first full year, however, the ministers estimate that six million pounds sterling (about \$30,000,000) will have to be found. There were many minor bills passed and although the first part of the session had been fruitless, the extensions

DEATH LIST MAY AMOUNT TO ONE HUNDRED  
Practically the Whole Place Wiped Out of Existence—Property  
Loss Roughly Estimated at Upwards of Five Millions—  
Seven Thousand People Are Homeless, Having Lost Every-  
thing They Owned—Other Towns in Grave Danger.

CRANBROOK, B. C., Aug. 3.—Fernie  
lies in ruins, and thousands of people are  
homeless and all that remains of the  
once prosperous and progressive little  
city are thirty houses in the south end  
and the coal company's offices in the  
centre of the town.

The fire started from bush fire near  
Fernie and spread so rapidly to the  
town that there was no time to save  
anything and everyone sought safety  
in flight. The brewery was the first  
place to fall a victim to the flames and  
the hurricane that was blowing carried  
the sparks to the Old Town and in a  
few moments nothing was left of that  
section.

In the meantime everything in West  
Fernie except the brick works was a  
seething mass of flames and the residents  
were fleeing for their lives. It is  
impossible to say at the present time  
whether any lives were lost in that section  
as the bridges are consumed and com-  
munication is cut off. Water pressure  
jumped the river near the bridges, and  
in a few seconds the town was ablaze.  
Dozens of houses were burning at the  
time and street after street was rapidly  
licked up by the blaze. On Baker  
avenue and the park a determined effort  
was made to check the conflagration  
and by the heroic work of the resi-  
dents and the firemen the few resi-  
dential houses were saved.

About 300 men, women and children  
fled to the company's office, the fact  
of which was not known until the fire  
reached the park. The firemen, sur-  
rounded by spacious lawns suggesting  
it to the panic stricken people as the  
only place of safety, willing volunteers  
ascended to the roof, fought like  
heroes for hours, amid fierce heat, and  
suffocating smoke. Water pressure  
remained good and several streams of  
hose poured ton upon ton of water on  
the structure.

The new court house and post office  
and customs building were directly op-  
posite and in a short time the new  
buildings were a mass of flames. Store  
after store and hotel after hotel  
caught and in a short time the  
part of the fire fighters they fell one  
by one until a single building of  
any description or kind remained  
standing north of Walmsey Street,  
save the residences of W. R. Ross, M.  
P. D. V. Mott, the Catholic priest,  
the Coal Company's office, the resi-  
dence of J. T. Peifer, and the Western  
Canada Wholesale Company. The  
scene at night was awe-inspiring, the  
lumber piles in West Fernie blazing  
fiercely and rapidly. The mountains  
on every side were a mass of huge  
flames. The town itself, was lit up  
by the smouldering ruins.

Last night hundreds slept in the open  
without blankets or covering of any  
kind. This morning the relief committees  
have been organized and food and sup-  
plies are beginning to arrive. Special  
constables have been sworn in and the  
town, or what is left of it, is being put  
into an orderly state as possible.

Few of the people had time to save  
the most valuable of their belong-  
ings. So fast did the fire sweep through  
the town that they were forced to flee  
before it without giving thought to  
their possessions.

A long line of straggling carts with  
men marching besides them slowly  
went up the valley through the little valley  
to the south of the town. In this  
procession was every man, woman and  
child in Fernie who had escaped the  
flames. Some had remained behind to  
endeavor to fight back the fiery mon-  
ster and save their property from des-  
truction and they were not heard of  
again. There is a little plain about 3  
miles to the south of the city and it  
was here that the procession halted  
and a camp was formed. No tents or  
other protection were available and  
rude shelters were hastily constructed  
from brush wood and blankets which  
some of the people had packed up in  
their flight.

Mr. Joseph Ryan, of Cranbrook, in  
an interview early this morning, said  
in part: "I must say that the fire is  
more entirely extensive than any re-  
port gave reason to believe. The dam-  
age cannot fall short of five millions of  
dollars, the greater loss falling on the  
C. P. R., which lost a coal tipple, coal  
bunkers, depot, freight store, and  
tower and over one hundred cars. The  
Triggs Wood Company, which lost its  
magnificent store and stock, and the  
lumber companies, whose mills, limits  
and stock is wiped completely out.  
Fully \$5,000,000 feet of manufactured  
lumber is gone. The extent of the dis-  
aster can be measured better by the  
fact that the few buildings left stand-  
ing by a detailed list of the spread des-  
truction. The remains of what was  
once the hustling little town of Fernie,  
the erections that housed a popula-  
tion of about 7,000 souls, ten or eleven  
small cottages and five or six resi-  
dential houses were saved. The  
bank, hotel or business house of any  
description left standing except the of-  
fice of the Commercial Co., the Great  
Northern depot and water tank, and  
the big concrete warehouse of the  
Triggs Wood Company.

The relief committee here organized  
by the mayor has got away two trains  
filled with provisions of every kind,  
blankets, stove, four and other re-  
quirements. There are many mouths  
to feed and everyone here is taking a  
practical hand in trying to alleviate  
the sufferings of those who have come  
to be in their dire necessity.

In the face of such a crushing calamity  
one feels more inclined for action  
than for words. According to reports  
sixty-one men and two women have  
been burned to death at No. 4 camp  
of the Elk River Lumber Co.

Four men were found burned to a  
crisp on the C. P. R. track near Ho-  
mer. Reports say that the total num-  
ber of deaths will run to about a hun-  
dred, but this may be greatly exag-  
gerated.

Formerly the new C. P. R. tipple  
destroyed and part of the town swept  
utterly away. The business portion is  
entirely destroyed. No hope is  
entertained for the escape of Mitchell.  
One man who came down from there  
this morning says it must go under to  
the last chip.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 3.—Sir Wilfrid  
Laurier has sent a mes-  
sage to Cranbrook, B. C., in response  
to the message for federal assistance  
received last night, stating that Gen-  
eral Macdonald, quartermaster gener-  
al, has been instructed to place all  
tents and military blankets, etc., be-  
longing to the militia department in  
British Columbia at the disposal of the  
fire sufferers. The district officers com-  
manding in the Province will take  
charge of the distribution.

The question of giving further federal  
aid will be discussed at a council meet-  
ing this afternoon.

DOUBLE DROWNING  
IN NAPAN RIVER

Frank Robertson and James  
Dickson Lost Their Lives.

Had Been Swimming—Donald Morrison  
Baldly Hurt in a Driving Accident  
on Chatham Street.

CHATHAM, N. B., Aug. 3.—Word  
reached here at noon today of a  
drowning accident at Napan River in  
which two young men, Frank Robert-  
son, son of Rev. John Robertson, and  
Frank Dickson, son of James Dickson,  
lost their lives while swimming in the  
river. No particulars of the accident  
have been received. The young men  
were about 28 years of age and were  
only sons.

On Saturday Donald Morrison, of  
Black River, sustained severe injuries  
on Henderson Street. He was driving  
rapidly into town and collided with a  
truck and then with a telegraph pole.  
He was thrown out of the team and  
fell heavily on his side, breaking his  
arm in two places and sustaining a  
bad cut over the eye and several  
bruises. Dr. Baxter was summoned and  
the man was removed to Hotel Dieu  
Hospital. His condition is serious.

FIGHTING CONTINUED  
IN TABRIZ ON SUNDAY

Shells Flying all Day and Doing Con-  
siderable Damage—Turks Continue  
to Advance.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Telegraphing Sun-  
day from Tabriz, Persia, the correspon-  
dent of the Times says: "Hostilities  
were renewed yesterday and today  
there was shelling again, considerable  
numbers of shells bursting in the  
European and Christian quarters of  
the city. Both the Royalists and the  
Anti-Royalists need money and are  
making forced loans to obtain funds.  
The business situation is pitiful. The  
Turks are still advancing in the Ur-  
umiyeh district, and the re-occupation  
of Subhah may come at any moment."

BOTTOM DROPS OUT OF  
THE G. T. P. STRIKE

Arrest of the Three Ringleaders Settles  
Everything—Men Did Not Want  
to Strike Anyway.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 2.—With the  
arrest of three ring leaders, the strike  
of the Grand Trunk Pacific foreign labor-  
ers who demanded an increase in  
wages from a dollar and a half to a  
dollar seventy-five per day, has fallen  
through. Saturday night most of the  
men expressed a desire to go back to  
work at the old rates, and most of  
them were on hand this morning. The  
majority of the men claim they would  
not have left work at all had they not  
been threatened by the three ring  
leaders who are in jail. The trial of  
these three men, charged with intem-  
peration, will commence tomorrow  
morning and the company will take  
the most stringent steps possible.

THREE DROWNED  
WHILE SWIMMING

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 2.—Three  
fatal swimming accidents occurred in  
this vicinity today. Axel Robert Blom,  
of this city, 18 years old, jumped from  
a boat in Dorcy Pond in Milbury and  
despite the efforts of a companion,  
sank to the bottom, after an attack of  
cramps. His body was recovered.  
Albert E. Homer, aged twenty-five  
years, was overcome while swimming  
in Cox's Pond and died before help  
could reach him. His body was recov-  
ered. A widow and a five months old  
baby survive.

VENEZUELA IS NOT  
ANXIOUS TO BE FRIENDLY

THE HAGUE, Aug. 2.—Official des-  
patches received by the government  
from the Government of the Island of  
Curaçao, confirming the withdrawal by  
President Castro of the Executors of the  
Dutch consular in Venezuela, in the case  
of N. F. Hellmann, the Consul General  
at Caracas, who was appointed in 1871.  
The Governor's dispatches add that  
Venezuela no longer wishes to main-  
tain friendly relations.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

"HUMANOV"—What is it?

The beauty of Tegar's laundry work is not at all on the outside, it goes right through. Tel. 53.

S. W. Seammell is not catering at Sea Side Park, nor has he been doing so.

To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.

Nothing will improve your clothes as much as to have them cleaned, pressed and repaired at McFarland's, the Tailor, Clifton block, 72 Princess. Phone 115-11.

Ladies you are invited to call and taste free of cost at Mr. Chas. R. Wasson's Drug Store, the "Lucerne", delicious, nutritious, Swiss Chocolate, just received from Switzerland.

Tea is more susceptible to foreign influences than even butter. This is why it should never be exposed to the air or sold in bulk form. The sealed packets of "Salada" Tea preserve the tea in all its native goodness. Insist upon "Salada".

On Saturday evening the Victoria Roller Rink contained another large crowd. The rink is open again this evening. The management's efforts to please the patrons of this popular resort have been untiring.

The N. C. O.s and men of the 3rd Regiment, C. A., are requested to meet at the drill shed tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock, when they will be inspected by Inspector General Lake. Parade at 7:45 o'clock.

**ASEPTO SOAP POWDER**  
**SWEETENS THE HOME.**  
 In the sickroom utensils for spitting in put in a little Asepto Soap Powder. It sterilizes. Price 5 cents per package.

Charles K. Cameron, president of St. Andrew's Society, last evening received the following telegram from Lord Lovat: "Very sorry unable to accept due in Montreal Monday. Many thanks." The citizens of St. John as well as Mr. Cameron will be very sorry that Lord Lovat's engagements will not permit him to visit St. John.

L. A. Williams, who has charge of the buying of the supplies and the securing of labor for Corbett and French, contractors on the Transcontinental Railway, is in the city. Mr. Williams is placing large orders for provisions with local firms. He states that the work is coming along very rapidly. His firm has charge of the construction for fifty miles between Moncton and Chipman and employ nearly 700 laborers. He leaves tomorrow for Chipman.

The fire department was called out on Saturday night for a fire which started in the house occupied by Catherine Phillips on Adelaide street, but the blaze was extinguished before they arrived. A lamp which appeared to be exploding was the cause of the alarm. Mrs. Phillips caught the lamp in her hands and dashed it on the floor, where it broke. The oil which flowed over the floor was soon ignited, causing a large portion of the carpet to burn. Those who saw the accident rang the alarm, but Mrs. Phillips smothered the blaze with a mat before any damage was done.

The Eastern Steamship Company's boat, Calvin Austin, broke all records for the season on Saturday evening, when she took away over 600 persons from this port. The number were made up chiefly of Knights of Pythias and their friends, but a large number of tourists were also on board. The Austin was in charge of Captain Pike, with Chief Mate Ward second in command. The steamship people look for very large passenger lists from now on. The Governor Cobb arrived in port about 8 o'clock Saturday evening. She brought 58 passengers.

The funeral of the late William Boyle, a veteran of the St. John police force, took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. The funeral procession was large and attended by members of the Loyal Orange order, and the local police force, which marched in a body, preceding the hearse. Sgt. Kippatrick, and officers Finley, Marshall and Belyea, acted as pall bearers, and all marched from the house to the Oddfellows hall. Here Deputy Jenkins opened the ranks, allowing the remainder of the funeral to pass through, after which they dispersed. The body was taken to the Cedar Hill cemetery for interment.

**"ALL ABOARD"**  
 Farm Laborers' Excursions leave Aug. 11th and Sept. 5th. See general arrangements outlined in advertising columns. Read the posters issued, or call on railway agents.

**CAPT. JOHN MCKENZIE**  
 HALIFAX, Aug. 2.—Capt. John McKenzie, in his day one of the most noted of Nova Scotia deep sea captains, died in this city today. Among the vessels he commanded were the steamship John Bright in the trade between China and India, and the Nova Scotia bark Amy and Frances Herbert. He was part owner of the last two. Capt. McKenzie retired from the sea fifteen years ago.

**STRENUOUS DAYS.**  
 "These fights over the banquet between college classes are little short of criminal."  
 "Oh, I don't know. My boy is a sophomore at one of the big colleges, and he is kept so busy paying his share of the damages wrought by his class that he hasn't any money left for ordinary foolishness."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**PATERSON'S**  
**Cambridge Wafers**  
 Most delicious, tempting biscuits—always crisp and fresh.  
 Perfect daily for afternoon tea. In line only from grocers. Buy by name.

**FARM LABORERS' EXCURSION TO THE NORTHWEST**

August 11 and September 5 are the Dates Arranged

The Canadian Pacific Railway announces Tuesday, August 11th, and Saturday, Sept. 5th, as the dates on which the annual farm laborers' excursion trains for the wheat fields of Western Canada will this year leave the Maritime Provinces. Second class one-way tickets will be issued to Winnipeg with verification certificate. From and to Canadian Pacific stations in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, but not Cape Breton, and from and to D. A. R. stations in Nova Scotia the rate will be \$11.50 going and \$15.00 returning. If laborer has made previous arrangements to work during the harvest and has decided definitely on complete arrangements may be checked through to such destination, or nearest point although his ticket will read to Winnipeg. Those who have to engage at Winnipeg regarding work must have their baggage checked to Winnipeg, for tools and baskets will not be accepted for checking.

The object of these excursions is to assist the Northwest farmers in harvesting their crops, and incidentally it enables the excursionists to visit the country and at the same time earning enough money to defray the expenses of the trip.

The object of ticketing the laborers to Winnipeg only is to ensure immediate distribution to the points where they are required at once, and thereby avoid congestion at any point. It also ensures the immediate discovery of any laborer who is not willing to work in previous years. The fact of the farm laborers being ticketed to Winnipeg with the promise of free distribution to certain territory prevents them in the best position to obtain work for Winnipeg is the seat of the Manitoba government and the headquarters of the western lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Second class one-way tickets will be issued to Winnipeg with verification certificate. When extension coupon of certificate has been signed at Winnipeg by a farmer showing holder has engaged to work as farm laborer it will be honored prior to Sept. 9th, for ticket to any C. P. R. station in Manitoba or Saskatchewan and including Winnipeg. West Friday by the Empress of Canada, McLeod and Edmonton, tickets will be issued free to Moosejaw and at rate of one cent per mile to Regina. The verification certificate will, if presented on or before Nov. 30th, 1933, and on payment of the returning fare of one cent per mile to Moosejaw, plus farm laborers' rate from this point to eastern destination, provided holder has deposited certificate with ticket agent on arrival at western destination and worked at least thirty days as a farm laborer.

One hundred and fifty pounds baggage wearing apparel only, will be checked free on each ticket. Above tickets may be sold to females as well as to males, but hair tickets will not be sold to children.

It is expected that special passenger trains will be run from Halifax, Mulgrave and Point du Chene to St. John, also Charlottetown, Summerside, and the Charlotte Harbor Steam Navigation Company's steamer will make a special trip from Summerside to Point du Chene. Particulars will be announced later. Farm laborers' tickets will be sold only by passage via Canadian Pacific all rail main line in both directions.

**BOY SWIMMER BADLY INJURED BY MAN HE TEASED.**  
 CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 2.—John C. McCallum, a workman on the Summerside breakwater, threw an iron bolt yesterday at young Wilfred Kelly, who was swimming. The bolt hit his leg, causing a bad wound. The boy was rescued as he was sinking a second time. A warrant is out for McCallum, who skipped. The reason for the act is that the boy was teasing him.

**BIG STORM AT HALIFAX.**  
 HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 2.—Terrific northeast gales swept the coast of Nova Scotia this afternoon and tonight, the wind reaching its climax about 9 o'clock this evening. Accompanying the gale and preceding it were torrents of rain.

In the twelve hours from 9 o'clock this morning till 9 tonight the fall of rain Halifax was only one-tenth of an inch short of five inches, by far the greatest in years. The wind which this evening attained a velocity of thirty-seven miles an hour blew down many trees in this city and caused much damage in the orchard region of Nova Scotia. Shipping on the coast is having a hard time but no casualties are yet reported.

**2 in 1**  
**SHOE POLISH**  
 The Public knows better than to take any substitute for 2 in 1. The dealer knows better than to offer a substitute if he wants to retain his reputation.

**YACHTING**  
 Lack of wind prevented the finish of the yacht race for the Beveridge cup, which was to have been held at Millidgeville during the afternoon and the race was practically a drifting match in which the majority of the twelve starters failed to cross the line.

The Hermes II. finished first, with the Vaagabond second, but not within time allowance. Ganong's (Glenora), which had been barred from the race on account of not being a cabin boat, but which it was understood would sail over the course, did not start. The Tossus was disqualified for fouling the judge's boat.

An accident occurred on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific near Chipman on Saturday whereby "Nick" Acciolla, an Italian employed on construction work, lost his life. About 11 o'clock a m. the man was engaged at work on a temporary trestle used for conveying loaded cars to dump. The trestle which was not a strong one, broke, carrying with it the cars and the unfortunate Italian. He was picked up by fellow workmen. Dr. Long of Chipman, who is the assistant to Dr. Hay, was immediately called. He found that the man's skull was fractured in two places and one arm severed from the body. He pronounced death as being instantaneous. The body was placed in a coffin and taken to Chipman, where the funeral took place yesterday morning about 9:30 o'clock. Rev. Father Hannigan, resident priest at Chipman, conducted the services and interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at that place.

Dr. Nugent, coroner at Chipman, upon learning of the accident, empaneled a jury and heard a number of witnesses. The evidence given went to show that the death was purely accidental and the jury brought in a verdict to that effect after being out only a short time.

The accident occurred about one and three-quarter miles from Chipman, on the road to Plaster Rock. The man was about twenty-two years of age and employed on the construction with the Toronto Construction Company, who have charge of the Chipman end of the work. This is the first fatality which has occurred on the work in the vicinity, and the contractors and workmen, although realizing that the affair was purely an accident, regret it greatly. The unfortunate man had been working little more than a week.

**LITERAL.**  
 "When you said 'Penny wise pound foolish,' was it a practical theory you meant?"  
 "Oh, no," replied the other, smiling. "It was merely a cent meant."—Baltimore American.

**SPORTING MATTERS**

**ST. PETERS PROVE TOO MUCH FOR MARATHONS**

The first of the championship games between the St. Peter's and Marathons was played on the Victoria grounds Saturday afternoon and proved a victory for St. Peter's by a score of 13 to 7.

There were over 2,000 persons present to see the game, but the exhibition of ball was not as good as either team is capable of playing. The batting by both teams was rather heavy, while there was some very glaring errors. The St. Peter's played a much steadier game than their opponents and for the first four innings put up gilt edged ball.

**THEY'RE PLAYING A BALL IN AMHERST**  
 AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 2.—Amherst has had the privilege today of witnessing two rattling good games of ball between the local Ramblers and the all-Moncton team. The locals won 13 to 7 in the afternoon, while the visitors took the evening game, 4-2.

**CYCLONE BURNS WON HANDICAP WRESTLING MATCH**  
 GLACE-BAY, N. S., Aug. 1.—Five or six hundred people saw Cyclone Burns win the handicap wrestling match with Yankee Rogers in Alexander Rink here tonight. The match was called at 9 o'clock by Fritz Mohl, the referee. Rogers, who was to throw his opponent three times in an hour, got his man on the mat only twice within that time, the first throw in thirty-one minutes, the second in sixteen.

**ROBERTS NOT TO MAKE HIS WESTERN TRIP**  
 MONTREAL, Q., Aug. 2.—No official announcement of Lord Roberts' plans has yet been made, but it is stated by his friends here tonight that he will not be able to take his proposed western tour. It is supposed that he will spend several days with the governor general at Ottawa and return to England next Friday by the Empress of Britain. It is understood that his physician in England in reply to a query has advised him to give up the idea of an extended tour and to return to England as quietly as possible, while Lady Roberts has also called asking her husband to return as soon as possible.

The British field marshal was given a rousing send-off at the Bonaventure station this morning when he left for Ottawa, travelling in the private car of D. M. McNeill, vice-president of the C. P. R. While Lord Roberts' illness did not give cause for grave alarm he was badly affected by the heat of the last week.

For some days he was in a high fever, and although still weak he had recovered sufficiently to leave Montreal today.

**BASEBALL.**  
**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
 At Boston—Boston, 14; Chicago, 0.  
 At New York—New York, 6; Saint Louis, 1.  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
 At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Boston, 0.  
 At Chicago—Washington, 5; Cincinnati, 4.  
 At St. Louis—Philadelphia, 4; Saint Louis, 3 (ten innings).  
 At Cleveland—New York, 3; Cleveland, 4.  
 Sunday Games.  
 At Chicago—Chicago, 2; Washington, 1.  
 At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 5.  
 At Detroit—Detroit, 4; Boston, 5.  
**EASTERN LEAGUE**  
 At Montreal—Montreal, 1; Providence, 8.  
 At Toronto—Toronto, 5; Jersey City, 4.  
 At Rochester—Rochester, 6; Baltimore, 6; Rochester, 4.  
 At Rochester—Baltimore, 6; Rochester, 7.  
 Harry O'Leary and Fred Johnston left Saturday evening by the Calvin Austin for Boston. Mr. Johnston is the old crackerjack twirler of the Alerts and while at the Hub intends to follow the major league games closely.

**BIJOU THEATRE**  
 Its pictorial (motion) and musical programme is one you should not miss.

**THE LITTLE MATCHMAKER**  
 Cupid's idea of bringing two hearts together.

**THE INTREPID CYCLOTT**  
 How a beginner strides his wheel, gets going and can't stop. Very amusing.

**GO LITTLE CABIN BOY**  
 His searing hardships. A beautifully colored picture.

**CORNET SOLO.** "Keep on Smiling" (illustrated, by Mr. H. Bishop).

**CARLETON METHODISTS HAD ENJOYABLE PICNIC**

The annual picnic of the Carleton Methodist church took place on Saturday and was well attended. The weather was delightful and all present enjoyed the outing. As usual, the games and races attracted many. Following are the successful prize winners:

Air gun, Orelle Duffy; scullion, Ruth Britain; bean bag, James Bell; 100 yards dash, Roy Dransau; running hop, step and jump, George Clarke; potato race, Roy Dransau; sack race, George A. Clarke. The usual games for the children were held and many prizes were distributed to the Sunday school scholars. Altogether the picnic was a great success in every way.

**THE HAPPY HOUR**  
 TODAY'S SHOW.  
 MISS HOLMES will sing The Lay of The Jay, from Dolly Varden.  
 MR. BUCHANAN will sing Just A Wearyin' For You.  
 PICTURES ARE:  
 BRUSH MAKING IN FRANCE.  
 HEAVY SEAS (titled).  
 LOVE AND FORTUNE (hand colored).  
 A DISAPPOINTING REHEARSAL (comedy).  
 Prof. Titus sings When The Harvest Moon Is Shining On The River.  
 Harry LeRoy sings In Memory.

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 GRAND - REOPENING - AND - RETURN - OF  
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 The Popular Baritone  
 TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME  
 Penniless Poet—A remarkable scene  
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 TODAY  
**A TRAGEDY OF JAPAN**  
 A sensational drama  
 Mother-in-Law and the Artist  
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 Comedy  
 Prof. Brio-a-Brao's Invention—Comedy  
 NEW SONGS:  
 "Keep A Little Cozy Corner in Your Heart For Me" Miss A. Outous.  
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**OPERA HOUSE**  
 One Night Only,  
 Wednesday, Aug. 12.  
 Worcester,  
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**GLEE CLUB**  
 25—Male Voices—25  
 Acknowledged by the Press and Public the best Musical organization in New England  
 POPULAR PRICES  
 Next Attraction:  
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**BIJOU THEATRE**  
 Its pictorial (motion) and musical programme is one you should not miss.

**THE LITTLE MATCHMAKER**  
 Cupid's idea of bringing two hearts together.

**THE INTREPID CYCLOTT**  
 How a beginner strides his wheel, gets going and can't stop. Very amusing.

**GO LITTLE CABIN BOY**  
 His searing hardships. A beautifully colored picture.

**CORNET SOLO.** "Keep on Smiling" (illustrated, by Mr. H. Bishop).

**CARLETON METHODISTS HAD ENJOYABLE PICNIC**

The annual picnic of the Carleton Methodist church took place on Saturday and was well attended. The weather was delightful and all present enjoyed the outing. As usual, the games and races attracted many. Following are the successful prize winners:

Air gun, Orelle Duffy; scullion, Ruth Britain; bean bag, James Bell; 100 yards dash, Roy Dransau; running hop, step and jump, George Clarke; potato race, Roy Dransau; sack race, George A. Clarke. The usual games for the children were held and many prizes were distributed to the Sunday school scholars. Altogether the picnic was a great success in every way.

**THE HAPPY HOUR**  
 TODAY'S SHOW.  
 MISS HOLMES will sing The Lay of The Jay, from Dolly Varden.  
 MR. BUCHANAN will sing Just A Wearyin' For You.  
 PICTURES ARE:  
 BRUSH MAKING IN FRANCE.  
 HEAVY SEAS (titled).  
 LOVE AND FORTUNE (hand colored).  
 A DISAPPOINTING REHEARSAL (comedy).  
 Prof. Titus sings When The Harvest Moon Is Shining On The River.  
 Harry LeRoy sings In Memory.

**Victoria ROLLER RINK**  
 FINE SKATING  
 Open Every Afternoon  
**BAND TO-NIGHT**  
**STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS**

Men's Blue and Black Suits  
Made of Fine English Clay Worsted  
Regular \$22.00 Suit  
PROGRESS BRAND  
Our Price--\$14.00

Union Clothing Co.,  
26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John N. B.,  
Opposite City Market.  
ALEX. CORBET, Mgr.

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 STAR. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by nearly 8,000 people during the day. SUN and Star Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

FOR SALE - A splendid room of 7th Highlanders. Price \$10.00. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE - No. 1 second hand extension top buggy. Apply C. McDADD, 121 North Road.

FOR SALE - Field of standing hay. G. F. MATTHEW, 83 Summer St.

FOR SALE OR TO LET - Eight roomed house with bath, 204 Duke St. (West). Rent \$12.00 per month. J. W. MORRISON, 50 Princess St. Phone 152-22.

FOR SALE - Gordon Printing Press. Prints 10 by 15 sheet. Apply JOHN T. MCGOLDRICK, Lower Cove.

FOR SALE - A handsome cabinet grand Heintzman Piano, but three months in use owner has good reason for selling at low figure. Address Box 44, Star office.

ROOMS AND BOARDING  
ROOMS AND BOARD - Under new management, 46 Leinster Street. 27-4

ROOMS AND BOARD at 181 Paradise Row. 30-7-8  
FURNISHED ROOMS - Bright and cheery. 25 Carleton St. 30-7-8

TO LET - Furnished room. Gentleman referred. 16 Church Street. 29-7-1f

BOARDING AND ROOMS - Mrs. SHANKS, 15 Chipman Hill. 29-7-4

LODGING - 20 Brussels, near Union. 29-7-4

ROOMS AND BOARD - Apply 143 Union Street. 27-4

ROOMS WITH BOARD - 15 Paddock Street. Telephone 187-11. 30-6-1mo.

TO LET - Two furnished rooms, heated. Apply 18 Peter Street. 25-6-1f

BOARDERS WANTED - Gentlemen can be accommodated at 10 and 12 Charles Street. 24

THREE FURNISHED ROOMS - Heated. 24 Orange St. 26-3

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET - At A. H. Lee corner of Union and Prince William Sts. 19-5-1f

MISCELLANEOUS  
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS visiting Boston will find nice rooms at 47 Appleton St. 27-1mo

SITUATIONS VACANT - MALE  
WANTED - Five Men for railway construction. Work guaranteed. Grant Employment Agency, 75 St. James's St., West St. John.

WANTED - Experienced canvasser (man or woman) for St. John. To a worker, one half of gross sales will be paid as commission. Address Box 403, Star Office. 1-6-1f

FOUND - Lady's black coat on Marsh Road Sunday. Owner may have same by calling at Star office and paying for ad. 29-7-1f

LOST - Gold brooch with oval setting by way of St. Patrick and Clarence, to foot of Brussels street. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at the York Bakery, 290 Brussels Street. 28-7-6

THE SERVANT GIRL IN GERMANY  
In most German households there is no such thing as the strict division of labor insisted in here. Your cook will be delighted to make a blouse for you, and your nurse will turn out in the dining room, while your chambermaid will take the child for an airing if you order it so. They are more human in their relation to their employers. The English servant sees a gulf between herself and the most democratic mistress. The German brings her intimate joys and sorrows to a good herrschatt and expects their sympathy.

When a girl has had luck and engaged with a bad herrschatt she is worse off than in England because she is more in the power of her employer and of the police than she would be here. She has to have a dinstsbuch, an official book in which her age and personal appearance are registered. In this book her employers write her character. It is under the control of the police and has to be shown to them when she leaves and when she enters a situation. It is hardly necessary to say that when a girl does anything seriously bad and her employer record it in the book the books gets "loot." Then the police interfere and makes it extremely disagreeable for the girl.

WANTED - A GILL - Must be a good cook and understand general housework. References required. No washing or ironing. Good wages. Apply to MISS A. AMLAND, 196 Waterloo Street, City. 1-8-1f

WANTED - Housemaid, Number 1, Chipman Hill. 1-8-1f

WANTED - To take to New York, capable girl for general housework in small family; references required. Apply by letter only to MRS. A. T. STRIBBER, care of Mrs. John M. Robertson, 11 Crown Street. 29-7-1f

WANTED - General maid for Westfield Beach, highest wages. References required. Apply 41 Sydney St.

DE-WAY



Whom 'tis said to be the Greatest Clairvoyant, Astrologer, Psychio Palmist and Mental Scientist Combined, in the World Today.

Now in your midst, and can be consulted, daily, 10 a. m. until 8 p. m. 25 Carleton Street

Read Wisely - An Honest Proposition

I heartily agree and guarantee to make no charge if I fail to tell you what you wish to know in regard to health, love, marriage, business, speculation, law suits, or in fact any of everything that you might be in doubt about. I will tell you the culmination of every hope, fear or ambition, that you might be the possessor of and advise you correctly as to the best course to pursue in order to gain contentment and happiness. As a demonstration of my wonderful methods I will call you by name and tell you the exact object of your visit, or read you free of charge. Readings also for \$1.00.

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M. T. KANE Dealer in Granite Monuments Opposite Cedar Hill Cemetery, West St. John. Telephone 187-21. Works West 17-21.

Eyes Tested Free! Difficult Repairing Solved. G. STEWART PATTERSON 55 Brussels Street

THE BOSTON CARRIAGE CO. Old Factory of Price and Shaw, Indianapolis. New and second Carriages and Sleighs. Repairs at moderate rates. Carriages and Sleighs for repairs called for and stored, and delivered free of charge.

EXHIBITION BOOTHS. I have a gang of men on the Exhibition Building who can erect booths immediately. Between 11 and 1 p. m. only. Phone 1223.

A. E. HAMILTON, Contractor.

Hamm Lee Laundry Tel. 1739. - 45 Waterloo St. Tel. 2084-21. 128 Union St.

Goods called for and delivered

ORIENTAL CAFE Excellent cuisine, courteous attention. Our menu is the best in the city at the price. Dinner, 20 cents. Ticket for 6 meals \$1.00. Special lunches served at all hours. Chinese dishes a specialty. 105 Charlotte Street, opposite Dufferin Hotel.

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the Francis Kerr Company, Limited, has purchased all the right, title and interest in the coal and wood business lately carried on by the St. John Fuel Company, and will continue the said business under the firm name of FRANCIS KERR CO., LIMITED. Per FRANCIS KERR CO., LTD., Per Francis Kerr, Manager.

GAMBLERS ON OCEAN PALACES. Few people have any idea of the amount of gambling for high stakes that goes on aboard practically all the crack Transatlantic liners. Hundreds, and even thousands, of dollars are not infrequently lost by single individuals during a five or six day's voyage, and nothing is heard of the incident outside the smoking room of the particular "river" in question.

As a general rule, that is to say, now and again, as happened on board the Mauretania the other day, some victim will "tick," others join in, and then there is a battle royal between the "rooks" and the "pigeons." But such scenes are entirely exceptional. There are several reasons for this. No one cares to admit that he has been "plucked" and by a professional "sharper." Then, too, these latter "gentry" are so suave, so faultlessly dressed, so irreproachable in their general behavior, that it requires a good deal of nerve to openly accuse one of them of being neither more nor less than a common swindler.

Besides, if he is driven into a corner, your typical ocean card-sharper is an ugly customer to tackle. As a rule, he is one of a gang of three, or more, so that he does not lack for backers when it comes to a row. There are cases on record of men having been maimed for life, because they have too forcibly resisted being "reduced by these gentlemanly ruffians."

Needless to say, the ordinary player stands no earthly chance of winning when pitted against these professional gamblers, many of whom have attained to such dexterity in manipulating even a perfectly new pack of cards, as would put to shame most regular exponents of the art of ledgerdom.

METHODS OF MOURNING IN MANY LANDS

The British Government has issued a black-bordered mourning stamp. Whether this act is due to consideration for those who suffer bereavement or for the imperial exchequer, it is at least indicative that the government believes that the nation never overcome by grief to be unable to appreciate something novel to add to their staid collection.

Will the black-bordered postcards which are expected to follow be decorated with a skull?

OFFICIAL MOURNING. Since a mourning stamp was issued, why not purple? For generations purple was the hue of official mourning in most countries, and British mourning periods have recently ceased to wear it for this purpose.

In Britain, as in America, purple is used for mourning drapery upon the death of a person of note, and in the United States purple is hung with flowers at the door knocker of a house in mourning—a dress seldom worn now. In the case of a parent and child, purple and white are more often seen than black and white, and purple lines the narrow rail bed of most persons not of tender years.

As the Turk's mourning color, he wears it because it is the hue of the earliest flower of spring, and his symbolisms have on one side and sorrow on the other. Violet was worn by the French kings in mourning, and this custom has been made of it in this connection at certain periods in Italy and other countries.

TWILIGHT OF LIFE. British people of fashion, and many in the United States, have adopted white as a garb of mourning. Materials worn for this purpose have been non-lustrous fabrics, such as one selects for black mourning, and like black, in which silks are clad, except of crepe. Combinations of black and white are regarded as second mourning—a dress seldom worn now, since such a combination is popular among many persons in the way of ordinary attire.

Many nations shave the head as a token of grief. Among the Persians Mahometans and Hindus violent excesses of emotion are indulged in, such as cutting and bruising themselves and rending the clothes. Not long ago harikari was common among the Japanese and Phi Islanders, who went to follow a Hindu custom and bury a child's wives with him. The British government has not yet wholly suppressed the custom of suttee in India, when wives of dead men of note are carried to their deaths in a palanquin, and the widow assists in arranging the earth around herself till it is piled up to her neck, and she is prepared for the poison then administered to her and the shield which hides her hands about her neck.

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June 28th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Train Name and Time. Includes routes like 'Express for Moncton', 'Suburban for Hampton', etc.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

FARM LABORERS EXCURSIONS

AUG. 11 SEPT. 5

GOING RATE: TERRITORY: RETURNING RATE:

\$10.00 From and to C. P. R. Stations in New Brunswick. \$18.00

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SECOND-CLASS ONE WAY TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED TO WINNING with Verification Certificate. Extension Coupon of Certificate signed at Winnipeg by a Farmer showing holder has engaged to employ a Farm Laborer, and surrendered to Canadian Pacific Railway Station Ticket Agent at Winnipeg prior to September 20th will be honored for Free Ticket to Manitoba or Saskatchewan Station in Manitoba or Saskatchewan, to and including Moose Jaw, nearest the point at which holder has been engaged to employ a Farm Laborer. West of Moose Jaw to Calgary, McLeod and Edmonton, Tickets will be issued Free to Moose Jaw, and at rate of One Cent a Mile, and, or Coupon, if surrendered to Canadian Northern Railway Station Ticket Agent at Winnipeg, will be honored for Free Ticket to Canadian Northern Railway Station in Manitoba or Saskatchewan, to and including Moose Jaw, nearest the point at which holder has been engaged to employ a Farm Laborer. Tickets will be issued Free to Kansas or Swan River and at rate of One Cent a Mile beyond.

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TENDERS FOR DREDGING.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Dredging" will be received until Friday, August 14, 1908, at 4:00 P. M. for dredging required at the following places in the Province of New Brunswick: - Ectouche Beach, Ectouche Harbour, Gaspeaux River and Pointe du Chene. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers. Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Tenders must include the towing of the plant to and from the works. Only dredges can be employed which are registered in Canada at the time of the filing of tenders. Contractors must be ready to begin work within twenty days after the date they have been notified of the acceptance of their tender. An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the honorable Minister of Public Works, for six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) must be deposited as security for the performance of the Province of New Brunswick. The cheque will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Asst. Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, July 28, 1908.

Newspapers will be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

James Stratton, Miss Stratton and Miss Smith returned 30-day from a visit to England.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

WE ARE OFFERING

3 Great Bargains

—IN— Upright Pianos

If you want a reliable PIANO at a

Genuine Bargain

Come in and see what we are offering.

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY if you come at once, for it is not every day we have such bargains to offer.

BELL'S PIANO STORE

79 Germain Street

Scenic Route.

Steamer Maggie Miller leaves Miramichi for Summerville, Kennebec Island and Baywater, daily except Saturday and Sunday, at 6:45 and 9:30 a. m., 2, 4 and 6 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 6, 7:30, and 10:30 a. m., 2:45 and 4:15 p. m. Saturday at 6:15, and 9:30 a. m., 2:30, 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 5:30, 7, and 10:30 a. m., 2:45 and 4:15 p. m. Sunday at 6:15 and 9:30 a. m., 2:30 and 4:15 p. m.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Dredging" will be received until Friday, August 14, 1908, at 4:00 P. M. for dredging required at the following places in the Province of New Brunswick: - Ectouche Beach, Ectouche Harbour, Gaspeaux River and Pointe du Chene. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers. Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Tenders must include the towing of the plant to and from the works. Only dredges can be employed which are registered in Canada at the time of the filing of tenders. Contractors must be ready to begin work within twenty days after the date they have been notified of the acceptance of their tender. An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the honorable Minister of Public Works, for six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) must be deposited as security for the performance of the Province of New Brunswick. The cheque will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Asst. Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, July 28, 1908.

Newspapers will be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

James Stratton, Miss Stratton and Miss Smith returned 30-day from a visit to England.

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MILITARY AIRSHIPS.

Germany takes great pleasure in announcing to the world that in a very few months she will have completed eight air ships, or balloons, suitable for military purposes.

As foreign powers are acquiring practical airships, it would appear that this country has no choice.

The St. John exhibition takes place from September 12th to 15th. For several months the board of directors have been devoting a considerable portion of their time to preparations for this event.

Various committees have been holding frequent meetings and efforts are being made to interest as large a number as possible of exhibitors in all lines.

It is estimated that nothing will be lacking in the makeup of the exhibits. It remains, therefore, for the people of St. John to do their share towards the general success.

It is not only an opportunity but a duty as well. An exhibition in any city draws business. It puts a very large amount of money in circulation.

A city and brings to it thousands of persons who might not otherwise think of making such a visit. It is beneficial to the city as a whole as well as to the residents as individuals.

From the purely material point of view all St. John people should do their utmost toward helping this exhibition by speaking of it to their friends and correspondents, and when the proper time comes by extending towards it their own generous patronage.

It should be remembered that the exhibition is not a thing of interest to the board of management only, but is arranged by a representative executive for the benefit of all, and the poorest citizen should be just as much concerned about its success as the president of the board himself.

There is a possibility that the federal grant will be given to New Brunswick next year. Already a number of applications for this grant have been sent to Ottawa.

BIG WELCOME FOR KNIGHTS IN BOSTON

City Enthused Over Big Convention—Colors of the Order Appear Everywhere.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 2.—Boston, the great convention city, the coming week welcomes the 25th national convention of the Supreme Lodge and the Biennial Encampment of the Uniform Rank and the Knights of Pythias.

The well known reputation of the Knights for leaving behind them from \$100,000 to \$2,000,000 at their national conventions, have enthused the merchants and traders.

The fact that they are still offering such low prices on both American and Scotch Hard Coal gives you an opportunity to buy your coal that you would not get elsewhere.

A few more weeks and the summer holiday season will be over. Then everybody will make a big rush in the fall to get their coal.

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PROPOSED CHANGES IN CURRENCY LEGISLATION

Officers of National Banks Will Not Be Able to Borrow Funds Without Permission of Board of Directors.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—In its monthly circular the National City Bank, of this city, presents at length proposed changes in the currency legislation.

In the reports of conditions of national banks as now published in newspapers after the calls made by the comptroller for statements no mention has hitherto been required to be made showing the liabilities of officers and directors to their own institutions.

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TO WARN NEW YORK OF ITS DESTRUCTION

"Last of Prophets" Goes to Metropolis to Tell People to Flee.

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REMEDIAL PANSHIP.

Park Well's hay trotter, Queen Thorpe's Bay, got hit on the track by the Lightnin' Express.

An' they beat Park in court, 'cause he's down on the courts an' the railroads an' such.

He voted for Teddy last time, but he said He's afraid Taft ain't no such buster as Ted.

So it's Bryan for him! Jay Gibbons ain't got any job any more.

An' they shut off his credit at Jenkins' store.

So Jay is rippin' an' makin' 'em jump.

Th' bankers an' Shylocks, from out on th' stump.

He's read all th' platforms, behind an' before.

An' says that th' Bryan one promises more.

So it's Bryan for him! Bud Hicks hasn't raised any crop that's worth shucks.

Since I can remember, he lost all his ducks.

From pharisee bug an' his medder's all weeds.

So he ain't goin' to get enough hay for his needs.

He lost his hay team on a mortgage last week.

VICTIMS OF CANNIBALS

Fatives of Bismark Islands Captured and Ate Three Mission Boys.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 3.—News of murders and cannibalism in the Bismark archipelago, followed by a German punitive expedition, in which some villages were burned, was brought to the attention of the public by a letter from Honolulu.

Rev. W. Dank's mission station was visited at the end of the letter, and the three boys who were captured were killed and their bodies carried to the hills, where a feast was held.

The natives then destroyed the evidences of the feast were found by an expedition sent to punish the natives.

Magistrate—What is the charge against this prisoner? Policeman—Your honor, he called me a lobster.

Magistrate—And so you proved it by pinching him, eh? Dr. John G. Leonard, Dentist, 15 Charlotte Street, ST. JOHN, N. B.

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THAT GENERAL STRIKE

IN PARIS A FAILURE

PARIS, Aug. 3.—So far as could be learned during the early hours today the twenty-four hour general strike in Paris which was called by the general federation of labor as a protest against the killing of strikers at Lyons, last week, was not as extensive as the leaders had planned.

No violence so far has been reported. The infantry and troops which were massed at the central points of the city found nothing to do as everything was orderly.

The employees in many of the trades called off absolutely refused to join the movement, the principal success of which was found in the tying up of the newspapers and journals as the Gibbons, the dielectric, the Radical, the Republic and the Libre Parole, failing to appear.

MURDERED A TRADER. Natives in the Solomon Then Looted and Burned His Schooner.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 3.—The steamer Aorangi brings word of the capture of a trading schooner and the murder of Oliver Burns, a Sydney trader, in the Solomon Islands.

Burns had a trading station at Marova Lagoon. Two blacks boarded the schooner to trade, and while Burns was stooping to pick up some goods he was struck from behind with an axe.

The vessel and the natives looted the schooner. Kerosene was found in the vessel and it was scattered about and the schooner set on fire after being looted.

The natives then robbed the dead man's store of everything and burned it.

IS NOT A DYE. Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N. J. E CLINTON BROWN DRUGGIST. Cor. Union and Waterloo Sts., and South End Pharmacy, Cor. Queen and Carmarthen Sts. Agent for St. John.

EYES TIRE? If so, it's only a question of glasses. To assure absolute correctness, both in the examination and the fitting of glasses. Do as others are doing, consult D. ROYNER, Scientific Optician, 38 Dock Street. The only exclusive optical store in St. John.

Store open till 9 p. m. Monday, Aug. 3, 1908.

Ladies' Patent Leather Low Shoes. We have a number of styles of ladies' patent leather shoes with just certain sizes, but amongst the different lots are all sizes but not many in 3-1/2 or 4. If you are on the lookout for something of this kind see our line All one price.

\$2.50 a Pair. This means at least 50 cents saved on some lines \$1.00. We use no catch sale talk, we try for regular customers. Know our standard of value.

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FERGUSON & PAGE

Jewelry, Etc. 41 King St.

Bargain Days in Men's Fine Footwear

We are clearing out six different styles in Kangaroo and Vici Kid Laced Boots.

All new lasts and shapes. \$4 and \$5 BOOTS SELLING AT \$3.00 per pair. Every size in the lot.

Open Evenings until 8. All day Saturdays until 11 p. m.

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SPECIAL AT McLEAN'S. LADIES' HEMSTITCHED DRAWEES, 30c to 40c, value 50c. LADIES' LACE INSERTED CORSET COVERS, 40c, value for 50c. LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, 6c, 7c, and 8c.

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ROTHESAY COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, ROTHESAY, N. B. HEADMASTER. REV. W. R. HIBBARD, M. A., Late Senior Mathematical Master at Trinity College School, Fort Hope.

Well known boarding school for boys. Preparation for the Universities, R. M. C. or for business. Manual Training. New gymnasium ready for use in September.

Five resident masters for average attendance of 70 pupils. Situation unexcelled. The school is managed on what is known as the Home System i. e., the boarding houses are quite separate from the main school building, and each is in charge of two masters.

Next term begins September 10th. For illustrated calendar and other information, apply to the Headmaster.

GIRL WITH A SAFETY PIN RESCUES BUDDY; BOARDWALK BLUSHES. Pretty Blond Turns the Trick While Others Falter.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 2.—William Garrick Thompson created a sensation that blocked the boardwalk for twenty minutes this afternoon. William is two years old, and better known as "Buddy," and that such a small mite could raise such a fustian among the big crowd of grown-ups was due only to circumstances over which "Buddy" had no control.

The "circumstances" dealt with the rather garment of William Garrick Thompson, better known as "Buddy," and, as the young man has not yet reached the stage of knickerbockers, it is likely that no further explanation will be necessary.

TAR AND FEATHER

RICH MAN CAUGHT CALLING ON WOMAN

Three Arrested for Night Attack in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The tarring and feathering of an elderly man in the home of a woman upon whom he was calling, has furnished Washington with its most midsummer sensation.

The man in the case is F. E. Bliss, a member of the firm of Bliss, Albrecht and Co., paper rulers. According to his statement he went last night to call upon the woman, living at 1217 Kenyon street, an excellent neighborhood, and was seized at the door by three men who dragged him into a basement and proceeded to coat him over with tar and feathers, applying the coating with special vigor to his face and hair.

It took a physician two hours to get the stuff off him and restore him to such a condition that he was able to proceed to his home.

To-day Bliss swore out warrants for James L. White, Charles Marchantson and Harry C. Cole, all well-known business men, charging them with assaulting him and with applying the tar and feathers.

They gave bonds for their appearance in the police court tomorrow. All the men are reticent, and the name of the woman has not been disclosed, either by them or by the police.

The details of the affair will, however, be aired in court tomorrow. A peculiarity of the case is that all the men involved are quite elderly and are well known in local business and financial circles.

CAN'T AFFORD HIM NOW. Lily Bell—No, Rufus. Ah, can't marry 'ys' just yet awhile. Y'll have to wait. Rufus—Why for miss' I wait, Lily Bell? Lily Bell—Cause three of the families mammy washes for Judge don't her, an' now she's settin' makes dough to support me an' paw—Jude, tough to support me an' paw—Jude.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE. HEAD OFFICE - - - TORONTO. Capital \$10,000,000 Rest \$5,000,000.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT. A Savings Bank Department will be found at the branches of the Bank in Canada. Deposits of \$1 and upwards are received and interest is allowed at current rates. The depositor is subject to a delay in the withdrawal of the whole or any portion of the deposit. Accounts may be opened in the name of two or more persons. Withdrawals to be made by any one of the number by its survivor.

St. John Branch—Cor. King and Geary Streets. F. B. FRANCIS, Manager.

PRICES SMASHED AGAIN

- Men's Grey Canvas Lace Boots, All Sizes, 6 to 10 . . . \$ .70
Boys' Grey Canvas Laced Boots, All Sizes, 11 to 13 . . . .50
Women's White Canvas Oxfords, All Size 4 . . . . .1.08
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That is what our customers say. We keep them in all sizes, white and drab. Prices—50c., 75c. and \$1.00 per pr.

A. B. Wetmore (TAPE MEASURES, only 35c.) 59 Garden St

Prices Cut on TROUSERS! Large Line of

As the temperature went up our prices went down—and today we offer you most unusual values in a large line of Trousers, a part of our regular stock.

All Sizes, 31 to 46 Waist.

Popular patterns, striped effects, conservatively cut—Worsted and Tweeds—just as your personal taste demands.

Your choice from the entire line at these large reductions:

- \$7.50 Trousers cut to . . . \$6.00
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It will be well to give this matter your early attention—such values mean quick sales.

A. GILMOUR, 68 King Street ESTABLISHED 1841.

AMHERST LOSES OLD LAND MARK

Building Formerly Used as Baptist Meeting Place Destroyed by Fire

ERECTED IN 1860

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 2.—Fire at three o'clock this morning destroyed one of the land marks of Amherst, the building recently used as the Opera House, but formerly as the Baptist church. At two o'clock an alarm was sounded for a fire in the Amherst Hotel, which proved but slight, and just after the men had dispersed, Chief Bell, who was investigating the cause of the fire, was attracted by flames bursting through the roof of the Opera House. He immediately rang a second alarm, to which the firemen quickly responded, and before the alarm was done striking two streams of water were playing upon the burning building. However, nothing could save it, and all efforts were turned to save the Episcopal parish hall, which immediately adjoined the burning building. In this they were successful. The stables of the Amherst Hotel, on the north side, were also saved with great difficulty, the burning wall falling against the roof. The firemen certainly deserve great credit for their work. The Opera House, with all its furnishings, is a mass of ruins. The loss will be about \$3,000, fully covered by insurance. B. C. Munroe was the sole owner, and had recently expended considerable on repairs.

The building was erected in 1860 and 1861 by the Baptists and in its day was one of the most imposing in the town. Originally there was an exceedingly high steeple, but owing to the heavy westerly winds it was found that it would injure the main building. It was therefore removed, leaving a large square tower. The church was opened on Sunday, July 1, 1861, by the late Rev. Mr. Balcom, who was then pastor, and who preached the opening sermon. He was succeeded by the late Rev. George F. Miles, who in turn was succeeded by Rev. D. A. Steel, who was pastor for over thirty years in 1884.

Rev. J. J. Teasdale of the New Brunswick Conference, preached in the Baptist Methodist church, Sydney, C. B., on Sunday.

WILL COMBINE RELIGION AND AGRICULTURE

Ministers to Attend Agricultural School and do Farm Work in Order to Get in Sympathy With Parishioners.

AMHERST, Mass., Aug. 2.—An unique combination of religion and agriculture will be made here this week, when the federation of churches of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will hold a series of conferences in co-operation with the summer school of the Massachusetts Agricultural College. These conferences are to be devoted to country ministers and other workers in behalf of rural progress and were brought about largely through the efforts of President Butterfield of the Agricultural College. The fundamental purpose is to bring the country minister into closer relations with his parishioners. President Butterfield believes that in order for the clergyman in a rural community to come to a realization of the point of view and the needs of people to whom he ministers, it is necessary for him to get a practical idea of the work of the farmer. This, President Butterfield thinks he cannot do unless he gets right into the field himself.

POLICE PUT A STOP TO SUNDAY BALL GAME

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 2.—While a baseball game between the Brockton team of the New England League and the Newport team, was in progress here today, before 2,000 people, including many prominent Newporters, the police stepped in and arrested the pitcher and catcher of the Newport team and the Brockton man at the bat.

The men arrested were Pitcher Coffey and Catcher Dillon, of the Newport team and Fenner, of the Brockton team. The men were charged with "playing ball on the first day of the week, to wit: Sunday." They were held in \$100 dollars each for their appearance at a hearing on Friday.

SCORES OF LIVES LOST AND THOUSANDS ARE HOMELESS AS A RESULT OF TERRIFIC BUSH FIRES IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Flames Raging for Nearly a Hundred Miles up the Kootenay Valley—Ferne, Hosmer, Crows Nest and Other Places Completely Wiped Out, Inhabitants Fleeing in Terror for Their Lives—Several Bodies Recovered, but Loss of Life Cannot be Estimated Now—Five Families Perish Together—6,000 People Homeless—Fatalities Growing Every Hour.

FERNE, Aug.—The mining town of Ferne, B. C., was wiped out by bush fires which got beyond control Saturday afternoon, and burned all night. There are now (Sunday evening) sweeping up the valley towards Coal Creek, and the only escape left to the people of that town is by a difficult trail over the mountains. They will have to leave all their property behind.

the Great Northern railway depot was burned this afternoon and the town is reported doomed. If the fire spreads east from the Elk River along the Canadian Pacific, nothing can save this town.

extent of the loss of lives and property. A Horrible Story NELSON, B. C., Aug. 2.—The dreadful disaster in the Crows Nest Pass has proven to be even worse than at first reported. Not merely has the fire obliterated Ferne, but Coal Creek is feared and other towns have gone out of existence, swept clean by the destroying element.

A Seething Hell MICHEL, B. C., Aug. 1.—The worst forest fire in the history of this town is raging on the hills south and north of the town, fanned by a terrific wind. The fire was carried for miles at a time. No damage has yet been done to buildings. This fact is due entirely to the northeast wind. People are moving out to the Michel prairie or any place that might possibly afford a place of safety. The worst danger now is the fire raging near Sparwood, and following the mountains along the chain. There is no communication from Hosmer or Ferne. At Hosmer,

Hosmer and Ferne are reported to have burned to the ground. Entirely from Michel west to Ferne everything is destroyed. It is feared that the loss of life will be greater since the San Francisco disaster. The situation here is unchanged. The hills surrounding the town are a seething furnace. A C. P. R. engine is here ready to take the people to the Crows Nest if it comes to the worst. The situation is almost beyond description. Only an eye-witness can picture the horrors of a town of over three thousand souls hemmed in on all sides by walls of flame. It will take days to fully ascertain the

Nelson sent the following reply: "Carload supplies leaving this morning. Nelson sincerely sympathizes and will do all possible to assist. Am coming with supplies. (Sgd.) D. C. MORRIS, Acting Mayor." The Daily News woke Nelson shortly before eight and a citizens' emergency meeting was held in the newspaper office, lasting all night. Nelson responded bravely and at 4 o'clock the C. P. R. steamer started off with a carload of provisions, tents and blankets. Acting Mayor Captain D. C. Morris personally accompanied the first relief instalment and he will represent Nelson on the ground until the first great shock is over.

Travelling Caps.

No matter where you may be going on a vacation, a cap is a necessity, for traveling, outing or wearing around.

We've Caps to suit every man and boy—for Quality—Style—Prices. We've the largest range of patterns to choose from and can fit large or small heads.

Felt Caps, \$1.50 Just the Thing for Motoring

D. Magee's Sons, 63 KING STREET.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE PRINCESS REPLENS.

Theatregoers will be pleased to learn that the Princess after a thorough re-veninging reopens today and besides an excellent programme of moving pictures Harry Newcombe, the favorite of all baritones, having returned from an extensive tour of the United States, will be heard in the latest illustrated songs.



MR. HARRY NEWCOMBE

The programme of pictures are shown for the first time in the city and are entitled, "The Penniless Post," "The Clarinet Solo," "I Do, Declare," and "Dignity to Get Rid of Bad Money."

Mr. Newcombe will be welcomed back to the city by his hundreds of admirers.

HUMANOV AT NICKEL—BE EARLY

Today's patrons of Nickel Theatre are respectfully requested to avoid the rush hours, for the Great Humanov attraction will make the attendance particularly large. At 1:30 o'clock the first production of the French drama, "The Two Orphans," by the Humanov Company will be put on and thereafter at every show until 10 o'clock at night. The shows will run about forty minutes, and every facility will be employed to have them conducted quickly and smoothly, thus accommodating all who attend. Extra ushers and assistants will look after the seating arrangements. Aside from the Humanov-players who supply dialogue for the pictures—there will be a brand new show of motion pictures, introducing the drama, "The White Squaw," and the screaming Pathé comedies, "Four Officers" and "Nervous Twitching." Miss Isabel Foley will sing that lovely writing, "Girl Good-Night," and Jack Gurney's number is to be the new kid-song, "Ho-oo-oo!"

IN THE CHURCHES.

At St. David's church Rev. J. A. Morrison, of Chicago, a former pastor, preached at both services. There were large congregations. Dr. Morrison will preach again next Sunday.

At the Every Day Club last evening Rev. A. B. Cohoe and Rev. Mr. Dockrill, of Moncton, gave able addresses, which were listened to by a large congregation.

At nine o'clock mass in the Cathedral yesterday, His Lordship Bishop Casey paid a fitting tribute to Cardinal Sarto, now Pope Pius, the Supreme Pontiff of Rome, who was elected to that office just five years ago.

Rev. A. T. Dykesman presided at both services in Leinster street Baptist church yesterday for large congregations.

At German street Baptist church both morning and evening services were conducted by Rev. A. A. Lewis, of Bridgetown, N. S.

Dr. E. M. Kierstead, professor in McMaster University, Toronto, occupied the pulpit in Victoria street church last evening in the absence of the acting pastor, George C. F. Kierstead, who preached in Fairview Baptist church yesterday. Rev. C. W. Townsend assisted in the services. Rev. B. H. Nobles, pastor of the church, is spending the summer at Hampstead.

The pulpit in the Main street Baptist church was occupied by Rev. Grant Dockrill, of Moncton, yesterday, and a large congregation listened to his sermon. Venerable Archdeacon Raymond returned from England via Quebec Saturday, and conducted both services at St. Mary's church yesterday.

He was a collector for an installment house, new at the business and sensitive about performing an unpleasant duty. He was particularly embarrassed because the lady upon whom he had called to perform this unpleasant duty, was so exceedingly polite. Still the van appeared at the door, and the lady was named her name.

"Good morning," said the lady. "It's a beautiful day, isn't it?" "Beautiful," he agreed. "Won't you take a chair?" she said. "Er—no, thank you, not this morning," he stammered. "I've come to do that ever came this way. It tells the

August 3rd, '08.

A BARGAIN OPPORTUNITY

A Big Remnant Sale

In All Departments Tomorrow. The Clean-up after our Summer Clearance Sale! Prices cut to lowest on notch. All ends and odd sizes.

Useful Ends Dress Goods And Plain Cloths. A thrifty mother can secure a winter's supply for girls' dresses, misses' dresses, even small pieces for jumper suits. There are ends of Venetian broadcloth, tweed and light weight goods for pretty house dresses. Ladies' dress lengths and skirt lengths also plenty to choose from when sale starts, but won't last long!

Half Price and Less A Hundred or More Ends Pretty Silks; Some Dress Lengths, Too. Four, five to ten, twelve and even fifteen yard lengths of pretty summer dress silks, many of them long enough for jumper suits. There are fine checks, cross bar silks and plain colors.

75c. and 85c. Suits for 50c. yd

Pretty White Lawn Shirt Waists Reduced. All fine goods, the best designs have their prices cut now and laid out on tables on lots at the following—

Sale Prices Now \$1.00, 1.30, 1.69

Ladies' White Shirt Waist Suits Reduced. White Lawn and Duck Suits. Sale Prices, \$2.75, 3.65, 3.98

\$12.50 Muslin Dress, . . . . . \$8.75 \$3.00 White Muslin Dress, . . . . . \$2.50

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SIX

The Foolish Piece of My Uncle

By F. D. BARROWS.

I had refused to take any sort of a vacation, and had managed to keep my... "Why, it is the fisherman!" I cried, stepping out and smiling myself.

name. So I am no longer in the sulks. Let's try something of George Ade's... The rain came in a steady pattering against the windows, the fire crackled and Aunt Phoebe's parlor was heavenly.

GERMANY'S EMPIRE OF WAGE EARNERS

COLOGNE, Ger.—Germany has set an example for Europe in making employment for workers the most important of national issues. It adopted the protective policy of the most advanced system of developing home industries and supplying a rapidly increasing population with work.

EMPIRE OF WAGE EARNERS

The municipalities are prepared for emergencies which seldom occur. Ordinarily there is work in Cologne and the other industrial towns all the year round for those who seek it, and there are the most systematic arrangements for enabling the unemployed to earn their living.

WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED

If he remains out of employment he loses working power, is physically incapacitated, and is a burden on society. Every effort has to be made in the interest of social welfare to obtain employment for him as soon as possible.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

It is a clearing house for unemployed workers and is conducted so efficiently and impartially that trades unions and employers' associations unite in supporting it.

NATURE AND A WOMAN'S WORK

Nature and a woman's work combined have produced the grandest remedy for women's ills that the world has ever known.

THE NEW TENANTS

"They seem to be practicing a duet in the next act."

TWO WAYS

Howell—There are different ways for a man to advertise his business.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Construction," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon of Thursday, the 20th day of August, 1910.

THREE HUNDRED FOREIGNERS STRIKE

G.T.P. Laborers Want More Money

Moncton Police Lodge Three Ringleaders in Jail

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—Demanding an increase of wages from \$1.50 to \$1.75 a day, three hundred foreign laborers employed on the Grand Trunk Pacific yesterday afternoon went on strike and for a time it was feared violence would ensue.

PRUDENCE

"Why do you always announce your intention of going to Europe at least six months in advance?"

THE FIRE AT SYDNEY

SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 2.—Fire early this morning gutted and destroyed the furniture of a dwelling owned by G. M. Schurman of this city near the corner of George and Amelia streets.

THREE MINERS SUFFOCATED

CORRAL, Aug. 2.—Three miners from Cape Breton named Foley, McDonald and Gilles, the latter a married man, were suffocated by gas in French's mine at Elk Lake, on the Montserrat River today at 45 foot level.

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There is no need of anyone suffering long with this disease, for to effect a quick cure it is only necessary to take a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

In fact, in most cases one dose is sufficient. It never fails and can be relied upon in the most severe and dangerous cases.

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COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS
Chicago Market Report and New York
Lottery Market.

Table of stock prices including Amalgamated, Am. Sugar Refs., Am. Smelt. and Rig., etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT
Sept. corn, wheat, pork, etc.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
Dom. I. and S. pfd., C. P. R., etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET
August, October, December, etc.

J. M. Robinson and Sons,
Private Wire Telegram,
Morning Sales, August 3, 1914.

Morning Cotton Letter—Saturday's
market closed up pretty well and it is
estimated that during the last few min-

N. Y. Air Brake was being pulled by
pool. Low priced issues are generally
tipped for higher prices.

CROWD THERE
TO WELCOME
LOCAL KNIGHTS

St. John Men Reach
Boston

TWAS LIVELY TRIP

Capt. Pike of Austin Says
It Was Liveliest in His
Memory

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—The provinces by
the sea will be conspicuous in the
great Knights of Pythias convention
which will be formally opened in Bos-

IMPORTANT ELECTION

Owing to the fact that the place of
major general will be filled by election
at the coming convention for the first
time since the establishment of the Uni-

TUESDAY'S PARADE

The order of the parade of the uni-
form rank on Tuesday afternoon has
just been determined, it is arranged ac-

THE BRIGADES

The brigades will march in the fol-
lowing order, under command of the
brigadier-generals as named:

Kentucky and Tennessee, James E.
McCracken, William E.
New Jersey and Vermont, William E.
Hitchock.

New Hampshire, Norman T. Lougee.
Texas, Louisiana and Florida, J. H.
Thill.

Georgia, Charles A. Cox.
Colorado, Wyoming and New Mexico,
officer to be designated to take the
Place of Gen. Prattin of the staff.

Massachusetts, John W. McBride, of
Boston.

Pennsylvania, J. M. Reichard.
West Virginia, C. A. Barrow.
Indiana, Merrit E. Wilson.

New York, O. W. Westroff.
Washington, Paul P. Walsh.
Oregon, Laurel M. Hoyt.

Iowa, C. C. Cone.
Mississippi, Frank Porowitz.
Kansas, Harry Jencks.
California, J. F. Driml.

Maine, Walter Reid.
THE ROUTE OF MARCH.

Both Tuesday's and Wednesday's
parades will form a grand army Com-
monwealth avenue, Beacon and New-
bury streets, to avoid tying up the
subway traffic on Boylston street.

SAYS MANUSCRIPT
IS NOT ORIGINAL

German Savor on Recently Discovered
Book of Joshua—Copied in
the 16th Century.

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—Dr. Yahuda, pro-
fessor of Semitic Philology, and an em-
inent Orientalist, is of the opinion that
the text of the Samaritan version of
the Book of Joshua, which has been
discovered by Moses Gaster, is not
an original but a copy of a copy of a
manuscript, written certainly not
earlier than the sixteenth century.

CLOUDBURST KILLS
A GIRL IN NEVADA

Three Laborers Met Death on Railway—
Saloon Keeper Found Murdered.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 2.—A telephone
message from Verdi, Nev., says a de-
structive cloudburst visited that sec-
tion yesterday, and a cloudburst in
Spanish Canyon near Steamboat
Springs yesterday caught several per-
sons in the rush of water, but after
battling desperately they finally saved
themselves. Much live stock and tim-
ber were swept away.

AMERICAN FARMERS COMING TO
CANADA

New York Times' persistent Remarks
on Emigration and Railway
Enterprise.

McAVITY'S TEAM VS
ST. RAILWAY EMPLOYES

On Saturday afternoon a very inter-
esting game of ball was played be-
tween the employees of the St. John
and Sons, Ltd., and the street railway men,
which resulted in a tie score, the
game being called in the eighth inning
on account of the conductors having to
go to work. In the first inning the
railway men got a lead of nine runs
but after that they never had a lookin.

ARCHBISHOP FARLEY
RECEIVED BY THE POPE

ROME, Aug. 2.—Archbishop Farley,
New York, visited the Vatican to-
day and was received with great hon-
or. Major Dono Bissini, the Private
Chamberlain, and Officers of the Noble
and Palatine Guards accompanied him
to the door of the Papal private
apartment. The Pope received the
Archbishop in the most affable man-
ner and entertained him for more
than half an hour. The Archbishop pre-
sented the public greeting and offer-
ing of the New York Arch Diocese
of \$10,000. The Pope was most pleased
and thanked the Archbishop for the
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TRAIN STRIKES AUTO
WITH FATAL RESULTS

One Man Killed, One Likely to Die and
Four Others Seriously
Injured.

NEW YORK, N.Y., Aug. 2.—One man
was instantly killed and five seriously
injured, two of whom are likely to
die, when an automobile was struck by
a train on the Susquehanna R. R. at
a crossing in Bogota, N. J., late to-
night.

LOCAL NEWS.

No. 1 Battery 3rd Regiment C. A.
will parade tomorrow evening at 7:30.
Review order for inspection by General
Lake.

Don't wait too long about having
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The police were called in to Walter
Nairn's house on North street Saturday
to quell a disturbance.

The Cedar management has secured
the services of Professor J. W. J. Car-
din, the celebrated hypnotist for one
more week. Special mention may be
made of the excellent pictures for Mon-
day and Tuesday: "The Moonshiner's
Daughter," "Ancient Rome," "The
Closing Hour," and "The Man in the
Box." Perry Sawyer, the Cedar's popu-
lar vocalist, will be heard in new
songs, equal to his great hit last week.
Admission 5c.

BLACK-MURRAY.
On Saturday afternoon, at the resi-
dence of Rev. Gideon Swinn, who per-
formed the ceremony, Harry Herman
Black, of Wickham, and Miss Lottie
M. Murray, of Fredericton, were united
in marriage. A few friends of the con-
tracting parties witnessed the cere-
mony.

Mr. and Mrs. Black left on the Mas-
sachusetts on Saturday evening for their
future home in Wickham.

THE COWES REGATTA

COWES, Aug. 2.—The Cowes Regatta,
the concluding event of the social sea-
son, was opened today under the most
favorable auspices. There was a bril-
liant sunbath and a light breeze over
the rippling waters of the Solent, giv-
ing promise of good racing weather.
The anchorage of the town is crowd-
ed with yachts representing all na-
tions, among them being the King's
new cruiser, Alexandria, with members
of the Royal family aboard, Emperor
William's racing schooner Meteor, the
Prince of Wales's Corisande, and Mor-
ton H. Piant's Lolo, flying the stars
and stripes. There is particular inter-
est in the races for the twenty-three
metres class in which Sir Thomas
Ligon's Shamrock is entered.

R. P. HOBSON'S COUSIN
ELOPES; IN THE TOMBS

Charged With Embezzlement, But Declares
That It's Not Real Complaint.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Edward M.
Hobson, the cousin of Richmond P.
Hobson of Merrimac fame, was ar-
raigned in court here today on the
charge of embezzlement. The complaint
came from Major Sylvester, chief of
police at Washington.

FREDERICTON RAGES

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 2.—
The trotting park association have
made arrangements to have the 2:35
and 2:55 classes for Wednesday,
August 5th. In the former there will
be twelve pure starters, and in the lat-
ter, twelve mixed starters. The Spring-
field classes will consist of 2:15, 2:31
and 2:47. The names of the complai-
ners and the nature of the alleged em-
bezzlement were not disclosed at the
hearing. Hobson was remanded to the
jail on a default of \$500 bail.

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Beautiful decorations in Pink or Green color effects, at
MARVELOUS LOW PRICES

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78 TO 82 KING ST.

First-Class Service
Bread Purity

Neatness and dispatch, excellent cook-
ing. Chinese dishes served. Meals 25c.
\$ meals \$1.00. Board \$2.50 weekly.
Lunches at all hours.

HONG KONG RESTAURANT,
54 Mill Street.

NORTH END CIGAR STORE,
565 Main St.

Full line of Foreign and
Domestic Cigars. Popular
brands of Tobacco. A
fine assortment of pipes
and smokers' goods.
Your patronage solicited.

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BRING RESULTS

HYGIENIC BAKERY,
134 to 138 Mill St. Phone 1167
ERNEST J. HIRATT, Proprietor.

All that GOOD in Loose
Leaf

Good Ruling
Good Printing
Good Binding
Good Workmen

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FLEET AT THE FLIES.

SUVVA, Fiji Islands, Aug. 2.—The
United States Atlantic fleet, at 8 p.
m., Saturday, was in latitude 15.4, S.;
longitude 172.4, W., being distant from
Auckland, N. Z., 1,500 miles.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

BOY WANTED—Apply McPartland,
The Tailor, 72 Princess St. 3-8-2

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work in family of four. No washing.
Apply evenings between seven and
eight, or by mail to 183 Sydney street.
3-8-4

THE GREAT SALE STILL GAINING
IN FORCE AND FAVOR AS THE
BARGAINS ARE BECOMING
BETTER KNOWN.

This is truly the banner bargain event of all our previous
special efforts. But there is every reason evident for the great
success of this mighty movement.

Never in our history were we compelled to dispose of such
an enormous stock of fine seasonable goods at the end of any
season, hence to protect our own interests for the future, and
take no chances of carrying over any goods, we inaugurated
this great clearance sale.

Before we attempt to offer this stock to the public, we
realized that we were "up against" the volume of goods was
so enormous that our only chance for clearance was at a tre-
mendous sacrifice.

For good, sound business reasons, losses are sometimes
advisable.

When this sale was announced, we stated that neither
cost nor profit would be considered—we proved our statements
by the crowds that were here continually from Wednesday un-
til Saturday, the first four days of the sale.

And remember this sale is booked for 10 days only, there-
fore Saturday of this week will be the last day.

There are still hundreds of splendid bargains all through the
store, but the earlier you take advantage, the stronger the vari-
ety—as stocks are rapidly moving out.

C. B. PIDGEON,

North End. Corner Main and Bridge Streets

# POOR DOCUMENT M C 2 3 4

EIGHT

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 1908.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure.

## Dykeman's



### LADIES' WAISTS

At Very Special Prices.

Only about 60 waists in the lot. They were secured from the manufacturer at half the usual price, and they go on sale Tuesday morning at the same big discount. They are the finer grades, made of Persian lawn, silk lawn, silk, allover net, and lawn. Prices run from \$1.00 to \$2.75.

### CORSETS FOR STOUT LADIES.

A gem of comfort and of a quality that gives perfect shape and great wear. The only corset that is made on purely scientific principles.

Price, \$3.50 Pair. All Sizes.

F. A. DYKMAN & Co.

59 CHARLOTTE ST.

### THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate to fresh north-west to west winds, fine and warm today and on Tuesday.

### LOCAL NEWS

A gentleman's glove found on Sydney street awaits an owner at Central Police Station.

The Union Ice Co. wagon lost a wheel on Mill street Saturday afternoon by coming in contact with the car track.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at their rooms, Germain street.

The 62nd band will meet at drill hall at 7:45 sharp in uniform and carry caps, with instruments. Every member is expected to attend.

There will be a special meeting of King Edward Lodge P. A. B. in their hall, Guilford street, W. B., on Wednesday evening.

In the police court this morning there were nine prisoners, viz., seven Saturday drunks, one Sunday drunk, and James Ramsey with Dennis Callaghan charged with fighting on Brunswick St. The drunks were all dealt with in the usual way, while the scrappers were fined \$20 each.

The police court officials have not yet decided what will be done with the young Abertley, who is charged with stealing a street car fare box. The boy is in jail and is suffering from severe attack of mumps. It is anticipated to the Industrial Home others of his class might get the swelled head. He has not been disposed of yet.

In accordance with the soundings made at Sand Point by the harbor master and Engineer Sheven, Mr. Mayes' dredge has done a couple of days' work clearing up the berth on the southern side of his slip. It is understood that some more work will be necessary before the berth will be entirely free from unsavory.

We have recognized neither cost nor profit on the balance of our great summer stock of fine merchandise. Our object is to dispose of the greater part of this tremendous volume of high grade, ultra-fashionable merchandise. We have inaugurated such low prices that no one in need of wearables for present or future use can afford to pass by this great clearance sale. All price reductions are based on the lowest underselling regular prices for which "The Pidgeon Standard" has a reputation as the most liberal value given in this entire community. C. B. Pidgeon, Corner Main and Bridge streets, North End.

Look at the Classified Ads.

## August Sale of Fine Quality Oxford Shoes and Lace Boots.

The shoes in this sale consist of broken sizes of this summer's styles and other lines which we have decided to discontinue. See Prices in Wednesday's Papers. If you take advantage of this sale you will get a pair of the best known American shoes at a lower price than they are sold at in Boston.



**NELSON'S NEW CENTURY LIBRARY.**  
Books, Scott and Thackeray, India Paper, Limp Leather.  
Price 75 Cents.  
E. G. NELSON & CO.,  
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

**GLASS FRUIT JARS**  
We sell the Schram Automatic Seal—  
Pints, 7c.; Quarts 8c. each.  
Fruit Jar Rings, 5c. doz.  
Tin Top Jelly Tumblers, 6c. doz.  
Table Tumblers, 4c. 6c. 9c. doz.  
Thin Glass Tumblers, 5c. each.  
Cut Glass Tumblers, \$1.10 to \$2.00 doz.  
Great values in Table Glassware.  
O.S. Lines of Crockery at clearing prices. Come for bargains.  
Arnold's Department Store,  
Phone 1785, 83-85 Charlotte St.



**We are Engaged**  
In the general jewelry business, and we have made a reputation for sterling honesty. We are receiving constantly new designs in Lockets, Brooches, Chains, etc., and our Watches, for both Ladies and Gentlemen, are well known to be accurate time-keepers. We also carry an enormous stock of Souvenir Goods at very moderate prices.  
A. POYAS,  
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,  
Tel. 1892, 16 Mill St.

**PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE**  
McCALL PATTERNS 10 & 15c

**Better Lose A Sale Than Lose A Customer**  
we tell the truth, cotton is not wool in this store. A special sale of PLAIN CASHMERE HOSE FOR LADIES, but wait a minute, they are not all cashmere, but 1-4 cotton, which will help the wear. Seamless feet. These hose are worth more, our  
Price  
**25c.**  
Pair  
Cor. Duke and Charlotte St.  
Store Open Evenings.

**BORINGS COMMENCED**  
The work of making the borings in Courtenay Bay was begun today. This morning some of the apparatus was placed in position and the additional apparatus was taken around to the scene of the borings this afternoon on a scow. The work is being commenced opposite the British street, and as the men get used to the work the borings will be continued out toward the channel.

## BOARD OF TRADE IS ON THE WARP

Will Have No More Nonsense on the Part of Council.

Street Railway Agreement and Appointment of a Director the Two Most Pressing Matters.

If the proposed ten year agreement between the city and the street railway for \$2,000 per year, which is to come before the common council today, is finally approved by the aldermen, all those who vote in favor of it may make up their minds to say farewell to city hall at the end of the present electoral year. If a director of public works is not appointed within a month, and the street department put on a more practical basis, the aldermen who neglect this duty will be voted out of office at the earliest opportunity. This, in brief, is the decision of the board of trade, which organization has of late been taking a more than usually deep interest in the methods of conducting civic business. Members of the board as individuals have on two or three occasions, tried to arrange tickets for the civic elections, but have not met with much success. A few days ago the board was snubbed by the board of works when it formally suggested the appointment of a competent man as director. This started trouble right away, and the feeling has been intensified by the proposed deal with the street railway. The objection to this latest proposal is that the sum mentioned, based on the record of past years, is not large enough. The city lost money during the term of the agreement, and since it was made the street railway mileage has increased considerably and the amount of money now asked is not proportionately large. This at least is the argument put forward, and those who oppose the agreement are strong in their opinions. These two things, combined with what is regarded as extreme looseness of method in the past, have had an awakening effect on the board of trade, and already a determined campaign is being arranged for the overthrow of the entire council as at present constituted, unless reforms are introduced.

## TYPOS WANT TO KNOW ABOUT LICENSE FEES

A Letter to the Council Asking Why Telegraph-Times Strike Breakers Are Not Asked to Pay.

The following letter will be read at the meeting of the common council this afternoon:  
To the Mayor and Commonality of the City of St. John.  
Gentlemen: St. John Typographical Union wish to draw your attention to a matter in which its members are, and the citizens generally should be interested, namely: At the present time there are employed on the St. John Daily Telegraph and Evening Times typewriters of twenty non-taxpayers, who have been secured in the United States, the Upper Provinces and other places. These men have taken the positions of taxpayers of our city, and are paid bonuses salaries in excess of that formerly paid by these papers, and should be compelled to pay their quota for the privileges enjoyed. After repeated efforts on the part of the Typographical Union, we have been unable to enforce the city by-law in reference to the collection of license fees from the aforementioned employees of the Telegraph and Times, and therefore have decided to bring the matter before your honorable body for the purpose of investigating whether it is fear of favor that has deterred your officials from enforcing the law in the matter. Appended is a list of names, a copy of which has been handed to the Mayor's clerk.  
Yours truly,  
W. H. COATES,  
Secretary.

## PERSONAL

Otto C. Rebeck, surveyor, expects to leave here on the 10th inst. to reside permanently with his son, Otto L., in Claremont, Ala.  
Mrs. S. D. Sugat, nee Hammond, will receive her friends on Thursday afternoon at her mother's home, Fairville.  
Judge Willrich returned to the city this morning.  
Miss F. Bradley arrived on the C. P. R. express this morning.  
Miss Evelyn Kiernan returned to the city this morning.  
Rev. Martin J. Mahoney, C. S. S. R., returned this morning from St. Stephen.  
Dr. E. C. Hanington, of Philadelphia, arrived in the city this morning on a visit to his father, T. B. Hanington, the post master.  
C. W. Burpee, superintendent of the C. P. R. at Brownville, reached the city this morning in his private car.  
Miss Hewitt, lady superintendent of the General Public Hospital, left this morning for a well earned vacation in Prince Edward Island.  
Mrs. Stanley K. Smith is spending a few days at Blisville.  
Clarence Needham, of the Malden, Mass., fire department, is in the city visiting his father, Geo. C. Needham.  
Dr. Frank White, of Milford, Mass., accompanied by his wife, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. Scott, of Douglas Avenue. Next week they will visit Mr. White's father, C. W. White, of White Cove.  
John Russell, Sr., returned this morning from Montreal.  
Richard Lee, the west side contractor, left for Cole's Island on Friday last and will attempt to raise the burned steamer Crystal Stream. Mr. Lee took a couple of lighters, and with a good supply of wrecking gear expects to be successful in his venture.

## TENASITINE

Sticks Everything, 15 cents.

## ROYAL PHARMACY

King Street.  
FOR RENT  
Our office 54 Prince Wm. St. under Bank of Montreal.  
Great Bargains before removing to our new store now occupied by Mr. S. W. Scammell on Charlotte St.

## Parents Attention!

Once again I beg to call your attention to the fact that the vacations are rapidly drawing to a close. Now is the time to have your children's teeth attended to. Don't procrastinate. We make a specialty of children's teeth. We do all our work well and painlessly. We do all the highest grade work in dentistry at the most reasonable prices in Canada. ONCE OUR PATIENT, ALWAYS OUR PATIENT.  
BOSTON DENTAL PARLOWS,  
DR. J. B. MAHER, Prop.  
Tel. 683, 527 Main Street

## WEAR THE KING HAT

New Fall Styles Ready.

## WILCOX BROS

Dock Street and Market Square.

**BARGAINS IN MUSIC**  
Drop in when passing, and look over our 19c. counter. New things added daily.  
DOMINION SPECIALTY CO., LTD.  
Phone 1232-41, 16 Sydney St. Near Union.

## THE 2 BARKERS,

100 Princess Street, 111 Brussels St. and 441 Main St.  
11 ounces to the bar.  
A regular 25c. can of Cocoa, for 15c.  
A 10c. Box of Blandings for 5c.  
A 10c. package of Swift's Washing Powder, for 5c.  
5 packages White Wave Washing Powder, for 25c.  
Pure Cream Tartar, 25 cents lb.  
Preserving Jars, pints 5 cents, quarts 6 cents, 1-2 gallons 7 c. each.

## Shirts for Men

We are offering today an exceptionally fine line of Men's Shirts, in latest designs and colorings at very moderate prices.

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| Soft Front Shirts,.....       | 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25 |
| Pleated Front Shirts,.....    | 1.00, 1.25                 |
| Starched Shirts,.....         | 1.00                       |
| Fancy Outing Shirts,.....     | 75c., 90c., 1.00           |
| Duck and Gingham Shirts,..... | 50c., 70c., 75c.           |
| Black Duck Shirts,.....       | 50c., 75c.                 |
| Black Sateen,.....            | 50c., 75c., 90c., \$1.00   |

## S. W. McMackin, 335 Main St., N.E.

## SUNDAY MUNCHING

Nothing better than the candy we sell! Simply because we buy the best, and it's always fresh. Day before yesterday another lot of Moir's Chocolates opened. Better get some tonight!  
"RELIABLE" ROBB, The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte St.

## SATURDAY SPECIAL

WE WILL GIVE SUFFICIENT ENVELOPES for the quantity of paper purchased  
T. H. HALL, 57 King St.

## SOME BARGAIN LAWN WAISTS LEFT

WE STILL HAVE LEFT A PRETTY SELECTION OF LAWN SHIRT WAISTS which we are clearing at still further reduced prices. Here is afforded an excellent chance to replenish your stock of Waists for Fall and Winter, as this particular kind of garment is as good for Winter as for Summer.

## NEW NET SILK AND LUSTRE WAISTS

RICH, PRETTY GARMENTS FOR FALL  
NET WAISTS—We are showing some very pretty Net Waists, in white. They have just arrived. \$6.00 and \$6.25.  
BLACK SILK WAISTS—Black Jap., made of good Jap. silk, pleated. Buttoned up the front and with long sleeves and pleated cuffs. (Sizes, 34 to 42.) Price, \$3.00.  
BLACK PEAU DE SOIE WAISTS—Made-up very prettily with box pleats and tucking open front, long sleeves with pleated cuffs. Price, \$5.50. (Sizes, 34 to 42.)  
BLACK TAFFETA WAISTS—Made-up with tuckings and pleats. Latest shapes. Buttoned in back, long sleeves. Prices, \$5.25, 6.00, 6.50. (Sizes range, 34 to 42.)  
SILK ROOM

WE HAVE ALSO SOME PRETTY BLACK TAFFETA WAISTS—Lace yoke and lace trimmings. Buttoned in the back and with short sleeves. Prices from \$7.25 to \$11.25. (Bust, 34 to 40.)  
BLACK SATEEN WAISTS—Our special blouse at \$1.50. Nicely tucked and made of good quality sateen. Fit guaranteed. (Sizes, 34 to 44 bust.)  
BLACK LUSTRE WAISTS—Another special at \$1.90. Nicely pleated and good-fitting. (Sizes, 32 to 40.)  
WHITE JAP. SILK WAISTS—3-4 sleeves, Buttoned in front and back. Daintily trimmed with laces and silk embroidery. \$4.25 to \$6.00.  
WHITE TAFFETA SILK WAISTS and WHITE NET WAISTS, with Dresden trimmings. All at Various Prices.

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