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TURBO GIRL AFTER PRAIRIE'S TREASURE

Sadie Mason Tells Strange Tale of Buried Gold IN SAINT LAWRENCE

Knights of the Main Buried it on Island Eighty Years Ago — "Only Survivor" Told Miss Mason the Story— Amounts to \$5,000,000.

BOSTON, March 6. — Way down deep in the sands of a deserted and barren island of the Magdalen group in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, lies an old English oak chest with \$5,000,000 worth of treasure, placed there nearly 80 years ago by a band of pirates. Only one person in the world today claims to know the exact location of the vast fortune, and is here in Boston for the purpose of finding someone who will back an expedition to go in quest of it.

The woman who knows about the treasure is Miss Sadie J. Mason of Truro, N. S. She has left her little home in Truro thinking that no one might interest anyone in Boston in it, but she has written down to the lonely island, dug up the chest and divide the spoils. To a reporter Monday night, Miss Mason described how she came to know about the treasure.

"It was this way, the treasure was placed on the island by a band of pirates who came to the island in 1830. My father was a sea captain, and while on one of his many voyages shipped a mate who went on several trips. After my father died, this mate came to live with me, and one day before he died told me the story of how the treasure was buried.

"When this man was a little boy, only 11 years old, he went aboard the Nova Scotia bark called the Mary Dwyer. He sailed to ports in South America, and while on one of her trips made the port of Lima, in Peru. That was in 1830, and at that time a revolution was in progress. The wealthy citizens of Lima feared that their wealth would be stolen and that they would be killed, made a bargain with the captain of the Mary Dwyer to load on their valuables and leave the turbulent coast. This was done, and with the vast fortune on board the ship cleared the port and headed for the Nova Scotia shore.

"The Mary Dwyer was making fast time when passing through the Caribbean Sea was captured by a pirate ship. A battle lasted for four hours, resulting in a victory for the pirates. All on board the Mary Dwyer, with the exception of the boy, were forced to walk the plank. The treasure was taken from the ship and then she was fired.

With their vast amount of wealth the pirates dared not enter any port, so they sailed for the northern coast and buried the chest on a barren and desolate island. Then they left and sailed back to southern waters.

"Fifty years after he had been taken by the pirates, the boy cruised around the Magdalen islands and immediately recognized the island where the board of treasure was buried. He kept this a secret, and after marking the spot and making a chart of the locality, he returned home. The pirates had been hanged.

"Being a poor man he never filed up an expedition, and when he was at my home told me of the story and gave me charts. He gave me the names of the pirate ship and the Spanish man-of-war which captured her, also the names of all the captives, including the captain of the Mary Dwyer."

Three Boston men have become interested and to them Miss Mason has given the names of the vessels and the names of the captives. They are to make an investigation and ascertain whether or not such a treasure really existed. If they did the men will fit out an expedition and go to the island. Miss Mason refuses to give the names of the men, ships or captives until the truth has been established.

IS VERY QUIET AT CITY HALL

Some Slight Excitement is Expected Next Week Which May be Busy Time.

This was a very quiet day at City Hall, but the prospects are that next week will be a busy one for the city. The adjourned meeting of the common council will be held on Monday, and a meeting of the water and sewerage board will probably be held to receive the reply of Engineer Barbour to Director Murdoch's statements concerning his recent report. The wharf middle will likely also be considered, though in speaking of the matter to Deputy Mayor Lewis this morning he contended that as the director had been instructed to send in a report at the regular meeting of the board as to all the details of appointments, a report from him on this question could not be considered until the next regular meeting of the board, which would be held just previous to the next regular meeting of the council.

As soon as the matters which are now in abeyance are settled, it is expected that the aldermen and alderwomen separately will get out and hunt for votes. The time is getting short and there should be some stir on every side.

WILL GO TO MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, March 7.—The Bank Montreal, Canada, has decided to open a branch in this city.

Scenes Connected With Recent Race Riots in THE INSURANCE COMMISSION



Entrance to Jungle District Left by Mob

Springfield, Ohio, March 6.—A great mob invaded Section street again on Thursday evening to continue the race riots that terrorized the city. It is declared by their officers that the militia will be able to cope with any further trouble.

An attempt was made to fire a negro tenement, and in the ensuing fight with the soldiers Arthur Stimmler, of Company I, of Xenia, was struck on the head by a paving stone and knocked unconscious. He is badly hurt. The soldiers put out the fire with buckets. The firemen were powerless, as the crowd continually cut the hose.

The crowd was forced back at the point of the bayonet. Martin Davis, the railroad man said to have been shot by Dean and Ladd, the negroes now in Dayton jail, is slowly sinking and his life is separated. Springfield, Ohio, March 6.—The negro soldiers trained gatling guns on the mob which swore to cleanse Springfield of negroes.

After burning six houses Tuesday night the mob, quieted by the militia, started again tonight in various parts of the city. While the soldiers were kept busy in the "Hill," four houses were fired on in the "Hill," and five hundred half-crazed men chased negroes through the streets. They rushed to the city building, which the soldiers held for safety.

While eight companies of state troops on guard, more incendiary fires were started against tonight in various parts of the city. In every instance the negroes were occupied by negro or negro and white. A negro house at Harrison and York streets was stoned by a large crowd, but the occupants are believed to have escaped.

"The Hole in the Wall" in York street, and a negro fire were fired at 9 o'clock Wednesday night in various parts of the city. The fire department has just been called to the latter place. So far there has been no clash between the militia and the mob.

The "Hole in the Wall" which is inhabited by negroes and which figured in the Dixon mob and subsequent race war two years ago, has been badly looted, and several attempts made to fire it, but as it is guarded by militiamen, the effort has so far failed. Several alarms have been turned in as a result of the fire started, but no general alarm up to this hour, as every available fireman is at work on the fire now under way.



Kempler Saloon in the Jungle Demolished by Mob

City Building, Springfield Ohio

HE "ROASTS" RAILWAYS

Judge Gaynor Makes a Vigorous Attack on Railroad Corporations and Praises Roosevelt.

Speaking at New Rochelle on Sunday, Judge William J. Gaynor made a scathing attack on railroad corporations, and spoke in the highest praise of President Roosevelt. He said: "I honor the President of the United States. God bless him! I honor him because of all this talk, this cheap political talk, this humbug talk on the subject of rate legislation. He had the method and integrity to put it up to congress in such a manner that they have to pass this law or go home in disgrace. If congress dares to adjourn without doing it, wait and see what happens. Oh, they are debating it up hill and down hill to see if they cannot lay it to the courts to regulate railroad rates.

"We know all about the courts and the delay. We have at the present time spectacles of courts trying to bring railroad and insurance and other officials before them. I believe in this matter that one ounce of executive prevention is worth more than a pound of judicial cure.

"If I had my way I would have congress pass the railroad freight bill and place government freight agents on every railroad, with the government in charge of the freight departments. We should see if the railroads would charge one man more than another for hauling freight in the market.

"If the present infamous discriminations cannot be stopped by law, then the time will come when the people will compel the government to resume these functions.

"Every time I am reminded of the Rapid Transit Commission it makes me bleed. That such a great city like New York would tolerate such a thing is an institution is more than I can understand. You may search every statute book and you will not find such an inappreciative and unresponsive body as this commission.

"We claim to live under a democratic government, and yet we cannot control this commission. Their appointment was in perpetuity and their powers are unlimited. They are responsible to no one and they have the right to grant franchises, and yet we cannot get these commissions out.

"The railroads," continued Judge Gaynor, "leave for 1909 years, and if this leasing business is allowed to continue heaven knows where it will end. But there is a question now whether the public will even put up with it for nine years.

"What a howling wilderness they must think New York is when these corporations think we stand for such a violation of the people's rights. Who built the subway? Whose money was expended? It was the people's money. It cost \$33,000,000 and Belmont got a lease on it for 99 years. Did he put any money in it? Not one dollar, and it was leased for seventy-five years, just as though it was for seventy-five minutes, but that means forever for all practical purposes, for the tunnel will be obsolete in seventy-five years."

Two thousand persons from all parts of Westchester county heard Judge Gaynor's remarks and applauded enthusiastically. He was denounced, Rockefellers, praised President Roosevelt and paid his respects to the Rapid Transit Commission.

First Meeting Was Held in Ottawa

This Morning.

Judge McTavish Outlines the Plans and Scope of the Commission—The First Session of Enquiry Will Be Held on March 14th.

OTTAWA, March 7.—(Special)—The first meeting of the insurance commission was held in the court house here today. There were present, President Judge McTavish with Commissioners Longmire and Kern, Secretary Ross read the order in command appointing the commission and Judge McTavish made a statement pointing to the wide scope of the enquiry. The commissioners appreciated the importance of the enquiry and the responsibility of the position. The inquiry is unique as the judge did not know any one in which so many people had a direct and a personal interest.

The Council was to be retained and the commission would welcome the assistance of counsel on behalf of any interest affected. The secretary has secured an office in Ottawa and would receive any communications addressed to him here. Commissioners wanted a full enquiry as much as possible. The first meeting would be held in Ottawa on March 14th and the first work would be to enquire into the laws relating to life insurance and how they were observed.

SITUATION IN CHINA TODAY

SHANGHAI, March 7.—All is quiet at Nanching, the scene of the recent massacre of Catholic missionaries, and the missionaries who fled are returning. It is stated that the Chinese government has admitted his guilt in failing to preserve the peace, and has asked for personal punishment. He will probably be degraded. An investigation of the troubles shown that the French missionaries invited the magistrate to a feast and urged him to sign papers promising an indemnity for the murder of the missionaries last year and release six Catholic missionaries charged with murder. The magistrate declined to do so, and he was fatally stabbed. It is reported that England will demand for the murder of the Kingman family the punishment of the murderer, and the privilege of stationing gunboats on Poyang Lake.

The French demands have not yet been formulated. A recent imperial decree sternly commands the provincial authorities to protect foreign property, and persons, especially missionaries.

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ST. JOHN MEN AT OTTAWA

Delegation Asks for More Harbor Improvements and Continuation of West Indian S. S. Service.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 7.—(Special)—Ald. Baxter and H. B. Schofield, of St. John, led a delegation to Ottawa today to see Hon. Mr. Emmerson, who went with them to see Hon. Mr. Lyman, and pressed upon him for further improvements in connection with the St. John harbor.

The minister of public works promised to consider the matter. The delegation afterwards interviewed Sir Richard Cartwright in respect to the West Indian service. They asked that the service be continued to St. John. There is talk of continuing it, when the contract expires in July. It is said that the imperial government wants it confined to Halifax. The delegates afterwards met in the afternoon.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

There was Quite a Price Rally Today in Nova Scotia Steel.

MONTREAL, March 7.—(Special)—There was a sharp rally in the stock market today from yesterday's depression in Nova Scotia Steel, which makes up its losses. After dropping to 29 1/2 yesterday, the price rallied somewhat in late dealings yesterday and opened still stronger today at 32, advancing to 36, but was checked fractionally. Stocks were generally more active, the principal features being Mont. Power, 33 3/4 to 34; Toronto Railway, 123 1/2 to 123 3/4; Ill. pd. 99; Mackay, 90 3/4; Can. Pacific, 170 3/4 to 170 1/4; Dom. Iron Bonds, 84 1/4; Detroit Union, 99.

ST. ANDREWS AND HAMPTON

Four Rinks of St. Andrews Men are Curling at Hampton This Afternoon.

Four rinks of St. Andrews' curlers went to Hampton today and will play at Hampton curlers this afternoon. The rinks will be as follows:—

Thos. White,	S. Bowman,
G. A. Kimball,	W. E. O. Jones,
Frank Harrison,	J. H. Hillison,
W. B. Howard, skip	P. A. Clarke, skip.

Chas. Baillie, H. F. Rankin,
H. P. Robinson, T. P. C. Gregory,
H. G. McBeath, W. S. Barker,
W. Humphrey, skip J. A. Clarke, skip.

LADY CURLERS AT PLAY

In the St. Andrews' rink this morning the Thistle and St. Andrews' ladies played an interesting match. The St. Andrews' ladies were victorious by the score of 44 to 38. The skips and scores were as follows:—

St. Andrews,	St. Andrews,
Miss Robertson, . . . 9	Miss Smith, . . . 13
Miss Miles, . . . 18	Mrs. Holly, . . . 8
Miss McLaren, . . . 11	Mrs. Barnes, . . . 21
Total, . . . 56	Total, . . . 44

SHE WANTS MURDER CHARGED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Mrs. Israel Tenenbaum, mother of Harry Tenenbaum, better known as "Toney," who died as a result of his gun contest with Frankie Neil, yesterday, through her attorney, made a demand upon District Attorney Langdon that he issue complaints charging murder against those who were behind the fight.

MISS ANTHONY IMPROVED

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 7.—Susan B. Anthony, who is seriously ill with pneumonia, is said by her physician to be considerably improved this morning. She spent a restful night and the doctor now says she has a fair chance for recovery.

ASYLUM ACCOUNTS EXAMINED BY COMMITTEE TODAY.

FREDERICTON, March 7.—(Special)—The presentation of signed receipts offered as prizes by J. J. McCaffrey to members of the ladies' bowling team took place at the Queen hotel alleys this morning. Premier Tweedie made presentations in a laudatory speech. He heartily congratulated the young ladies on the success achieved. Those presented with rings were M. S. H. B. Babbin, Miss Nellie Babbin, Millie Tibbitts, Alice Sterling, Margaret Thompson, Hazel Palmer and Mrs. Dudenham. The students of the normal school, university and business college from the county of Carleton, Charlotte, Sunbury, St. John and Northumberland are to be entertained by the opposition members of the legislature at the Barker House on Friday evening.

The municipal committee this morning heard counsel for and against the bill relating to the waterworks in the town of Campbellton, and laid the measure over till tomorrow to give an opportunity for the council to agree if possible on a sum to be paid to Robert Duncan for the cost of an arbitration and opposing the present bill.

WARRANT WAS NOT REGULAR

MONTREAL, Que., March 7.—(Special)—Eugene Sylvain, arrested on a charge of prepaying in the Misnomer election, was acquitted this morning on the ground that the warrant of arrest was irregular. The charge mentioned in the warrant was telegraphing, which the judge held to be unknown to law, and the warrant was also not sworn.

THEY PROBABLY THINK IT IS CURRENT IN HEAVEN

CALGARY, March 7.—(Special)—As a result of the refusal of Calgary merchants to accept Strait Settlements currency \$17 worth found its way to collection on Monday.

DIED IN FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 7.—(Special)—Emily Frederica Brennan, daughter of the late Charles Brennan and sister of C. Sterling Brennan, of the provincial secretary's office, died here last night. She had been an invalid for sixteen years and was seventy-one years old.

VERY CLOSE CONTEST.

SEATTLE, Wash. March 7.—Complete returns from 68 out of 96 precincts, give John Riplings, republican candidate for mayor, a plurality over Wm. M. Moore, municipal ownership. The result is in doubt.

John R. Daley and Stephen Daley were committed for trial in the police court this afternoon on a charge of breaking into McQuire's liquor saloon.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

Mr. Hiram Hornsbush desires to state that it was not his team which yesterday blocked the traffic on Union street sidewalk with a load of hay. Hiram is a "middle of the road" Populist.

A SERIOUS TUN.

Dr. Anglin, of the Provincial Hospital for Nervous Diseases, went to Fredericton this morning in response to a hurried summons from Messrs. Lantulum and Scovill, M. P. P.

A GREAT SHOCK.

Mr. Peter Binks threw a fit last evening, and his condition for a short time occasioned some alarm.

FISH DEALERS FACE COURT FOR SELLING TROUT OUT OF SEASON

J. P. Quinn and Mr. Leonard, of the Leonard Fish Store, were charged this morning in the police court by Captain Pratt, with having trout in their possession during the period of time from October 1st to March 31st, which is an offence against the fishery law. Captain Pratt was represented by E. H. McAlpine.

Mr. McAlpine read the law in the case, which stated that anyone having in his possession any kind of trout from October 1st to March 31st, inclusive, were liable to a penalty of \$100, or in default of payment to a term of imprisonment not to exceed three months. He said, however, that both defendants were respectable citizens, and presumably did not realize that they were violating the law. Under such circumstances he was of the opinion that his honor might impose the nominal fine of \$20, and allow it to stand against each one of them for his future compliance with the law.

Mr. Quinn explained that he had procured his trout last Christmas from Richard O'Leary, of Richibucto, and he did not know that he was violating the law by having them for sale.

Mr. Leonard said that his supply were procured from the W. S. Loggie Co., Ltd., of Chatham, and twelve of the number were exhibited in court by Captain Pratt. The trout displayed were exceptionally small, not one of them being over three inches in length, and some of them about an inch and a half long.

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Judge Ritchie said that although the defendants did not know that they were doing wrong, yet "ignorance of the law is no excuse," and they were liable to a fine.

Both defendants were instructed to obtain certificates from the men from whom they got the trout, and the W. S. Loggie Co., Ltd., and Richard O'Leary will be communicated with by Mr. McAlpine. The case will be resumed Wednesday next at eleven o'clock.

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My Friend the Chauffeur.

(Continued.) "Yes, it's San Giorgio Maggiore, Terry Barrymore's favorite church in Venice," said Sir Ralph, who had been almost as silent as I. "And here we are at the Hotel Britannia."

CHRONIC BILIOUSNESS In its Trial Follow Horrible Dreams, Despondency and General Weakness.

"I mean nothing else," laughed the doctor in the water, the moon shining into his eyes and on his noble white throat as he swam. "Now, Miss Dorothea, show me exactly how you stood when you dropped your bag, and I think I can promise that you shall have it again in a few minutes."

WEDDING OF MISS THOMSON TOMORROW

DEATH BY INDIGESTION

A Long Train of Fatal Ills Is the Direct Result of Undigested Food. Undigested food, by fermenting, forms poisons which are absorbed in the blood. If this goes on very long, your heart happens to be weak, you will be found in a moribund state.

PRICES SHATTERED

Into a Thousand Pieces to Force the Sale of the

DOOMED STOCK

OF James Anderson, 17 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.

Thursday Morning is ushered in with unlimited bargains in every department. We have reached out with a long arm into all corners and upon all shelves, and brought to light many things that have never been placed on sale before.

Read These Prices for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and Come and Come Quickly.

PRICE LIST:

- CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' HATS, CAPS AND FURS. One Lot Children's White Cotton Wash Hats, all go at Doomed Price, \$1.00. One Lot Children's Fur Caps, all go at Doomed Price, \$1.00.

1-30th of the entire Quinine production of the World is consumed every year by the Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.

W & A Gilbey's Scotch Whisky, Cognac, and other spirits advertisement. Includes text: "Greatest Wine and Spirit Merchants in the World" and "Absolute Purity and Genuineness".

NOT ANXIOUS FOR NORTH AND SOUTH WHARVES FEES

Only One Offer Received Under City's Revised Call at \$2,000 Upset Price. No one has been received at the city hall for the collection of the revenues from the North and South Wharves.

NEARLY HALF ENOUGH FOR NEW BATTERY

Kendricks Liniment advertisement. Includes text: "A Few Drops of Kendricks Liniment to the sore throat or swollen tonsils, or any swelling, lameness or painful part, convince you of its power to relieve promptly."

REMEMBER THE PLACE, 17 Charlotte Street,

And watch for the big blue sign and James Anderson's name over the door if you value money.

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ABOUT THOSE CRIBS

In the record kept by Inspector Mayes, for his daily reports to the city engineer, and which was read by him at the board of works meeting last week, it was seen that on the first day he began work, Nov. 10th, there was an application from the contractor for permission to depart from the specification for the ballast floor, which was to be of birch or hemlock, 10 inches square.

TRADE WITH MANCHESTER

The Times yesterday referred to the growth of trade between Canada and Manchester, and suggested that New Brunswick shippers should send more produce to the great market of which Manchester is the centre.

THE WATER SYSTEM

The declaration of the underwriters that high and low level services will not be satisfactory in connection with the new waterworks system projects a new element into the controversy on that subject.

THE MOVING PICTURE SHOW

Stock's wonderful moving picture and vaudeville show, which begins an engagement at the Opera House next Monday, March 12th, has been pleasing large audiences throughout the Western States.

THE ELLIS COMPANY

The last performance of the Ellis Co. at the Opera House are being well attended. The comedy of "Jesse" which will be given for the last time tonight, hit the popular fancy and good houses were the result.

THE WATER SYSTEM

Regarding the serial story now running in the Times, an American exchange says: "In times past when anything reached the masses of popularity it had a clear lead after it. Now things have changed."

THE TURF

The horsemen throughout the province are making active preparations for the coming season, as may be noted by the recent meeting at which dates were arranged for thirteen weeks of racing, and they are also making a number of purchases which will add new interest to the sport.

HOCKEY

Mount Allison will play St. Francis Xavier at Truro next Tuesday night for the in-ecollegiate hockey championship of the Maritime provinces. The teams are champions of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia respectively, each having won two games from the opponent. St. Francis defeated Dalhousie in two straight games and Mt. Allison secured one by default from the U. N. B. and beat the Fredericton boys in the next game.

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Arnold's Removal Sale

2,000 yards Romberg White Cotton—3 to 10 yard lengths, 6c. to 8c. yard. Big value in Ladies' Wear, Year, Year, Gowns, Hosiery, Purse, Handbags, Lace, Hamburg, Ribbons, Veils, Lace Collars, Towels, White Washings, Gingham, Curious, China Silks, all at 25c. to 50c. per yard.

New Spring Suits for Boys.

We have received a lot of our New Spring Suits for Boys, and they are, without doubt, the best in style and value we have ever shown. Parents will find that they can save money by buying Boys' Suits here.

Boys' Belted Suits, \$1.65 to 3.50; Boys' Norfolk Suits, 2.50 to 5.00; Boys' 3-Piece Suits, 2.50 to 7.00.

J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and Furnishings, 199 to 207 Union Street.

Although

The cost of leather is higher than ever before, we can offer you better \$3.00 shoes now than formerly, because of increased expertness in shoe making. Men who have seen our \$3.00 shoes for this coming season, freely admit that this is the case.

IF you are a wearer of this priced shoe, you will most surely be pleased with our styles for this season. "HAVE A LOOK AT OURS."



FURNITURE. Special Discount Sale.

This is not a Clearance Sale, but a genuine discount sale of NEW GOODS. Why buy out-of-style patterns when you can get the newest and latest designs just from the factory at much lower prices. You can select your goods now from our SPRING STOCK, which is arriving every day at the same large DISCOUNT for the balance of this month. Goods will be stored free till required.

Call and see us before placing your order. BOSTON & WITHERS, 99 GERMAIN ST. OPEN EVENINGS.



EMERSON & FISHER, LIMITED. The New Store. 25 Germain Street.

BOYS' BOX CALF.

A nice shoe, stoutly made, double sole, will stand rough wear... J. W. SMITH, 37 Waterloo Street.

Grand Clearance Sale

BOOTS and SHOES, RUBBERS and OVERSHOES. To make room for Spring Goods. Sale Prices: 28c, 48c, 68c, 98c, \$1.18, \$1.48, \$1.98 and \$2.48.

C. B. PIGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Streets, North End.

GILBERT LANE DYE WORKS.

LACE CURTAINS cleaned and done up EQUAL TO NEW. Carpets cleaned and beaten. Dyeing and scouring. MACAULAY BROS. & CO., City Agents.

EARLY SALE OF Lace Curtains.

New, Elegant Patterns at low prices, 50c, 75c, \$1.10, \$1.40 per pair and up. A. B. WETMORE, 59 GARDEN STREET.

SPORTING

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AMLAND BROTHERS.

Those who have old shabby Parlor Suites, Lounges, Easy Chairs, etc., which need re-upholstering, can have them made over in the latest styles before the spring rush.

New Furniture To Select From.

AMLAND BROTHERS, Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 Waterloo Street.

New Spring Cloths.

We are now opening our new stock of cloths for Spring Wear consisting of Overcoatings, Suitings and Trouserings in the newest and best makes and patterns. An early inspection is invited.

A. R. Campbell & Son, High Class Tailoring, 26 Germain St.

Rubber Boots.

will be the whole thing necessary, when this snow begins to melt. Let us supply you with a pair of



"The Mark of Quality." FOR SALE BY FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 19 King Street.

WEIGHING MACHINERY.

We make a specialty of repairing load platform and counter scales also weigh beams to conform with inspectors requirements. E. S. STEPHENSON & CO., 27, 29 Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

FERGUSON & PAGE.

For Choice Goods in Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, Etc., call upon us at 41 King Street.

Fire! Fire! Fire!

Part of Brock & Paterson's Stock will be on sale Wednesday at E. O. PARSONS. BIG BAR-GAINS—Positively FOR CASH ONLY. E. O. PARSONS, WEST END.

GOING-OUT-OF-BUSINESS SALE.

Among the goods to be slaughtered are Baskets, Combs, Playing Cards, Lead Pencils, Alarm Clocks, and other Staple Goods. Buy while stock is complete! JAMES A. TUFTS & SON, Corner Germain and Church Streets.

FRESH FISH DAILY.

You can get fresh fish here every day. Salt and smoked fish too; all kinds. Fresh vegetables in abundance. COLLINS BROS., 17 Winslow St. ST. JOHN WEST.

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ALWAYS IN STOCK:

A good supply of Squash, Cabbage, Potatoes, Carrots, Parsnips, Beets, Turnips. J. E. QUINN, CITY MARKET. TELEPHONE 636.

TO LET.

Upper Flat of house, 200 St. James Street, from the fire of May, containing eight rooms and bath and cold water. Rent \$200. Can be seen between 3 and 5 o'clock on Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Apply to R. S. RITCHIE, 78 Prince William Street.

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1906.

The Buckley Derby, ENGLAND'S BEST, LIGHT, EASY FITTING. The Best \$2.50 Hat Sold. SPRING STYLES, 1906, NOW IN. F. S. THOMAS, Dufferin Block, Main St. NORTH END.

Olives.

DO YOU LIKE THEM? Olives, 10c. a Bottle. Olives, 15c. a Bottle. Olives, 25c. a Bottle. Olives, 50c. a Bottle. Olives, 65c. a Bottle. French Beans, Peas and Mushrooms.

W. L. McELWANE, Cor. Sydney and Leinster Sts. Telephone Number 1370.

WHO Does Your Laundry?

Are you aware that the new and up-to-date steam laundry on Main Street, North End, does the best work in the city? No Tearing, No Yellowness, No Wrinkling, No Rough Edges. MODERN METHODS WITH HOME CARE. DOMINION STEAM LAUNDRY, 640 and 648 Main St., N. B. Telephone 1727.

ROYAL BAKERY. (TWO STORES) Broomer Cor. Charlotte and Sydney and 421 Main St., N. B. FINEST CAKES, BREADS, PASTRIES, FRUITS and Sponges. All kinds of pastry made from the best of butter and eggs.

NOTICE. We have appointed Messrs. Wm. Thomson & Co. of St. John and Halifax, as our General Agents for the Maritime Provinces for MARINE INSURANCE. Messrs. Thomson will appoint Local Agents. DALE & CO., Marine Underwriters, Montreal.

A Good Reason Why You Should Buy Clothing Now.

While the paper hangers, carpenters and electricians are improving and beautifying our store, we offer substantial inducements to buy now by giving liberal discounts off regular prices of Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats and Trousers—ready-to-wear. Our clothing is fashionably designed, well tailored and perfect fitting, or we make it so.

A. GILMOUR, King Street. Fine Tailoring. Ready-to-Wear Clothing.

WAS A SUCCESS Creditable and Delightful Entertainment Given in Fairville.

One of the most successful and best attended entertainments seen in Fairville for some time was given in the Presbyterian hall last evening by the girls' mission band of the church. The first part of the programme was as follows: Chorus of the North, recitation. Our Baby, Jennie McEasters; trio, Misses Katie Fox, Jennie McEasters and Ethel Myles; recitation, Baby in Church, Minnie Moomch; dumbell drill, eight girls. The second half consisted of a representation of Tomson's Dream of Fair Women, given in costume by members of the mission band. It was the most interesting feature of the evening and its success was greatly due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Hill, who trained the girls and superintended the production, besides taking the part of reader in the introduction. The young performers showed great aptitude in the various roles. Their gestures were easy and natural and their costumes were in accord with the period in which the characters lived. Mrs. Hill must be congratulated on a performance which was most enjoyable and reflected great credit on all concerned. The girls were Helen of Troy, Gertrude Irving, Iphigenia, Helen Carrier, Cleopatra, Bessie Compton, Judith's Daughter, Seditious, Rosamond, Queen Smith, Queen Eleanor, Hettie Cameron, Sir Thomas Moore's daughter, Minnie Irvine; Joan of Arc, Bertha Miller, Queen Eleanor, Lucy Campbell.

THE HOUSE OF GILBEY A Short History of the Largest Wine Growers and Distillers in the World.

Founded in the year 1857 by the brothers Walter and Alfred Gilbey, this well-known firm has, from a small beginning, become the largest wine growers and distillers in the world, doing an annual trade of nearly 19,000,000 bottles and having agents in every part of the globe. In the year in question it struck the brothers Gilbey that a large business might be done in selling wine and particularly the wines then being imported into England from the Cape of Good Hope, on which the French, Spanish and Portuguese produce. With this idea in view, they decided to open premises in the West End of London, and from then on their business, greatly assisted as it was by the fact that they dealt only in a genuine article, grew so rapidly that in 1861, when a commercial treaty with France reduced the duty on light French wines from one dollar and fifty cents to twenty-five cents per gallon, they went into the trade as well, and were the first to give the consumer the full benefit of the reduced duties, regardless of what other firms were doing. This gave the young business a slipp of which it has never ceased to feel the benefit and shortly afterwards, in 1867, to be exact, only ten years from the date of its establishment, the firm's trade had increased to such a remarkable extent that a removal to French premises was necessary, the freehold of the historic Pantheon, which has constituted the principal offices of the concern ever since, was acquired. Surely no stranger place, so far as its history is concerned, was ever utilized for the present purpose. Originally, the "Pantheon" was a theatre, to which a goodly proportion of the rank and fashion of eighteenth century London preferred a steady patronage. As far back as 1792 it was burned down, but a few months later it arose from its ashes, and subsequently underwent many restorations. Some idea of its importance may be gathered from the fact that it was built in the regular theatre fashion of the day, with pit, stalls and gallery, and actually bore a spacious royal box. After serving as a public theatre for some years, the building was offered for sale by one of the finest artists of the day in London, which will bear favorable comparison with the highest prices obtainable in Lombard street itself. In order to turn what was at that time a theatre into business offices of large capacity, it was completely reconstructed, and some 2,000 persons were put in, and here may be seen an array of clerks and bookkeepers at work. Immediately below, formerly the huge auditorium of the Pantheon, another astonishing transformation has been effected, and one is able to get therefrom a good idea of the immensity of the Gilbey business. The whole vast area is devoted to the storage of the printing required by the firm. Row after row of printing machines stand in line from end to end and from side to side of the building, which measures over 100 square feet. Here are to be seen from 100 to 200 men, and women, working in number according to season, simultaneously engaged in lithographic and letterpress printing, both in black and white and in colors, bookbinding, label-cutting and the thousand and one things incidental to a fully-equipped printing office on a large scale. Over thirty millions of various labels are here printed and elsewhere used by the firm during the year, and over 30,000,000 of bottles and price lists. Below this busy place again are commodious cellars used for storing some very old vintage wines of which W. & A. Gilbey hold a unique collection. The bonded stores and warehouses are situated at Camden Town, about a mile and a half from the office, where between 800 and 900 hands are employed. These buildings, which cover nine acres of ground are divided into floors for the bottling of the various brands of wine and spirits, and underneath are situated the vats—some of them a quarter of a mile long—for the storage of ports, sherries, etc. Hard by is the large gin distillery where the still produces 1000 gallons of distilled water per day and 3000 gallons of proof spirit per week. With regard to the Scotch whiskey, which is one of the Messrs Gilbey's strong points, they are the proprietors of three well-known distilleries in the famous Glenlivet district, at which during each season some 300,000 gallons are distilled, and it is the firm's pride that nothing but the finest barley grown in the vicinity is used for making purposes. In the year 1875, some eighteen years after the founding of the firm, the Chateau de Loudeuse from the Viscountess de Marcellus for the sum of \$146,000, and since then expended over \$300,000 in constructing a harbor, water-works, large and important farm buildings and cottages for the work people, etc. The Chateau is situated on the banks of the Gironde, and in 1887 the French minister of agriculture awarded the Messrs Gilbey a medal for the best cultivated estate in the Medoc district, and at the last Paris Ex-

hibition they gained a similar distinction for their established claret in the French section, the wine being the produce of the Chateau Loudeuse. Messrs. Gilbey also possess their own properties in Oporto (for port wine), Haras Chaveaux (for cognac), Mayence (for Rhine wine), etc. and hold the royal warrant for appointment to His Majesty the King, as they formerly did for late Majesty Queen Victoria, besides other royal appointments to H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, H. M. the King of the Belgians, etc. Some idea of the popularity enjoyed by this firm's brands of wines and spirits in England alone may be gathered from the statement that they pay the government for duties nearly \$10,000 per day, and the score of the success which they have met with from the start is attributable to the fact that they have always guaranteed the absolute purity, quality and genuineness of all their brands. This enterprising firm are now introducing their specialties throughout Canada, and the Canadian public will doubtless be quick to recognize the value of the guarantee which attaches to all goods sold under W. & A. Gilbey's labels. In St. John they are represented by McIntyre & Co., Ltd. who are their distributors there.

WARM ELECTION FOR MAYOR OF SYDNEY

Sydney, N. S., March 6.—(Special)—Perhaps the warmest civic contest ever held in this city resulted today in the reelection of Mayor Fullerton by a majority of 378 over his opponent, James H. Heary. K. C. The total vote was as follows:—Fullerton, 1,288; Heary, 910. The closest contest for aldermanic honors was in ward one, where Aid. J. A. Young was elected over E. F. Donohue by seven votes. In ward two, Aid. Philip MacDonald was elected by acclamation. In ward three, quite unexpected to both his opponent and himself, Aid. E. Gillis was defeated by Norman L. McDonald by a majority of ninety-eight, and this is the only change in the personnel of the new board. In ward four and five, Aid. I. A. McKenzie and M. H. Morrison were respectively elected by large majorities. The mayoralty campaign was characterized by some respectable personalities, although some attempt was made to discuss real issues. Mayor Fullerton and his friends never expressed any doubt of the result, although Mr. Heary's friends hoped that he would win by a narrow majority.

OBITUARY Mrs. Edward Burden.

The death occurred at Prince William Monday of Mrs. Barbara A. Burden, widow of Edward Burden, aged sixty-eight years. She was a native of St. John, N. B., and was the daughter of Mr. George, George, at home; Wilbur, of Boston, and Freeman, of Denver (Col.), and one daughter, Mrs. Dow Hagerman, of Boston.

Dr. Joseph Wells.

Dr. Joseph Wells, a native of Bayfield, Westchester county, died at his residence in Brooklyn (N. Y.) on Feb. 28. Dr. Wells, who was about forty-three years of age, was a son of the late W. Allen Wells, a well-known physician in his native county. Deceased studied in Saratoga and graduated from a Philadelphia college. He had built up quite an extensive and lucrative practice in Brooklyn. He was a man of fine personal appearance and very popular among all classes. He leaves his wife and daughter, Mrs. J. S. Flagler and Mrs. O. J. McCully, of this city, and Joseph Wells, of Montreal, are constant. Two sisters and a brother reside in the States and Mrs. Edwin Young, a maternal aunt, reside in St. Stephen.

Jacob I. Kierstead

Jacob I. Kierstead, of Collins, Kings county, died last night at the residence of his son, 127 Prince street, aged sixty-eight years. Mr. Kierstead was a native of Collins and stood high in the estimation of all his neighbors. He was an experienced worker and had filled various offices in the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance. He was a devout and consistent member of the Baptist church at Collins.

Mrs. Michael Morris.

With great sadness Mrs. Michael Morris, a respected resident of North street, passed away about 10 o'clock last night. For the past few weeks she had not been enjoying her usual good health, but there was apparently not the slightest cause for anxiety. She left her home, alone, about 9 o'clock last night, made a few purchases in a store about a block away, and upon returning the house fell weak. She rapidly became worse, a physician was summoned, but despite all that could be done she succumbed. Members of the family, who had seen her earlier in the evening going about her usual household duties, returned to find their mother dead. The shock was extremely severe and very general sympathy has been extended to those bereaved. Mrs. Morris was fifty-two years of age and is survived by her husband, three daughters and three sons. The husband is an employe of the water works. The daughters are Mary, Loretta and Nellie. The sons are Harry, Joseph and William, and all reside at home. Mrs. Morris fell so weak returning to her home that she requested assistance from a small boy and soon after entering the house became unconscious. Dr. E. J. Broderick was the physician called. Sons of deceased are Mrs. Margaret McKee, of Lorneville, and Mrs. Mary Galbreath, of Carleton.

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RED CROSS Pharmacy.

If you are troubled with Neuralgia or Headache from a bad stomach, try a package of our Headache Wafers, they give instant relief, only ten cents a package. G. A. RIECKER, 87 Charlotta St. Telephone 239.

Advertisement for Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd. featuring illustrations of men's suits and a logo with 'AT MRA'S LTD.' The text promotes their clothing and window displays.

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LAX-A-COLD (TRADE MARK) A Successful Laxative Treatment for La Grippe, "Colds," Coughs, Headaches, Neuralgia. For sale by W. J. McMillin, Dispensing Chemist, 625 Main Street. Tel. 980.

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It's So, Linen laundered at our place, and that he's willing from experience, it comes pretty nearly being the laundry for you to patronize. We challenge comparison of work and our prices are as low as others. 30 to 50 Pieces for 75c. Our Flexible-Pliable Finish leads. UNGAR'S LAUNDRY, Dyeing & Carpet Cleaning Works, Limited, Telephone 68.

Wedding Gifts!

YOUR AD. HERE Would be read by thousands every evening

Furs at Reduced Prices. We are clearing out our Fur Collars, Ruifs and Muffs at cut prices. Men's Caps with fur-lined bands, 50c. up. Large assortment of Men's and Boys' Cloth Caps. THORNE BROS. Hatters and Furriers.

Sterling and Plated Silverware. CUT GLASS. We have, in anticipation of this, imported a very large selection of these goods, which we have now on view, and will be glad to show.

W. TREMAINE GARD, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN, 77 Charlotte St.

A GREAT MANY PEOPLE are thanking us for advising them to take HERNER'S DYSPEPSIA CURE. They say they never felt any discomfort from their Christmas dinner. You try it. Price 35 cents At All Druggists. Telephone No. 141 & DEWITT BROS., FAIRVILLE, N. B. Wholesale and Retail Dealers in HAY, OATS AND FEED, MEATS, BUTTER, EGGS AND POTATOES. Branch Warehouse, HARTLAND, Carleton County, Canada.

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BLOOD IMPURITIES

Three Things Cause Them.—One Thing Cures Them.

OTTAWA, ONTARIO, Feb. 27.—(Special)—It gives me much pleasure to certify that "Fruit-atives" is the only medicine that cures the disagreeable skin disease...



and when I had taken two boxes, the rash was entirely gone, the swelling in face and hands was gone, the pain in the back had left me, and was quite well again, and my complexion is clearer than it has been for years...

This case of Mrs. Malhiot proves one great truth—that you can't cure pimples, blackheads, blotches, red rash and other skin diseases with salves and ointments.

Simply because the disease is not with the skin but WITH THE BLOOD. The skin trouble is the RESULT of blood trouble.

"Fruit-atives" proves this because when salves and ointments are left off—and "Fruit-atives" taken to purify and enrich the blood, the skin diseases are cured to stay cured.

Pimples, red rash, eczema etc., come from disease of one of three organs—liver, kidneys or stomach. It may be all three—but certainly one. And this one affects the other two.

And there will be skin disease —as long as the bowels are constipated —as long as the kidneys retain urea or tissue waste —as long as the stomach does not digest food properly and the body is improperly nourished.

Ointments won't cure—salves won't cure—soaps won't cure. Because the trouble is the BLOOD—not the skin. But "Fruit-atives" will cure—"Fruit-atives" do cure—because "Fruit-atives" PURIFY THE BLOOD.

"Fruit-atives" act on the liver—stimulate it to excrete more bile—and thus make the bowels move regularly every day. This aids the system of one source of blood poisoning. These famous liver tablets act on the kidneys—prevent the formation of excessive uric acid—and insure the kidneys being strong and healthy. They act on the skin—strengthen the glands and stimulate them to throw off the impurities which the blood brings to them.

With bowels, liver, kidneys, stomach and skin working properly—the blood is pure and rich—and there can be no pimples or blemishes to mar the complexion.



At all drug stores or sent postpaid on receipt of price—50c. Name on 4 boxes for \$2.00.

DUAL WATER SYSTEM WOULD MEAN NO LOWER RATES, SAY UNDERWRITERS

If the dual system is adopted it is very improbable that the board of fire underwriters will grant any further reduction in the insurance rate, said R. W. W. Frink last evening when speaking of Director Murdoch's proposal to utilize Little River water in the low level of the city.

Several other members of the board were also seen by a representative of The Telegraph, and the consensus of opinion appeared to be strongly in favor of giving Engineers F. A. Barbour a free hand if he is to be held responsible for the new system.

Underwriters Pronounced in Views.

Mr. Frink said he did not see what improvement would be effected if the Little River service was to be continued. He drew attention to the fact that Mr. Murdoch's report which showed that he proposed to use the low level service at the Market square fountain at a pressure of fifty-one pounds, and that at the corner of Germain and King streets the pressure would be thirty-one pounds.

"A calculation was made only today," Mr. Frink continued, "that if the new system, as proposed by Mr. Barbour, had been in operation at the time of the recent fire in Canterbury street, fifteen streams of water could have been thrown into the building. I certainly think," he concluded, "that the dual system would not meet our requirements."

H. B. Robinson, another member of the board of underwriters, expressed the opinion that the dual system would be no improvement. "Mr. Barbour's system is the only system we want," he remarked.

D. R. Jack made a strong point of not interfering with Mr. Barbour's plan. "The city has an undertaking in hand," he said, "which is going to cost \$800,000. Mr. Barbour has been employed to put in a first class service, and having pleaded the mat-

ter in his hands, he cannot be interfered with and then held responsible for results. He must be given a free hand." A Gordon Leavitt said he was not in a position to judge of the capabilities of the two engines. He believed they were both good men, but he would certainly consider it advisable, when Mr. Barbour had been employed and had submitted a scheme which had been approved, that he should be allowed to carry it to completion.

What Underwriters Asked For.

It may prove of interest in connection with the opinions expressed by the members of the board of fire underwriters to give an extract from the communication forwarded to the mayor by order of the board under date June 15, 1904. After reference to the deduction of fifteen per cent. from the additional forty cents as soon as the chemical engine had been secured, the letter proceeds as follows:—

I am also directed by the board to refer to the question of water service. The resolution adopting the additional forty-cent rate provided that twenty-five cents thereof should continue to apply until the water supply and pressure are improved to the satisfaction of the board of underwriters with the water and sewerage board on the 1st of July, 1904. It is stated that the twenty-five cent additional rate will be removed as soon as a technical college in the city of Toronto— which was maintained at its own expense— which was maintained at its own expense— which was maintained at its own expense—

NEW BRUNSWICK, HE SAYS, IS BACKWARD IN EDUCATION

Number of Illiterates Here Declared Greater Than in Other Provinces

At the monthly meeting of the board of trade yesterday afternoon, the report of the education committee appointed to see the school trustees relative to manual training was adopted. W. Frank Hatheway drew attention to this province having more illiterates per cent. of population than either Ontario or Nova Scotia, and expressed the hope that manual training would effect a change in the conditions.

KIDNEY DISEASE AND ITS DANGERS CAN BE QUICKLY CURED BY DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Kidney disease comes on quietly, it may have been in the system for a long time before it shows itself. The first signs are usually backache, swelling of the feet and ankles, disturbance of the urinary organs, such as, frequent urination, blood in the urine, or, in some cases, uric acid deposits in urine, highly colored, sandy or cloudy urine, bladder pain, frequent urination, etc.

Age Adds to Its Popularity

Fifty years ago Putnam's Corn Extract was introduced. It has been one of the most successful of all medicinal preparations.

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GENERAL GATACRE DEAD IN LONDON

Brilliant in Soudan, Lost in Reputation Fighting Boers; Tragedy in His Private Life.

London, March 6.—The death of Major-General Sir William Forbes Gatacre, 63 years old, is announced this morning. General Gatacre served with distinction in the Soudan, but his permanent ill-future in the Boer war dimmed his reputation as a soldier.

WET feet always travel the road that ends in the hospital.

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If you want this comfort and protection look for "the mark of quality" on every rubber you buy.

Engineer Harbour to make an exhaustive survey and report on the water system, and the vote tonight was along this line. The work on these different improvements will be commenced immediately the spring opens.

A Good Coal for Cooking Stoves and ranges, at this time of year is Picton Nut. It is about the size of Chestnut Hard Coal, is clean and lasts well.

Scotch and American Anthracite.

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Pure because it comes from a depth of 268 feet. It cures RHEUMATISM, GOUT, KIDNEY and Intestinal Disorders.

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Nothing in it, says GENERAL SUPT. DOWNIE.

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THIS EVENING

Edward Ellis Co. in June at the Opera House. New Brunswick Lodge, No. 1, K. of P. meets at 8 o'clock in Castle Hall.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS—Light to moderate west to south winds, light today and on Thursday. A little milder. SYNOPSIS—A depression is developing in the Gulf of Mexico but at present confined to the weather is indicated for the Maritime Provinces. Winds to Banks and American Provinces, light to moderate west to south.

LOCAL WEATHER

Highest Temperature during last 24 hours 24. Lowest Temperature during last 24 hours 24. Wind at Noon... Direction, S.W. Velocity 22 miles per hour. Clear and milder this morning. Some drizzle last evening. Highest temperature, 23, lowest, 6. Fair during day, light snow at night. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Forecast: Eastern States and Northern N.Y.—Occasional rain late tonight and on Thursday, warmer Thursday, fresh southwest winds.

LOCAL NEWS

Another case of diphtheria is reported today. It is in the King family on Republic street.

The J. S. Edwards lodge, Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F., will hold a special meeting tonight in their hall.

You can't appreciate your pipe until you smoke GOLDEN SUNBEAM. Two ounces for 15c. Louis Green.

The case of G. S. Mayes against Walter Wayne for abusive language, was, with consent of the complainant allowed to drop.

The Junior League of Queen square church, overstate the members of the church and friends this evening at eight o'clock.

New Brunswick Lodge, No. 1, K. of P., will meet in Castle Hall at 8 o'clock this evening when the third degree will be conferred on five candidates.

Hon. J. G. Forbes went to Montreal on the noon train. He will address a meeting there tonight on the subject of Church Union. Rev. Dr. Allison and Dr. Paisley will also speak.

At the close of the curling match in St. Andrew's rink yesterday afternoon between the lady and gentlemen curlers, tea was served under the direction of Mrs. J. Wilber Holly and Mrs. Dell Carrick. It was a most enjoyable affair.

Farmers are taking advantage of the good sleighing to bring their produce to the city. Quite a number arrived today from various points along the river, bringing with them large quantities of farm produce including hay, potatoes and eggs.

The case of Jeremiah and Stephen Daley, charged with breaking and entering Philip McGuire's saloon, was returned to the police court yesterday afternoon. After Policeman Wm. Sullivan's evidence was taken the case was adjourned until this afternoon at two o'clock.

Tomorrow evening, in the school-room of St. John Presbyterian church will be given a pleasing concert. The programme which will be given is one that is well worth double the price of admission. And to spend a pleasant evening and to get your tired feelings invigorated into new life, come and hear the talent at St. John Presbyterian church. See advt.

James Golding, who is charged with beating his invalid wife, was brought in to court yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Brown stated that she was called into Mrs. Golding's apartments Monday night last, and there found the prisoner endeavoring to hit his wife out of bed. Mrs. Golding's face was bleeding at the time. The prisoner was then remanded.

An article appeared in the evening papers on Monday stating that a lively street fight occurred at the corner of Main and Mill streets, on Sunday night, and that one of the combatants was a coachman belonging to the North End. The account was obtained from what was thought to be a reliable source, but it has been learned that no actual fighting occurred.

Hans Meyek, the Dane arrested last week by Officer Crawford for stealing a box of chickens and a trunk valued at \$80 from the I. C. R. depot, and subsequently sentenced to two years in Dunlop, was taken to the penitentiary by Turnkey Samuel Clifford. John J. Myers, sentenced for breaking and entering the store of F. E. Williams & Co. was also taken to Dorchester this morning.

WILL OF LATE ALD. CHRISTIE

He Left an Estate Valued at \$20,500—All Goes to Relatives—No Public Bequests.

The last will and testament of the late Dr. William Christie was admitted to probate yesterday afternoon, and letters testamentary were granted to his widow, Mrs. Mary Eliza Christie, and Joseph A. Magilton, the executors named in the will. The estate is valued at \$20,500 real property and \$18,000 personal.

POLICE COURT

Four Prisoners Arraigned This Morning on Minor Charges.

Five prisoners were brought before Judge Ritchie this morning, but there were no charges of a very serious nature. William Smith and Thomas Thornton were arrested yesterday afternoon in the I. C. R. station for drunkenness. Both pleaded guilty, but as they had tickets for Montreal they were ordered to leave the city on the first outgoing train.

William Callahan, aged 74 years, was a protectionist at the police station Sunday night, and this morning was a prisoner before the court, the charge of vagrancy having been entered against him by Officer Ward. The latter in his evidence this morning stated that the old man had no visible means of support, and had been of late sleeping on a bench in the gas house. The prisoner undoubtedly needs to be cared for, as he is in a state of uncleanliness. Judge Ritchie sentenced him to three months in the Alma House.

Andrew Irvine was arrested yesterday charged with begging from door to door. He pleaded not guilty, and Officer Ward stated that seeing him on Winter street yesterday with a bundle of clothes, he inquired, he made enquiries and learned from a female resident that Irvine had just got out of the hospital, he had no clothes to wear. She stated to the policeman that she had given him some. Officer Ward also said that Joseph Gentry was with the prisoner at the time he saw them, but he escaped. Irvine was remanded until further enquiries can be made.

SCIENTIFIC SERVICE FOR OFFICES

During the past few months, the new typewriting bureau of the Currie Business University, Ltd., has been patronized by some of the largest concerns in the city. In many cases, where stenographers are absent from their work, a competent stenographer has been sent, at a moment's notice, to fill the vacancy and in every case has given entire satisfaction. Many brokers and others, who have not enough work to keep a stenographer busy, have found this department a very economical and efficient method for taking care of their correspondence.

A merchant while sitting in his office can telephone his correspondence to the head stenographer of this department, who will typewrite and deliver his letters ready for signature, before mailing time. This department enables the Currie Business University, Ltd., to furnish stenographers for permanent positions who are thoroughly experienced in all classes of work, as the department is under the supervision of experienced business men and handles a voluminous mass of manuscript daily.

This special office is directly opposite the Union Club and its telephone number is 1,705.

CASES OF DIPHTHERIA

Quite a number of cases of diphtheria have been reported during the past few days, the majority of the patients being children. In the public schools much care has been taken to prevent the disease from spreading, especially in Victoria school, where some of the rooms have been fumigated. As far as can be learned no scholars from Victoria school are ill with diphtheria, but a number of the pupils have been kept at home because brothers or sisters were found to be suffering with the disease, and this circumstance, alone, has been thought sufficient by the authorities to warrant fumigation.

All parents are expected to keep their children away from school when any signs of diphtheria or any other infectious disease are evident in their homes, but this has been overlooked by some, as teachers have found scholars attending school for days after some of their household have had the disease.

A NOVEL IDEA INDEED

Six whole plate glass fronts full of the very smartest clothing, will be on exhibition every day in the city until evening, in the city will enjoy seeing it, will commence tomorrow morning in the King street and Germain street windows of Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd. to last until midnight, when the electric lights are shut off.

This outdoor display is M. R. A.'s effort for the man who finds it difficult to get time to visit the stores and examine the styles at leisure. He can, by this new arrangement, make a quick tour of the windows and see each and every new idea in cloth, shape and trimming, giving him a chance to make up his mind what he would like later on.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

Mrs. Andrew G. Blair arrived in the city today from Montreal and is the guest of Mrs. George McAvity, Orange street.

Mrs. R. L. Smith returned home on the Boston train today.

Rev. Dr. Fraser, of Montreal, formerly pastor of St. Stephen's church here, arrived in the city at noon. He will officiate at the wedding of Miss Mona Thomson and Captain Clinch, tomorrow.

Miss Elizabeth Furlong and Miss J. H. Tillotson returned home on the Atlantic express today.

Capt. Wake, superintendent of the C. P. R. Atlantic steamship service, arrived in the city at noon from Montreal.

H. R. McLellan has been confined to the house for the past few days, suffering from a heavy cold.

STAR COURSE MONDAY

The remaining seats for the race number in the Star Course on the 10th tomorrow morning at the York Theatre. Valentine Abt, the greatest of harpists, supported by a company, will be the attraction Monday night.

REPAIRS FOR CITY DREDGE

"Mud Digger" is Being Tuned up Before Starting Work at Sand Point.

The city dredge is now undergoing repairs preparatory to being placed at work at No. 2 berth, Sand Point. It is expected that the dredge will commence its digging operations Saturday next. It is the intention to keep the dredge at work on this berth whenever opportunity offers, until the work is completed. Owing to the constant coming and going of the steamers it will be impossible to keep at the work for any long stretch of time, but every hour the berth is not engaged will be utilized by the dredge. As there has been no application from any of the other steamship lines for dredging to be done, the other berths will not be dredged until after the close of the winter port business, when the usual cleaning up will be done.

THE GROWTH OF AN AMHERST INDUSTRY

Dunlap, Cooke & Co. to be Incorporated With a Capital of a Quarter of a Million.

In an article on the growth of Amherst industry, a Halifax paper says of Dunlap, Cooke & Co., which is about to be incorporated with a capital of \$250,000:—Fifteen years ago, George W. Cooke, of Dunlap, Cooke & Co., then carrying on a tailors business in Amherst, became impressed with the possibilities of developing the native products of the province, especially in kinds of furs, in which they were then dealers in a small way.

In Chatham, N. B., one day he purchased an otter skin and made into a lady's storm collar in their Amherst shop. This was only fifteen years ago this month. Dunlap, Cooke & Co. are among the best known dealers in raw furs and skins in the Maritime Provinces, and a chain of branches including Halifax, St. John and Winnipeg. And, not satisfied with their progress in Amherst, they have established a branch in Boston, incorporated under the laws of Massachusetts, and a branch of the Amherst headquarters, which is considered the most finely appointed and best equipped fur show room in Boston. Amherst, and with their world famous enterprises and foreign, have established branches in Canada by the hundreds. Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Windsor and Winnipeg are literally dotted with branches of American industries in the future that so far as it can be recalled, the Dunlap, Cooke Company, of Amherst, St. John, Halifax and Winnipeg, are the only firm in Canada that had the enterprise and foresight to establish a branch in the United States.

The future development of this fur manufacturing industry from the Amherst headquarters gives promise of a bright future. The progress in the future that has marked its progress during the past few years, and in order to prepare for the great development that is inevitable, Mr. Cooke, the surviving partner, has decided to organize the business so as to take advantage of the various heads of a number of influential capitalists who are anxious to obtain an interest in this rapidly growing business. A Dominion charter has been applied for. The new corporation, to be known as the Dunlap, Cooke Company, Ltd., of Canada, will take over the entire business, including the Boston house. The reorganized enterprise will continue under the presidency and personal management of Mr. Cooke, with a board of directors consisting of Mr. Cooke, president, of Rhodes, Curry, Curry, president, of D. W. Robb, president and managing director of the Robb Engineering Co., Amherst; Wm. A. Denison, president of the Halifax Herald and Mail, and James H. Doody, merchant, of St. John. So successful has been the launching of this new corporation that no stock will be offered to the public at this time. The majority of the stock will be held by the old firm, who will receive the privilege of placing the balance in quarters that will contribute most advantageously to the development of the business. The authorized capital will be a quarter of a million dollars, of which one hundred and fifty thousand will be paid up.

MARINE NOTES

The Eastern Steamship Company's steamer "St. John," Captain Thompson, arrived last night with 64 passengers and 200 tons of freight.

The Dominion Coal Company's steamer "Louisbourg," Captain McPhail, arrived in port this morning with 2,100 tons coal from Louisbourg.

Manufacturers of cars of general goods and 30 cars cattle were received at the customs house through in bond to the United Kingdom by the winter port steamers.

The Puruss line steamer "St. John" City arrived at Halifax last night from London. She comes to this port after discharging her Halifax cargo, with 900 tons of freight.

The Steamship Manchester Trader arrived at Halifax this morning from Manchester and Liverpool. She has on board 80 tons of freight for this port.

BIG SALE OF DRY GOODS

J. Allan Belyea has decided to close his store immediately the entire large stock of thoroughly up-to-date and reliable dry goods and ready-to-wear clothing for women and children, contained in store number fifty-four King street.

Mr. Belyea has accepted all orders for new spring goods placed by him during the past six months, and cases upon cases of these perfectly fresh and stylish goods are being opened up daily. Everything will be sold without reserve.

Sale will begin at nine o'clock tomorrow (Thursday) morning, when the greatest bargain in the history of St. John will greet the public.

A BUSY FIRM

The carriage building and repair factory of Graham, Cunningham & Nason, of 275-277, is a busy place lately and their well-known firm is kept busy in finishing up delivery teams and carriages of all kinds in readiness for the expected departure of the snow in a short time.

They recently turned out a set of runners for the chemical engine, and are working on another set now. The new building on Peter street is particularly well adapted for the carrying on of their work.

ALD. HOLDER DISAGREES

Says Director Murdoch had no Right to Hold Back Information From Engineer Hunter.

Alderman Holder, in conversation with a Times reporter today, said he did not agree with Inspector Murdoch's view relative to withholding from Mr. Hunter the information regarding the Little River water supply. Mr. Hunter, added the alderman, was acting for Engineer Barbour, who had been asked to make a report to Mr. Murdoch's report and sought the information for that purpose. Alderman Holder said he did not see why the director should refer to the board for every "whiffpetich."

NEW ORANGE HALL

Dedicated at Southampton—True Blue Lodge for McAdam.

Grand Master McLeod, of the L. O. A., assisted by Past Grand Master Hignett, dedicated the hall of L. O. L. No. 75, at Southampton, York Co., on Thursday, March 1st. There was a large attendance and addresses were delivered by the above officers. The hall is an ornament to the village, and a credit to the members of the order at that place.

At a public meeting at McAdam on Friday evening, March 2nd, in the interest of the Local True Blue Association, addresses were delivered by David Hignett and J. Wesley Hoyt, and an application for a warrant was signed by 28 charter members.

Things were lively in the country market today, a great number of farmers took advantage of the beautiful weather and came to the city with an abundance of produce. The prices remain about the same as last week.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for various stocks and their prices. Includes items like Amalgam Copper, Am Sugar Rtns, Am Steel & Wire, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns for various commodities and their prices. Includes items like May Corn, May Wheat, May Oats, etc.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for various commodities and their prices. Includes items like Dom Flour, Dom Iron, Dom Steel, etc.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

Table with columns for various cotton grades and their prices. Includes items like March Cotton, May Cotton, July Cotton, etc.

DEATHS

MORRIS—Suddenly in this city on 6th inst. Ann, wife of Michael Morris in the 42nd year of her age, leaving a husband and six children to mourn their sad loss. Burial from the residence of David Beljean, 445 Union St. Friday at 2:30 p.m.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED—A COOK. ENQUIRE AT 20 Northampton St. Must have testimonials. 2-7-2 L.

WANTED—AT ONCE, 3 OR 4 SMART, respectable girls. T. BARKINS & SONS, Hosiery Manufacturers. 5-7-2 L.

LOST—A WHITE BULL BITCH. THE Finder will be suitably rewarded if she is found. Anyone found harboring it after this notice will be prosecuted. TIMOTHY DRISCOLL.

15 CENTS WILL GIVE YOU A Good Concert! Come and enjoy a GOOD PROGRAMME at St. John Presbyterian Church Schoolroom, THURSDAY EVENING, Mar. 8.

SAFE FOR SALE. We have a VICTOR SAFE of the Flaherty make, which is in excellent condition and which we are prepared to dispose of at a reasonable figure. Apply immediately. MRS. M. A. FINN, 72 Union St.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

A SPECIAL BARGAIN IN LADIES' BRITISH MADE BLACK CASHMERE STOCKINGS

Sizes 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2 and 10 inch feet. We place on sale 150 dozen at less than present cost of production. The way we shall sell them is in packets of Four Pairs for One Dollar.

4 PAIRS \$1.00. All are seamless feet, pure Cashmere wool, fine and elastic and will wear equal to expensive stockings.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. CORSET SALE

49 Cents Pair. The famous P. C. make, 10 different styles to choose from, all sizes, in drab and white. Never sold for less than 65 Cents pair.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 King Square

Days of Sensational Clothing Selling. Suits at Half Price.

BOYS' SUITS, That really ought to bring \$3.50. Now... Price, \$2.25. BOYS' \$0.50 THREE PIECE SUITS—All 24 Sizes... Special price, \$3.00. BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS. Special Price, \$2.00.

BOYS' SAILOR SUITS, in all sizes. Prices... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. BLACK WORSTED and CHEVIOT SUITS—Price from \$6.00 to \$12.00. MEN'S SUITS—Tweed Suits all new and up-to-date patterns to select from. Prices from... \$4.50 to \$10.00. MEN'S TROUSERS—Made of all the newest materials—All sizes. Prices from... \$1.00 to \$4.00.

AT THE GLOBE CLOTHING STORE

7 and 9 Foot of King Street. SALE OF FRENCH KID GLOVES. 69 Cents. 522 Pairs. 69 Cents.

The regular price was \$1.10 per pair, now 69 cents. Made by one of the most reliable Kid Glove makers in the world. The colors are, Black, White, Tans, Browns, Oxblood and Greys, all in assorted shades, and the sizes are complete from 5 3/4 to 7 1/2. Buy now and you will have them for Easter. This is a real snap at 69 cents.

ROBT. STRAIN & CO., 27 and 29 CHARLOTTE STREET.

Fresh Made Roll Butter 22c. per Pound. Fresh Eggs, 18c. per Dozen.

NEW CURTAINS of exceptional value are here in abundance. An idea of the scope and extent of the variety can only be had by inspecting our stock. The prices will speak for themselves.

CURTAINS, 2 1/4 yards long 28c. pair. FANCY LACE RIBBON CURTAINS. The newest thing in Lace Curtains. \$2.10, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00. LACE PANELS, 15 and 18c. each.

Table Linen. Some of the most serviceable linens we have ever shown are now in stock. Pleasing until worn out, because of good looks and good wear. We are selling them at prices that tell the story better than argument.

WHITE TABLE DAMASK, 33c, 55c, 65c, 80c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25 yard. UNBLEACHED DAMASK, 30c, 33c, 38c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c yard. WHITE DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, 95c, \$1.10, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.75, \$2.85 each. WHITE DAMASK CLOTHS with red border, 75c, 95c, each. COLORED DAMASK CLOTHS, red and white and red and green, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.25 each. WHITE LINEN NAPKINS (Hemstitched) 95c, to \$2.75 dozen.

Lace Curtains. NEW CURTAINS of exceptional value are here in abundance. An idea of the scope and extent of the variety can only be had by inspecting our stock. The prices will speak for themselves.

CURTAINS, 2 1/4 yards long \$1, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.60, \$1.75, \$1.90, \$2.00, \$2.10, \$2.30, \$3.00 pair. CURTAINS, 3 yards long, 45c, 55c, 60c, 85c. pair.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main Street, North End.

Special Low Prices For This Week: Best Mocha and Java Coffee only 30 Cents Pound. Best 40 Cent Mixed Tea, only 30 Cents Pound. Good Black Tea only 25 Cents Pound.

We still continue to sell 40 cent Chocolates and Bon-Bons at only 25 Cents Pound at our stores.

A GREAT BARGAIN. A Gilt Tea Set, (54 Pieces) Worth \$4.00. On sale now for - - \$2.98. Only 10 Tea Sets in Lot.

PEOPLES' DEPT. STORE. 141 Charlotte Street. 142 Mill Street.

G. F. FRANCIS & CO., 141 Charlotte Street. 70 and 72 Mill Street.