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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, trousers, and hats.

Wonderful Hat Bargains.

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

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.

DIARRHOEA

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.

THE GOVERNOR OF NEWFOUNDLAND SAFE

But at Least Forty Fishing Vessels Were Lost in the Storm

ST. JOHN'S, 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

KINGSTON, July 31.—Barrieffield village, just across the harbor from Kingston, is excited over the departure of Rev. J. H. Nimmo, rector of St. Mark's Anglican church, with one of his parishioners, Miss Agnes Stewart.

TRADE CONDITIONS AND CUSTOMS REVENUE

Depression Causes Decrease as Compared With Last Year

OTTAWA, July 31.—The customs revenue is still showing the effect of the falling off in imports consequent upon the trade depression which began last fall.

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.

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.

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NEW STOCK PATTERNS IN MEDIUM PRICED CHINA DINNERWARE

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

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neatness and dispatch, excellent cooking. Chinese dishes served. Meals 50c, 6 meals \$1.00. Board \$1.50 weekly. Lunches at all hours.

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

STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS

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.

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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 mid-summer 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 business, we have selected the most desirable goods to be sold at the lowest possible prices. 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.

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Dickens, Scott and Thackeray. India Paper. Limp Leather.
Price 75 Cents

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We sell the Schram Automatic Seal—
Pint, 7c.; Quart, 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.

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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.

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WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,
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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. The parade will leave the hall at six o'clock and if the evening is fine, will, in all probability, take a roundabout course through the principal streets, 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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Sticks Everything, 15 cents.

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Canned Corn, 8c. a can.
3 pint bottles Worcester Sauce, for 25c.
A regular 25c. can of Coffee, 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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PARENTS! HERE ARE BARGAINS WORTH THINKING ABOUT.

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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 skimmed 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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Preserving Kettles

Light, Strong, Durable.

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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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IN SUITS AND
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For Men and Boys

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SPECIAL PRICE

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Fast Colours, Latest Shapes, Easy Fitting

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WATER WINGS

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

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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 detriment and afterwards always for the annihilation 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.—Gedid 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 Gedid'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 battleship 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 cost 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.

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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 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 the road made to check the conflagration and by the heroic work of the residents and the firemen the few remaining houses were saved.

About 800 men, women and children fled to the company's office, the fact of which was isolated and surrounded 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 opposite and in a short time the buildings were a mass of flames. Store after store and hotel after hotel caught fire and the flames spread until by one unit or 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 residence 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 supplies 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 belongings. 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 made its way 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 monster and save their property from destruction 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 report gave reason to believe. The damage cannot fall short of five millions of dollars, the greater loss falling on the P. E. B., 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 disaster can be measured better by the fact that the few buildings left standing by a detailed list of the spread destruction. The remains of what was once the bustling little town of Fernie, the erections that housed a population of about 7,000 souls, ten or eleven small cottages and five or six residences, all situated near the park now stand. For the rest there is not a store, bank, hotel or business house of any description left standing except the office 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 requirements. 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 Hoarner. Reports say that the total number of deaths will run to about a hundred, but this may be greatly exaggerated.

The new C. P. R. tipple destroyed and part of the town swept utterly away. The business portion is estimated 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 W. Laurier has sent a message to Cranbrook, B. C., in response to the message for federal assistance received last night, stating that General Macdonald, quartermaster general, has been instructed to place all tents and military blankets, etc., belonging to the militia department in British Columbia at the disposal of the fire sufferers. The district officers commanding in the Province will take charge of the distribution. The question of giving further federal aid will be discussed at a council meeting this afternoon.

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There were many minor bills passed and although the first part of the session had been fruitless, the extensions

have been put off until the autumn sittings. These include the Licensing bill, which reached the committee and so seriously opposed in the House of Commons and unless it is radically amended it will be thrown out of the House of Lords. Next in importance is the Education bill on which, however, an effort is being made to reach a compromise. The government got well forward on the measure to establish the 8 hour day in the coal mines. The port of London bill reached the committee stage in the House of Commons. The bill proposed to establish a new port of entry in London which will extend river accommodations for shipping so that new docks may be constructed. Under the bill the purchase of docks will not be compulsory. The children's bill, which aims at abolishment of juvenile smoking, the discontinuance of the practice of sending children under 15 years of age to jail, the establishment of children's courts and making better the supervision of children's homes, is another measure which will take up some time at the fall session.

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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 some 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 stated 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 88 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.

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 completing his 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 the Northwest. Artisans and clerks, unless accustomed to manual labor, are not required on these excursions, and anyone who is unable or unwilling to work at least a month should not go on these excursions. Complete arrangements have been made by the Northwest governments and the Canadian Pacific Railway for handling the laborers expeditiously and distributing them immediately to points where they are required. Complete arrangements have been made by the Northwest governments and the Canadian Pacific Railway for handling the laborers expeditiously and distributing them immediately to points where they are required.

J. W. Arnold, representing John Taylor and Co., Ltd., Toronto, handed a ten dollar check to the treasurer of the Seaman's Institute for the building fund. Rev. James Crisp delivered a very earnest and helpful address last evening to the seamen. There were a number of requests for reading matter. Flowers were sent in by Mrs. H. S. Cruikshank.

That part of Courtney Bay which is opposite Brittain street will be the scene of the first of the boring operations conducted by the Public Works Department of Canada. Failure to obtain a suitable scow prevented the commencement of boring on Saturday, but the necessary scow having been loaned by the dredging section of the department the work will be begun today.

A great bargain opportunity. A big remnant sale in department store tomorrow at F. W. Daniel and Company's. The clean-up of all ends and odds after our summer clearance sale. Prices cut to lowest notch. There will be lengths of dress materials, wash goods, muslins, silks, odds in white, sweaters, waists, skirts, besides numerous bargains in smallware department. See advertisement on page five.

The interest in the Bishop's picnic, which takes place at Torribur tomorrow, easily surpasses that shown in years past. The different committees in charge held a meeting yesterday afternoon, when final arrangements for the big outing were completed. The children will assemble in the school halls tomorrow and walk in the procession to the 10 o'clock train, headed by the City Cornet Band.

The death took place on Saturday at Renforth of Mrs. Sarah Crawford, relict of the late Moses Crawford, Deceased lived in this city for many years and moved to Renforth in June to spend the summer. She had only been ill since last Monday. Deceased had reached the advanced age of 87 years. She is survived by one son, Stanley D. Crawford, also three married daughters, Mrs. Caroline Hoyt, Mrs. Margaret A. Raymond, and Mrs. Louise Burnham. The funeral takes place here tomorrow afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

James Hanley, the Sussex hotel man who has been wanted in that town for some time on a charge of selling liquor, was arrested here on Saturday by the local police. He was taken to St. John Saturday evening by Constable W. G. Asbell of that place. He appeared before Police Magistrate Hornum about 9:30 on Saturday evening and was remanded until 10 o'clock today. Hanley is now at the Union Hotel, Sussex, in charge of Constable Calhoun. He has been wanted in the Scott Act town for about two months. Before going to Sussex the prisoner belonged here, being employed in a leading hotel. Sussex has been rather noted of late for its Scott Act prosecutions and it would not be at all surprising if there were some interesting developments.

"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 Knight 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.

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

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 the fielding 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. Considerable money changed hands during the excitement.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Boston—Boston, 14; Chicago, 0; St. Louis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Boston, 0; Chicago—Washington, 5; Cincinnati, 4.

At St. Louis—Philadelphia, 4; St. 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.

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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.

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.

STRENUOUS DAYS

"These fights over the benches 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.

HERMAN SULLIVAN CAPTURES THE CUP

The St. John County Rifle Association held their annual match for the Corporation cup and money prizes on Saturday afternoon. Almost perfect conditions prevailed and high scoring was made. The cup was captured by Herman Sullivan, with a score of 98 points. The winners next in order were: A Class—Capt. J. S. Frost, 95; Maj. J. H. McRobb, 93; D. Conley, 92; Capt. J. Manning, 92; Sgt. L. O. Bentley, 91; Gr. A. L. McIntosh, 89; Maj. F. H. Hart, 89; Sgt. J. F. Archibald, 89. B Class—A. G. Staples, 81; Sgt. J. F. Archibald, 80; C. Thompson, 73.

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.

TRESTLE BREAKS, KILLING ITALIAN

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. Loug 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.

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"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

HERMAN SULLIVAN CAPTURES THE CUP The St. John County Rifle Association held their annual match for the Corporation cup and money prizes on Saturday afternoon. Almost perfect conditions prevailed and high scoring was made. The cup was captured by Herman Sullivan, with a score of 98 points. The winners next in order were: A Class—Capt. J. S. Frost, 95; Maj. J. H. McRobb, 93; D. Conley, 92; Capt. J. Manning, 92; Sgt. L. O. Bentley, 91; Gr. A. L. McIntosh, 89; Maj. F. H. Hart, 89; Sgt. J. F. Archibald, 89. B Class—A. G. Staples, 81; Sgt. J. F. Archibald, 80; C. Thompson, 73.

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. Considerable money changed hands during the excitement.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Boston—Boston, 14; Chicago, 0; St. Louis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Boston, 0; Chicago—Washington, 5; Cincinnati, 4.

At St. Louis—Philadelphia, 4; St. 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.

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.

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.

STRENUOUS DAYS

"These fights over the benches 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.

FURNISHING HOMES

For over a score of years we have furnished a very large number of homes in this city, and we can furnish your home with good reliable furniture, carpets etc. at very low prices. We do not handle that cheap trashy fare goods that spoils the appearance of any home. Come in and look around and see how low our prices are

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AMUSEMENTS

PRINCESS THEATRE GRAND REOPENING AND RETURN OF Harry Newcombe The Popular Baritone

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME Penniless Poet—A remarkable scene. Clarinet Solo—Musical comedy. Difficulty to Get Rid of Bad Money—Amusing. I Do Declare—A thousand feet of laughs. Latest Illustrated Songs by HARRY NEWCOMBE, leading illustrated soloist. 5c. - ADMISSION - 5c.

UNIQUE THEATRE

TODAY A TRAGEDY OF JAPAN A sensational drama. Mother-in-Law and the Artist The Candidate Comedy. Prof. Eric-a-Brae's Invention—Comedy. NEW SONGS: "Keep A Little Cozy Corner in Your Heart For Me," Miss A. Outous. "There's Room to Rent in My Heart For You," Will Harrison.

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BIJOU THEATRE

Its pictorial (motion) and musical programme is one you should not miss. TODAY The Little Matchmaker Cupid's idea of bringing two hearts together. The Intrepid Cyclist 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. SONGS: "While the Old Mill Wheel is Turning," Mr. D. Higgins. 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.

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Men's Blue and Black Suits
Made of Fine English Clay Worsted
Regular \$22.00 Suit
PROGRESS BRAND
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Union Clothing Co.,
26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John N. B.,
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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—27-4.
ROOMS AND BOARD at 181 Paradise Row. 30-7-4.
FURNISHED ROOMS—Bright and cheery. 25 Carleton St. 30-7-6.
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 187-13. 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. 2-4.
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. 29-7-4.
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 TO PURCHASE—Gentlemen's cast-off clothing, footwear, fur, jewelry, diamonds, musical instruments, fire arms, tools, etc. Call or write postal. H. GILBERT, 24 Mill St., City.
BUSINESS CARDS
DRESSMAKING AND FINISH SEWING. Mrs. Chamberlain, 46 Winter St. 2-4-6.
CHIMNEYS AND FURNACES CLEANED—Prompt attention to all orders. 165 at 154 Mill St., 15 Dock St., and Hall's Book Store, 37 King St. JAMES HAPENEY, 15 Drury Lane. 29-7-6.
Let me have your order for fresh mined Broad Cove Coal, daily expected, delivered promptly. JAMES S. MCGIVERIN, 5 Mill St. Telephone 41.
W. V. HATFIELD, Mason, Plumber, and Builder. Estimates given in all its branches. 244 1/2 Union St. Estimates furnished. Only union men employed. Telephone 154.
S. A. WILLIAMS, CARPENTER and CONTRACTOR, office 109 Prince Wm. Street. Telephone 261. All kinds of work promptly attended to.
FIREWOOD—Mill Wood cut in stove lengths. For big load in City \$1.85; in North End, \$1.90. Pay the driver. This wood is just from mill, MURRAY and GREGORY, LTD., Phone 261.
J. D. McAVIEY, dealer in hard and soft goods. Delivery promptly in the city. 37 Brussels street.
WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn. Wholesale and Retail Write for family price list.
D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock Street. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubbers Healed and Retired.
ROUSE PAINTING—Now is the time to arrange for your spring house cleaning. I am prepared to give estimates on all kinds of house work. Paper Hanging, Tinting, Painting and Gilding, Whitewashing, etc. All kinds of Sign Work a specialty. Prices low. Good Work Guaranteed. F. W. EDLESTON, 23 Sydney Street; House 10 Haymarket Square. Telephone 1611.
F. C. WESLEY Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 18 Water Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 962.
E. LAW, Watchmaker, 1 Coburg St.

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DOMESTICS WANTED
GIRL WANTED—General housework. 25 Waterloo Street. 3-8-1f.
WANTED A GIRL—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.

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New and second Carriages and Sleighs.
Repairs at moderate rates.
Carriages and Sleighs for repairs called for and stored, and delivered free of charge.

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

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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.
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."

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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 at least indicates 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.

The Turk's mourning color. He wears it because it is the hue of the earliest flower of spring, and his symbolic hope 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.

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The British government has not yet wholly suppressed the custom of suttee in India, when wives of dead men of note are carried to burial with their husbands, and in some cases are even paraded for the poison then administered to her and the shield which hides her hands about her neck.

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EMBLEMATIC GARMENTS.
Most foreign nations—especially those not of the Christian religion—attire themselves in garments emblematic of their beliefs when they attend the funeral of their dead. The Chinese wear white, as typical of the purified spirit of the departed and of the white robes in which silks are clad. Something of the same feeling formerly inspired people in Britain to don white in honor of unmarried girls who had died, and to carry in their hands bouquets of white flowers when attending funerals.

In the eastern part of the United States white lilies and hydrangeas are worn as funeral decorations. While in the South cape jammies (gardenias) and butterfly lilies are dedicated to use to such an extent as to be unpopular for anything else.

The Romans wore white as a garb of mourning, and this custom was suggested a heavenly pure state for the departed, or because they were known for ages to despise that color it as representing the going down of grey hair to the grave.

THE SPIRIT'S JOURNEY.
In view of Mastertrick's assertion that plants have souls, and mediums claim that inanimate objects possess a spiritual emanation, Indians— and other races—may have based their customs upon a philosophy so profound as to have been, as yet, unperceived by us.

Children were wont to provide a bowl of water for the spirit's journey to the other-world, and most Eastern peoples—namely the Chinese—make similar provision.

In Russia and provinces of China a white cock is considered the only capable guide of transient spirits. Southern negroes believe that a white cock or hen which enters a dwelling is a spirit of one who is dead or else a spirit messenger come to summon a soul to that house.

Mahometans place a stone at the head of the dead for the convenience of the cathechizing angel who will descend into the grave to examine the newly released soul. This is to induce the angel to be easy upon the spirit back with the hearse. As in most religions, the answers received to his questions.

DOFFING THE HAT.
The Mahometan funeral cry, "Speak truth," is meant to encourage the soul through this ordeal. These people often write the whole Koran upon the winding sheet of a person of note. In America few persons will cross the street before a funeral; in many sections strangers pause while one is passing, and in the South the hat is invariably doffed. Perhaps such habits sprang among Christian nations because, for centuries, Mahometans have obeyed the injunction contained in their religious laws to avoid the hearse of a corpse to the extent of carrying it ten steps. Persons of note always alight when they meet such a ten steps. In Ireland this ceremony is invariably observed, except that the stranger accompanies the procession a few paces and does not act as a hearse.

IRISH CUSTOM.
An Irish custom at funerals is one that helps priests of poor country parishes not a little in preventing every day from being a fast day with them. During funeral ceremonies the priest cries out: "Who will give offerings?" The nearest relative of the dead steps forward with a large sum as he can give, and all the mourners vie with one another in the matter of generosity.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June 28th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:
TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.
No. 6—Mixed train for Moncton leaves Island yard..... 6.30
No. 2—Express for Pt. du Chene, Moncton, Campbellton and Truro..... 7.10
No. 4—Express for Moncton, Pt. du Chene, connecting with Ocean Limited at Moncton for Halifax, Quebec and Montreal..... 11.00
No. 24—Express for Point du Chene, Halifax and Pictou..... 12.05
No. 132—Suburban for Hampton..... 13.15
No. 133—Express for Quebec and Montreal..... 13.00
No. 134—Suburban for Hampton..... 13.40
No. 10—Express for Moncton, Sydney, Halifax and Pictou..... 13.25
TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.
No. 3—From Halifax, Sydney and Pictou..... 6.45
No. 135—Suburban from Hampton..... 7.45
No. 7—Express from Sussex..... 9.00
No. 13—Express from Moncton and Quebec..... 13.50
No. 137—Suburban from Hampton..... 15.30
No. 138—Express from Moncton, arrive at Island Yard..... 16.10
No. 3—Express from Moncton and Point du Chene, Campbellton and Truro..... 17.15
No. 25—Express from Halifax, Pictou, Point du Chene and Campbellton..... 17.35
No. 136—Express from Hampton..... 17.50
No. 81—Express from Sydney, Halifax, Pictou and Moncton (Sunday only)..... 1.40
No. 11—Mixed train from Moncton (arrives at Island Yard daily)..... 4.40
A through sleeper is now running on the Ocean Limited from St. John to Montreal.
All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time. 24 o'clock is midnight.
CITY TICKET OFFICE, 9 King Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271.
Moncton, N. B. June 25th, 1908.

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
From and to Intercolonial Ry. Stations in New Brunswick. \$19.00
From and to Intercolonial Ry. Stations in Nova Scotia and Cape Breton. \$19.50
From and to Dominion Atlantic Railway Stations. \$19.50

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 work. 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 to Calgary, or Couper, 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. West of these points Tickets will be issued Free to Kamusok or Swan River and at rate of One Cent a Mile beyond.

TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED TO WOMEN as well as Men, but will not be issued at Half-Rate to Children. 150 pounds baggage (Wearing apparel) will be checked free on each ticket.

For further particulars apply to nearest Ticket Agent, or write W. B. Howard, D.P.A., C.P.R., St. John, N. B.

The name and amount offered by each giver are proclaimed by the priest. This is a matter of much moment, as the bereaved family govern their future largesses or the omission of these according to the sums mentioned and the names omitted.

It is said that the only time that the color of a house is ever closed in Brazil is during a funeral. People wear gay colors to these affairs, and the fondness for color is shown in coffins for unmarried young people, which are of red, scarlet or blue, while married persons are carried to the grave in black as in Rome. In recent times bodies are removed from coffins at burial and undertakers receive them back with the hearse. As in most Spanish countries, the bereaved family wear black for a year.

LOVE TOKENS.
In Russia old people wear their grave clothes to church before they are put away for final use. In that country, a bride or young matron is usually buried in her wedding gown. There the head of a young girl is adorned with flowers. In most countries flowers occupy a prominent place at funerals, even to the extent of artificial ones of paper, cloth and beads. No one is permitted, when dying in Russia, to lie on a pillow in which is a pigeon feather lest the soul be reincarnated in a fowl or bird.

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The name and amount offered by each giver are proclaimed by the priest. This is a matter of much moment, as the bereaved family govern their future largesses or the omission of these according to the sums mentioned and the names omitted.

It is said that the only time that the color of a house is ever closed in Brazil is during a funeral. People wear gay colors to these affairs, and the fondness for color is shown in coffins for unmarried young people, which are of red, scarlet or blue, while married persons are carried to the grave in black as in Rome. In recent times bodies are removed from coffins at burial and undertakers receive them back with the hearse. As in most Spanish countries, the bereaved family wear black for a year.

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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.

There are eight nations represented in this world of ours, said Mr. Halloran to his wife on his return from a political meeting.

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.

IT FEELS LIKE FALL.

Don't Wait Till Coal Goes Up, Fill Your Bin Now.

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.

REMEDIAL WISDOMSHIP.

Park Well's hay trotter, Queen Thorngate, got hit on the track by the Lightning Express.

He's down on the courts and the grand to investigations along this line.

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.

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.

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.

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YORK, Pa., Aug. 2.—Lee J. Spangler, "The Last of Prophets," and who has been issuing annual bulletins foretelling the destruction of various cities in this country and Europe.

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GIRL WITH A SAFETY PIN RESCUES BUDDY;

BOARDWALK BLUSHES

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 promenaders was due only to circumstances over which "Buddy" had no control.

"Buddy" had been with his father in a boardwalk shop, but wandered forth while the parent was busy at the counter and started on a side trip of his own.

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

To-day Billy 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 'em 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, though to support me an' paw—Jude.

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- 2.50 Trousers cut to . . . 2.00

It will be well to give this matter your early attention—such values mean quick sales.

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AMHERST LOSES OLD LAND MARK

Building Formerly Used as Baptist Meeting Place Destroyed by Fire

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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 Tabernacle 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. During the conferences which will last from August 3 to 13 inclusive opportunity will be given in the forenoon for those in attendance to participate in regular courses in agriculture and forestry at the college.

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. The game then proceeded and Newport won 4 to 1.

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. There are only half a dozen dwellings standing in Ferne. The loss is two and a half millions and five thousand people are homeless. A large number of casualties have occurred and a hospital train has been sent from Cranbrook with doctors and nurses. Two hundred men are fighting an almost hopeless battle to save the town of Hosmer. Five families in that neighborhood are entirely surrounded by the flames, and may perish. The Great Northern bridge at Hosmer is burning and a hundred and fifty cars with coal and coke have burned. Nelson, B. C., has been asked for help.

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. Pete Campbell is just here from Sparwood with three men badly burned trying to save the Sparwood Lumber Company's mill, half way between here and Ferne. The injured men were at once taken to the hospital. Two are in a precarious condition. Mr. Forester, manager of the mill, with his wife and about thirty men, were last seen trying to save the mill. These men state that the whole country is a seething hell, fire everywhere, spreading so rapidly as to make it impossible to escape. The body of Pete Miller, generally known as Scotty Miller, was found lying on the C. P. R. tracks. He evidently succumbed to the wounds received trying to flee from the holocaust covering hundreds of square miles. The bodies of four men were brought in by a Great Northern yard engine. These men lost their lives trying to save the large Great Northern bridge over the Elk river, fifteen miles below here, which is totally destroyed. 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 Crow's 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 extent of the loss of lives and property.

A Horrible Story NELSON, B. C., Aug. 2.—The dreadful disaster in the Crow's 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. Over six thousand people are homeless and the fatalities are growing hourly. In one case alone five families at Ferne were hemmed in and every soul perished. Bush fires are responsible for the whole horrible affair. Mayor Tuttle of Ferne, at 2.30 o'clock this morning sent to the mayors of other cities the following appeal: "Our city entirely burned out. Six thousand people homeless. We appeal to you for relief. (Sgd.) "W. W. TUTTLE, Mayor."

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 10 o'clock and a citizens' emergency meeting was held in the newspaper office, lasting all night. Nelson people 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.

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

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Boys' Caps in Blue and neat Tweed patterns, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Men's Caps in Blue and Tweeds in checks, stripes and plaids. 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

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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-o-o!"

That the people of St. John are appreciating the efforts of the Nickel management in bringing such a fine new attraction to this city is evidenced by the kind words of commendation heard on all sides, particularly from ladies and gentlemen who have heard the Humanov in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, the only cities in which it has so far been produced. For women and children it is a truly charming matinee entertainment. Doors open in evening at 6.30 o'clock.

BIJOU PLEASURES TODAY.

If we can take the pictures being run at the Bijou as an augury for the week (guess we can, all right) as the Bijou is showing a good line of pictures lately the people can count on something out of the usual. Should you be so fortunate as to have a little time on your hands today you could not put in a more pleasant few minutes than witnessing the performance of an amateur bicyclist as portrayed in the picture called "The Intrepid Cyclist." Once he mounts his wheel nothing stops his progress, barriers of all kinds he surmounts with the greatest ease and ease on in his fearless course smiling. Then another few minutes in which the saying of our love never did run smooth," is faithfully portrayed in "The Little Match-maker," and in which Cupid, as usual, finds a way that brings about "the tie that binds." The picture called "Go, that binds," "The Little Match-maker," and in which Cupid, as usual, finds a way that brings about "the tie that binds." The picture called "Go, that binds," "The Little Match-maker," and in which Cupid, as usual, finds a way that brings about "the tie that binds."

A TRAGEDY OF JAPAN AT THE UNIQUE.

For the first two days of this week the management of the Unique Theatre have secured an especially strong bill. The feature film is called "A Tragedy of Japan," and is one of the best things that ever came this way. It tells the story of an American officer in Japan who won the affection of a native girl; her lover takes his revenge on the American in a most thrilling manner. "The Candidate"—The life of a politician is not always as easy as it seems. Our friend in the picture dresses in his best and goes to address a meeting. He puts his opposing candidate to rout with his eloquence and the promise of hearty support of all baritones present. He next starts out in a pouring rain distributing his literature and as he stands talking a shower of dirt is dumped over him; next he helps a bill-poster in his work and has a can of paste spilled over him. After a number of amusing experiences he returns home, where his wife compels him to change his clothes. We next see him on election night. The first report is that he is elected; he supplies his friends with champagne, and they are enjoying themselves when a messenger arrives with the news that a mistake has been made in the count and he is defeated.

TWO OTHER GOOD COMEDIES.

"Prof. Brice-a-Brice's Invention," and "Mother-in-Law and The Artist." Miss A. Outous of London, Ont., will be heard in that beautiful little song, "Keep a Little Cozy Corner in Your Heart For Me." Will Harrison, who is being repeatedly encored at every performance, will sing, "Thee's Room to Rent in My Heart For You."

GREAT SHOW AT HAPPY HALF HOUR TODAY.

At the request of a large number of regular patrons, Miss Holmes and Mr. Buchanan are to remain this week at the Happy Half Hour. Miss Holmes will sing "The Lay of The Jay," from the big musical comedy success Dolly Yarden. This song was sung by Lala Glaser, the star of the piece, and has a decided catchy air, and once heard is never forgotten, and everyone who can whistle will join the theatre whistling it. Tom Danley, the well-known basso, formerly of this city, was a member of the Dolly Yarden Co. Mr. Buchanan will be heard in a very popular number, "Just a Wearyin' For You," it's very seldom that there are three "headline" pictures in the one programme, but today there will be. Heavy seas is a magnificent marine picture, beautifully tinted; Brush Making in France, the home of fine brushes, is a decidedly instructive picture. Love and Fortune is a dramatic picture richly hand-colored, and one of the handomest pictures ever seen in this city. A Disappointing Rehearsal is a comedy picture. The above pictures are from the Auditorium Theatre, Chicago, the largest and best moving picture theatre in the world, and were especially ordered by the management of the Happy Half Hour. Prof. Titus will sing "When The Harvest Moon is Shining On The River," and Harry LaRoy will sing in Memory, completing a wonderful programme for the price of admission.

IN THE CHURCHES.

At St. David's church Rev. J. A. Morrison, of Chicago, a former pastor, preached at both. 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 preschd at both services in Leinster street Baptist church yesterday to 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 take the piano!" 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

Great Bargains in Up-Stairs Section A CLEAN UP ODD WHITEWEAR. White Undershirts, a white table full, good skirts, but only one or two of a kind.

Reduced Prices, 75c, 90c, \$1.19, 1.69 CORSET COVERS—Quite a variety, odd designs and sizes, but mostly sizes 34, 36 and 38. Prices 25c. to \$1.48.

Now 10c. to 30c. GOWNS—Some of the best qualities as well as the more moderate, all reduced to clear.

Now 75c. to \$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

F. W. DANIEL CO. Ltd

London House, Charlotte Street

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

PAUPERISM DISCOURAGED.

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.

responsibility of keeping the workless alive until the emergency passes; and while there are public soup kitchens for the hungry and expenditures for poor relief are enlarged, recourse is had to public works on a large scale.

WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED. If he remains out of employment he loses working power, is physically incapacitated, and is a burden on the state.

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.

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

NATURE AND A WOMAN'S WORK Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound is a woman's work.

THE NEW TENANTS. "They seem to be practicing a duet in the next lot."

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

PUBLIC WORK. For this relief the workman has to pay from eight to eleven cents a week during the search months preceding the insurance period.

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, 1908.

THREE HUNDRED FOREIGNERS STRIKE G.T.P. Laborers Want More Money

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.

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, about 107 miles west of Weymouth, in the Province of Quebec, a distance of about 114.37 miles.

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, about 67 miles west of the eastern boundary of District 'E' in the Province of Ontario, easterly to the end of Fauquier Bros. contract, north of Lake Nepigon, a distance of about 100 miles.

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, about 21.13 miles by the northern route and 21.13 miles by the southern route, the selection of the route to be at the option of the Commissioners.

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners at or near Dog Lake, in the Province of Ontario, to a point at or near Dog Lake, a distance of about 120 miles.

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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.

In fact, in most cases one dose is sufficient. It never fails and can be relied upon in the most severe and dangerous cases. It is equally valuable for children and is the means of saving the lives of many children each year.

Every Woman

It is a woman's work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound is a woman's work.

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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.



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Books, Scott and Thackeray.
India Paper, Limp Leather.
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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.
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Great values in Table Glassware.
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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.

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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
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Store Open Evenings.

SQUABBLING WOMEN

DO A POLICE COURT STUNT

Threats of Murder, Free Lunch Off Arms and Neck, and Wild Talk on Both Sides Figured in Their Disputes

A Mrs. Ledford and a Mrs. Luther have had some rather trying experiences in the tenement in the rear of 115 Duke street.

"What is the go cart doing in the way?" was the title of fight No. 1, and "You bring back my pans you rowed, and you can have your kittens," that of the second and most serious row.

Mrs. Luther was a complainant at the police court Saturday, and informed the court that she had been assaulted by Mrs. Ledford. As a result Mrs. Ledford and her husband appeared in court and pleaded not guilty to the charge this morning.

Mrs. Luther gave evidence that her cat strayed into Mrs. Ledford's house that when she called at the house and asked for the cat Mrs. Ledford said she would not give it up.

As a result of the injuries inflicted the services of a doctor were found necessary. After Mrs. Luther was ejected from her house about a week when Mrs. Luther called for it. Some words were exchanged and then Mrs. Luther caught hold of violence, tore her clothing, sunk her teeth in her wrist and finished by throwing her on the stove.

Magistrate Henderson said that if the row had happened on the street he would have fined each \$20, but he thought the complaint as bad as the defendant and dismissed the case.

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 WARPATH

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 \$22,000 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.

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. Rebecke, 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.

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11 ounces to the bar.
A regular 25c. can of Cocoa, for 15c.
A regular 35c. lb. of Coffee, for 25c.
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.

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.)

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