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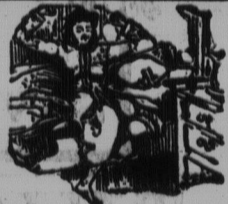
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BOYS' BLOUSES, 50c.
BOYS' SAILOR SUITS, 75c.

J. N. HARVEY, Men's and Boys' Clothing, 100 Union Street, St. John.

SHIPPING MEN

In British Commons Organize a Strong Committee.

Will Take Further Action When Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Tarte Arrive.

NEW YORK, June 14th.—In shipping circles, the formation of a house of commons committee with the object of looking after urgent shipping questions in parliament is regarded as a movement of a distinctly satisfactory character, says a London despatch to the Tribune.

Sir Charles Cayzer, chairman of the committee, and Col. Roper, deputy chairman, sit on the government side of the house, but Walter Runciman, honorary secretary, is one of the most promising of the younger men in the radical ranks.

The clear suggestion, is therefore, that political differences are to be, as far as possible, forgotten in the effort to enlighten parliament on the subject of the British shipping industry.

In taking this step the ship owners in the commons are by no means to be accused of adopting a strikingly original line of action.

It is stated that promoters of the British combination to the Morgan syndicate will not take further action until the arrival of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Mr. Tarte in this country.

NO WIRELESS MESSAGE.

Canada Cannot Thus Send Her Congratulations to the King.

(Special to the Star.) HALIFAX, June 13.—Advice from England addressed to J. A. Vyvyan, managing engineer in Canada of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co., state that there will be no wireless message despatched from the Canadian station at Table Head on Coronation day, as anticipated some weeks ago. It was officially stated that Signor Marconi would arrive in Canada about the 26th inst., and that he would transmit the initial wireless message to the old country on Coronation day.

Everything was in readiness for the tests. The four Marconi towers, each attaining a height of two hundred and fifteen feet, are completed and equipped with the necessary electrical apparatus. The steam engines propelling the dynamos and generators are installed and in working order.

LONDON, June 13.—In the course of a lecture tonight before the Royal Institution of Great Britain, Wm. Marconi announced that he had invented a highly sensitive magnetic detector of electric waves, by which it was possible to read about thirty words per minute in wireless telegraphy.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Rev. John Spurgeon Dead—Ottawa Man's Fatal Mistake.

LONDON, June 14.—Rev. John Spurgeon, a retired Congregational minister and the father of the Spurgeon family of preachers, died this morning at South Norwood. He was born July 15, 1810.

(Special to the Star.) OTTAWA, June 14.—W. A. Pennock, insurance agent, and for many years secretary of Ottawa Collegiate Institute board, died this morning. He arose at 4 o'clock to get a drink, and by mistake drank a disinfectant. The mistake was probably due to the dim light and Pennock's poor sight, he being 77 years old. Mr. Pennock was prominently identified with the Protestant churches in this city.

THE SHIPPING COMBINE.

LONDON, June 14.—In a despatch from Paris the correspondent of the Times gives the substance of a long conversation held with an eminent authority on French steamship navigation, on the subject of the Atlantic shipping combine. The authority named by the Times' correspondent said he considered the shipping combine to be aimed at France and the other countries not included in it.

A LARGE REWARD.

SALEM, Ogn., June 14.—Governor Geer and Superintendent Lee, of the penitentiary, last night offered a reward of \$3,000 for the capture and return, dead or alive, of Tracey and Merrill, the escaped convicts. This is double the amount offered heretofore.

LAND OF THE FREE.

Gen. Lee's Daughter Arrested For Riding in "Jim Crow" Car.

ALEXANDRIA, V. A., June 13.—An arrest that caused considerable excitement occurred tonight, when Miss Mary Custis Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, was taken into custody, charged with violating the law affecting the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric railway, which provides for the separation of white and colored passengers.

Miss Lee boarded the car at Washington, and without realizing it, had taken a seat in the portion reserved for colored people. She was comfortably seated, and being encumbered with several bundles, declined to move to the forward part of the car.

At Washington street in this city she started to leave the car, when she was informed by officers that she was in custody. At the police station she told her story calmly, but after reaching the home of friends she was visiting she broke down completely and appeared to be greatly affected by the unfortunate affair.

A VERY LARGE COLLECTION OF PRETTY AND Dainty WHITE MUSLIN DRESSES FOR CHILDREN that is being shown at Dykeman's, is creating considerable interest among mothers of children.

ORIENTAL TAFFY.

A Japanese Baron Tickles the Palate of Uncle Sam

NEW YORK, June 14.—Baron E. Shibusawa, a leader of finance in Japan, whose position in his native country as a financier corresponds to that of Marquis Ito in statecraft, has arrived here from Philadelphia. The baron, who is on a tour of the world, is many times a millionaire, and at the head of forty corporations in his native country. He was met at the railroad station in Jersey city by many of the prominent members of the Japanese colony here.

Later, at his hotel, the baron, through his interpreter, expresses surprise at the great advancement of the United States, as he had seen it on his travels from San Francisco to this port. He had been especially interested in Chicago and Pittsburg, and the locomotive works in Philadelphia. He considered the progress of the United States due to the great material force of the people.

At the invitation of the president the baron and his party will visit the White House Monday. He will then return to this city from which he will sail for England on the Oceanic.

GREAT DEMONSTRATION

When Steamer Tunisian Sailed From Montreal Today For Liverpool.

(Special to the Star.) MONTREAL, June 14.—The departure of the steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool at 9 o'clock this morning, was the occasion for a great demonstration in view of the fact that both the Hong Kong coronation contingent and Bisle team were on board. Besides these the steamer carried a large number of leading Canadians bound for the coronation. Over a thousand people were at the Allan's dock when the steamer drew out into the stream, and the people on board received a great send off.

A NEW TERROR.

Erysipelas Bacilli Lurk in Money to Poison Us.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Erysipelas, contracted by handling money in which the disease germ was lurking, has nearly caused the death of Thomas J. Noonan, treasurer of the Illinois theatre. The young man's affliction was caused by a bacillus of erysipelas which made its way from a piece of money to Noonan's finger and later found lodgement in the victim's nostrils, where a slight abrasion gave it a field for operation. Noonan lay at the point of death for several hours, but has passed the crisis and probably will recover.

I. O. F. 28TH ANNIVERSARY.

All members of the Independent Order of Foresters in the city are requested to meet at Forester's Hall, Charlotte street, tomorrow at 1.30 o'clock (new time) to attend divine service in the Carlton Baptist church. See advt.

COL. LYNCH

Arraigned in Bow Street Police Court Today.

Sir Edward Carson Sets Forth Clearly the Case For the Crown.

LONDON, June 14.—Bow street police court was crowded today. The investigation into the charge of high treason brought against Col. Arthur Lynch, formerly of the Boer army, who was arrested at New Haven, Wednesday, on landing there from France, was begun.

Mrs. Lynch and other friends of the accused were present. The solicitor general, Sir Edward Carson, opened for the prosecution. He referred briefly to Col. Lynch's Australian nationality, residence in Paris, and departure thence to the Transvaal in January, 1900.

"The case for the prosecution," said Sir Edward, "will be that on arriving in South Africa, Lynch took service with the Transvaal government, raised a regiment, of which he acted as commander, to fight in its behalf, and actively fought against General Buller's operations. Lynch was in Pretoria January 15, 1900, and wrote to the Transvaal authorities notifying them of his desire to take up arms. January 18 he signed a field cornet's certificate, describing himself as an Irishman, a British subject and as born in Australia. But he declared his willingness to fight for the South African republic in order to maintain and defend its independence. Lynch also took the oath of allegiance as a full burgher, the certificate enabling him to do so as well as to accept a commission from the Transvaal government. Lynch then raised the co-called Irish Brigade, joined the invading army in Natal, and issued an appeal, signed 'Arthur Lynch, colonel, Irish Brigade,' inviting Irishmen to assist the two republics."

GEN. JOE WHEELER

Says United States Owes Great Britain Debt of Gratitude.

LONDON, June 13.—A dinner of welcome was given here tonight to General Joseph Wheeler, H. Clay Evans, the newly appointed consul general to London, and ex-Congressman English of Indiana, at which many representative Americans and Englishmen were present. The dinner was organized by Lindsay Russell. The dinner was followed by speeches and toasts, and many tributes were paid to those present. King Edward and President Roosevelt were toasted with much enthusiasm.

BRITISH IRON TRADE

May Profit By Coal Strike in United States.

NEW YORK, June 14.—In the iron markets here, the progress of the coal miners in the United States is being carefully noted, says a London despatch to the Tribune. British iron masters anticipate that if the strike is not speedily settled it will not only stop the supply of coal, but will, as a consequence, bring American iron and steel works to a standstill. Such a contingency naturally is not overlooked in this country, and inquiries on American account are momentarily expected. If they come they will further stimulate the British iron trade, which already is picking up as a result of orders from South Africa.

A TOWN WIPED OUT.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 13.—Alexander City, Ala., a town of 1,500 people, was practically wiped out by fire today, the estimated loss reaching \$750,000, which the insurance will not begin to cover. The town was not supplied with waterworks. The telegraph office was destroyed and all telephone communication with the town has been impaired. The fire broke out in the Alexander City Machine Company's shop at one o'clock this afternoon. Every business house, including three banks, the post office, two hotels, two livery stables and nine dwellings, the Methodist church and court house, was burned.

THIS IS SHIRT WAIST DAY AT DYKEMAN'S.

MORE BOERS SURRENDER.

LONDON, June 14.—Lord Kitchener reported to the war office today that 1,817 Boers surrendered yesterday in the Transvaal, Orange River and Cape Colonies.

WOODSTOCK.

(Special to the Star.) FREDERICTON, N. B., June 14.—The Woodstock board of health recently resigned because of differences with the citizens over the smallpox regulations. The local government has appointed Dr. Thomas F. Sprague as chairman of the board of health to succeed Dr. Hand, resigned.

ACCOMMODATING.

"The shovel fish of South America," said Uncle Jerry, "is the most accommodating fish there is. It has a snout in the shape of a shovel, and it will jump out on the bank and dig for you to catch it with."—Baltimore American.



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A good Blue Cloth Yachting Cap, solid leather or cloth covered peak, two styles, for \$50. GOLF CAPS—Men's and Boys' from 15c. to 75c.

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MONEY—Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums.

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THE WONDERFUL PALMIST and CLAIRVOYANT

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST.

P. A. Nannay is in town on vacation, Mr. Nannay since October last has been playing with Charles B. Handford in the Training of the Shrew and travelled over 21,000 miles.

THE ST. JOHN STAR is published by THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY (LTD.), at St. John, New Brunswick, every afternoon (except Sunday) at \$3 a year.

ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., JUNE 14, 1902.

ABOUT STRIKES.

A coal strike in Pennsylvania and West Virginia affects the people of St. John. They had no voice in the negotiations before the strike, or since, but they are paying some of the bills.

THE BACKWARD SEASON.

There are many complaints about the backwardness of the spring and summer seasons, and it is said that the crops will suffer because of the continued cold and wet.

THE POLICE FORCE.

While there is occasionally a disposition to growl at the police force of St. John, it appears to the Star that the officers perform their duties very well.

AMAZING DEPRAVITY.

The possibilities of human nature in one very undesirable direction were plainly illustrated in Montreal yesterday, when people thronged to see a man hanged, and men trafficked in tickets, eager to make money out of the awful event.

WANTED—FOR THE EVENING REPRINT—

editor with some knowledge of current events, steamships particularly.—Telegraph.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

Protest Against Italians Working on Central Railway Extension and Against I. C. R. Cheap Labor.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held last evening in the Labor hall, Oddfellows' building.

A communication was received from the Exhibition Association relative to the Labor parade, and a committee was appointed to confer with Mr. Hubbard.

The trades report was as follows: Bartenders, very good; moulders, good; ship laborers, very good; painters, dull; cigars, good; carpenters and joiners, good; printers, excellent; freight handlers, good; railway clerks, good; trackmen, good; shingle bunchers and sawyers, extra good.

A committee of five was appointed to co-operate with the Board of Trade arbitration committee.

The president was ordered to communicate with the deputy minister of labor and the secretary of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada in reference to the importation of Italian laborers to work on a railway in Chatham, Queens county, and also in reference to laborers on the I. C. R. improvements only receiving \$1.19 per day, while laborers working for a street railway were receiving \$1.35.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE POPE.

Related by Father Bobier, Who Has Just Returned From a Trip to Rome.

The Rev. James Edward Bobier, rector of St. Charles Borromeo's church in Brooklyn, is the first of the party who accompanied Bishop McDonnell on the recent pilgrimage to Rome to return. He landed from the Euripia on Sunday morning.

CHANGE OF TIME TONIGHT.

So Called Intercolonial Standard Will Go Into Effect Tonight.

Set your watch 24 minutes ahead tonight or you will be that much late for morning service in your church tomorrow.

For the convenience of those who wish to adjust their timepieces in accordance with the time to be adopted from and after the 15th of June, 1902, the ball will be dropped on Sunday.

PARASITES.

Rev. Mr. Lewis Follows Rev. Mr. Kitchin's Lead re Methodists.

TORONTO, June 11.—A few days ago Rev. Mr. Kitchin of Ottawa metaphorically got out his hammer and called the Methodists a denomination of parasites, preying upon the Church of England.

MEETINGS.

A special meeting of the Bartenders' Union will be held tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

DEATH OF ROBERT GOURLEY.

MONCTON, N. B., June 13.—The death of Robert Gourley, the well-known employe of the Record Foundry and Machine Company, took place last night.

ONTARIO RECOUNT.

TORONTO, June 13.—The conservatives have entered an appeal against the election of A. G. McKay, the liberal candidate in North Grey.

DIED IN OTTAWA.

F. W. Smith, whose death occurred in Ottawa this week, was a son of the late Nathaniel D. Smith, St. Croix, N. B.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE.

"It is easier to wash other people's dishes than your own."

The text has a deeper significance than the literal interpretation would allow. The words do not apply alone to that necessary and honorable task, generally relegated to the female portion of the community.

A delegation of every householder, of labor, often self-imposed, and there is no discrimination of sexes. It is a self-evident fact borne out in the experience of every householder.

THEY WANT FUNDS.

And a Directory of the United Irish League in Canada.

The newly organized branch of the United Irish League held a meeting on Sunday evening in St. Patrick's hall at which Hon. John Costigan, M. P., presided.

SAVAGE'S SPECIAL SALE STOPS SATURDAY.

\$2.00 NOW. Were \$3.50. That special, half-price sale we have had on for the past fortnight will close at 10 p. m., SATURDAY, JUNE 14th.

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OUR DATES ARE EARLIER, OUR FLOOR SPACE GOING QUICKER, OUR ARRANGEMENTS ARE FURTHER ADVANCED AND THE GENERAL ENTHUSIASM GREATER FOR THE GREAT EXHIBITION, St. John, 30th August to 6th September, 1902, THAN EVER BEFORE.

MARRIAGES.

LYONS-TILLEY—At Fredericton, June 12, by Rev. Dr. Chapman, Frederick Lyons to Minnie Tilley, both of Fredericton.

DEATHS.

COLE—In this city, June 12th, Charlotte M., wife of Captain Rufus C. Cole, aged 87 years, leaving husband, two sons and four children.

IMPORTANT SALE OF FASHIONABLE WASHING SUMMER DRESS FABRICS.

We will offer for sale on MONDAY MORNING, IN THE NEW LINEN ROOM,

TWELVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED YARDS OF THE FOLLOWING NEW WASHING MATERIALS, all of the present season's designs and of very superior quality, at lower prices than ever before quoted for such desirable goods.

3,500 Yards New Printed Foulard Satoons, At 10 Cents Per Yard.

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4,300 Yards Rich Mer-Satons, equal in appearance to silk, At 16 Cents Per Yard.

All the above are fast colors.

Sale opens at 8 a. m., MONDAY, JUNE 16TH.

NO SAMPLES GIVEN.

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Men's Tan Willow Calf Lace Shoes, late styles, fashionable leather, summer weight soles, Goodyear welted, not a defect or blemish in the shoes, a favorite shoe for men's wear. The price Saturday night is \$2.00 a pair; will then go back to former figure, \$3.50.

The fame of great bargains, like great men, lives after them.

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Intending Exhibitors who have not yet arranged for floor space, might kindly consider the above FOUR FACTS in conjunction. The conclusion will be evident. The PLANS at the Exhibition Association's Office will prove with what encouraging rapidity space is being appropriated. Further delay in securing same may result in disappointment. The utmost will be done to accommodate all applicants; but they will kindly recollect that a fortnight ago the rapid decrease in available space was duly advertised.

PRIZE LISTS free on application to

R. B. EMERSON, W. W. HUBBARD,

Acting President, St. John, N. B. Secretary and Manager, St. John, N. B.

KELLY GOES FREE.

The trial, at Woodstock, of Kelly, whom the Maine authorities were seeking to have extradited on the charge of having assaulted Deputy Burns, of that state, was concluded yesterday.

WE HAVE IT NOW.

We have just put in a new collar seam dampening machine that dampens both sides of a Dewey, every point or turn down collar at the one time.

IRISH LANDLORDS ORGANIZE.

The Irish landlords have organized for a legal struggle against the United Irish League, and Lord de Freyne has had a writ issued against a large number of the Irish parliamentary party, on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the tenant troubles on his estate in Roscommon County.

REDEEM THE ROYAL TEA.

Among your Saturday evening purchases include a package of Red Rose tea.

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MANITOBA'S WHEAT CROP.

MONTEAL, June 13.—A special despatch from Winnipeg announces that the government crop report shows an increase in the total acreage in Manitoba grain crops of 233,140 acres of wheat. The acreage is 2,039,940.

BICYCLISTS AND ATHLETES DEPEND ON BENTLEY'S LINIMENT TO KEEP THEIR JOINTS LIMBER AND MUSCLES IN TRIM.

One thousand employes of the International Paper Mill Co., of New York, went on strike yesterday.

Cutting up 1/2 of a Yard of Velveteen into Strips

by hand was the old-fashioned method of binding a skirt. S. H. & M. Bias Velveteen is made from velveteen manufactured especially for skirt binding. It is elegant and durable, cut on an absolutely true bias in various widths, neatly and evenly joined, ready to put on the skirt.

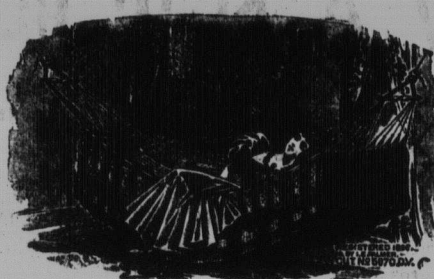
Ask for S. H. & M. Redfern Bias Corded Velvet, and be sure the letters S. H. & M. are on the back of every yard.



Our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale a Grand Success.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY, we make special offerings in every department. Our stock is the choicest in the city, but must be reduced. The sale includes PIANOS at unheard of prices, CUT GLASS at special prices, SOLID SILVER at prices equal to a discount of 33 1/2 to 50 per cent., CLOCKS at 25 per cent. discount, ORNAMENTS at 33 1/2 per cent., PICTURES at 25 to 33 1/2, and the following special offerings:

HAMMOCKS.



We have a large stock of both Palmer's and other manufacturers'. We give you a good Palmer Hammock at 90c., \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$1.75.

Special sale of Celluloid and silver Handle Dessert and Table Knives.

A Choice Sheffield Steel Knife with Celluloid Handle in dessert or table size, well worth \$3.50, for \$2.35 a dozen. An Excellent Square Celluloid Handled Knife, best Sheffield steel, regular price \$3.50, for \$2.50 a dozen.

A Snap in Solid Silver--Equal to a Discount of Over 50 Per Cent.

We have 12 Sardine Forks, Athenian pattern, the regular price of which had been \$1.50 each, and which we offer for 90c. We have a larger size which we have sold at \$2 in several patterns, and which we now offer for \$1.35.

36 Butter Knives in Solid Silver, which we offer at the special price of \$1.20 each during this sale. They are cheap at \$2.00. We also have them engraved which always sold at \$2.25 and which we offer for \$1.95.

50 Small Sugar and Bon-Bon Tongs, twist pattern, regular price \$1.00, for 87c. A larger size at 33-1-3 per cent. discount.

Three Olive Spoons, Lily of the Valley pattern, regular price \$3.25, sale price \$1.95.

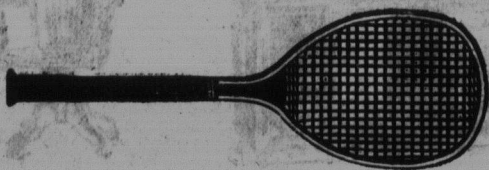
12 Assorted Sugar Shells, Cream Ladies, Jelly Spoons and Sugar Shakers, regular price, \$2.00 and \$2.75, which we will sell at the uniform price of \$1.75.

After Dinner Coffees, odd Pickle Forks and Butter Picks, at a discount of 33-1-3 per cent.

Besides this lot we have Soup Ladies, Oyster Ladies, Gravy Ladies, Berry Spoons, Salad Spoons and Forks, and Cheese Scoops, on which we will allow a discount equal to 33-1-3 per cent.

TENNIS GOODS.

We carry the celebrated Wright & Diston Racquets. We have a small child's Racquet at \$1.25, and a larger size at \$1.75.



The Hub Racquet for \$2.00. The Longwood Racquet, made of selected White Ash, fine quality gut and nicely finished, at \$4.00, cork handle, \$4.50.

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SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL.

National League Games Yesterday. At Philadelphia... R.H.E. Philadelphia... 200100012-10-3 Chicago... 000000000-0-5 5 Batteries: White and Dooin; Taylor and Chance. Attendance, 1,162.

At New York... R.H.E. Cincinnati... 200213000-7-10 2 New York... 010202000-5-11 2 Batteries: Hall and Bergen; Mathewson, Sparks and Boverman. Attendance, 2,700.

Other Local Games. The Nationals of Port Hope defeated the Standard yesterday by a score of 5 to 7. The batteries—Standards, Phillips and Currier; the Nationals, Donnelly and Bell.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for 'Yesterday', 'Today', and '11 a.m. Close'. Lists various commodities like Amal Copper, Am Sugar, and Wheat with their respective prices.

ORONATION DAY.

LIVERPOOL, June 14.—The provision exchange here will be closed June 25 and 27, in observance of the coronation festival.

BANK RESERVE.

A New York despatch to W. S. Barker today says the bank reserve increased \$2,016,776.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Coastwise—Sch G. Walter Scott, 75, McDonough, Quaco; Wood Bros, 62, Golding, Quaco; Alma, 69, Day, Port Wolfe; Rippon, 16, Mitchell, Hampton; Ernest Fisher, 20, Gough, Quaco; Murray, 45, Baker, Margareville; C. J. Cowell, 82, Alexander, Port Wolfe; Rex, 57, Sweet, Quaco; Hattie McKay, 72, Carr, Parrabrook.

Sailed. Sch Maria Pearson, 236, Lawson, New York; J. Smith, 124, 1274, Red Water, New York; N. C. Scott, Coastwise—Sch R. P. Hatfield, Five Islands; C. J. Cantell, Alaska, Fast West; Ernest Fisher, Gough, Quaco; Annie Carigan, Milner, Annapolis; Wood Bros, Golding, Quaco.

RECENT DEATHS.

The death occurred yesterday at Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, of Dennis Collins, a resident of Grand Lake, Queens county. The deceased was 77 years of age and leaves a widow and large family.

Word has been received at Harvey, from Vancouver, B. C., of the death from diptheria of Miss Ella Coburn of that place, and formerly a resident of Harvey. She was 23 years of age.

The death of William Agnew occurred at the Old Town, Me., City hospital on Wednesday after an extended illness. Mr. Agnew was well known along the Penobscot as a cook. His age was about 50 years and he came from Fredericton, N. B. He is survived by three sisters.

A WEEK'S DEATHS.

Table listing deaths over a week with columns for name, age, and cause of death. Includes entries for Meningitis, Chronic Brights, Acute Nephritis, Hemiplegia, Insanition, Consumption, Pulmonary Abscess, Obstruction of bowels, Softening of brain, Heart disease, Cerebral congestion, and Old Age.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. John's Church.—Services tomorrow at 8 (Holy Communion), 11, and 7. Sunday school at 2.30. (The hours of Divine service will be in future according to Atlantic Standard time.)

Trinity Church.—Rev. Canon Richardson, rector; Rev. G. R. E. MacDonnell, curate. 3rd Sunday after Trinity. Morning service and the celebration of the Holy Communion at 11; Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Evening service, when all seats are free, at 7 o'clock.

Queen Square Methodist Church.—Rev. Dr. Wilson will preach at 11 a. m.; Rev. Geo. S. Gardiner at 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Week night services on Monday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock (Atlantic standard time).

Zion Methodist Church, junction of Wall street and Burpee avenue.—Rev. Dr. Wilson, pastor. George Gardiner will preach at 11. Sabbath school at 2.30. Pastor will preach at 7, and review the work of the year. Service at Millidgeville at 2.30.

Fairville Methodist Church.—Pastor, Rev. W. J. Kirby. Men's class at 8.30. The pastor will preach at 11 and 7. Morning theme: Jacob's Struggle and Victory; evening theme: A Great Man's Knowledge and Confident Trust in Christ. Sunday school and Bible classes at 2.30. Week evening meetings Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock. All services will run on the new time, beginning on Sunday morning.

Carleton Methodist Church.—Morning service at 11 a. m., and the evening service at 7, instead of 6.30, as formerly. Rev. Thomas J. Deinstadt will preach in the morning, and the pastor, Rev. H. Penna, in the evening. Sunday school at 2.15 p. m.

Carmarthen Street Methodist Church.—The pastor, Rev. G. A. Sellar, will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. George Ayers at 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m.

Centenary Methodist Church.—Sunday services: 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. (Atlantic time). Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. G. M. Campbell, will preach morning and evening.

Portland Methodist Church.—Morning, Junior Epworth League; evening, Sunday school anniversary. Sunday school at 2.15.

The St. John orchestra will play at the evening service. Leinster Street Baptist Church.—Pastor, Christopher Burnett, will preach morning and evening. Morning: "All Springs Found in God;" evening: "God's Conference with Man with a View to His Peace." Bible class at 2.30. Strangers heartily welcomed.

Brussels Street Baptist Church.—Preaching by the pastor, H. F. Waring, at 11 and 7. Morning subject: Doing—Why? Evening subject: Doing—How? Sabbath school at 2.30.

German St. Baptist Church.—Rev. J. D. Freeman, M. A. Preaching services, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Pastor's Bible class, 2.45 p. m. Strangers welcome.

Waterloo Free Baptist Church.—Rev. C. T. Phillips, pastor. Service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. St. David's Church, Sydney street (Presbyterian).—Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison, pastor. Divine service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. (Atlantic standard time), conducted by Rev. G. S. Milligan, M. A. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m.

Coburg Street Christian Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, G. Nelson Stevenson, at 7 p. m. by E. C. Ford. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer and social meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Douglas Avenue Christian Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. by E. C. Ford; at 7 p. m. by G. P. Church, Stevenson, Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Regular prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Unitarian Church.—Rev. W. L. Beers, minister. Sunday school at 11 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 12. Services of worship at 7 p. m. The sermon at this service will be on "The Truth about the Bible—The Pentateuch." All seats are free. Visitors cordially invited.

A gospel service will be held at the King's Daughters' Guild Sunday at 4 p. m. All are welcome.

Reformed Presbyterian Church.—Services in the R. P. Church, corner Peel and Carleton streets, will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. T. K. Thompson at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Exmouth Street Methodist Church.—Rev. H. Penna will preach at 11 a. m. and the pastor, Rev. T. J. Deinstadt, at 7 p. m. The male quartette will sing at the evening service.

Congregational Church, Union street.—Rev. R. R. Morson, pastor. Special children's day service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. At the morning service the pastor will preach. The evening service will be conducted by members of the Sunday school. Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock. Prayer services Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Reformed Baptist church, Carleton street.—Rev. M. S. Trafton, pastor. Special missionary services all day. A freewill table offering will be taken at the close of the evening service.

Christian Science services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; subject, God the Preserver of Men. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m.; Wednesday at 8 p. m.; reading room open every week-day from 2.30 to 5 p. m. in Oddfellows' building, corner Union street and Hazen avenue.

Rev. B. N. Nobles will preach as usual tomorrow, in the Carleton Baptist church at the morning and evening services.

DUFFERIN HOTEL.

June 14.—Chas. E. Conner, Waterbury; W. A. Foster, Waterbury; G. H. Halifax; C. E. Babbitt, Fredericton; G. S. Turner and wife, Halifax; David A. Franklin, Boston; T. B. Calhoun, Calhoun's Mills.

HOW HE WOUND UP.

"Sad about Bingham, isn't it?" "What's the matter, 'tun Bingham?" "He went to the bad being a good fellow!" —Baltimore News.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFOOT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

Str. Norden sails from Portland for St. John this evening. She has on board 1,500 tons of sulphur for the Cushing and Mispic pulp mills. After discharging this stuff she will load deals for the U. K.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Vernon of Minidule and Mrs. Peabody of Amherst reached this city yesterday afternoon from Amherst to attend the funeral of the late Miss Grace Vernon.

Str. Mechanician, 5822 tons, from St. Vincent, reached Partridge Island late yesterday afternoon. It was intended that she should carry cargo to South Africa, but that charter has been cancelled. She is now engaged to take 1,500 standards of deals to the U. K. It is expected she will obtain here in addition to the lumber which will constitute only about one-third of a cargo for her, a lot of pulp and hay.

While Phillip A. Hamm and family were out last evening, Capt. Kenney saw a light in the yard next their premises, on Douglas avenue, and discovered several persons there. He gave the alarm and the men ran away. Officer Greer pursued them, but they disappeared. It is thought they intended to break into the house.

The steamer Prince Rupert will leave tonight for Halifax to have her bottom cleaned and painted.

PROVINCIAL.

Rev. E. P. Hurley will preach the sermon at the opening of the diocesan synod of Nova Scotia on June 20.

GENERAL.

Canada has supplied the imperial war office with supplies amounting in value to over \$7,500,000 since the outbreak of the South African war.

THE COAL STRIKE.

The Operators Are Confident They Will Win the Fight.

NEW YORK, June 14.—So confident are the mine operators of winning their struggle with their employes in the anthracite region that a statement has been issued at Wilkesbarre to the effect that when operations shall have been resumed fewer men will be employed. It is planned to reduce the number of miners one-third and increase wages by one-third. In other words, the operators believe their forces can be reduced from an approximate of 147,000 men to 100,000. The operators say they will not attempt to resume the mining of coal at all collieries and that restrictions will be placed on the summary closing of the mines without notice by the men remaining away from work for the purpose of celebrating various holidays, etc., and they will be expected to be on duty every day the mine is open.

POLICE COURT.

Two Men and a Woman Who Imbibed Too Freely. James W. Doyle, who was drunk on Union street, thought the police must have been mistaken when they arrested him. They were not. Four or ten. Sarah Moran should be more careful. She was found lying on a doorstep on Pond street last night, but could not relieve her mind from the impression that she was on City road. She persisted in stating this in court today and as usual had her own way. Sarah is imaginative. She has romantic ideas, and when a person is fortunate enough to have things like that she cannot be too careful. Eight dollars or two months.

Dennis Sullivan was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Boyle, and while being taken to the lockup, broke away and ran. He did not use any keys nor take to the woods, but remained drunk in the city. He was afterwards recaptured, and this morning wanted two hours to leave town. He got two months to remain.

ON THE WARPATH.

To the Editor of the Star.—Sir:—If West End is a portion of the city proper, it should be treated as such. Thus far our interests seem to be totally ignored. The impression is that North End generally blocks the way, and that our aldermen lack "elasticity of character," a very essential requisite for public men of the present age. Therefore, our aldermen had better throw up the sponge and leave us to the tender mercies of the South and East representatives.

In my next I will endeavor to show the state of our public squares, slips, lights and streets.

WEST END.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. The Presbyterian general assembly in Toronto, yesterday, discussed the reports of the five theological colleges. All the colleges reported a lack of student candidates for the ministry. Greetings were received from the Anglican, Methodist and Congregational church courts now in session in Toronto.

Foreign missions were discussed at considerable length, and it was stated that men were wanted more than money for that work. Special reference was made to China and India, where eight men are needed, and only five are available. All the foreign missions of the church are, however, in a prosperous condition.

ST. CROIX LOGS.

James Ross, foreman at Vancouver for Irving R. Todd, raised the gates of the St. Croix Log Driving Co.'s dam, Tuesday, and put a crew of men at sluicing logs, of which there are about twelve million feet to sluice this year. All the drives are in with the exception of Bubes's, which will reach the dam within two weeks.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE.

JUNE 1902. ATLANTIC TIME. All trains daily, except Sunday.

DEPARTURES.

4.45 a. m.—Day Express for Boston, connecting for all branch line points. 5.25 a. m.—Local Express for Wolford. 12.45 p. m.—Local Express for Wolford. On Saturdays this train will run one hour late, also late on picnic days, when requested.

5.05 p. m.—Local Express for Fredericton. 6.05 p. m.—SHORT LINE Express for Montreal, connecting at Junction points for Fredericton, Woodstock, Houlton, St. Stephen. This train carries sleeper for Boston.

6.30 p. m.—Express carrying First and Second Class coaches for Boston stopping at Acadia, Grand Bay, Ononette, Woodstock, Westfield, and Lingley. 10.15 p. m.—Local Express for Wolford.

ARRIVALS.

From Montreal—11.35 a. m. From Boston—11.20 a. m., 11.15 p. m. From Fredericton—4.55, 11.35 a. m., 11.15 p. m. From Wolford—7.50, 8.55 a. m., 12.10, 7.50, 11.15 p. m.

E. B. FOSTER, D. P. A. St. John N. B.

NOTICE.

I. O. F. 25TH ANNIVERSARY CHURCH PARADE.

All members of the Independent Order of Foresters are requested to meet at Foresters' Hall, Charlotte street, on SUNDAY, JUNE 15TH, at 1.30 p. m. (Intercolonial Standard Time), for the purpose of celebrating the 25th anniversary of our order by attending divine service in the Carleton Baptist Church. Visiting Foresters are especially invited to join in this service.

DRESS: Black Clothes, Silk Hat, Light Tie, White Gloves. Royal Foresters are requested to attend in regalia.

FRANK FALES, Secretary Treasurer. R. R. CHAPMAN, Chairman.

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J. J. McCaffrey, Manager.

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(EASTERN STANDARD TIME.)

One of the Mail Steamers, VICTORIA and DAVID WESTON, will leave St. John, North End, for Fredericton and intermediate landings every morning (Sunday excepted) at 8 o'clock, and will leave Fredericton every morning (Sunday excepted) at 7.30 o'clock. Freight received daily up to 6 p. m.

R. S. ORCHARD, Manager.

MILLIDGEVILLE FERRY.

Sir: MAGGIE MILLER will leave Millidgeville daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 9 a. m. and 4 and 6 p. m. Returning from Bayswater at 6 and 9 a. m. and 4.45 p. m.

SATURDAY—Leaves Millidgeville at 6.45, 9.30 a. m. and 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 5.30, 7.30 and 10.15 a. m. and 3.45, 5.45 and 7.45 p. m.

SUNDAY—Leaves Millidgeville at 9, 10.30 a. m. and 2.30, 7 p. m. Returning at 9.45, 11.15 a. m. and 6 p. m.

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(R. J. Armstrong, Mgr.)

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Balance of week with Saturday Matinee. PRICES: 15, 25, 35 and 50c. Matinee 15 and 25c.

There were eight steamers in port last night, and the harbor presents a very busy appearance.

VIM TEA The Same in the Little Stores, as in the Big Stores.

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Lamb, Veal, Pork, etc.,
Lettuce and Radishes,
Native Asparagus,
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Cream fresh every day.

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THE NEW TIME.

At ten o'clock tomorrow the new time will be sent from the observatory to all the despatchers' offices on the I. C. R. At midnight tonight the fire alarm will strike. It is somewhat uncertain whether 11.38 present local will be considered midnight or whether the day will be finished out according to the time now in vogue.

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STORE OPEN EVENINGS.



NOTICE I

A meeting of the General Committee having in charge the arrangements for Celebrating Coronation Day, will be held at the City Hall on TUESDAY, 17TH JUNE at 3 o'clock.

WALTER W. WHITE,
Mayor,
Sun and Tel.

LOCAL NEWS.

The first consignment of Canadian strawberries is expected here today.

It will pay you to visit McLean's Department Store, 565 Main street.

Rev. Percy P. Olton, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach in St. Mary's church at tomorrow morning's service.

Registrar Jones reports seven marriages this week and eleven births, eight being male infants.

A remnant sale is advertised for Monday morning by Messrs. Morrell and Sutherland. See "ad." page 4.

A Bargain Counter piled up with Odd Dishes at your own price. McLean's Department Store, 565 Main street.

Members of the Trades and Labour Council will meet with the management of the exhibition Monday afternoon.

Lavinia Bantry, one of the Duke street specialists, has been reported for exercising her genius for pyromancy on the street last night.

A meeting of the general committee having the celebration of Coronation day in charge will be held Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock in the City hall.

The adjourned meeting of Victoria and Cygnet Cos., U. R. Knights of Pythias will be held in Castle Hall on June 16th at 8 o'clock to receive report of Coronation committee.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Flaherty took place this afternoon from her residence Middle street to the Cathedral, where service was held by Rev. Fr. Cormier. Interment was at the New Catholic cemetery. There were no pall bearers.

The Lytell company delighted the audience at York Theatre last evening and this afternoon with their clever performance of A Milk White Flag. They appear in Halifax next week.

A garden party, under the auspices of the boys' branch of the Y. M. C. A. and the Young Ladies' League, will be held next Friday evening at Crouchville, on the grounds of W. F. Burdett. A band will be attendance.

PERSONALS.

Rev. C. T. Phillips is ill at his home, Waterloo street. It is feared that he is threatened with appendicitis.
Capt. E. C. Elkin arrived home today.

Dr. James Manchester arrived in the city today from McGill University.
David Russel, of Montreal, is in town.

Rev. J. O. Morley and family left today for Halifax on the way to Bermuda, where Mr. Morley is to be stationed. A number of their friends were at the station to see them off.

Miss Emma Barker, daughter of H. W. Barker, arrived today, after spending about two years in Germany and France.

Miss Alberta Teed, of St. Stephen, will come to St. John on the 20th to spend three months with friends.

Mrs. Benj. Young, on the event of her 86th birthday, this week, in company with several other ladies who have passed their 80th year, was entertained at the home of her son, Charles W. Young, St. Stephen.

Mrs. C. F. Beard, says a St. Stephen letter in the Calais Times, expects to visit St. John at an early date, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Cavenhill Jones, and assist Mrs. Jones during her receptions which take place next week at her home on Germain street.

THE ROMANCE

Of Snowball and the Syrian Maiden at the Depot.

A trainload of Assyrian immigrants from the S. S. Armenia passed through the city this forenoon. Among the passengers were many who had never seen a colored man. Snowball, the depot bootblack, walked over to the cars to look at the people and stopped to stare at a girl who appeared to be about twenty years of age. Slowly a grin overspread her face. Then Snowball smiled and finally the two laughed heartily at each other. In a moment the girl went inside the car and very shortly returned with a basin of water and a piece of soap, which she placed on the floor of the depot at Snowball's feet, at the same time politely making known to him by signs that they were for his use.
Snowball's name is still paradoxical.

THE NEW OLD FASHIONED CASEMERS that are so much in vogue around are shown in large variety of colourings at Dykeman's.

SENT BEEF UP.

The early suburban train on the I. C. R. ran into a cow, which was feeding quietly on the track near the former Gilbert property. The cow died. Passengers on the train did not even feel the shock of the collision.

THE REPORTS

Submitted at Today's Meeting of the King's Daughters.

The Various Departments of the Work Have Been Earnestly Carried On.

The annual meeting of the King's Daughters is being held this afternoon in the Guild rooms on Chipman Hill, and is well attended. Reports are being received from the different committees and from all the circles. They show a large and satisfactory increase in the year's work.

The report read by the general secretary, Miss Hanson, is as follows.

GENERAL SECRETARY'S REPORT.

It would be impossible to give a full detailed record of the year just closed. The full extent of the field the King's Daughters have to labor in, and of the work accomplished, I think, can only be known to the workers themselves. It has been a year of some anxious thought and planning, yet we find our work not falling off but rather advancing. The Great Master under whose guidance our work is carried on has given us the support of His people, and we find the interest of the citizens of St. John is generally awakened in our work.

Numerous kind friends we are indebted for substantial assistance, in many cases anonymously given, for which with every kind and helpful word and deed we are most grateful. We would not omit the press which has always so cheerfully given us space.

One of the most important features of the year was the Fourth Triennial Dominion Convention, held here in July, from which much benefit was derived. Some branches of our work were hindered by the smallpox epidemic, viz: Mother's meetings, night school classes and the Merry Makers' Circle. It is a circle of young girls that in previous years has met one evening a week at the guild, when they were taught kitchen, garden work, sewing, etc.

GUILD BOARDING HOUSE.

It is now three years since its inauguration and each year the usefulness and helpfulness for which it was designed has increased. In the past year 170 women wage-earners have been accommodated, some of them permanently. It has been the aim of the order to furnish a Christian home influence and many other comforts that cannot be afforded in the average moderate rate boarding house, and we feel our efforts are not in vain or go unappreciated. The Home is run on entirely un denominational lines. All are welcome. We find, though, in order to accommodate all the applicants and to carry on successfully all the other branches of the work that we need more room, but we hesitate to incur further expense by enlarging the building in view of the \$3,000 mortgage which is now on it. However, we are endeavoring to collect the amount of the mortgage on or before Nov. 1st, 1902. Some of our collectors have met with generous givers. We know there are those in St. John who must be interested in the assisting of young women into a higher life, spiritually, mentally and physically, and we have earnestly appealed to them for their assistance in cancelling this mortgage.

CIRCLES.

The circles have labored with a deep earnestness of purpose. Some of them have done much individual work. Not only have they visited the poor and "shut-ins," but they have rendered much practical help. During the past 9 months over 100 packages of reading matter have been sent out to the poor settlers in the northwest through the Aberdeen Association by the Doorkeepers' Circle.

RELIEF.

We have had upwards of 200 calls for relief. Many of them were urgent. While our object is not to fill the bill of a relief society fully, yet we are continually rendering assistance, principally to the aged, the sick and the stranded stranger.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.

Through this agency we have had 650 applicants for employment of various kinds which we have secured for 380 women, men and boys.

EDUCATIONAL CLASSES.

For the year these have not been so well attended, yet those who did attend were very satisfactory pupils. Writing was taught by Miss Iddles and reading and arithmetic by Miss Honeywell. A merely nominal fee is charged the girls. These classes are formed of girls who have had little or no school advantages. The classes will reopen in September.

MOTHERS' MEETINGS.

Opened Feb. 12th, closed April 9th, with a membership of 22. Over 50 garments were made. The members are poor, hard working women. One afternoon of each week, during the period these meetings are open, they spend at the Guild, cutting out and sewing useful garments. The goods we furnish them at the wholesale price. Some entertainment and refreshments are always given them. To many of these tired mothers that one afternoon spent in our grand and comfortable rooms means the one restful hour they have to look forward to.

SOCIAL.

Numerous successful entertainments, teas and sales were held, all of which were well attended and financially successful.

GOSPEL SERVICES.

Have been arranged for each Sunday since September. The earnestness yet social simplicity with which these services have been conducted has rendered them especially attractive. In concluding my report I would

earnestly appeal to all the members of the order to feel they have a work with us to do and not be a King's Daughter in name only. In the various branches of our work we need more true, earnest workers.

Respectfully submitted,
P. KNIGHT HANSON.

MISS PRATT PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING TREASURER'S REPORT.

Receipts.

1902—	
June 1st—To balance on hand.	\$16 36
To members dues	65 75
To board	1,380 00
To class dues	11 00
To subscriptions to work	104 73
To subscriptions to building fund	126 00
To subscriptions to relief	62 50
To employment fees	98 25
To collection at social	1 30
To special membership tax	5 50
To rent of room and piano	68 00
To amount of bills donated	22 70
To jury fees	7 00
To withdrawal from bank for coal	70 00
To withdrawal for interest on mortgage	50 00
To interest on bank account	11 74
	\$2,069 88

Expenditure.

By salary superintendent	\$300 00
By salary general secretary	165 00
By salary two teachers	40 00
By coal	162 14
By supplies	845 37
By furnishings	39 54
By deposited in bank for building fund	136 74
By deposited in bank for interest on mortgage	87 00
By relief	62 50
By water rates	25 50
By rent, affil. fee for Women's Council	2 00
By interest on mortgage	135 00
By telephone	15 00
By subs. to newspaper	3 00
By charging batteries	75
By plumbing	12 75
By digging sewer	11 97
By commission or dues	70
By stationery	15
By advertising, postage, etc.	26 73
Balance	7 99
	\$2,069 88

It was explained that against the balance of \$7.99 there is an unpaid bill of \$50.

Quite a number of persons have promised and some have paid in contributions to the building fund.

HIGH PRICED COAL.

Soft as Well as Hard May Advance Ere Long.

There is a possibility that not only will the price of Anthracite coal remain high for some time, but also that the price of soft coal may be advanced in St. John. All the local dealers get their supplies of soft coal from Nova Scotia, but the rise in price, if it comes, will be caused by the strikes in the United States. The price at the mines in Nova Scotia depends, as elsewhere, on the demand, and it is believed that the strike in the States will result in an increased demand for the Nova Scotian product. Every year large quantities of soft coal are shipped from Nova Scotia to the United States, and now that the soft coal workers in the States have joined in the strike, the almost certain result will be an increased demand upon the Nova Scotian mines. As yet no large contracts have been reported, but there has scarcely yet been time for American manufacturers to feel the effects of the strike in regard to soft coal.

A run on the Nova Scotian mines would naturally mean some difficulty in securing coal for the local market, and, consequently, an increase in the price.

During the past few weeks the sales of hard coal in St. John have been small, only those persons buying who cannot get along without it. The dealers who had taken orders before the strike commenced are not yet delivering to any great extent, and, as a consequence, there is still a fairly large supply of Anthracite on hand. Only one cargo has been received here since the strike started. The price is now from \$7.00 to \$7.50 per ton, and if other cargoes were to be brought here an advance of at least another dollar per ton would have to be made, as hard coal is now selling wholesale in New York at the same rate as it is sold at retail here.

JAPANESE RUSH MATS five to a set, a most useful thing for every household. 25c. a set at Dykeman's.

TWO UNEXPECTED BOARDERS.

Mrs. Bourke, of Main street, who keeps a number of boarders, unintentionally gave shelter to two lodgers on Thursday night. Two young fellows, who were seemingly perfectly sober next morning, went into her house, walked upstairs and into a room and deliberately settled down for the night. One of them got into bed, while the other helped himself to a blanket and curled up on the floor. When the occupant of the room arrived he was somewhat surprised, but thinking everything was all right, made no disturbance. In the morning, when the lady of the house heard of the affair she was greatly surprised and immediately had the two men turned out. One of them said he worked in a hotel in the city, but neither offered any explanation for their conduct.

VICTORIA'S CORONATION.

George A. Henderson has in his possession an almanac published in the year 1838, and also a copy of the old Observer, giving an account of the festivities in St. John at the time of the Queen's coronation. These articles, along with others, were found in the corner stone of the old Centenary church, when it was being torn down, before the present one was built. The newspaper account gives a description of the roasting of oxen in the city and the different parades on the streets, and is quite interesting.

REMNANT SALE!

MONDAY MORNING

We will put out for quick selling hundreds of remnants of Muslins, Dinity, Gingham, Prints, Wool Dress Goods, Silks, Linings, etc.—last ends of some of our best selling materials that have accumulated during the last four or five busy weeks. Many are marked **Half Price** and less. Come early for the

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