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POWDERED GLASS CAUSED DEATH.

Big Sensation In Italian Society.

Was One Of The Famous Borgia Methods Of Poisoning Crowds—Attending The Trial.

(Special cable to the Star.)
ROME, Aug. 26.—A murder case involving several aristocrats and resembling in some of its features the famous Murri-Bonomini murder case, is the sensation at present. The trial relates to the suspicious death of Signor Arturo Colai, a well known sportsman, and son of the immensely wealthy Cavaliere Vincenzo Colai. The latter was separated about four years ago from his wife, the daughter of a noble Florentine family, and has been living with a married lady who was locally known as "La Bella Carlotta." The friends of the deceased, however, informed the public prosecutor that some time ago young Colai surprised "Carlotta" in the act of opening his father's safe.

Colai then and there forced her to write the following confession, which he afterwards showed to some of his friends—"I, the undersigned, was surprised in the act of rifling the safe of Signor Vincenzo Colai, and I further confess to you that I have been in the habit of doing so for years."

This confession was subsequently shown by young Colai to his father, who destroyed the paper in his presence. Since then "Carlotta" it is alleged, has been taking every opportunity to wreak her revenge, not only upon Arturo Colai, but upon his wife and child.

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MEMORIAL FOR GLENMONT BOYS.

(Special Cable to the Star.)
GLASGOW, August 26.—General Ian Hamilton unveiled a memorial tablet to eleven old Glenmont boys who fell in the Boer war in South Africa, and afterwards laid a memorial stone of the new library at the famous Scottish school which is also being erected as a South African memorial.

Sir Ian said that during the past year he had been privileged to watch the spirit of self-sacrifice among the brave Japanese who had carried it to a point further than ever it had been carried before.

When he came back he found the Western world half questioning whether in this luxurious and money seeking age, it was still capable of producing sons who could rival that heroism.

He hoped that the supreme self-sacrifice which had been shown in the way of any of his hearers but what would come their way was the duty of living for their country.

Never was this duty more laid upon them than at the present time when the spirit of nationality was wide awake and seemed only to hesitate whether it would use as its weapon commerce or the sword to gain pre-eminence.

Here again they learned a lesson from the Japanese. Their idea of patriotism showed in silent, concentrated energy. If he were a Japanese general making an address instead of an English general he would not be speaking to his auditors or even looking at them but rather at the spot an article of dead who they believed were present.

"That," he said "is not our custom, but if those glorious dead whom we have come together to honor, could see and hear what we are doing, they would feel that their example would inspire us to die courageously for our country if ever it should be our fortune or fate to go into a great battle."

SISTER-IN-LAW, KILLED HIM.

NEVADA CITY, Calif., Aug. 26.—Robert L. Wimberly has been killed at Downville by his sister-in-law, Bertha Bennett, aged 17. The cause of the shooting is unknown.

Wimberly was killed with his own revolver. The shooting occurred on a ranch one mile from Downville. Miss Bennett, who was immediately placed under arrest, refused to talk. Wimberly leaves a widow and two children.

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TO LET—Furnished room, 20 Horsefield street.

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DETECTIVE KILLEN WORKED IN A MILL.

But Did Not Get the Desired Information.

Was Popular With the Mill Crew, But Was Badly Handicapped Because He Does Not Understand French.

Considerable interest was aroused by the story published in last Monday's Star as to the business which had been responsible for the absence from the city of Detective Killen for ten days recently. The Star is now able to give a graphic account of the detective's doings whilst engaged in trying to solve the mystery surrounding the death of Alex. Woods, who will be remembered as a resident student. Philippe was expelled from the hospital and the faculty, never being able to obtain a medical degree. He called himself a chemist and began to travel. His fame as a healer soon reached the ears of some of the Russian grand dukes, and he was invited to St. Petersburg. There, it is affirmed, he was patronized particularly by the Czar and Czarina. To the latter he predicted that she would have a son. It is said that the Czar tried hard to get a medical degree for the healer from the Paris faculty, but failed. Philippe married a wealthy woman whom he had cured of a disease, and his success at the Russian court caused him to be bracketed with Cagliostro for impudence, audacity and intrigue. Two persons in Paris have testified to his remarkable curative power. One is Dr. Encausse and the other M. Serge Basset, dramatist and writer on theatrical matters for the Figaro. Dr. Encausse distinctly states that he saw Philippe cure a child afflicted with tubercular meningitis. The healer looked at the child, and then asked all of the persons present to give their word of honor that they would not say anything of the absent for two days. This extraordinary request was complied with, and the child recovered as if by enchantment. Dr. Encausse adds that he himself took the child home by the hand, quite recovered and able to walk well. M. Serge Basset asserts that Philippe cured instantaneously his son, who had been given up as hopeless by the doctors.

DETECTIVE KILLEN.

Into the affair. Finally a representative of the local government, a legal gentleman, by the way—communicated with the attorney general, it is understood, and suggested the advisability of the government agreeing to carry the expenses of a competent detective who would take the case up and thoroughly investigate it. It is not known whether the attorney made the suggestion to the chief of police that Detective Killen be sent, but certain it is that the detective was entrusted with the enquiry. The Star's correspondent was on the same train that sped the detective on his mission from St. John to the north and during the journey entered into conversation with Mr. Killen. An enquiry as to his movements, led the detective in an unguarded moment to state that he was on a little special business of his own, the nature of which he seemed disinclined to make known at the time. Later on, however, during the journey another passenger on the train, who knew the genial detective well, engaged him in conversation with more fortunate results, as he managed to glean from him the fact that he was "going up north to enquire into a tragedy." But upon mentioning that it was a most serious matter, the officer didn't care to go into details.

Somewhat or other the story of his mission leaked out soon after the detective's arrival in New Mills, and all sorts of rumors got about as to who the murderer was, but Killen, and that that gentleman was about to disclose the name of the perpetrator of the horrible deed to the public. But that they were only rumors was soon made apparent by the sudden disappearance of the detective. The cause of this was that the happy idea had occurred to him that it would be a good thing if he were to engage himself amongst a number of laborers who were at work in a saw mill in the neighborhood, with the idea of furthering the mission he had in hand.

A very serious difficulty just here presented itself, as he found that nearly all the workmen employed in the mills were French just as well as they could English, and as the astute detective does not number a knowledge of the French language among his many accomplishments, the setback required some getting over. However, notwithstanding this disadvantage, he decided to follow his plan, and found no difficulty in adapting himself to the situation. His next step was to seek out one of the owners of the mill, make known to him the nature of his business, and secure employment of some kind that would enable him to come into close intimacy with the workmen. The owner readily lent him aid to the well-thought-out plan, and employed Mr. Killen as a common laborer about the place.

Here the Star's correspondent dwells enthusiastically on the workmanlike way in which the detective carried out his prime duties and says if ever a laborer earned his money Detective Killen did.

Things went along very nicely for some time and Mr. Killen soon became a prime favorite. He would at all times introduced the subject of the murder in the most casual way, but could obtain nothing that was of any use whatever to him and it is said that

CZAR'S PHYSICIAN PASSES AWAY.

Was For Years His Confidential Adviser.

Extraordinary Things Told of His Power of Touch and His Ability to Cure by Suggestion.

PARIS, Aug. 26.—Philippe Landard, known as the doctor of the Czar, is dead at St. Julien l'Arbrezie, in his native department of the Rhone. Extraordinary things are related of Landard's power of touch and his ability to cure by suggestion. He began life at Lyons as a butcher's assistant and delivery man. Having a desire to become a doctor Philippe managed to attend lectures at the Lyons School of Medicine, but his poverty and his peculiar calling were against him. It is said that the professors soon resented his healing practices which began in the hospital where he was admitted as a resident student. Philippe was expelled from the hospital and the faculty, never being able to obtain a medical degree. He called himself a chemist and began to travel. His fame as a healer soon reached the ears of some of the Russian grand dukes, and he was invited to St. Petersburg. There, it is affirmed, he was patronized particularly by the Czar and Czarina. To the latter he predicted that she would have a son. It is said that the Czar tried hard to get a medical degree for the healer from the Paris faculty, but failed. Philippe married a wealthy woman whom he had cured of a disease, and his success at the Russian court caused him to be bracketed with Cagliostro for impudence, audacity and intrigue. Two persons in Paris have testified to his remarkable curative power. One is Dr. Encausse and the other M. Serge Basset, dramatist and writer on theatrical matters for the Figaro. Dr. Encausse distinctly states that he saw Philippe cure a child afflicted with tubercular meningitis. The healer looked at the child, and then asked all of the persons present to give their word of honor that they would not say anything of the absent for two days. This extraordinary request was complied with, and the child recovered as if by enchantment. Dr. Encausse adds that he himself took the child home by the hand, quite recovered and able to walk well. M. Serge Basset asserts that Philippe cured instantaneously his son, who had been given up as hopeless by the doctors.

TO MARRY DECEASED WIFE'S SISTER.

(Special cable to the Star.)
MADRID, Aug. 26.—It is announced that Prince Charles of Bourbon is going to marry his late wife's sister, the Infanta Teresa, in November next. A special dispensation from the pope will of course be necessary. The Prince's cousin, who is the younger of the two sisters of the King of Spain, is now twenty-two years of age. Prince Charles married his first wife, the late Princess of the Asturias in 1901. She died in October, 1904, the day after her third child was born. The marriage of the Princess of the Asturias was not popular with the Spanish people, but great sympathy was expressed with the Prince on account of the death of his young wife, who was only twenty-four.

DR. RANKIN GOING WEST.

(Special to the Star.)
WOODSTOCK, N. B., Aug. 26.—Dr. W. D. Rankin, who has been practicing here successfully for a dozen years, past, leaves this afternoon with his family for Vancouver, B. C., where he will take up his abode and practice his profession. Last evening he was presented by his friends in the county with an address and a very fine cabinet of silver. The mayor presided and the formal presentation was made by R. P. Smith, M. P. F. There was a gathering of about 100 persons, and much regret expressed at the doctor leaving town.

NEGROES COMMEND LYNCHING.

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 26.—The burning at the stake of Tom Williams, a negro, for attacking a white woman, was commended at the state convention of Negro Baptists here yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Jackson, of Dallas, declared that if any action was taken by the convention in reference to the lynching a resolution should be passed commending the whites. Other pastors asserted the Negroes aided the whites in the capture of Williams. Every law-abiding Negro was said to be in favor of Lynch law in cases of the kind. The convention refused to pass resolutions discussing the burning.

SMUGGLING CIGARS.

(Special to the Star.)
MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 26.—The Canadian Pacific has inaugurated a system to prevent smuggling on their steamers by which officers search for the ship before arrival. Their efforts were rewarded yesterday by the seizure of 3,800 high grade cigars on the steamer Montezuma.

His fellow workmen had a knack of always preferring to talk in French when the subject was a very hot one, and that the signal between them for changing their language was given by one of their number who at the mention of the murder subject always called out to his mates two words, and they were, "prenez garde."

It was soon after this that Detective Killen started on his return journey to St. John.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS RE-OPEN MONDAY.

Geo. Dill Back on the Teaching Staff.

Several Changes Have Been Made During the Vacation—A Large Number of New Scholars Expected.

The seven thousand school children who two months ago scattered through the province are returning these days tanned and healthy, prepared if not willing for another year's work. Now that the dust is being once more brushed from the readers and slates and pencils made ready it will be of interest to note the changes and innovations which have lately taken place in school circles.

First, as to the High School, this year again there is to be a grade XII, two XI, three X, and five IX. There new teachers will be found on the regular teaching staff, all having grade IX. George Dill, formerly principal of Douglas avenue school, and one of the best known educationalists in the city, is again on the teaching staff. The others teachers who have this year for the first time are Messrs. Thorne and Gilmour.

The staff of the Union street building will now be as follows:
Principal—Dr. H. S. Bridges.
Grade XI—W. J. S. Myles (boys and girls), Miss Wilson (girls).
Grade X—Mr. Power (boys), Miss Ward (boys and girls), Miss McNaughton (girls).
Grade IX—George Dill, Miss Thorne, Miss Gilmour, Miss Vanwart, Miss Lawson.

The scholars who have passed the High School entrance from Victoria, Albert, Alexandria, Winter street, Douglas avenue, St. Peter's (boys), and St. Malachi's must assemble at the High School on Monday at nine o'clock, while girls from St. Peter's Girls and St. Joseph's are to gather at St. Vincent's.

There will be a large number of new scholars at Monday's opening, not only of beginners, but of children also whose families seem to have moved in from the country. The permits issued thus far are in the vicinity of 600, about the same as this time last year. Between 100 and 200 will be issued today, and as many on Monday, thus bringing the figures up to about 1,000.

E. M. Reid will command the destinies of Newman street school, while Miss Kate Turner succeeds Mr. Dewar, who resigned last spring, in the highest grade in Victoria Annex. Miss Turner is the second lady who will hold a position previously occupied by a man. Miss Wilson, having succeeded Mr. Brodie in the High School.

The school authorities are preparing for a large attendance. A new room is being opened in Dufferin school now for the first time, completing the capacity of ten rooms. Winter street school is likely to be crowded again.

The building committee have made quite a few alterations and repairs during the vacation. Of these there might be mentioned the furnishing of five rooms: the new room in the Dufferin, the principal's rooms in Albert and Winter street, grade VII, in St. Malachi's and one room in Aberdeen. New flooring has been laid in Albert and St. Malachi's, and other repairs made as recommended.

The night school, which proved such a success last year, will probably be started again in the ensuing year.

ISLAND OF CRETE SCENE OF REVOLUTION.

International Troops Are In A Helpless Position.

Prince George Has Appealed To The Insurgents To Return To Their Mountain Homes—Are Well Armed.

(Special Cable to the Star.)
ATHENS, August 26.—The island of Crete has now been in the throes of a revolution for four months, and the international troops whose duty it is to restore order are in a helpless position. Prince George, the High Commissioner, has appealed to the insurgents to return from their mountain fastnesses to their homes. He has threatened them with dire penalties failing their submission, and as a last resort is establishing martial law throughout the island. Instead of checking the revolts these methods have accelerated its pace, and the High Commissioner and the four supervising powers—Britain, France, Italy and Russia are faced by a very difficult and delicate problem. All messages to the foreign press are being rigorously censored, and the real position of affairs is by this means concealed. The insurgents number thousands, and although for communist reasons the armed forces in the mountains are kept within limits, they have the sympathies, and will have the active support, if need be, of the whole population.

From the resigned members of the ministry downwards there is unanimity in the demand that the regime of Prince George shall come to an end. The men are encouraged and led by Cretans of education and social prominence. They are well armed with rifles and have plenty of ammunition, and it would take at least twice the 9,000 foreign troops at present in Crete to drive them from the almost inaccessible heights which they have made their strongholds.

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Stetson Hats

JUST IN
New, Fall Shapes

In Soft and Derby Hats
The Stetson hat represents what is best in American made hats.

See the new
Self-Conforming Derby.

James Anderson,
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are here in abundance—all perfectly tailored—pleasing in style and of lasting good quality—points which count most in Boys' Clothes.

Two-piece Suits, \$2.50, 2.75, 3.00, 3.25, 3.50, \$3.60 each.

Three-piece Suits, \$3.75, 4.25, 4.50, 4.75, \$5.00, 5.50, 5.75 each.

Pants at all prices.

Regatta Shirts, 50c, 60c, 75c each.

Caps, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c each.

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A high degree of tailoring is acknowledged by our customers in our made-to-measure garments. We are now opening the newest fabrics in Fall Suits and Trousers and Winter Overcoats and employ only the best tailors. Everything is guaranteed here—clothing, perfect fit and workmanship. Men who appreciate stylish, comfortable, well-made garments will find our turn-out most alluring.

Owing to a steady press of orders and the scarcity of tailors we have been unable all summer to catch up with our work and therefore would appreciate our customers making their fall and winter selections as early as possible.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING
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Fresh Lamb, Green Peas,
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HALIFAX CORROBORATED THIS.

"Professor E. K. Crocker has once more brought his educated horses to the Assembly Rooms. There is no falling off in the wonderful achievements of these remarkable animals, which bear every indication of kind treatment, both in the stable and under training. It has been customary to re-act Professor Crocker's horses as a troupe, which once extinct co. A not be replaced, but in the presence of these newly educated horses, and with the information before us that they have been trained during 1903, it is made obvious that it is Professor Crocker whom it would be difficult to replace. He seems to have the extraordinary gift of bringing out the intelligence of the horse, and he has no serious competitor, to far as we know, in the art. His entertainment

continues to be a delightful one. One or other of the horses will fetch a handkerchief from a closed desk, pick out given colors, erase wrong figures and perform many other astounding feats, while a happy looking donkey and a sleek mule play the role of comedians and provide plenty of fun by their antics, which are decidedly not the least clever incidents on the programme. Later on in the evening some ambitious set pieces are given by the horses, such as the old familiar Court Scene. There is a very accurate military drill, and the long programme closes with the camp and battle scenes, in which all the horses play a part amid a bewildering discharge of explosives."—Bath Herald, England, January 19th, 1904.

St. John is to have the opportunity of seeing this clever troupe of animals next week at the Opera House, commencing Monday.

44 BRUSSELS ST. OR 457 MAIN ST.
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Remember my prices are always the lowest on Children's Footwear—Prove this statement to be true or false by calling at either store.

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W. G. LEE, Agent, St. John, N. B.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN on city freehold security at low rate of interest. H. H. FICKETT, Canadian Life Building, Prince Wm. St., 5th floor. Take elevator.

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BOARDING—Three boarders can be accommodated in private family in North End. Address B. B. care Star Office.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

THE WELL SCHOOL OF MUSIC—Calendar for 1906-1907 may be obtained by writing 3 Morris street, Halifax, N. S.

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79 Germalin St.

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COOK WANTED Apply Prince Royal Hotel, 118 Princess street.

WANTED—Good practical young woman for housework and to care for two young children. No washing. Apply to J. C. Porter, 415 Main street, N. E.

WANTED—A capable girl with good references for general housework. Apply at 135 Douglas Avenue.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Small family. References required. Apply to MRS. W. C. BOWDEN, 74 Sydney street.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Good wages. Apply at 67 Sewell street.

WANTED—At once, a kitchen and dining room girl. ALEXANDRA HOTEL.

WANTED—Competent nurse for an infant. References required. Apply between 7 and 8 p. m., 104 Carmarthen street.

WANTED—A girl to work at dress-making. Apply at 51 Peter street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. BROCK, Rotheray, New Brunswick.

WANTED—A general servant. Apply evenings to W. H. Horn, 236 Union street. References required.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. ELKIN, 141 Douglas Avenue.

WANTED—By Sept. 11th, a nurse girl over 20 years of age, with some experience and good references. Apply by letter to MRS. JAMES L. McAVITY, Red Head, or after Sept. 10th to 18 Garden street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 43 Sewell street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 29 Duke street.

WANTED—At once, two girls to work in candy store. Apply at 32 Charlotte street. J. D. SPERDAKES.

EXPERIENCED GIRLS WANTED—To make coats and skirts at the EMPIRE CLOAK MFG. CO., 54 Union street.

WANTED—A Cook, at the UNION HOTEL, 134 Union street. 21.8-6.

WANTED—Competent woman housekeeper in family of three. One willing to look after child. Apply Mrs. H. J. Sheehan, 45 Richmond street.

WANTED—A cook. Apply by letter to MRS. WALTER W. WHITE, Rotheray.

GIRL WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Must have good references. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. D. Magee, 144 Elliott Row. 17.

WANTED—Nurse girl for afternoons only, references required. Apply to Mrs. Frederick B. Schofield, 127 Wright street.

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. R. Duncan Smith, 133 King street East.

WANTED—Girls wanted. Apply to D. F. BROWN PAPER BOX CO., Canterbury street.

WANTED—A young girl to take care of child and assist at house work. Apply to Miss Hanson, Women's Exchange, 135 Charlotte street.

COOK WANTED—A good cook by the first of July. Female preferred. Apply to C. A. JORDAN, Dufferin Hotel, Digby.

ROOMS TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished room very central and pleasant. 107 1/2 Princess st., near Charlotte st.

ROOMS TO LET—If you want a nice pleasant room, reasonable terms, apply at 164 Carmarthen street. Lady preferred.

TO LET—Rooms to let, single and double. Well furnished and newly renovated. All conveniences. Transients. Central locality, 117 Elliott Row. 11-8-17.

FOUND.

FOUND—Collie dog about six months old. Owner can have same by applying S. W. T. P. O. Box 31, City.

LOST.

LOST—Valuable ring, between Germalin street and Clarence, by way of Duke and Carmarthen. Finder please leave at the Star Office. Reward.

LOST—Along Mill, Dock and King streets, a small green purse, containing a sum of money. Finder please leave at 98 Prince William street.

LOST—Gold Locket, initials "E. A. W." on Clarence, Brussels, or through Graveyard. Return to 135 Sydney St. Emerald ring as reward.

LOST—Black Wrist Bag, between Marsh Bridge and Coldbrook. Finder please leave at 75 Edmund street.

LOST—On Tuesday afternoon, Black Cocker Spaniel Dog, answering to the name of "Sport." Anyone caught harboring the same will be prosecuted. A. KING, 204 Princess street.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Wanted for an hour or two daily, work of any description. Stenographing or doing up tradesmen's books a specialty. Address "J. W." Office of this paper.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE

WANTED—A colored boy with reference. Apply to M. BUSHARA, 106 Charlotte street.

WANTED—The boy who delivered the parcel addressed Mrs. C. F. Baker, 60 Waterloo street, July 26th, to call at Miss Hanson's Women's Exchange, 135 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A young man to drive delivery team. Apply at 423 Main street.

BOY WANTED—To learn printing trade. ROGER HUNTER, 66 Prince William St.

WANTED—A junior clerk to do general office work. Apply in own handwriting, stating qualifications and references, to W. F. care "Globe" Office, City.

SALESMAN WANTED—To sell the New Williams Sewing Machines. Must be a good collector. Apply to J. FRED NIXON, 28 Dock street.

OFFICE BOY WANTED—Must write a good hand, and be quick at figures. Apply BROCK & PATTERSON, Ltd., 29 and 32 King street, St. John, N. B.

WANTED—Boys from 14 to 16 years of age to learn the dry goods business. Apply to MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON, ALLISON, LTD. 21.8-17.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock and White Wyandotte chickens. JAMES W. BARBER, Torriburn.

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock and Wyandotte Hens, at 107 Mount Pleasant Avenue.

FOR SALE—Parlor Suit, 1 Centre Table, 2 Singer Sewing Machines (one new); also a set of heavy harness and a light carriage in first class order. Apply to E. S. DIBBLEE, 20 Pond street. 21.8-17.

FOR SALE—Private sale of all household goods at 155 Ludlow street, West End.

FOR SALE—Second-hand Bicycle, price \$3.00. Apply KEE & BURGESS, 195 Union street.

FOR SALE—Freehold Property, 39 Paradise Row, 2 1/2-story house, suitable for three families. Apply to ANDREW BROWN on premises. 19.8.10.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—Last year's wheel, counter brake. Cost \$45. Apply to G. Mc G., 32 Gilbert's Lane. 21-8-6.

Excelsior Plant, Coldbrook, formerly Hazelhurst's foundry, comprising two acres land, three houses, excelsior factory, with machinery complete. Apply J. Mayer, 724 Main street.

FOR SALE—Brass blue flame lamp. Price \$1.00. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Combination table vice, capital tool for either amateur or practical mechanic. No reasonable offer refused. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Pressure gauge with brass connections for testing steam boilers or water pipes up to 140 lbs. Price \$3.00. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Steam fitters pipe-cutter. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—A revolving metal piano stool—a bargain. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Two story house and lot, 13 Pine street, house containing 9 rooms and bath room; freehold property. For further information enquire of T. J. SCRIBNER, 45 Exmouth street, or F. R. KIRKPATRICK, 88 Wright street.

FOR SALE—Two story house and lot, 47 Gilbert's Lane, containing 10 rooms; freehold property. For further information enquire of T. J. SCRIBNER, 45 Exmouth street, or F. R. KIRKPATRICK, 88 Wright street.

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand hand delivery wagons, 2 coaches and 2 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a first class coach very cheap; also 3 cut-under carriages, best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairing. A. G. EDGE-COMBE, 115 and 129 City Road. 24.4-17.

A. E. HAMILTON, Carpenter and Builder.
Jobbing Promptly attended to.

Shop, 206 Brussels St.
Residence, 88 Exmouth St.
Phone 1623.

EGGS!

Ever notice the way we keep eggs? Separate boxes—every box with the name of the person we bought from and the date.

This helps us to learn where the freshest and best eggs come from. Our customers receive the benefit of our experience.

SUSSEX MILK & CREAM CO.,
158 POND STREET.
Telephone 622.

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

August Furniture Sale!

These Prices Prevail During the Coming Month.

Extension Tables, golden finish, 5 legs, \$5.50.
Sideboards, golden finish, 14x24 beveled mirror, \$2.75.
Dining Chairs, golden finish, 55c.
Roll Top Office Desks, from \$14.00 upward.
Parlor Suites, walnut frames, 5 pieces, at \$25.00.

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Everything reduced in price during this August clearing sale.

George E. Smith, 18 King St.
Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

Close Saturdays at 1 p. m. during July and August.

WANTED

WANTED—Old picture of the Signing of Independence of United States. State condition and price. Address "PICTURE," Star Office.

WANTED—By a young lady, board in a private family in central locality. Apply, stating terms, to M. C. care of Star Office.

WANTED—Married couple (with infant) want two rooms, en suite, and board with strictly private family. Quiet tastes—home comforts only desired. Address, with full particulars, "HOME," care St. John Star.

WANTED—A Horse-Power electric motor. Address "Motor," care Star Office.

WANTED—One furnished room with use of the kitchen, by married couple with one baby. Address N. A. S., care Star Office.

WANTED—A lady boarder at 75 Hazen street. Private family. Good board.

WANTED—Large self contained flat or two story dwelling with hot water heating in central part of city. State rent and all particulars. Address P. O. Box 267.

Agent Wanted

To represent a British Fire Insurance Company in Carleton and vicinity. A liberal Commission paid to a person who has influence to secure business.

Apply by letter to
"FIRE INSURANCE",
Office of this paper.

TO LET.

TO LET—Barn on Brussels street, near the head of Union street. Apply to R. J. COUGHLIN, 3 Exmouth St. 25-8-6.

PERSONALS.

W. D. Foster, who for the past ten days has been dangerously ill with pneumonia, is reported by his physicians to be convalescent.

W. H. McLean, principal of the Aberdeen school, returned yesterday from a trip in the west.

Miss Mary B. McCafferty, who has been ill for some time of acute rheumatism at her parents' home in Richmond, is much improved. Dr. Bourque is attending her.

Dr. W. P. Bonnell and family and Mrs. A. E. Cowan and family have returned to the city from Ingleside, where they have been spending the last six weeks.

Henry Herbert of Worcester, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William J. Dalton of the north end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Adams, Boston, arrived yesterday on a visit to St. John.

C. F. R. Snider, superintendent of the C. F. R. Telegraph, left last evening for New York to attend a convention there next week of old-time telegraphers.

Mrs. Harry Milburn will receive on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 29th and 30th, at 134 King street, St. John west.

The edges of Ungar's collars and cuffs are as smooth as glass.

ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 1905.



Rich Man, Poor Man, Beggar Man, Thief—No One Is Secure From the Vulture Who Lives by Intimidation.

The Innocent, as Well as the Guilty, Are Constantly the Victims of Designing Men and Women.

(By Jesse R. Ginn.)

Rich man, poor man, beggar man, thief; doctor, lawyer, merchant, chief; butcher, baker, candlestick maker—all of you, beware of the blackmailer! Recent developments in New York would seem to show that well known brokers and members of the "409" are by no means overlooked by the blackmailer. But do you feel that personally you are in no danger? That your position among your fellows is too secure—a blackmailer would be too shrewd to try to drag you down from the heights? That your station is too lowly—such a one would not deign to stoop so far? That you have done nothing in secret which would murder your good name were it to come to light? That, therefore, no blackmailer would think of marking you for a victim?

BLACKMAILING THE SMALL FRY.

Is this your frame of mind? Yes? Well—

I have in mind a certain man whose income is not over fifteen hundred dollars a year, whose name is not known outside the small business circle of which he forms a part, who has never made any particular name for himself, in brief, is just such a man as goes to make up the run of the race.

To him a year or two ago, there came a stranger of genteel appearance. "Mr. So-and-so," he said, in substance, "I have called to see you about a little personal matter to which, I feel sure, you will appreciate my calling your attention. It is this: could you tell me whether the statements here set forth are correct or not?" With that the caller handed to the other what, to all intents and purposes, was a proofsheet of an article that had been prepared for publication in the leading newspaper of the city. The business man recognized the style of type in the headings and body of the article almost as soon as he realized that staring him in the face in cold type was a correct and detailed record of an incident in his life that he had taken particular care to hide. Pale of face and trembling of hand, he read the article through; then he gasped: "But it would ruin my name!" "My friends to have this appear in the—"

The caller was exuberantly cool. "As to the effect it would produce, you are the better judge," he said politely. "All I am interested in knowing is whether what we have ascertained is true?" "Of course," he went on, as the other hesitated to answer, "if you say that the information contained in the article is not true, that is the end of it. If you prefer not to have the public get hold of the information, I dare say that can be arranged quite easily. In fact, we are not anxious to put you in this light before your friends. But we have been at some expense preparing the article. If you would care to defray the expenses—"

It turned out to be \$50. With a sigh of relief, the business man handed over that sum and put his name to a receipt which explicitly stated that the money had been paid to defray in full expenses to which the holder had been put in the given name; and, bidding his victim good-day, the blackmailer departed to intimidate the next victim on the list by sticking under his nose a "proof" of an escapade in his life.

For nearly three years this man worked this game, weekly bleeding several victims of the inconspicuous type described. He would probably be at the game today but for an attack of heart disease which caused him to be gathered to his fathers. During all the time he levied blackmail it is doubtful whether his income was ever less than \$150 a week, gathered in sums varying from \$25 to \$50, according to the money value he placed beforehand on each of his victims, not one of whom could truthfully give the testimony that the article had been prepared for publication in the—

BLACKMAILING THE INNOCENT.

Mrs. A. was president of a women's club that numbered among its members the social elite of a city in the Middle West. Mrs. B. was an aspiring social climber, and she recognized that if she could secure for herself the presidency of the club her position in society would no longer be a matter of conjecture.

Mrs. A.'s term would not expire for nearly a year. That was long to

wait. Mrs. A. must be forced to resign, and resign in favor of Mrs. B., doing so in a graceful little speech, perhaps, in which she would plead ill health. But how to force her to do so?

That was the puzzle until Mrs. B. recalled to mind that in Mrs. A.'s girlhood, when she was at boarding school, she had carried on what the other girls of the school had called a mad flirtation with a young man of the name Mrs. B., counting on the well-known feminine trait of treasuring all letters of a love-like nature, and the careless habit of a writer of a love letter not to date it, set out to secure a package of the epistles which had been written to Mrs. A. ten years before by the young man. By what means she was successful I do not know—suffice it to say that she got hold of a score or more of letters in which the customary expressions of youthful love and affection were used—nothing more. But the great and all-important thing was, they were undated, and with no date line they read as if they had been written but yesterday.

And straightway Mrs. B. began dropping hints in the club and elsewhere—hints that she could deny with apparent innocence were they traced back to her—about an attachment between the president of the club and a certain young fellow everybody who was anybody knew. Naturally, gossiping about her name. In her dilemma she sought her husband, and explained the situation to him; she had shrewdly guessed that the letters had been stolen, and a hasty search had confirmed her suspicions. He advised patience—there was nothing else to do, for Mrs. B. had covered up her trail very adroitly, and neither husband nor wife suspected her. So the conspiracy narrowed itself down to which could stand the suspense the longest. Several weeks passed; still Mrs. A. showed no inclination to break down under the strain. Another month—and Mrs. B.'s patience gave way. She made an informal call on her victim, and during the call she laid out her contents to force Mrs. A. to resign the presidency. If that was the object it failed miserably, for the letters were at once placed in the owner's hands, with a statement as to how the bearer had received them, and when the wife held them out to her husband he smiled, took them and tossed them into the fire burning in the old-fashioned open grate.

That was the end of the scandal. Mrs. B., realizing that she had played her trump card and lost, quietly resigned from the club; and since then she has been "cut" by the members of the set which her aspirations to lead had caused her to try blackmail.

Holding letters over a person's head is a favorite and frequently successful method of the blackmailer. A certain titled woman of London engaged in an

indiscreet correspondence with a young man about town. In the course of time he lost his patrimony in riotous living, and was reduced to dire straits, when a man of his acquaintance offered to give him a lump sum of a thousand pounds in exchange for the letters written to him by the lady of title. The bargain was struck, the lady was made aware of it, and one by one the letters were fed to her at \$200 each, until he had secured possession of all except eight. Then her money ran out, and she threw herself upon the mercy of her husband, who showed his forgiveness of her conduct (or was it fear of a scandal?) by paying over a lump sum for the remainder of the letters. All told, the letters cost the distracted wife and her husband a little over five thousand pounds.

THE PROPERTY BLACKMAIL.

Of course, you have destroyed all the letters that could be used against you did they fall into designing hands; or perhaps you'd never written any. Very well, but how about your property?

Let us call the man who wanted to own a certain corner lot in a certain section of an eastern city, John Jones. He made numerous attempts to buy it, but each succeeding time the owner asked a higher price, and at no time would listen to the figure named by the Joneses.

Some two or three weeks after Jones had made his last futile attempt to buy the property, the rumor began to circulate in the neighborhood that the house was haunted. Now, the residents of that part of the city were all lately come from parts of the old country where the belief in ghosts is deep-seated and haunted houses are numerous. So the rumor gave way to conviction. Many persons began to declare that they had actually seen ghosts flitting by the windows of the house, and by night the neighborhood collected around the house to see the ghosts. One night the crowd became so large and excited that the police had to be called, and in this way the matter got into the newspapers.

From the beginning of the talk about ghosts the owner of the property had bravely tried to laugh it away. But when the papers took it up, he became so nervous that he was unable to stand and set about to sell it. On every side he met with discouragement—no one wanted to take over a haunted house at the figure he named. At this juncture John Jones once more appeared upon the scene.

"I'll relieve you of the house at the figure I first named," he said.

The bargain was struck, and the deed was marked that shortly after the deed had been transferred the talk of ghosts died down, and so far as known has never been renewed in connection with this piece of real estate.

EVEN THE GREAT DO NOT ESCAPE.

A former Mayor of New York, now dead, against whom not a breath of scandal was uttered during his more than four score years and ten, and who was held in high esteem by the entire city, was walking along the street one day when he saw a young woman, evidently faint and in distress, and went to her assistance. He was told that she was the daughter of a man who had been so kind to her, managed to secure his personal card.

A few days later she wrote the former Mayor a letter of thanks; he replied courteously, stating that he was happy to have been of assistance. Then he forgot the incident, but was forcibly reminded of it when he received a second delicately scented letter from the young woman, asking for an appointment; and then he smelled—a blackmailer.

police and had an officer assigned to be present with him in his office when the young woman should make her appearance at the hour named in the reply of her intended victim. And when the woman walked in the officer recognized in her a notorious character—and she got out of town that night.

TREATMENT OF BLACKMAILERS.

A somewhat similar use of the police was made by another man who, at one period of his life, began receiving anonymous letters, in which he was accused of certain indiscretions. Finally, when he despaired of securing any trace of the writer, he met an acquaintance on the street, and after the usual greeting, the latter said casually: "I understand you've been receiving some anonymous letters lately."

Instantly the thought sprang to the man's mind that here was the author of the letters. Admitting that he had received such letters and engaging the acquaintance in seemingly earnest conversation concerning them, he quietly led the other to the door of a police station house.

As luck would have it, the captain in charge of the precinct was standing there.

"Captain," said the man who had received the letters, "what is the punishment for a person who writes anonymous letters for the purpose of levying blackmail?"

There was more talk along the same line. When it was at an end the acquaintance for whose benefit the captain had been interviewed sneaked, and the other man received no more anonymous letters from that day forth.

That's one way to treat a blackmailer, male or female, if you have the nerve, and it is a generally conceded remedy for the evil. Whether you are innocent or guilty of the intimidation charge brought against you, another way to handle male blackmailer was once described in these words by the late Sir Richard Mayne:

"Strike him with anything you have in your hand, and give him a very severe chastising. Such people are all cowards physically, and the thing they most fear is personal violence. This remedy is the best, and is easily applied, for, of course, a clever blackmailer will not be so rash as to put his threats or proposals on paper, so that when he opens the matter to you viva voce, you can then give him the required thrashing."

FORTUNES MADE BY BLACKMAILING.

If blackmailers were generally treated in either summary fashion, it is not to be doubted that their numbers would decrease and the huge sums of money they now levy would shrink considerably. Of course, it is impossible to estimate the amount even roughly, but some idea may be gathered from the fact that a Scotch nobleman, in the eighties, was on the point of marrying a French heiress when he made the startling discovery that the dowry which she was to bring him had been gathered by means of blackmail by her father, who had died while serving a sentence of penal servitude for life for the crime.

IDEAL TERMS OF PEACE.

(Rev. Charles Fletcher Dole, in Boston Evening Transcript.)

While everyone is waiting to know what the diplomats at Portsmouth will decide, and while the newspapers are filled with contradictory reports, it can do no harm to ask what are the most desirable and satisfactory terms which we can imagine for concluding a permanent peace between Russia and Japan. Who knows but that the ideal terms in this case might prove to be

the simplest and most practical? Let us observe first what the occasion of the war was. It was the extravagant and elaborate military and naval preparations which Russia was making on or near the Pacific coast and opposite the Japanese islands. Russia was plainly menacing Japan. Her forts and fleets were a sort of continuous declaration of war against her neighbor. If no warships had been brought into the Pacific ocean, and if Port Arthur had not been fortified, it is safe to say that there would have been no war.

Russia might have peacefully built up a lasting peace. Shall Japan insist upon holding Sakhalin and other points of vantage? Shall she lay claim to a suzerainty over Korea? Shall she demand hundreds of millions of indemnity? All these things leave the roars in the ground to breed further mischief.

What the good of an indemnity, to be wrung from the oppressive taxation of Russian peasants, if the Japanese must presently go on to spend money in increasing their forts and maintaining a greater fleet? What hope of more than an armed truce can there be as long as the Russians may build heavier fortifications and bring more battleships into the Pacific ocean for the sole purpose of defying Japan?

There remains one requirement which offers the promise of actual peace. This is the engagement on the part of Russia that she shall never again maintain armaments of any sort upon the Pacific coast. This would mean freedom for Russia and equality for Japan. What else is it but a continual burden to be obliged to build forts and armaments? This single condition would be worth more in money value to Japan than any possible indemnity. Japan could immediately afford to cut down all her military and naval equipment. What use would she have for them? What nation has any quarrel with her or has the slightest wish to do her injury?

In fact we might look forward to a general agreement among the few governments which border upon the Pacific ocean to make this sea in reality what it is in name—a neutral ocean upon which no ships of war should ever come. Why not? Is there anything in the ruling tenets of Christendom which would forbid? And if two or three Christian nations—England and the United States and France—would lead the way, is it probable that Japan or China would object to accept this small instalment of Christianity? Meantime the Pacific powers have the Hague tribunal, inaugurated by Russia. Let them agree to resort to this court, touching all matters of difference upon any of the shores of that ocean.

One objection may occur to this proposal for peace. It is the pride of Russia or rather the pride of a few soldiers and bureaucrats at St. Petersburg who have invaded the suffering and innocent Russian people in this disastrous war, and like all stupid and obstinate people, they would like to have their own way at whatever cost to others. But these very people must suffer the loss of their pride in any possible settlement of the issue with Japan.

The fact is, Russia has lost its prestige as a great military power. The one thing that Japan wants is the distinct promise from Russia that she will refrain from further threats to break the peace upon her Pacific frontier. It is the sacrifice of no just pride to agree to such a reasonable appeal. Why does not Japan make this her one condition and let all the rest go? This would be to gain all that she has fought for.

STORES, ETC. - THAT ARE - OPEN EVENINGS.

JEWELER AND GOLDSMITH. A fine selection of jewelry of all descriptions can be seen at the establishment of W. Tremaine Gard, on Charlotte street. Visitors requiring souvenirs of the town cannot do better than call and inspect Mr. Gard's selection. Some fine specimens of Antwerp cut diamonds are exciting a great deal of interest at the moment.

HIGH CLASS TAILORS. Someone has said that the finest asset a young man can possess is a good suit of clothes, and there is a deal of truth in the saying. Edgcombe and Chalmers, 104 King street, have just received per steamer the latest London novelties with exclusive designs. Those requiring a high class suit of clothes should give them a call.

ICE CREAM. For dessert can be had without trouble and at slight expense by sending your order to T. J. Phillips, 213 Union street. Phone 1,240. Your order will have prompt attention. Any quantity, but only one quality—the best.

CANDY STORE. She only answered "Ting a ling" to all that he could say. She seemed to live on "Ting a ling" by night as well as by day. He said to her, "I'll marry you; but all that she could say was: Ting a ling, ting, ting a ling, ting, ting. The young lady had tried some Ting a ling candy made by A. J. Russell, on Union street.

INDENTAKER. Death must always be a painful subject, but when it comes—as come it must—it is gratifying to know that our dear ones have the greatest care and attention shown them in the last offices. T. Fred Powers, of Princess street, pays special attention in this respect, and one cannot do better than entrust him when occasion arises.

GENTS' CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS. A store which is situated in a very convenient place, is that of E. Komlensky & Co., 43 Mill street, as its handiness to the depot makes it much sought after by people coming in going out of the city. A full line of the latest gents' clothing and furnishings are carried by Mr. Komlensky.

ONLY REST. If you want style, there are other places—the Clifton House gives inside and outside comfort, is near all trains and steamers, and its rates are low. Corner Princess and German sts.

HAIR RESTORER. If your hair is falling out, or you are troubled with dandruff, Dr. Jack's famous hair restorer will positively grow hair and cure you of dandruff. It has been thoroughly tested in this city for months past and there are hundreds using it and recommending it. Dr. Jack's hair restorer is sold by all the leading druggists and barbers.

THE REFORMER. (Philadelphia Bulletin.) Rushing into the smoking car for Atlantic City, an old man cried excitedly: "A corker! Who's got a corker sign the first?"

ROYAL DAIRY LUNCH. A plate of Boston Baked Beans and a glass of steaming hot Boston Coffee, 10c. A 21-Meal Ticket for \$3.50 or six meals for \$1.50 (good till used); or a bang-up Dinner for 25c. These are a few of the good things you get at the most popular lunch room in the city. GEO. A. WHITTAKER, Manager.

CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL. If you are dissatisfied with your present position and salary, drop into the office of the International Correspondence School, 295 Union street, any evening and learn how you can improve both. Circulars and information FREE.

TOBACCONIST. There is nothing more delightful when strolling in the park than to smoke a good cigar, or a pipe of your favorite tobacco. If you are in want of either the genial Oscar has erected a delightful bungalow wherein you can obtain them, and indulge in a quiet game of pool to pleasantly while away an hour. Pop in and see him.

RESTAURANT. It is seldom so much care is displayed in the cooking and serving of a meal as is met with at the Boston Restaurant, 29 Charlotte street. The menu comprises nearly everything that even an epicure could ask for. The specialty is the after theatre lunches, whilst the dinners in the middle day are very popular.

SCREW. A score of kindly hands sought: pook-ets and a score of kindly voices said: "Here you are, sir." "I thought so," shouted the old man. "And now I lay before you, gentle, fifty temperance pledges. Who will sign the first?"

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Soiled Hands.

There are many ways of soiling the fingers, but Cuticline removes all stains whether from cleaning a typewriter or doing ordinary house work. 15c.—At the

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THE FREE LAND POLICY.

A visitor in Canada familiar with conditions in New Zealand, expresses the opinion that Canada makes a mistake in giving away 160 acres of the best lands in the world to each new settler. This writer thinks that the government should have leased the lands at a nominal rental for a number of years, with a modest price for the freehold, or a larger rental to be paid later.

The answer given to this critic is that our system is working well, that the Northwest is rapidly becoming occupied, and that the exceptional advantages offered by Canada is attracting settlers in large numbers.

This answer does not seem to be all that is required. It might be well to offer free homes to all the world when the country is new, and before it is opened up and made easily accessible by railways. But it is a different thing for the people of Canada, the proprietors of these lands, who have paid for them by many years of taxation out of their own hard earnings on the less generous soil of the East, to be compelled to give these lands away to men from abroad who have never spent a cent on the development of Canada. The time is approaching when the sons of the farmers who have borne the cost of Western development will go west and buy back if they can at a high price portions of these lands from the descendants of immigrants who got the estates for nothing. The time is coming and even now is when the nation will have more land than people will be better off than the nation with more people than land. The cry is often and thoughtlessly repeated that what this country most wants is more people. When this statement is critically examined it is found to be absurd. Good people are wanted in most countries, but no idiot is more superstitious than the worship of mere numbers. Great masses of people never did and never can make a nation. There are more people in Turkey than in Scotland but no one would say that Turkey was the greater country.

In tropical Africa, Great Britain has more subjects than in South Africa, Australia and Canada taken together. Who would be such a fool as to classify these territories in the scale of importance on the basis of population?

Undoubtedly there are more people in the west than there would have been if the government had been held for sale. Beyond doubt more people will go in during the next ten years than would come and buy land. It is true that the lands in the west owned by railway and land companies have increased in value by the settlement on government lands. But we do not find the company owners giving away their farms. It is certain that the offer of free lands in the west has prevented many desirable settlers from coming to Eastern Canada, and attracted from the farms of the Maritime provinces many young men who were greatly needed here. It has reduced the price of lands in Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. But it has peopled and is peopling the west, not with good provincialists only but with settlers from all parts of the European continent, some of whom are no source of national strength. We are not condemning the homestead policy but merely pointing out that it requires some better defence than the mere statement that it had been successful in peopling the country.

REDUCING THE DEFICIT.

The Moncton Times gathers from Mr. Emmerson's remarks how he proposes to reduce the next deficit to half a million dollars:

"Mr. Tarte, who was in the Laurier cabinet during one general election, estimates that the last November contest cost the Intercolonial at least half a million, and the statement has occasioned not the least surprise. As there is no election this year the deficit should be less by that amount at least."

Then there is the increase in the local freight rates already in force and others indicated and also an increase in passenger rates. The increase in the freight rates is nearly twenty per cent, and with the other increases forehanded will possibly take a million dollars out of the people and put it into the coffers of the railway. This is about how the deficit at the end of the year will figure out at this time.

Saved by abolition of office . . . 12,000
Saved by reason of there being no election this year . . . 500,000
Taken out of the people in increased freight and passenger rates . . . 1,000,000

This is \$1,512,000 and would bring the deficit at the end of the year down to something like the normal amount, as Mr. Emmerson and his organs are apt to claim much credit for any reduction in the deficit it may be as well for the people to know how the trick is to be done."

It is a dull day on which we fall to hear of a dramatic incident in the peace negotiations. And always we are told that the drama is put on by a manager at Oyster Bay.

THE SHOP-WINDOW MARRIAGE.

The average person who has regard for the decencies of life, will not feel much sympathy for the clergyman who is hailed before the church courts for performing a marriage ceremony in a shop window. It is to be assumed that the performance was managed in the interests of the shop keeper for advertising purposes. Probably there was a reward for the young couple whose sacrifice of delicacy would call for some recompense. The minister would also need an extra fee to cover the damages to his self-respect, and to ensure him against loss of reputation and standing in his church and community. But the church which is scandalized, and the community which is vulgarized, seem still to have something to say. On the whole it would have been better for the couple to have started in life together by trying to pay for their clothes in some other way, for the minister if he had refused to deprecate a solemn ceremony, and for the shop keeper if he had taken an extra column of space in a newspaper.

MAN WANTED.

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SPORTING MATTERS

BASEBALL

National League.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Chicago game postponed; rain.
At New York—The St. Louis-Brooklyn game postponed; rain.
At New York—Cincinnati-New York game postponed; rain.
At Boston—Pittsburgh, 5; Boston, 4.
American League.
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 1; Washington, 0.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 1; New York, 3 (11 innings).
At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Philadelphia, 4.
At Chicago—First game: Chicago, 2; Boston, 2. Second game: Boston, 2; Chicago, 3.

Eastern League.
At Rochester—First game: Rochester, 1; Providence, 1. Second game: Rochester, 1; Providence, 1 (ten innings, called on account of darkness).
At Buffalo—First game: Buffalo, 2; Jersey City, 2. Second game: Buffalo, 4; Jersey City, 1.
At Montreal—Montreal, 4; Baltimore, 11.
At Toronto—Toronto, 1; Newark, 5.

Connecticut League.
At New Haven, 4; New London, 2.
At Hartford—Hartford, 4; Norwich, 8. Second game: Hartford, 4; Norwich, 8.

At Springfield—Springfield, 5; Holyoke, 2.
At Meriden—Bridgeport game postponed; wet grounds.

New England League.
At Haverhill—Haverhill, 0; Lawrence, 7.
At Nashua—Concord, 3; Nashua, 2.
At New Bedford—Lynn game postponed; rain.

At Fall River—Taunton game postponed; rain.

SQUARELY BEATEN.
C. M. Mellish, the Moncton Trojan captain, writes, denying that the article in the Transcript, in which it is said that the Trojans attributed their recent defeat by St. John to unfair decisions of the umpire, represented the feeling of the team. Mellish admits they were fairly and squarely beaten.

THE TURF

Those interested in the ponies will have a chance to witness some good sport in that line this afternoon at Moosagh. Three events will be run off—one each in the trotting and pacing class and a special race for the speediest ones in the latter class. Entries have been received from the following gentlemen: Trotting—Messrs. Swanson, C. H. Peters, Williams, J. T. Hurley, Arthur Vail, P. E. Barnhill. Pacing—Messrs. Vail, Corber, Earl, Magee, Latimer, Thomas Hayes. Commencing at 2 o'clock the events will be run off in the order named.

TENNIS

PROVINCIAL TOURNAMENT.
The provincial tennis tournament was practically brought to a close yesterday when the finals in all the events but the ladies' singles were concluded and the championships decided. In the ladies' singles Miss Mabel Thomson and Miss Helen Robertson had won a set each, but owing to the late hour it was decided to have this event played off in the morning. The results are:

MEN'S SINGLES.

Finals.
W. R. Turnbull v. T. McE. Stewart.

2-6, 6-3, 4-6, 2-6.

MEN'S DOUBLES.
Semi-Finals.
Stewart and Allison v. Turnbull and Harrison, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Finals.
Stewart and Allison v. Turnbull and Harrison, 6-2, 6-1, 6-0.

MIXED DOUBLES.
Semi-Finals.
W. S. Allison and Miss H. C. Robertson v. C. E. Merritt and Mrs. Ward, 7-5, 6-3, 6-2.

Finals.
W. S. Allison and Miss H. C. Robertson v. C. E. Merritt and Mrs. Ward, 6-2, 6-1.

LADIES' SINGLES.
Finals.
Miss Mabel Thomson v. Miss Helen Robertson (not finished).

LADIES' DOUBLES.
Finals.
Miss Mabel Thomson and Miss Mona Thomson v. Miss W. Barnaby and Miss L. Smith, 6-0, 6-1.

Rothschilds has captured first place in all the events; its members made up the finals in the men's singles and ladies' singles; they were opposed by Sackville in the finals of the men's doubles, and by St. John in the ladies' doubles. Hampton alone of the five competing clubs was not represented in the finals, but one of its representatives, Malcolm McAvity, scored as high as the semi-finals in the men's singles.

The members of the clubs other than Rothschilds who competed in the finals were: R. Trites and P. M. Jost of Sackville in the men's doubles; C. H. Allen and Miss Nellie Babbitt of Fredericton in the mixed doubles; and Miss W. Barnaby and Miss L. Smith in the ladies' doubles.

The contests yesterday were, as naturally expected, the most exciting of the series. The number of spectators who met, and their applause was repeatedly evoked by the brilliant plays of the contestants.

At the conclusion of play, Mayor White presented the prizes to the winners of the first and second places in the various events.

The past tournament is considered one of the most enjoyable and successful in the history of provincial tennis.

THE RING

JIMMIE GARDNER WINS FROM RYAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—Jimmy Gardner of Lowell tonight won his fight with Buddy Ryan at Colma, in the fifteenth round of a 25-round bout. The men weighed in at 142 pounds.

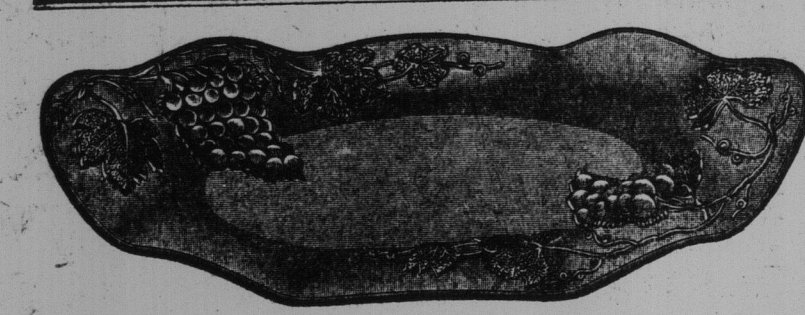
William Roche was referee. They declare all bets off.

In the fifteenth round Gardner landed two blows, apparently very low, and Ryan sank to the floor in agony. Claims of foul made by his seconds were not allowed.

Ryan was floored again as he rose and his seconds carried him to his corner when the going rang. Ryan was clearly unable to continue and his seconds threw up the sponge. Referee Roche, amid the greatest confusion, then declared all bets off and awarded the decision to Gardner, saying there had to be a decision in order that the purse be awarded.

THE RIFLE

THE ST. JOHN CITY RIFLE CLUB will hold a spoon match on the government range this afternoon at 2 o'clock.



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This is one of the best selling lines of Summer belts of this season, but this lot came in rather late. Were purchased to sell at 25c each 15c each While they last.

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You will find a whole counter full of good shirts put out for your choice at bargain prices. They are all good, neat and attractive designs. This sale is to ease off a surplus stock.

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SHIPPING NEWS

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 25—Ard, str Carthaginian, from Glasgow and Liverpool via St. John's, N. F. Cleared, sch Nicanor, for Philadelphia via Sherbrooke, N. S. Sailed, str Veritas, Utica, for Turks Island, Ja., and Cuba.

British Ports.

FLEETWOOD, Aug. 24—Ard, bark Entarprise, from Grindstone Island, N. B.

PLYMOUTH, Aug. 25—Ard, str Noordam, from New York for Boulogne and Rotterdam (and proceeded).

BROW HEAD, Aug. 25—Passed, strs Cymric, from Boston for Liverpool; Georgic, from New York for Liverpool.

PLYMOUTH, Aug. 24—Ard, str Moltke, from New York for Cherbourg and Hamburg (and proceeded).

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 24—Ard, in the Marway, ship Germaile, from Chatham, NB.

BARRY, Aug. 25—Passed, str Cherone, from St. John for Liverpool.

BANGOR, Ireland, Aug. 25—Ard, bark Nimrod, from Dalhousie.

DUBLIN, Aug. 24—Ard, ship Miso, from St. John, N. B.

HOLYHEAD, Aug. 24—Ard, bark Vidmir, from Port de Harbert.

BOTT OF LEWIS, Aug. 24—Passed, str Jacana, from Montreal for Newcastle and Leth.

MANCHESTER, Aug. 24—Ard, str Manchester Shipper, from Montreal.

AYR, Aug. 24—Ard, bark Sagana, from Bathurst, N. B.

INVERARL, Aug. 24—Passed, bark Magpie, from Greenock for Saint John's, N. F.

PRESTON, Aug. 24—Ard, bark Atlas, from Cape Tormentine, N. B.

SANTA CRUZ, Tenerife, Aug. 5.—Sld, bark W. W. McLaughlin, from Weymouth, N. S.

KING ROAD, Aug. 24—Ard, bark Asia, from Dalhousie, N. B., via Queenstown for Fleetwood.

RUNOORN, Aug. 25—Ard, bark Avoca, from Sheet Harbor, N. S.

BROW HEAD, Aug. 25, 3.30 p m—Passed, str Cedric, from New York for Queenstown.

Foreign Ports.

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 25—Ard, strs Froebers, from Baltimore; Horatio Hall, from New York; schs Annie, Doucette, from Yarmouth, N. S.; Jennie C, from St. John, N. B., for Vineyard Haven.

CLD, str Cornishman, for Liverpool.

ANTWERP, Aug. 24—Ard, str Montreal, from Montreal via London.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Aug. 25—Ard, schs S. H. Sawyer, from New Bedford for Kennebec; D. W. B. from Bridgeport for St. John, N. B.; Boba, from Dillingham, N. S.

Sld, schs E. Moriam, from Port Greenville, N. S., for New York; Harriet C Whitehead, from St. John, N. B., for do; Wm Slater, from South Gardner, for do; Margaret C. Charles, Advocate, N. S., for do; Gypsum Emperor, from Windsor, for do; G. M. Cochrane, from Port Greenville, for do; Sarah Eaton, from Calais, for do.

Passed, str Volund, from Windsor for New York; Charles F. Mayer, with two barges, from Portland for Baltimore; schs Lois V. Charles, from St. John for New York; Damietta and JoAnna, from Portland for do; B. I. Hazard, from do for do; Florence, from do; Banger for do; C. E. Clark, from do for do; C. C. Lane, from do for do; Charlotte W. Miller, from Long Cove, Me., for do; J. V. Wall, from Calais for do; O. D. Withnell, from Rockport, Me., for Portsmouth; Va. Fortune, Chester R. Lawrence and Charles Woodley, from do.

SAUNDERS TOWN, N. S., Aug. 25—Ard and sld, sch Irene Meservey, from eastern port, bound west.

Ard, schs Donna, from Fall River for St. John, N. B.; Pores, Belle, from eastern port, bound west.

Sld, schs J. L. Colwell, from Fredericton, N. B., for New York; Priscilla, from St. John, N. B., for do; Ida May, from do, for New Haven; Oakes Ames, from South Gardner, Me., for New York; Eugene Borda, from Pleasant River, for do; Jennie A. Stubbs, from Hallowell, for do; M. H. Read, from Rockport, Me., for do; J. V. Wall, from Calais, for do; Newark, Josie, from do, for Bridgeport; J. S. Lamprey, from eastern port, bound west.

In port, sch Lena Maud, from Fall River for St. John, N. B.

Passed, sch Lotus, from St. John, N. B., for Providence.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 25—Sld, sch Virginian, for Sackville.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 25—Ard, schs J. L. Colwell, from Fredericton for New York; Oakes Ames, from South Gardner for do; N. H. Read, from Rockport for do; J. V. Wall, from Calais for do.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25—Ard, schs Fred B. Balano, from St. John, N. B., for do; schs Ellen M. Jones, for do; Partidge Island, N. B.; Hazel Glen, for do; St. Olaf, for do; Hantsport, N. B.; Morancy, for do; St. John, N. B.

CITY ISLAND, Aug. 25—Bound south, strs Silvia, from St. John, N. F., and Halifax; Prince Arthur, from Yarmouth; North Star, from Portland; brig Aquila, from Chatham, N. B.; sch Phoenix, from Hillsboro, N. B.; Edith from Mahone Bay, N. S.; Talmouth, from Halifax; Ravola, from Richmond; Wanola, from St. John; Kawa, from do; Fred C. Holden, from Calais via Norwalk, Conn.; Chas H. Trickey, from St. John, N. B.; via Middletown.

Bound east, bark Shawmut, from Elizabethport for St. John (anchored).

GHATHAM, Mass., Aug. 25—Light southeast wind, cloudy at sunset.

Passed south, schs Annie Louise Lockwood, Edward Stewart, Annie F. Conlon, Susana Pickering, all bound west.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 25—Cld, sch Child Harold, for Calais.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 25—Ard, sch Mentor, from Boston for Bath.

CLD, sch Oliver Ames, for Lone Cove, Me., and New York.

Sld, schs Bradford C. French, for Hillsboro, N. B.; Florence, from Machias for Boston.

FALL RIVER, Aug. 25—Ard, sch St. Anthony, from St. John.

SALEM, Mass., Aug. 25—Ard, schs Nevinger, from Bangor for New York; Golden Ball, from Long Cove, Me., for do; Erie, from St. John for St. John.

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MAY DIVIDE CONTRACT BETWEEN ALLANS AND C.P.R.

OTTAWA, Aug. 25.—The Allans have become alarmed at the report that the Canadian Pacific may bid for the Atlantic mail contract next year, and are seeking to secure a ten years' extension now, so as to crowd out the C. P. R. Some of the ministers favor the Allans, but the majority fear that public opinion would not stand such undue haste. The subject was considered in council today and postponed for some time. In official quarters the belief has been expressed that a joint arrangement will be eventually be proposed, a weekly service being performed by the Virginian and Victorian of the Allans, and the Empresses of Britain and Ireland now being built for the C. P. R.

Notwithstanding the abstention of the maritime province fishermen, the number of competitors at the D. A. R. matches will not fall much below last year's.

A party of mining experts will be sent to Columbia to investigate the mine industry.

Mr. Emmerson and Mr. Butler left for Montreal and the east tonight.

SPENT THE DAY IN SIGHT SEEING.

Blue Jackets and Marines Have Good Time at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Aug. 25.—Blue jackets and marines of the second squadron spent the day in sight-seeing. The naval tournament at Leasedowne Park. A small charge for admission was imposed, the proceeds going to city hospitals. Two or three aldermen, with the evident intention of currying favor with a section of the community, tried to get a meeting of the city council this afternoon to protest against the admission fee. The city fathers have no responsibility in connection with the blue jackets, as the government is paying the entire expense of the visit so the capital, and kickers are being laughed at for their pains.

WILL HELP THOSE WHO LOST BY BUSH FIRES.

During the recent forest fires in the vicinity of Norton Thomas Ross was the heaviest loser. Mr. Ross' house and barns were totally destroyed, and as he had not a cent of insurance he was left almost destitute. The people of Norton have decided to render some assistance to Mr. Ross and his family, and a social will shortly be held, the proceeds of which will be held for their benefit. George W. Fowler, M. P., has forwarded to the committee at Norton a check for twenty dollars as his contribution to the fund for those who lost by the fires.

Ungar's collars and cuffs have no new edges.

SIXTH PAIR OF TWINS.

ALLENTOWN, Penn., Aug. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Depp of Hickory Run, with the appearance of a pair of twins today, are now the parents of 23 children. Being only 40 years old, they make the proud claim, age considered, of having the banner family, as to size in the United States. They were married when they were 22 years old. Seventeen times has the story come to visit them, and on six of these visits left twins. The last pair are a boy and a girl. Nineteen of the children were sons and four were daughters.

Two sons and two daughters died, leaving 17 boys and 3 girls. The father of this interesting family is a section foreman on the Lehigh Valley railroad and owns a truck farm. The mother was one of a family of six children, but is herself one of a pair of twins.

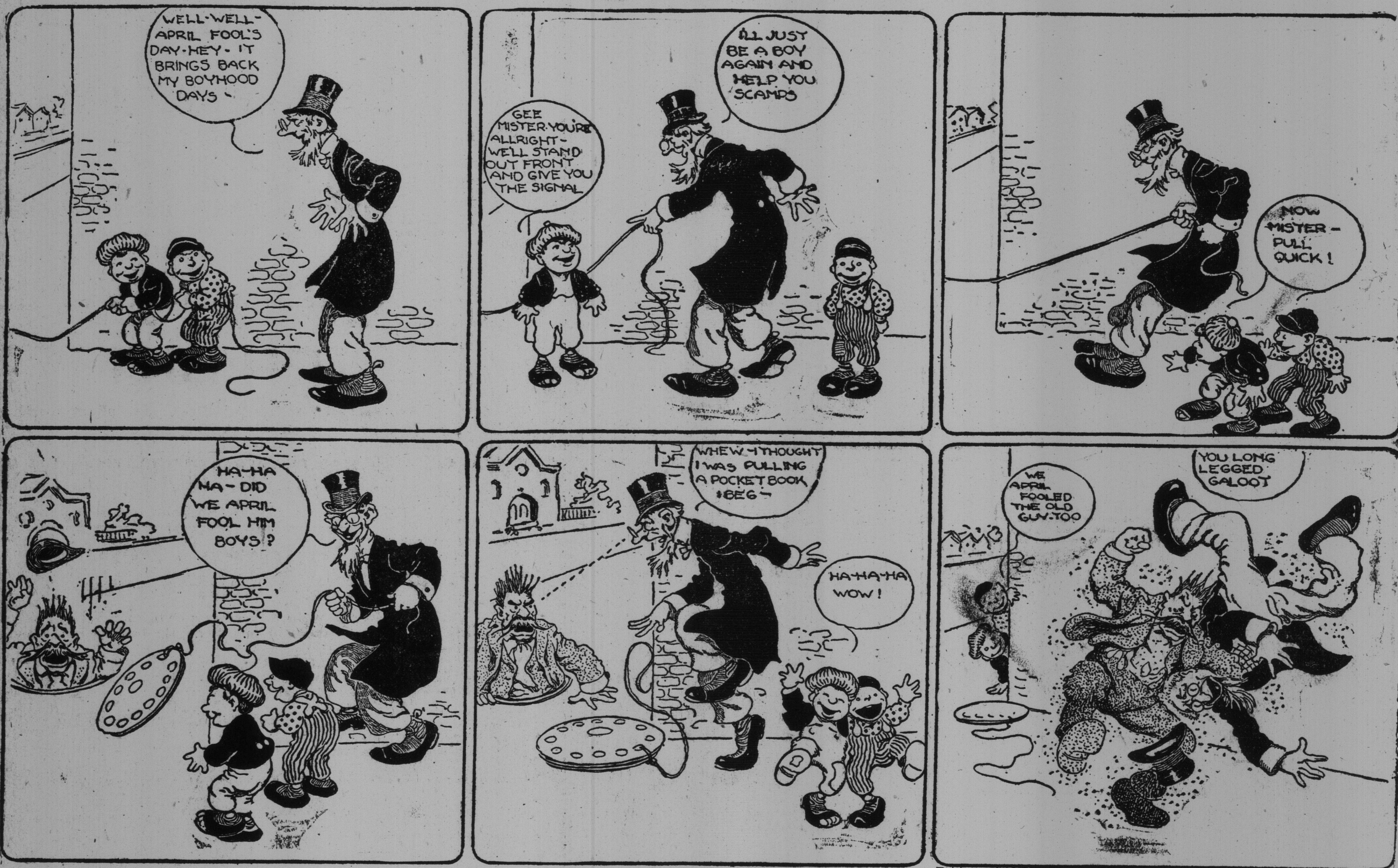
PRINCE LOUIS AT TORONTO.

TORONTO, Aug. 25.—Prince Louis of Battenburg was informally received at the Union station this morning by Percival Rideout and was escorted to the residence of Lady Kirkpatrick, whose guest he will be while in Toronto. There was no display.

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YE SEE, DEAKIN, DOBBS HED SOLD ME A BLIND MARE, AN' SO ONE NIGHT WEN HE CALLED ON OLD MAID MIGGS TER FORECLOSE A MORTGAGE ON HER FARM, I TRIED IT -



-AN' I JEST THREW MY VOICE THROUGH THET WINDER, MAKIN' THE DEAKIN' SAY THE FOOLISHEST, SOFTEST THINGS -



-AN' AFTER MAKIN' HIM HEY ROMEO SOUND LIKE A HARE-LIPPED MAY-THROWER (HE WUZ SO FLABBERGASTED HE COULDN'T SPEAK) - I POPPED THE QUESTION FER HIM -



-AN' SAY, IT WUZ WORTH THE PRICE UV TEN BLIND MARES TO SEE THE WAY HE GOT NAILED BOUND AN' ANCHORED! YE CAN'T FOOL YER, UNCLE GEORGE!



YE GOSH-BLAMED BUNCH UV SWINE-FEEDIN' SWINDLERS! BURGLARS IS IMMACULATE WHITE-ROBED SAINTS 'LONG SIDE UV YOU!

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TYPES OF LONDON LIFE.

By JAMES WATSON

The following is the last of a series of sketches of life in the great city of London, written by a member of the Star staff, who while engaged in newspaper work in that city was brought into intimate acquaintance with the types described.

No. 12—THE WAITER.

It is provocative of much thought to the careful observer to notice how many of the callings open to those in the lower walks of life are almost entirely filled by people (chiefly men) of foreign extraction.

The most striking instance, to my mind, of this is the occupation of the waiter. With the exception of the servants in the very best clubs and some few high-class, old-fashioned hotels, it will be found that the position of waiter is filled by a sort of polyglot worm who, from the average man of the world's point of view, is a most objectionable creature.

The reason for this can only be attributed to the Briton's objection to a post where a continual servility is necessary, and where he is exposed to the danger of losing his temper (and consequently his employment), under the contemptuous treatment too often meted out to him by thoughtless individuals. These people are generally of that class in which they, being themselves always in a position of dependency, cannot resist the temptation and opportunity of trying to bully the waiter on the smallest provocation.

This sort of thing does not, of course, take place among the upper ten thousand, who fully appreciate the services of the genuine old-fashioned English waiter, and are always considerate and kindly in their treatment of him, and rather than lose his services for, say, their favorite club, will give him (to use the words of that great writer, the late George Augustus Sala) the "wages of an ambassador and the treatment of a prince."

Of course a subject like the one under review can hardly be treated in a general way, as I cannot flatter myself that the reader has not been in a position to notice and always deplore the manner in which the waiter performs his duties, be he cook shop, hotel, restaurant, suburban cafe, or higher class hotel waiter. I say, admittedly, "deplore," as in the course of a life which of necessity has been almost entirely spent in hotels, hydros and travelling cars, I have only met one specimen of the genus who has, to my mind, fulfilled his mission in an entirely satisfactory manner. I may say this rarely hid his light in the hotel of a small town on the borders of Dartmoor.

The practice of some proprietors of restaurants, hotels, etc., engaging their servants without fixed payments, thus making them dependent for their living on gratuities, is a most pernicious one, more so the plan in vogue at lots of the best known London eating-houses, where I am assured the men employed in waiting actually have to pay for that privilege to the tune of some cases of several pounds a week. In the first place the proprietor expects the customer to pay his servants for him, and, in the second, the irregularity of the payment, thus making them dependent for their living on gratuities, is a most pernicious one, more so the plan in vogue at lots of the best known London eating-houses, where I am assured the men employed in waiting actually have to pay for that privilege to the tune of some cases of several pounds a week. In the first place the proprietor expects the customer to pay his servants for him, and, in the second, the irregularity of the payment, thus making them dependent for their living on gratuities, is a most pernicious one, more so the plan in vogue at lots of the best known London eating-houses, where I am assured the men employed in waiting actually have to pay for that privilege to the tune of some cases of several pounds a week.

"Lemmessest, chop, fourteen pence, 1s. 4d.; no bread, a penny, 1s. 6d.; tuppence the waiter, 1s. 8d.; 1s. 10d., if you please, sir." It is absolutely necessary for them to practice this sort of thing, through the short-sighted policy of their employers, who place them on their wits by which to earn their living. Of course it is impossible to give a tenth of these tricks in detail, for the reasons that the space at my disposal is limited, and the inventive genius of man in this direction knows no bounds.

The humorous side in the life of a waiter—not from the servant's point of view, perhaps, but from that of the people who happen to be within earshot—is a subject of much diversion, as the following conversation, supposed to have taken place in a restaurant of second-class pretensions, will show. The waiter is for once an Englishman, and the customer a well young clerk who has just drawn his month's wages.

"Garcon!" (Waiter, sotto voce: "Garn and boll yer 'ead, the gas ain't on.") "Comin'." "Wot say, yer want a tottipple? No, we don't have 'em none. Found out as 'ow people used to use 'em and take 'em away. 'Ow long will yer steak be? Oh, about 24 inches. I don't know 'ow yer agoing to pick yer teeth. There's plenty of forks about—break up a match, or else use the end of yer umbrella. Wot d'yer say, steak tough? Can't be! No, I can't imagine it; yer've stuck yer fork in it and let the steam out! Pon't me word, some folks is allay a grumblin'. I can't understand what they wants ter come into a place like this, simply to—"

a matter of 80 or 90 people dried on them there towels, his blessed day, and you are the first to complain."

I remember once being being consulted by a waiter as to which I would recommend him to put his boy in—a fried fish shop, or an ice cream business. "But," said I, "why don't you take him with you and teach him a business?" The poor man seemed quite overcome by the suggestion, and with tears almost bursting from his eyes, said, "I want to do good by his lad, and to bring him up in this line is to show him everything that is bad and wrong. You don't know what we see and have to put up with. Nonpareil, you believe it, sir, you see this bruise 'ere." (pointing to his forehead); "well, a young lady did that, and I'll tell you how it happened. We had a handsome young lady come in the other afternoon—a fine girl of the brunnette type, with a slight suspicion of an adornment to her upper lip. She wanted a cup of cocoa, and just because I brought it in a moustache cup she took off her boot and—well, you see the result, sir. That's trying to be obliging."

The finish of this article brings to an end the series, and I can only add in conclusion that they have been written with but one object, viz., that of trying to show that in many instances the miseries endured are self-inflicted, and that the remedy for them lies entirely in the sufferer's own hands.

TUBERCULOSIS JUICE.

Dr. Russell, of New York, introduces a Home Treatment That Has Met With Success—Physicians Enthusiastic

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The Times says a good deal of interest has been aroused in medical circles by a circular issued by the New York post-graduate hospital relating to the treatment of tuberculosis under the supervision of Dr. John F. Russell, of the hospital annex in East 19th street. The circular aims to show how the disease can be treated in the home by the careful selection of foods. Dr. Russell brings forward a treatment of his own which is hailed with approval by the post-graduate hospital officials and medical committee appointed to examine into the annex work. Dr. Russell says he has found a combination of foods which seems to be effective in the destruction of the bacilli of tuberculosis, the most beneficial item in the food combination being butter, especially butter. Since the introduction of this juice the report records remarkable results among the tuberculosis patients have occurred. Dr. Russell and his colleagues at the hospital believe the juice to have beneficial properties and the combination has been in use along with other diet since January 7. It is now recorded that in the first five months of this year eleven patients were discharged "apparently" cured, against a record number of 13 cures effected during the whole 12 months of 1904. This sudden increase and the fact that the patients are still thriving upon the vegetable juice treatment led the examiners to believe that Dr. Russell had discovered a fluid the properties of which are against the progress of tuberculosis.

What this juice is, said Dr. Barstow, one of the committee who examined Dr. Russell's method at the Post Graduate hospital, none of us can say. It may be a food or may be anti-toxin. I am inclined to think it is the food which builds the constitution of the patient that system is strong enough to give battle to and overcome tuberculosis.

"I do not wish to be quoted as saying that this vegetable juice is a cure for tuberculosis. I only know that it is beneficial when given to the patient with other foods. The vegetables first used were potatoes, onions, turnips, cabbage and celery. Later were added sweet potatoes, apples, pineapples, carrots, parsnips and lettuce some rhubarb, tomatoes, spinach, radishes, string beans and green peas with the pods.

In his report to the hospital and the circular issued by the post-graduate officials to private physicians Dr. Russell thus speaks of tuberculosis and the vegetable juice. My experience in a large number of cases of consumption has led to the conclusion that in cases of apparently curable type who fail to get well the cause of the failure is the lack of an unknown something in the diet. In cases where the patient responds but very slowly this mysterious something is supplied in insufficient quantities or at long intervals. For a number of years I have been searching for this unknown something or its source supply, and vegetable juice foods is the final outcome.

POWDERED GLASS

CAUSED DEATH.

(Continued from Page One.)

On repeated occasions the Coli family discovered the presence of glass filings in their food.

Finally Arturo Coli was attacked by a painful and lingering illness, which despite a skillful surgical operation ended in his death. Quite recently one of the doctors who were in attendance upon him confessed that Coli's symptoms had shown all of the characteristics of intestinal irritation, probably due to the presence of glass filings.

In the course of a preliminary examination in court he added that Coli's wife and child were in his opinion suffering from the same disorder, but that Signor Vincenzo Coli's lady friend, who was very highly connected and exercised a great influence in society, both at Pistoia and Rome, had threatened that she would ruin him if he gave expression to his suspicions.

His conscience, however, would not permit him to maintain silence any longer. The lady has been arrested on suspicion, and even the preliminary hearings attracted great crowds, many coming even from Rome.

This is believed to be the first case of poisoning by means of powdered glass attempted in Italy during modern times. It was common enough in Italy in the sixteenth century, and was one of the famous Bergia methods of poisoning.

AIR SHIP SAILS

DOWN BROADWAY.

Sailed Balloon From Park to 42nd Street.

Engine Breaks on Return Trip and Through Nervously Watches the Craft Spring Upward.

(New York Herald.)

New York had a brand new thrill yesterday when half a million persons saw Roy Knabenshue sail his airship by a mile against six mile wind, and back to the top of a tree in Central Park. Until a spark plug was torn out by catching in the aeronaut's trousers as he moved forward and back on the framework of the ship in directing its flight he had the ship under perfect control. Had it not been for this accident, he says, he could have easily circled the Statue of Liberty or passed under and over the Brooklyn Bridge—feats he promises to execute within a few days.

Ascending from a vacant lot at Sixty-second street and Central Park West, where the airship is housed in a tent, Knabenshue rose at an angle of forty-five degrees, only to find himself helpless to operate his driving apparatus. He had thrown the power on too suddenly, the effect of which was to throw the driving chain off. A light breeze lifted the ship across the street and the release of a small amount of gas in the balloon let it settle easily on the West Drive. His reception there by a policeman was one of the interesting side lights of the occasion.

"Get out of here with your machine, and do it mighty quick, or you'll come along with me," he was told.

Knabenshue was no more anxious to remain than the policeman was to have him. It was a matter of only a few minutes to replace the driving chain, and the airship rose gracefully above the trees and sailed away amid the cheers of a crowd that had gathered.

At a sharp angle it shot up until it had reached an altitude of about a thousand feet, when the aeronaut brought it to an even keel and headed a trifle west from south. Keeping his rudder in constant motion as the head wind sought to turn the fish-shaped balloon from its course, Knabenshue proceeded by short tacks, he drove the airship over the line of Broadway until he had reached a point fifteen hundred feet above Forty-second street.

By this time the streets were filled with throngs gazing ecstatically at the first airship that has flown over New York and other thousands crowded on house-tops, all straining their eyes at the ship and at the speak in control of it. They saw Knabenshue sweep widely about on the wind as easily as a yacht swings off to sea before a breeze. In a course as straight and true as an arrow's flight he drove the ship due north and on a descending angle until he was only a couple of hundred feet above the heads of the crowds in the streets. The chug-chug of the engine was distinctly audible, and Knabenshue's every movement as he directed the course of the ship was easily discernible.

Until a point about Fifty-ninth street was reached everything went well. The flight seemed to be a success in every respect, but at the moment when the aeronaut was ready to direct his course to the lot from which the start had been made, a spark plug caught in his trousers as he was sliding toward the bow of the ship to head it downward by his weight.

Instantly the propeller ceased to revolve. For an instant the airship hung suspended in the air, and then it was seen to shoot upward. Fearful that some accident had occurred which threatened the safety of the ship, the thousands in the street held their breath as the ship shot up and still up. Knabenshue could be seen as a speck sliding about the delicate framework, vainly trying to regain control of the ship.

It was useless for him to hope to repair the damage in the air, and there remained nothing for him to do but to descend. But with his engine stopped and the rudder almost motionless, he was in grave danger of the ship being wrecked by falling on chimneys or being caught in wires.

Knabenshue, who slowly descended as the light wind carried it over the park. At Sixty-fourth street the Park squad of police, with a spirit of law, added to the excitement by nearly running over a small boy. The boy was snatched from beneath the horse's feet by a bystander not an instant too soon.

It was Knabenshue's first trip in his airship No. 2. He expects to make several flights in the next few days. He will remain in New York until September 1, going then to Columbus and later to Detroit. The two airships he has here were built by him in Toledo, where he made a successful flight on June 30. At the World's Fair in St. Louis he sailed Baldwin's California Arrow, later taking that ship to the Pacific coast. After a quarrel with Baldwin he got Charles J. Strobel, formerly owner of the Toledo Baseball Club, to furnish the money to build the ships he now has.

DANGEROUS BUSINESS

The Elephant's Moody and Treacherous Animal.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

Perhaps the most dangerous, constantly dangerous, business in the world is the one into which I have been tossed—the business of elephant man with a circus.

There is a constant demand for "bull men," but few will accept the position, and most of us fall into the position by accident, and showing talent or reckless disregard for consequences, made a success in handling the animals, and have since been classed as "bull men" and offered that job and no other.

Despite the perils, the constant watchfulness, the half-conscious realization that death is near, probably not an elephant man in the world today would leave his calling. It has a fascination about it, and the keeper becomes attached to the great brutes that tremble at his word one instant and the next may turn upon him and trample him.

Good elephant men command good pay. Most of them live in a state of constant watchfulness, ready to meet the treacherous nature of the brutes, and those who do not realize this sooner or later are trampled or hurled to death. The elephant is the most treacherous, moody, changeable animal in a menagerie. They are twice as dangerous as tigers, lions or bears. The men who handle the big cats in their cages are forced to watch closely and carefully while they are in the cages with them, but that lasts only a short time. We "bull men" live with our gigantic pets, sleep near them, ride them, order them around, enter with them into closed-cars for long rides, and are not afraid of them. Before many years we become fatalistic. We expect them to kill us some day, but hope it may not be so soon, just as the ordinary citizen expects death some day.

Trainers testify that the elephant brain works nearer like that of a human than does the brain of any other animal. The moods and tempers of the big brutes change suddenly. The weather, a hard night, ride on the cars, a loud shout, may turn the best-natured elephant into a peevish brute ready to strike and murder in an instant.

But these moods pass quickly. The great danger is when an elephant is just turning into a rogue. Every elephant turns rogue sooner or later, and they never recover. They may be tractable for a time after quieting down, but the attack will return and then probably a keeper will be trampled or killed. The female elephants turn rogues earlier and are more violent than the males, and the females are more dangerous than the males.

Elephants form great attachments for certain men and bitter hatreds for others, a hatred that means murder when the opportunity arises. But the love of an elephant for its keeper will not deter it from killing him when the outbreak comes.

There was one notorious elephant who travelled with a score of circuses under different names and was finally executed, who never mended his ways, as never mended loved him. He drank. She cared for him and drove away every one who tried to come near her. When he was drunk and asleep under her feet. He was discharged from several circuses and each time took the elephant, no one else being able to handle her. The owners of the shows understood that to discharge him was to lose the beast, and tacitly he came his price. But she in one rampage trampled him until he is a cripple for life, and killed one of the rescuers, defending fiercely the man she had crushed.

Good elephant men, ones who can train the animals, command big salaries, one whom I know receiving \$25 a week, but the ordinary "bull man," recruited from among the canvas hands or laborers who have no fear, receive small salaries and accept the positions because the work is easier, being willing to risk their lives to escape hard work. These men, of course, are under competent trainers.

IS KIND TO HIS HORSES.

"It is hardly necessary to speak of the remarkable performance given by Prof. Crocker's horses, any show that was given through Britain for eighteen years, that has visited the same places over and over again, and always warmly welcome, has made a reputation for himself, and then it was the large audience present last night had witnessed the first performance of the horses in America, they were of an opinion that they had seen a remarkable show, and were simply astonished with the marvelous work of the animals. They hardly knew which to praise the most—the wonderful intelligence of the horses, or the results of the care, patience and kindness of Prof. Crocker. The whole performance showed that some horses possess more intelligence than many human beings and how much they appreciate a kind master was evidenced by the high grade of efficiency they have attained and with what pleasure they go through their work under the training and kindness of such a man as the professor."—Aradan Recorder, Halifax, June 20, 1905.

SAMOA'S WEALTH OF RUBBER.

(Chicago Tribune.)

Samoa's get-rich-quick scheme is the rubber plant. One species, when planted 20 feet apart, attains a height of 10 to 12 feet in a couple of years, and is expected to yield good sap in eight years. It thrives in high and low latitudes, in sun and shade. At the end of the sixth year the rubber tree can be tapped, and it can be safely reckoned that half a pound of rubber per tree will result.

Two hundred trees are planted per acre and five per cent. mortality is allowed, bringing the total number on 200 acres to 80,000 trees, which in the seventh year yield 130,000 pounds of rubber.

A rubber plantation of 20,000 acres will cost on the average about \$20,000 to bring it to the end of the sixth year and guaranteeing its suitability, proper soil and climate and efficient superintendence will in the seventh and eighth year return the total of the capital invested, and every year thereafter yield an income of between \$15,000 and \$25,000.

Rousing Clothing Bargains Now!

Whether you need garments for immediate use, or not for many weeks yet—the saving possibilities at this sale are great and important enough to make purchasing at this time a decided advantage.

Our entire stock is given over to this sale—you will be missing a rare bargain feast indeed, if you fail to attend this rousing bargain event. All are **crisp new goods**, ordered for this season's selling. You purchase at practically your own price, as we must close out completely, for Mr. J. N. Harvey is soon to take possession of this store.

Come now! Don't delay, innumerable saving possibilities here.

Men's Overcoats—All Wool English Frieze, latest make; regular wholesale Price \$7.50; now \$4.65.

Men's All Wool English Meltons, Black or Grey, regular \$12 coats; now \$8.00. **Men's Fine Tweed Overcoats** in stripes, the very latest thing; regular \$14.50 kind now \$7.95.

Men's Suits \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 \$14.00. This is less than half-price. **Boys' 3-piece Suits** at less than cost of cloth alone.

Men's Underwear, Wool Fleece. Reg. 75c garments, each 39c. **Men's Fleece Top Skirts** worth \$1.10 wholesale, now 69c. **Trousers** at give-away figures.

Overalls, extra heavy Sox weight; reg. \$1.00 value for 69c. **Regatta Shirts** including the famous Griffin brand and Tooke's. All sizes in stock, each 49c.

Men's Black and Fanny Sox, 2 pairs for 19c. **Boys' Long Stocking**, 2 pairs for 19c.

Ladies' Waists, Black Satin, tucked front, and back. Reg \$1.25, now 67c. **Lawn and Cotton Waists**, each 25c.

Ladies' Cloth Shirts, Tailor made from \$1.25 to \$2.95. \$2.50 to \$7.00 **Ladies' Rain Coats** at one-third of cost price.

Towels, 50, 150 and 250 a pair.

Hundreds of lines remain which must be cleared out before we leave the premises.

Open every Evening Until 9
And all Day Today until 11 Tonight.

A Dollar here has a three-fold purchasing power.

Come Today Without Fail.

Montreal Clothing Store, 207 Union St.

Don't Bake Tomorrow!

—Have us do that for you. We use the same high-class materials you use at home—the finest creamery butter, etc. Have us bake a Pie or Cake for you on a trial order.

THE ROYAL BAKERY,
Cor Charlotte and St. James Sts.

Wanted To Purchase.

Gentlemen's cast-off clothing, fur coats, ladies' furs, jewelry, musical instruments, fire arms, tools, bicycles, old coins, old postage stamps, medals, sample goods, etc. Send postal to H. GILBERT, 24 Mill Street.

Ask Your Grocer

FOR...
St. John Creamery Butter and Cream.

If he does not handle our goods call on us direct. Creamery open for inspection every day, 92 King St. Tel. 1432.

W. H. BELL, Manager,

Fresh Blueberry Pies.

Try one, they are delicious. Sultana Bread, fresh for supper. Try a loaf.

YORK BAKERY,
2 Stores,
290 Brussels Street.
585 Main St., N. E.

THE ROYAL TRUST CO., OF MONTREAL

BRANCHES AT ST. JOHN, WINNIPEG AND QUEBEC.

CAPITAL, \$1,000,000.
SUBSIDIZED, \$500,000.
PAID UP, \$500,000.
RESERVE FUND, \$450,000.

President—Rich. Mon. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, C. M. G.
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E. M. SHADBOLT,
Manager, Bank of Montreal,
Agent in St. John, N. B.

Parlor Lamps, Angle Lamps, Hanging Lamps, Bracket Lamps, Glass Lamps, Night Lamps, Globes and Chimneys in great variety, Lanterns and Lantern Globes, Burners, Wicks, Wax Tapers, Candles, Torches, Mantles, ten different makes.

The St. John Auer Light Co., Ltd,
19 Market Square.

The Great Sale of Flannelette Wear Will be Continued All Next Week.

You may not want these goods just now, but the day is not far distant when chilly winds will make you wish you had patronized this sale.

OVER 900 LADIES' WRAPPERS BEING SOLD AT HALF PRICE. All of them made with very wide flounces, body lined, prettily trimmed and perfect fitting garments in every instance. The prices range from 85c. to \$1.50.

KIMONOS—The \$3.50 quality are priced \$2.00; the \$2.75 quality are priced \$1.50.

FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS ARE BEING SOLD AT 50c., 45c., 40c., 35c., 30c., and \$1.15. In each instance the price is about one-half the regular value.

THE BALANCE OF THE STOCK CONSISTS OF LADIES' FLANNELETTE DRAWERS, CORSET COVERS, SKIRTS, ETC.

WE ARE NOW SHOWING OUR FALL STOCK OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS FOR FALL.

About 500 of the newest that can be gathered together in ladies' garments are being shown. They are attractive in style, and have prices which are peculiar to this store. Some of the daintier styles are in the medium prices, around \$10.00.

IN CHILDREN'S COATS WE ARE SHOWING THE LARGEST STOCK THAT WE HAVE EVER CARRIED.

LADIES' WALKING SKIRTS AT \$1.98. A skirt worth \$3.00, comes in black, navy, green, grey and brown. A thoroughly well made skirt, seams all bound, pretty strap trimming. Flare flounce, and made from a cloth that will wear well, give comfort and perfect service.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,

59 CHARLOTTE STREET.

About Beef!

PRIME WESTERN BEEF is cheaper than cheap beef. Less waste, more nourishing, sweet, tender and juicy. This is the kind we are selling and we were never in as good position to please as now. Large staff, all competent men. Come once—come again.

RALPH E. WHITE,

56-62 Wall Street Tel. 571.

Pressed Cooked Corned Beef

The housewife's friend for Cold Lunches, Picnics and Seaside Parks, for sale by leading Grocers and Provision Dealers. Manufactured by :

CARPENTER, 131 and 133 MILL STREET.

Don't Forget the Place.

We have everything the market affords in our line—MEATS, FISH and VEGETABLES, and what we have is of the best. Don't forget that, too.

KEIRSTEAD BROS., 240 Paradise Row. Phone 1070.

Every man should look out for his health and you will be doing so if you buy good wholesome food such as we sell.

F. S. PURDY, 92-96 Wall Street Phone 498.

Five Winning Points

in our Fall Hats are: Style, Quality, Shape, Finish and Price. From \$1.00 to \$2.50.

WETMORE'S, The Young Men's Man 184 MILL STREET

Let Us Measure You Today!

For a new suit. We offer you a choice of fine Worsteds, Serges, in all the newest patterns. The best fitting, best looking and best wearing suit ever made for the price.

\$17.00.

W. H. TURNER, Merchant Tailor, 440 MAIN STREET.

Some Good Advice.

Take care of your face and have it shaved right. Our razors never pull.

LOGAN & GIBBS, the Up-to-date Barbers, 23, Waterloo Street.

School Supplies.

Buy your School Supplies at Arnold's and save money. Exercise Books, 2c., 5c., 10c. Scribbles, 1c., 2c., 5c., 10c. School Slates, 6c., 8c., 12c., 15c. Leather School Bags, 15c., 25c., to 45c. Ten (10) Slate Pencils for 1c. Large Bottle Ink, 4c. Two (2) Sponges for 1c. Pencil Sharpeners, 1c. Four Pens, 1c.; Ruler, 1c. Readers, etc., at lowest prices.

Arnold's Department Store, 11-15 Charlotte St.

HANDWORK.

Our laundry is getting more business every day because ladies find their shirt waists, and delicate goods get a fine finish here, without the harmful effects of acids that wear out clothes.

GLOBE LAUNDRY.

VAIL BROS., Proprietors, 25 Waterloo St. Phone 623.

F. R. PATTERSON & CO.



Store Open Evenings

HOSIERY NIGHT.

Read our prices on Men's, Women's and Children's Hosiery.

MEN'S UNION HOSE, A Special at 15 and 22c.

WOMEN'S PLAIN OR RIB CASHMERE HOSE 25c.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE, double knee, from 16c pair up, according to size. Largest size 25c pair.

Store Open Evenings. Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Owing to the increased Patronage which Advertisers are giving to the Star, we are compelled to request those who require Changes in their Advertisements to have their Copy in the Star Office Before 5 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

LOCAL NEWS.

Get your school books at A. M. Gray and M. G. Hickey's, 99 King street. School books covered free.

Eight marriages were recorded this week, also thirteen births. Of the visitors seven were boys.

Messrs. A. L. Goodwin have landed 150 baskets each of tomatoes and finely assorted plums that will be sold right. Call early on Monday.

Administration has been granted in probate court in the estate of the late Mrs. Katherine A. Traversa to her husband, Dr. Boyle Traversa. The estate value at \$1,000 real property and \$3,700 personal. E. S. Ritchie proctor.

Col. Sharpe, of the Salvation Army, is spending the week end at Yarmouth with the musical troupe. On Monday he will proceed to New Glasgow, where he will conduct the ceremony at the wedding of a couple of soldiers. On Tuesday Col. Sharpe will attend an officers' council of the New Glasgow and Springhill regiments. The musical troupe will proceed from Yarmouth to Digby, Bridgetown, Annapolis and Bear River. Mrs. Sharpe has returned from a week's trip to Nova Scotia.

POLICE COURT.

John Quinn Has Gone to Jail to Die— Syrian Was Robbed of Thirty-Six Dollars.

At the police court this morning John Quinn was fined eight dollars or two months for drunkenness. As he was going below Quinn implored his honor to give him another chance, saying he would never live the two months in jail. Magistrate Ritchie told him then to prepare to die.

Edward and Percy Moore, living at Garnett settlement, were charged with robbing Fred Isaac, a Syrian, of \$24. The robbery took place at Parle's on the Loch Lomond road on Tuesday last. Isaac who lives on Brunswick street, is a pedlar in dry goods and he alleges that the two brothers held him up in Parle's barn, which they rent, and where Isaac had put up his horse and took two \$10, two \$5 and six \$1 bills from his trouser pocket.

Sgt. Baxter gave evidence of the arrest and also spoke well of the two prisoners, whose father—Robert Moore—is a well known mill owner and lumberman. Both prisoners took the stand and absolutely denied the charge, saying that they caught Isaac breaking open their cat bin and that he ran away on seeing them. D. Mullin, K. C., who appeared for them asked for bail.

The case is proceeding. The younger of the two Linkletter boys, who were charged with arson some weeks since was discharged from jail. It is understood the case of the elder one will be dealt with on Monday.

TO RAISE WAR SHIPS

PERRY SUNK IN 1813. Americans Seek Vessels of British Fleet for Museum, but Canadian Newspapers Object.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 24.—Agitation by several Dominion newspapers threatens to precipitate an international controversy over the proposed raising and removal to Detroit of three British war vessels which were sunk in the River Thames in the famous land and naval battle of October 4, 1813. These vessels were a part of the British fleet that attempted to resist Commodore Perry at Put-In-Bay. The vessels were practically forgotten until several years ago, when unusually low water in the Thames revealed one of them. No action was taken, however, until several days ago, when a Detroit exploring party, headed by C. M. Burton and Charles L. Clark, quietly began explorations. So far the work of the explorers and their divers has resulted in the definite location of three vessels.

If plans are carried out the vessels will be presented to the city of Detroit and be placed in a specially constructed museum on Belle Isle. Newspapers on the Canadian side, however, are vigorously protesting against such action, and it is not unlikely that the Dominion government will be called upon to take action in the matter.

QUOTED BIBLE AND ESCAPED.

(The Public Ledger.) James Buckley's knowledge of the Bible saved him from a sentence to the Camden county jail Wednesday. Buckley, who is 70 years old, was arrested on a charge of drunkenness. When arraigned before Recorder Stackhouse, Buckley said: "Your honor, I would respectfully refer you to the first chapter of Proverbs, sixth and seventh verses, and after you have read that then decide for yourself whether I deserve a term in prison."

The recorder looked up the sixth verse, which says: "Give strong drink unto him that is ready to perish and wine unto those that be heavy of heart." The seventh verse reads: "Let him drink and forget his poverty and remember his misery no more." Recorder Stackhouse, after reading the verses, dismissed Buckley on the promise that he would leave the city and sin no more.

Miss Flora Mackenzie, of Sydney street, has gone to Fredericton to visit her sister. In the tennis tournament this morning Miss Mabel Thomson defeated Miss Helen Robertson 4-6, 6-3.

TO SUBSTITUTE NICKLE.

Movement on Foot to do Away With the Present Bronze System of Coinage.

(Special cable to the Star.)

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Efforts are being made to substitute a nickel currency for the present bronze system of coinage. One of the reasons for the change urged by an eminent bacteriologist is that the copper coin is responsible for a great deal of disease.

"When examined through a microscope," he said, "many of the bronze coins are seen to be covered with minute but virulent organisms which are capable of causing many diseases, and particularly blood poisoning."

"The copper in the coins is of course poisonous, and when fouled by dirty hands coppers might almost be called coins of the realm."

These objections, it is claimed, do not apply in so marked a degree to a nickel coinage. Even after many years' use it is comparatively bright and the design remains sharply cut, for the metal is as little affected by wear and tear as it is by variations of the temperature. Moreover it is not poisonous by itself considered, as is the case with copper.

Another point in favor of nickel is that the coins would be all British. "We have mints in Canada," said Mr. Mathias, secretary of the Mond Nickel Company Limited, "from which we get all of our nickel. It is mined near Sudbury, Ontario, and refined at Cardiff. So British labor may be said to be employed throughout."

It has been decided to introduce a nickel into the Indian coinage. Designs have been prepared, but the coins have not been placed in circulation as yet. However, it is believed that the nickel coins will be greatly appreciated by the mass of the Indian people, who have a great dislike to the copper coins.

WILL NOT ACCEPT BONUS.

Geo. McArthur was seen this morning by a Star reporter and said that firm would accept no bonus from the city. They would go ahead as they have intended and with fine weather they will complete their contract by the end of November as set out in the contract.

Mr. McArthur denied the report that Mr. McVey was to retire. Both are ready to go ahead with the work. Any claims which may be made for damages or extras, it is thought will be taken up at the conclusion of the work. The committee met again on Monday at twelve o'clock when the course which is to be pursued will be further considered. Mr. Hainington said this morning that there will probably now be no injunction against the city. The papers are all ready to be placed before Mr. Justice Barker in equity.

WITH ADVERTISERS.

In jobs for made-to-measure garments for the approaching season A. Gilmour is showing many stylish novelties, finding good sales for them as early as this, and solicits early selections on account of the difficulty in obtaining his orders. In fact several experienced hands would find good employment.

The great sale of ladies' wrappers and flannelette underwear which commenced at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s store on Friday is creating considerable interest. The sale will be continued all next week. The quantity of goods offered is very large, and persons will be able to get their supply of winter underwear at about half their regular price.

Considerable space is taken on page 2 of this issue to tell about the Fall and Winter introduction of M. R. A.'s reliable clothing. The story is a long one, but the advertisement in question boils it down to very essence, making it exceptionally plain by the use of stylish pictures. This is merely an announcement, however, to let the people know the big house is ready for the Fall rush. Lightweight overcoats, fur coats, heavy coats, new Autumn suits, separate trousers, and all kinds of boys' and youths' apparel are there. The genuine, trustworthy, up-to-date M. R. A. brand. The public is cordially invited to call during the following week and see this handsome and comfortable looking display. Bring the children to the Daylight Store tonight, corner of Duke and Charlotte streets for school hosiery. See the grand window display of baseball goods. It will delight the children. See advt. on last page of this paper.

TODAY'S GAME.

The Presque Isle team arrived last evening from Woodstock, accompanied by a number of supporters. This team will meet the St. Johns today on the Victoria grounds, when one of the best games of the season is expected. "Goode," who recently struck out 19 of the Tartars, will be in the box for the visitors, while Don McEachern, the speedy local man will officiate for the St. Johns.

CUP EXHIBITED.

The silver cup which was won by George A. Gamblin, in the arithmetic contest at the Currie Business University, Limited, can now be seen in the window of Oak Hall.

SALT.

A barrel of salt is produced in the United States each year for every four inhabitants. New York is the leading salt producing state, the yield being one barrel for each inhabitant.

We buy \$500,000 worth of salt from other nations, and sell only \$100,000 worth, largely to Mexico, Japan and Canada.

Salt costs the producer less than one-tenth of a cent a pound. Never mind the grocery price. Uncle Sam's 1904 figures are 27.33 cents for each barrel of 208 pounds.

Sale in many European countries is heavily taxed—government monopoly. Italy patrols its beaches to prevent poor people from evaporating sea-water for low grade salt.

LATE PERSONALS

Misses Cecil and Kathleen Gallagher, who for the past few days have been visiting their aunt, Miss A. A. Gallagher, Waterloo street, will return home to Fredericton this morning.

Mrs. Henry Niles and her son, Allison Niles, and Mrs. Thomas Akerley left last evening for Toronto.

Alderman Bullock left yesterday evening by C. P. R. for the upper provinces.

Harry Devlin is home on a visit from Pittsburgh, where he is on the engineering staff of the American Bridge Company.

W. B. McKay, of Fredericton, is visiting friends in the city.

Perley Lunney came home from the States yesterday.

Rev. Christopher Burnett, pastor of Leinster street Baptist church, will spend the next three weeks in Ontario. W. M. Jarvis and W. S. Fisher returned home yesterday on the Halifax express.

Drs. Daniel, McLaren and Walker arrived home last night from Halifax, where they have been attending the meeting of the Canadian Medical Society.

Miss Spike, of St. John, is visiting with her brother, W. E. Spike, Miss E. Estabrooks, daughter of T. H. Estabrooks, of St. John, was visiting her friend Bessie Kilburn last week—Victoria Co. News.

Dr. and Mrs. Gates, of St. John are the guests of Mrs. Gates, Pleasant street—Truro News.

The following St. John people are registered at Halifax hotels: F. R. Debo, D. L. Hutchinson and Wm. Kelly. The Misses Gleasons, of Carmarthen street entertained a few of their friends Thursday evening, previous to the departure of Mr. P. B. Emery and Miss K. E. Gleason for Boston, Sept. 1st.

Mrs. J. A. McIntyre and children have returned from their summer residence.

Miss Maggie and Miss Louise Quinlan have gone to spend a short vacation as the guests of Mrs. Howes, Sussex.

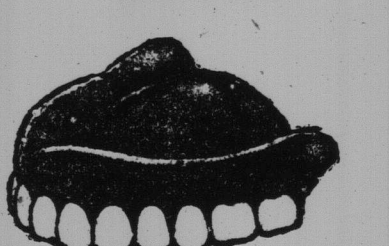
Mrs. Katherine Gorman, of Boston, is in the city on a visit and is the guest of Mrs. John McDonald, jr., Woodside, Marsh Road.

Hugh Gorman, of Boston, a former St. John boy, is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Camilla Gomes-Cassares, of Kingston, Jamaica, is visiting friends in St. John, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cassidy, Brookville.

Mrs. G. B. McDougall, of Millinocket, Me., left for home this morning, after an extended visit to friends in St. John, Brookville and Sussex. Mrs. McDougall was accompanied by her three daughters, the Misses Audrey, Mollie and Pauline McDougall.

\$5.00.



We make the best \$5.00 set of teeth in this city.

We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city.

Gold filling from \$1.00; Silver and other filling from 50c.; plates repaired, from 50c.

Boston Dental Parlors, 527 Main Street, DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor. Office Hours—9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone—Office, 652; Residence, 795.

NEW DRESS GOODS IN COLORS.

Some Recent Arrivals in this Important Section of Our Stores.

Plain Venetians, 65c. to \$1.50 Yd.

As a Dress Material Venetian remains a staple. In plain colors, both in winter, thoroughly shrunken, it is not affected by ordinary showers. The finish is lustrous. 44 to 54 inches wide.

SOME NOVELTY SHADES.

Canadian and Scotch Tweeds, 85c. to \$1.25 Yd

These Tweeds are about the same as the Heathers in usefulness, but prices are so low that they are particularly valuable, as dealers prices are now much higher than when we made this purchase. Your opportunity.

SUBSTANTIAL AND PRETTY.

Our Stock of Mohairs, Brilliantines and Sicilians is Complete, DRESS GOODS DEPT.—GROUND FLOOR.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Limited, King Street. Germain Street. Market Square.

Ladies' Golf Vests

the newest styles in all wool Golf Vests, \$1.98.

Ladies Golf Vests from 98c up.

WILCOX BROS

Market Sq. and Dock St.

TIME'S UP

TAN SHOES MUST GO!

We never carry over Tan Shoes. There's plenty of time to wear them, but not so much time to sell them, so we have been through our stock and here's our

FAREWELL PRICES.

Women's Tan Oxfords were	\$1.50,	now	\$1.18
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