

THE STAR, ST. JOHN. N. B., FRIDAY, MAY 17 1907

THREE

SPECIAL SALE FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Men's Fancy Tweed Suits, Regular \$9.00 values, sale price \$6.90
Men's Fancy Scotch Tweed Suits, Regular \$10.00 values, sale price \$7.49
Men's Spring Overcoats, Silk Facings, Regular \$10.00 values, sale price \$7.49
Men's Working Pants, Regular \$1.25 values, sale price 97c
Regular \$1.00 Shirts, sale price 67c.

UNION CLOTHING CO 26-28 CHARLOTTE STREET. Old Y. M. C. A. Building. ALEX. CORBET, Mgr.

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OUR SPRING TRADE IS NOW HUMMING, and while we will not bother you with much advertising we extend to you a cordial invitation to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Our price is our biggest advertisement.
2-Piece Oak B. R. Suits, \$14.50
2-Piece Tailor Suits, \$12.75
Bedding and Floor Coverings, \$19.75
Kitchen Ranges, low prices.

J. MARCUS, No. 30, Dock Street, Bargain Place.

THE WONDERFUL RISE OF THE ROTHSCHILDS.

Wealth Beyond Estimate and Immense Power and Influence; Golden Dream of a Child of the Ghetto Realized.

The dramatic story of the great house of Rothschild opened in a dark, narrow, evil-smelling lane in the heart of Frankfurt-on-the-Main more than a century ago. This lane, known as the Juden-grasse, or Jew's street, was made up of tall brick rookeries, in which the Israelites had multiplied, swarmed and struggled generation after generation.

In a dingy back room of one of the houses in the Juden-grasse, one stifling summer day in 1750, a bright-eyed boy of seven was listening to a recital of tall brick rookeries, in which the Israelites had multiplied, swarmed and struggled generation after generation.

Such was the environment of squalor and terror, and oppression in which Meyer Rothschild opened his eyes in 1748; and as a child he gave promise of the gifts which were to make him a power in Europe. His parents, poor as they were, intended to make a rabbi of him; but Meyer had a very different ambition.

To wield the power of wealth was the aim on which he concentrated all his energies and soon after he had entered his teens he shook the dust of the Frankfurt prison off his feet, shouldered his knapsack, and, with a stout staff in his hand, tramped to Hanover, where he found a stool in the banking house of Oeppenheim.

Of Meyer's five sons (he also left five daughters) undoubtedly the ablest was Nathan, whose talent was so precocious that at 13 he was sent to Manchester to conduct the business of his house in cotton. That Nathan was a veritable "chip of the old block" is proved by the fact that Manchester soon proved too small a sphere for his ambition and activities. He quickly found himself in London and among its most astute financiers.

Nathan was a far-seeing young man; he was probably the first man in England to foresee Napoleon's downfall, and he staked everything on Britain's ultimate victory in the Titanic struggle. His agents followed in the wake of the continental armies and every day, often every hour, messages reached him from Britain, written in cipher and borne by swift-flying pigeons, thus enabling him to follow every fluctuation in the tide of war and to turn his knowledge to profit on the stock exchange.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or ST. AL. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by 7,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

6 Insertions for the price of 4

TO LET.

TO LET-Part of Captain A. L. Pearson's large farm at Glenwood Wharf on the river. Summer months only. Use of firewood, let, kitchen. Particulars write Mrs. Peatman, Glenwood, Kings County. 17-5-4
TO LET-Small flat. Apply 21 Mill street. 15-5-3
TO LET-Summer cottage at Brookville. H. ADAMS, Telephone 31. 15-5-6

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOM, 24 Orange street. 17-5-6
LARGE AND PLEASANT ROOM with board, suitable for two gentlemen, in private family. Apply 29 Elliott Row. 15-5-4
WANTED-Three rooms or small flat for light housekeeping. Address Box 149, care Star. 15-5-4
BOARDING-Pleasant rooms, with or without board, at Paradise Row. Business terms. 14-5-6
WANTED-Boarders wanted at 5 Dorchester street. 13-5-6
ROOMS WITH BOARD for gentlemen in private family. 29 Elliott Row. 20-4-1
TO LET-Large pleasant room, suitable for two gentlemen. Good table. BOSTON HOUSE, 14 Chipman Hill. 20-4-1

ARTICLES FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Double seated Phaeton. Apply GEORGE MITCHELL, 223 Brussels street. 15-5-6
HORSES
FOR SALE-Eighteen Prince Edward Island horses, weighing from 1000 to 1200 lbs. EDWARD LOGAN'S STABLES, 45 Waterloo street. 15-5-6
FOR SALE-New Balm Wagon and others. Sold cheap. 300 Charlotte street. West. 15-5-1 mo.
FOR SALE-Two beach wagons, 1 sunshade (rubbered), 3 runabouts (rubbered), 2 buggies, 200 lbs. extra. Lot others. W. CAIRNS, 92 Duke St. 15-5-1 w

BUSINESS CARDS

J. D. McAVITT, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. 22 Brussels street.
GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 126 Germain street. Special attention paid to restoring Pianos and Organs to their original tone.
W. M. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1876. Write for family price list.
JAMES G. McGIVERN, Agent, No. 5 Mill street, sells coal, good coal, 1 bar soft, and delivers promptly. Tel. 4.

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED COLLECTOR wants position, or will take work on commission. Best references given. Box 117 Star Office. 15-4-1
WANTED-By experienced hand, wanted for general housework. Good references furnished. Address Box 123 Star. 23-4-1

DOMESTICS WANTED

WANTED-Girl for general housework in small family. Apply to Mrs. G. O. CARVILLE, 318 Union St. 15-5-1
WANTED-An experienced girl for general housework. Must have references. Apply to Mrs. C. T. Nevins, 30 Queen street. 15-5-1
WANTED-Girl for general housework. References required. Apply to MRS. W. G. DUNLOP, 216 King street. 15-5-1
WANTED-Girl for general housework. MRS. J. V. DANIEL, 148 Princess street. 14-5-1
WANTED-Three girls at Park Hotel. 14-5-1
WANTED-A middle aged woman for house work in a family of two. Apply between 5 and 6 o'clock at 53 St. Michaels street. References required. 15-5-6

SITUATIONS VACANT--FEMALE

WANTED-Old mahogany furniture. Will give highest cash prices. W. A. KAIN, 116 Germain street. 15-5-2 mo.
WANTED TO PURCHASE-Centennial cut of Clothing, Jewellery, Bicycles, etc. Highest prices paid. Call or send postal to I. WILLIAMS, 16 Dock street. 24-1 mo

ARTICLES WANTED

WANTED-Rubber-tired Runabout or Bangor. Address BOX 120, Star office. 16-5-6
WANTED-Horse for driving purpose, about 1100 or 1150. Sound, kind, and not afraid of anything. Address M. B. Box 53, Post office. 11-5-6
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Wanted at Once

Foreman Tailor, Hotel Cook, General House Girls, Axle Maker, 15 Rough Painters, 3 First Class Cabinet Makers, First Class Saw Filer, \$2.50 a day. Apply to D. J. McLAUGHLIN, Globe Building, St. John, N. B. 15-5-1

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE-A new double tenement house with freehold lot. Price \$2,500. J. W. Morrison, Real Estate Agent, Ritchie building, Ring 1643. 8-5-1

Shad, Halibut, Cod, Haddock, Gaspereaux & Lobsters THE CLEAN STORE. SMITH'S FISH MARKET. TELEPHONE 1704. 25 SYDNEY ST

They're All Here. As there is no standard shape of face and figure, so no stock of hats will suit all men. That is why only one reason why we have in stock HATS of all the different shapes, styles, grades and prices. J. B. Bardsley, THE HATTER, 179 Union St

SITUATIONS VACANT MALE

WANTED-Immediately, two painters. Apply A. E. HAMILTON, Brussels street, Phone 1623. 15-5-1
WANTED-Strictly first class piano salesman for city and road work, for Winnipeg and territory west of Vancouver. Must be able to furnish best of references. Good salary. To right man. Apply MASON & RUSCH PIANO CO., LTD., 356 Main street, Winnipeg, Man. 15-5-6
WANTED-Young man for store; also three smart girls for factory. T. RANKINE & SONS, Ltd. 15-5-1
WANTED-Couple of boys to work around our wood yard. Apply GIBSON & CO., Smythe street. 15-5-1
WANTED-A barber. Apply 149 Mill street. 14-5-6
WANTED-Two good stout boys to learn mattress making. HUTCHINGS & CO., 101 Germain street. 14-5-1
WANTED-Two laborers. Apply A. E. HAMILTON, contractor, Brussels street. Telephone 1623. 14-5-1
WANTED-Young men, Labatts, 23 Water street. 11-5-6
WANTED-A clerk and teamster. Apply at The 2 Barkers, 100 Princess street. 13-5-1
WANTED-At once two competent machine hands. Good wages. Permanent employment. Apply LAWTON CO., 3 Erin street. 3-6-1
WANTED-A man of good address to sell advertising novelties and post cards. Excellent salary. Absolutely new, good commission. G. B. METZLER, Box 380, Halifax. 2-5-1
WANTED-A strong boy with fair education to work in grocery store and drive team. Apply Archibald Duncan, 67 Paradise Row. 11-5-1
BOYS WANTED-Prea Frederica. PATERSON AND CO., 107 Germain street. 17-4-1
WANTED-Young man having two or three years' experience type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 18-2-1
WANTED-Bell boy and kitchen girl. DEFEENIN HOTEL. 11-4-1
WANTED-A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 5-11-1

AUCTIONS.

W.S.P. Walter S. Potts Auctioneer. Sales of all kinds attended. Furniture Sales at Residence a Specialty. Office-Market Street. Phone 391.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

AT BELL'S PIANO STORE 3 Great Bargains in Slightly Used PIANOS

PIANOS TO RENT. Select one for your Summer Cottage. Terms reasonable. MAY Edison Records Now on Sale. Edison Phonographs, \$10, \$20, \$30 and \$50. Also Talking Machines. From \$12.00 up.

BELL'S PIANO STORE 79 Germain St. - St. John.

REAL ESTATE.

PASTURAGE-Horses to pasture wanted. Large area, well fenced, good grazing, water and shelter, within the owner's view. W. R. McPate, Golden Grove. 5-5-6 c.o.d.

MISCELLANEOUS.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. TENDER. Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Cribwork Wharf, Mulgrave," will be received up to and including THURSDAY, MAY 23rd, 1907, for the construction of a Cribwork Wharf extension to the shore side of the existing dock at Mulgrave, N. S. Plans and specification may be seen at the Station Master's Office, Mulgrave N. S., and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the specification must be complied with. D. FOTTINER, General Manager. Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., May 12th, 1907. 17-5-10.

LARGE NUMBER OF WARSHIPS IN NEW YORK HARBOR NOW

NEW YORK, May 16-With the arrival of the American warships from Norfolk today, the fleet of fighting vessels anchored in the lower Hudson River became an imposing spectacle. The flags of four nations floated over the various ships. The fleet comprised the Japanese cruisers Chitose and Tsukuba, the French cruiser Kiber, the Italian cruiser Durand and the American battleships Ohio, Indiana, Connecticut, Iowa, Rhode Island and Maine. With the exception of the Japanese ships the French ship and the battleship Maine, the fleet was fresh from the Jamestown exposition. The ships will remain here several days.

NEEDLES.

Steel needles were first made about 1645, when to make ten was a day's work for a man.

The time to pay close attention to advertising is all the time.-Chas. Austin Bates, N. Y.

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

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THE STAR, ST JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1907

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 17, 1907.

CANADA'S NEW MAP.

Some three years ago, the Canadian Government decided to prepare a topographical map of the whole Dominion, and a comprehensive survey was planned. The only official map existing was found not to contain the information which was necessary for departmental work. There was nothing which showed the roads, the contour of the land, the small rivers, brooks and forests. Such facts are needed from various reasons. The department of militia was instructed to carry on the survey and to assist in preparing the map, and so far about \$20,000 a year has been expended. Up to the present something over 6,500 square miles have been surveyed in Ontario and the East, the work being begun around Niagara Falls and carried in the direction of Montreal. The map in the possession of the United States Government has been used by the Canadian surveyors who are making their own fit on to it and are proving their own deductions from the information obtained from it. Five or six sheets of the Canadian map have thus far been produced. They are prepared on the scale of one mile to an inch and it is surprising the amount of information which such comparatively small space contains. A great variety and abundance of facts are being recorded on these sheets and the map when completed will probably be better than that possessed by any other nation. By the use of ingenious symbols the Canadian surveyors have found it possible to indicate the position of residences outside of city limits and whether they show the location of blacksmith shops, the exact position of churches and whether such churches have spires or not. All through the country are seen the position of schools, hotels, saw mills, grist mills, quarries, cliffs, cemeteries, light houses, telegraph offices and telegraph stations. Conspicuous elevations are given in figures and the forms of land may be recognized by contour lines, all points at any one line being the same elevation above the sea. Each clump of timber large enough to be called a grove is in green and the map is a faithful picture of the surface of the country. It has really only been begun and will take many more years to complete, but the more important sections of Canada will no doubt be fully surveyed within the next decade.

WHAT THE REFUSAL COST.

In 1899 Emperor Nicholas proposed the adoption of peace-making methods recommended by The Hague convention. The suggestion was not accepted, and since that time, because of their refusal to stand still in the construction of armament, the nations have expended almost incredible sums. In 1898 the European expenditure on armaments and navies was \$205,000,000. For 1906 it amounted to \$230,000,000. Of the latter amount \$200,000,000 was for armaments, and the last eight years has thus been \$740,000,000 or twenty-six per cent, equal to the interest at four per cent, on a capital of \$1,850,000,000 or \$3,000,000,000.

BANK CLEARINGS.

If bank clearings are to be accepted as an indication of the amount of business being done, St. John may well be pleased. The clearings in this city for the week ending May 14th were \$1,469,860 as compared with \$1,134,794 for the corresponding week last year, an increase of 28.7 per cent. For the month of April the clearings were \$20,211,000 as against \$18,000,652 in April 1906, an increase of 22.2 per cent. Halifax showed only 1.07 per cent. increase for the week, and 6.1 per cent. for the month.

Only a few years ago the Russian government, confronted with the problem of winter navigation, sent Admiral Makaroff to Canada. He learned from the work of the steamer Stanley, how communication was maintained in spite of ice. Canada's minister of marine will this summer visit the Baltic sea a passenger on the Stanley to learn what Makaroff learned on his visit to this side of the Atlantic.

The greatest ports in Canada and the greatest port in the United States are tied up by longshore strikes. Labor unions by remoralizing commerce, are gradually bringing about their own doom.

Toronto people evidently have no insane desire to uplift the Indian. The Longboat education fund is now almost sufficient to keep this famous runner in kindergarten for a couple of

HERE AND HEREAFTER.

From some other rotting sphere suspended in ether of mist, Came I on my journeyings here To keep a millennial tryst With nature, or was it with man? And did I, in innocent mirth, Prepare at the place I began For such an existence on earth?

I ask information, my friend, Because of my pastor's dismay; He yearns that my spirit's sole trend Should be toward Heaven today. To stumming the harp's golden strings? Or eagerly learning to float About on a featherly wing?

LYE RUINS EYEGLASSES.

A Ludlow woman learned by experience what any chemist could have told her, that lye will ruin eyeglasses. The woman was making soap and splashed a drop or two of the mixture on her glasses. She took a cloth and endeavored to clean them, but was amazed to find that all the colors of the rainbow were reflected in the lenses. No amount of washing would remove the colors, and it was necessary to get new lenses.—Kansas City Star.

DIFFICULTY NOT THE PROBLEM.

Emmanuel Lasker, the chess expert, was discussing the ethics of a certain style of play. "Well," he ended, laughing, "I suppose it is all right, but it is intricate, isn't it? It is like the subject discussed in the debating society, 'is it wrong to cheat a lawyer?'"

AN ACCOMMODATING PEG.

One of the disadvantages of modern shoemaking machinery is that the peg won't fit itself into the hole. Time was, according to Mayor E. F. Brown of Marlboro, when it was much more accommodating.

WORSE AND WORSE.

School Mistress—Now tell me the truth, Johnny Jones. You know what will happen if you tell a lie, don't you? Johnny Jones—Yes, ma'am. I'll go to a bad place. School Mistress—Yes, and that isn't the worst of it. You'll also be expelled from school.—Philadelphia Enquirer.

BILL NYE AND MAARTENS.

The presence in this country of the distinguished Dutch novelist, Maarten Maartens, recalls the story of his election in the spring of 1886 as an honorary member of the Authors' Club, of New York.

THE SCHEME THAT FAILED.

A report comes from Kansas that a thirty broom manufacturer has made an attempt to collect old broom handles and use them again. The women to whom the half-new brooms were offered, rejected them. They insisted on bright, new handles. These are made of maple and sell for about \$17 a thousand.

THE EXCITEMENT OF A COUNTRY LIFE

(Victoria County News.) R. M. Marston had tea with Mr. Henry Gallop Sunday. Mrs. Wilson Briggs was calling on Mrs. Argen Tingley Monday. We are all pleased to say that our Sunday school opened the fifth of May.

Paris, May 15.—The anomalous conditions in France surrounding the question of the death penalty, which is no more inflicted, although the statute still provides capital punishment, causes more or less continual discussion. M. Deblier, who does not need the salary as an executioner since he has a competence, still declares emphatically that capital punishment should not be abolished. Crimes, he says, were never so numerous as since its discontinuance, and never have the courts pronounced so many death sentences.

RAILWAY FINED \$20,000

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DEATHS

MRS. WM. REGATE. GRAND FALLS, May 16.—Mrs. Wm. Regate, formerly Mrs. L. E. Eastbrook, died very suddenly on Tuesday the 7th, aged 34 years, leaving a husband and four small children. She was born in St. John, N. B., and her mother and sister to mourn their untimely loss.

MRS. MANUS MCCLUSKEY.

GRAND FALLS, May 16.—Mrs. Manus McCluskey, one of the oldest and formerly one of the best known residents of the town died on Friday afternoon the 15th, aged 82 years. She was born in St. John, N. B., and her husband preceded her by some years. They formerly owned the Jas. Burgess & Sons property on Broadway. One son, Wm. M. G. Hall on Chapel street, Milltown, Me., after a short illness, she was born in St. John on February 6th, 1819, where she spent the most of her life. During the past eighteen years she has resided in Milltown.

GROWING PEANUTS.

Dr. Edward F. Bigelow tells in the May number of the Suburban Life, how to grow peanuts. A small bed may be started in any back yard. Shovel the raw and unroasted peanuts and plant them early in May. Cover the seeds with about an inch and a half of soil. One may gather a handful of the growing peanut stalks and pull up the mass with the underground stems and nuts, much the same as one would pull up a 'hill' of potatoes with the tangle of underground stems and clinging tubers.

FROM EDITORIAL IN

United States Trade Reports We hear so much these days about the "Ground Floor" and yet very few realize how much has been accomplished in the building of fortunes by this Ground Floor idea, in fact almost every one of the great fortunes of today, originated from some lucky opportunity or far-seeing thought which enables some one to know where to place a few dollars which will quickly jump into hundreds.

PERCY J. STEEL FOOT-FURNISHER

519-521 Main St., N.B. Successor to Mr. Wm. Young.

MANY CONDEMNED, FEW GUILLOTINED.

Anomalous Conditions Surrounds Death Penalty. Since Capital Punishment Has Been Tactically Abolished, the Death Sentences Have Increased.

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HOUSECLEANING!

Household Ammonia, 100 pt Babbitt's Potash, 120 tin, Gillett's 120 tin. Bug Poison, 250 lb. Furniture Polish, 25c lb. E. CLINTON BROWN, DRUGGIST, Cor. Union and Waterloo Sts. Phone 1097.

DR. C. SYDNEY EMERSON, DENTIST,

34 Wellington Row. Porcelain Work a Specialty. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. and from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. Phone 128.

GRITZ,

5 Lb. Bags, 25 cents. Store open till 9.00 p. m. FRIDAY, May 17, 1907. MEDIUM-PRICED PATENT LEATHER \$3.00 Buys a Gentleman's Patent Leather Blucher Bal., on a very dressy last, with an English Weltsed Sole. \$2.75 Buys a Gentleman's Patent Leather Blucher Oxford, full calf Top, large eyelets. Sizes in these Shoes 6 to 11. People desiring values in Footwear should see these lines.

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Exclusive Jewelry, Etc.

In new goods, and an endless variety from which to choose Remembrances. FERGUSON & PAGE, Diamond Dealers & Jewelers, 41 King Street.

Everything Electrical

Construction Work and Supplies.

THE VAUGHAN

ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

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Something New The Old Dutch

Cleaner for House-cleaning.

BLOOD ORANGES, BANANAS, PRUNES, GROCERIES, CARROTS, BEETS, LETTUCE, LAMBS, VEAL, BERMUDA ONIONS.

OHAS. A. OLARK, 73-77 Sydney St.

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PLUM BROWN BREAD

The faintest morsel on Bean night. Ask for it.

McKIEL'S BAKERY,

194 Metcalf Street.

Branch 86 Wall Street.

Also at 565 Main St. Phone 1625.

Buy Your Coal From The

GARSON COAL CO.

Best quality, good weight, and satisfactory delivery.

We have a five hundred ton schooner on the way from mines with guaranteed best quality Honey-brook Lehigh American hard coal. Phone 1603.

WOOD—When you are thinking of Wood—Hard, Soft or Kindling—call up 468.

City Fuel Co., City Road.

Cleanliness and Health

In relation to the HANDLING OF BREAD.

Did you ever consider how many times a loaf is handled after leaving the oven.....?

White Clover Bread

is the only Bread in St. John since Mr. Kent Scovill went out of business, which is wrapped hot from the oven. All subsequent handling on the wrapper. Ends left open so you may see what you buy.

FOR SALE—ONE FLAG POLE

47 feet long. Apply to A. E. HAMILTON, Contractor and Builder, 180 to 188 Brussel St. Phone Main 1628

ST. JOHN MEN ARRESTED IN MAINE.

Charged With Burglaring Mattawamkeag Post Office.

BANGOR, Me., May 16.—Early today Deputy Sheriff F. J. Rich, of Mattawamkeag, arrived at the jail here with three prisoners, who are alleged to have broken into the post office at Mattawamkeag the night before, and when discovered by telegraph operator Malloy, to have escaped before they got much booty.

THE COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY.

(Mail and Empire.) The country's prosperity shows no warning, and nothing that has so far happened should cause anybody to lose heart who depends on the crops. It is true the failure to get the Western grain forwarded last autumn had some obstructive effect, but one that cannot be more than temporary. If 35,000,000 bushels of Western wheat was held over throughout the winter, it is being rapidly rushed to market now, and the owners are getting an increase in the price that fully compensates them for the expense of holding. Farmers are getting their money, the local merchants to whom the year were indebted are being paid, the cash is making its way to the wholesalers, and the banks have not so great a scarcity of funds. The circulation has been started again in the West, and there is no probability that it will be soon checked, either by the natural causes operating last winter, or by the same

defects of transportation as were experienced last autumn. Land speculation, it is to be admitted, has been carried to excess, but if the "boom" in the West is not stopped with too much suddenness by the regulators of the money market it may not have very serious reactions upon trade.

Market comments of a kind tending to produce nervousness are not warranted by existing conditions and we believe that the tone of such comments is caught from the United States, where there are artificial influences at work to produce distrust. Another source of this class of suggestion is the superstitious belief in "cycles" of prosperity. Because times have been continuously good for many years there is an idea that depression must soon be due. Canada's prosperity, however, is not like one of the "good days" in the life of a matured country, but in the normal state of a healthy growing country. At her age Canada should not be looking out operating last winter, or by the same

Free from Alcohol

Since May, 1906, Ayer's Sarsaparilla has been entirely free from alcohol. If you are in poor health, weak, pale, nervous, ask your doctor about taking this non-alcoholic tonic and alterative. If he has a better medicine, take his. Get the best, always. This is our advice. We have no secrets. We publish the formulae of all our preparations. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Boys' Feet

Are usually very hard on Shoes. The boy must have good Shoes. Good Shoes for boys are a necessity. Boys like good style Shoes. But good style and good wear in Boys' Shoes don't often go together. Our kind of boys' Shoes combine both style and wear, and will keep their good looks to the end. They will outwear two pairs, if not more, of the ordinary "cheap" shoes advertised as bargains. We guarantee our Boys' Shoes to wear as we represent that they will—so you take no chance here. Any price you want to pay—\$1.50 to \$2.50. Parents are learning that it pays to buy Boys' Shoes here.

MONAHAN, The Shoe Man,

32 Charlotte Street.

"SCOTT" HAT

None Better in Style and Quality.

New lot of this leading Hat just at hand. We have "Christy," "Melvin," Carter, Wilkinson, Buckley, Malory, and other well known makers,

\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Each.

THORNE BROS., HATTERS and FURRIERS, 93 King Street.

THE BEST QUALITY

CASTILE SOAP.

3 Pound Bar 25c. for this week only.

This Soap cannot be replaced at this price.

W. J. McMILLIN, 625 Main Street.

Phone 980.

Wall Paper Bargains!

All 5c Paper Reduced to 2-1-2 cents.

15c, 18c and 20c Paper Reduced to 10c.

Come today for choice.

PEOPLE'S DEPARTMENT STORE, 142 Mill St

A SPRING OVERCOAT

is one of the most essential garments of a man's entire wardrobe. There is no season of the year when the well dress man can be entirely without a LIGHT WEIGHT OVERCOAT.

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BAPTIST PROGRESS DURING THE LAST HUNDRED YEARS

Historical Address by Dr. McIntyre—Ludlow Street Church Burns its Mortgage—An Interesting Service

The congregation of Ludlow Street Baptist church celebrated the sixty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the church last night. The service, which has hung over the church for some time, was burned. The wiping out of the indebtedness is largely due to the untiring efforts of Rev. E. C. Jenkins, who has been pastor of the church for five months.

Rev. W. E. McIntyre delivered the main address in which he congratulated the minister and people of the church on having cleared themselves of debt. Rev. D. Hutchinson, Camp, Hughes, Manning, Cohoe, Fletcher, King and McMaster also spoke briefly. Rev. Mr. Jenkins delivered an interesting address in which he described the work leading to the liquidation of the mortgage. G. S. Mayes sang "The Holy City" very acceptably. After the pastor had concluded his address, the burning of the mortgage took place. Mrs. Phoebe Beatty, who is 84 years of age, and who is the only charter member of the church now living, held the document to the flames. As the mortgage was burning the congregation sang "Nearer My God to Thee."

The clergymen present were: Rev. W. Camp, A. B. Cohoe, Mr. Hughes, J. W. Manning, W. W. McMaster, D. Hutchinson, M. E. Fletcher, and Harry King.

Dr. McIntyre's address was as follows: "Mr. Chairman and Brethren, I may say that when I first heard of your anniversary it was with some pleasure that I contemplated being present as a spectator and one interested in it. I did not think of it in the way that it has come about, in the way that your pastor has intimated, in the way of a special address, and when he asked me to make a subject, I thought along this line, that this being an historical occasion, the subject of our Baptist advancement in the past 100 years would prove profitable. We meet very often with difficulties and discouragements in our work, we are sometimes inclined to think that religion is on the decline and that our denominational life and its interests are not up to the point they were formerly and that we are not the men today that our fathers were. I believe that for my own part I have never been inclined towards these pessimistic thoughts. I was born a hopeful believer, I have lived a hopeful worker, and I expect to keep on believing that the kingdom is coming and the church is doing its work in the world. I am not one of those who believe that the world is growing worse and worse; I believe in the richest

that churches, Salisbury, Norton, where the 6th district is now to meet, Canning and Prince William, where the work of Mr. Crandall is to be remembered. After this they go on more rapidly. Going back to 1801 we would only find some six or seven Baptist churches in this province with a total membership of perhaps a thousand. When we look back for this hundred years we ask, what hath God wrought? Last year there were 22 United Baptist churches in this province, and I am glad that we have got back to where there is only one Baptist church in 1807 the Free Baptist conference was formed and there was a split among us but happily in this century we have seen these 22 churches united; we have 32 ordained ministers in this province, 201 licentiates, a good force already in sight, but even with these resources we will need more.

I am very glad at such a time as this to meet with our brethren in your pastor. I am glad we have got one debt raiser among our pastors. Speaking of Baptist achievements I must remind you that we are but a part of the great body. I have already indicated some of the missionary movements 100 years ago. They began with the Baptist Missionary Society, which was organized in 1792. William Carey toiled in India for several years without a conversion until on the last day of 1800 the first native was baptized by Mr. Carey at Krishna Bengal. The expenditure for 1805 was \$25,700 or about \$400,000 in our currency from that small beginning of \$65. The Bible Translation Society which was formed in 1810 spent in 1906 between \$7,000 and \$8,000. The American Baptist Missionary Union, organized in 1814 is now holding its anniversary in Calgary church, 1219 ordained preachers and 105,990 church members, 5,319 candidates were baptized during the year. In heathen lands this union had 1,254 churches in the same year, with 305 ordained preachers and 125,993 members. There were 10,367 baptisms for the year.

In the year closing May, 1907 they now have 130,902 church members in this country. I will relate an incident of the work in July 1887 at Valumpilly, ten miles north of Ongole, in India. The dates were marked by missionaries of the American Baptist Missionary Union in a single day. There were six administrators and but two ministers engaged in the ordinance. They relieved each other as it appeared necessary. The time occupied was nine hours. Everything was done in an orderly manner and without haste. In all 8,606 persons were baptized among the Telugus in that year.

Something concerning the work done among the Baptist in all lands we give an outline of the growth of the denomination. Baptists in Canada number 130,000; in Great Britain, 410,000; in Africa, 15,000; Australia and New Zealand, 25,000; European missions, 170,000. The growth has been especially marked in certain countries. In Sweden, in 1850, there were a score or two of members; in 1882 there were 22,981; in 1907, 45,000. The island of Jamaica where the work was begun in 1814 now has a Baptist membership of 22,981. In Germany rapid growth has also been noted, in the seventy years' work; there are now 185 churches, 184 ministers and 24,000 church members.

In the United States we find progress more rapid than anywhere else, owing perhaps to the democratic disposition of the people and the democratic spirit of our denomination. In the United States in 1781 there were 25,000 church members; in 1812, 2,417 churches, 1,918 ministers and 138,215 members; in 1850, 800,000 members; in 1880, 2,200,000 members, and in 1907, 5,600,000 members. Also the Disciples have 1,500,000 members.

In 1810 the United States had Baptist church members one to each 44 of population; in 1850, one to 33; in 1880, one to 23; and in 1907, one to 15. "Taking the world-wide, we find in 1907, 49,500 ministers, 72,000 churches and over 7,000,000 church members of our denomination and in round numbers about 30,000,000 of Baptist training and work for many centuries. Christendom did not undertake service of a missionary kind. That was a later growth. It was their aim merely to live, and they deemed anything like missionary activity unnecessary. You know how little by little truth comes more to the front, and in these latter days we find our Baptist principles more fully accepted, as you know, the great missionary movement began about a century ago and with that great movement we stand connected. The first missionary society which may be called so in the usual sense of the term was organized at Kittering, England, in 1785 when these devoted men gathered themselves together and started the Baptist Missionary Society of Great Britain. The India contribution that time amounted to only some \$85. We would think that a small sum to begin the evangelization of the world, and to send missionaries out to distant India with no more capital to start with. These brave men of God had more faith in their undertaking. When I see what this century has accomplished it is great cause for rejoicing. I very well remember in one of my first pastorates hearing one of my deacons tell of meetings held here in Carlton and of the first baptisms. These "new lights" as they were called started their missions in the city. Germain street church was organized in 1810 so that we have yet scarcely an even century of Baptist organization in this city. In this province before 1800, the church in Sackville was organized by the Swansea colonists who came over from Massachusetts some years before, most of the colonists later on going to their homes. This was the first Baptist church organization in this province. Other churches had institutions at their back but we were down at the foot of the hill. In 1800 there were four Bap-

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STROMBOLI AT IT AGAIN

MESSINA, Sicily, May 17.—A violent eruption of the Stromboli volcano occurred yesterday. It was preceded by a tremendous detonation and followed by continuous less violent explosions.

Rumors grow of the sale of the Shore Line Railway to the Canadian Pacific. Government ownership would meet with more general approval, but if company ownership is to prevail perhaps the road could not fall into better hands than those of the C. P. R. Corporations are much alike and agreements are generally reached that shut out the element of competition. But notwithstanding the rumors of a sale the Courier has reason to believe that none has yet been made and that a company other than the C. P. R. may become the owner.—Courier.

MR. DURRELL GRIMMER OF ST. ANDREWS

Mr. Durrell Grimmer of St. Andrews has purchased at Picton, N. S., the steam tug Victoria, and with Captain Guy C. Penlidon and a crew, left St. Andrews Tuesday evening to bring his purchase to Passamaquoddy waters. The Victoria measures seventy-four tons, is sixty-seven feet on the keel and has a beam of seventeen feet and is described as an able sea boat. She has been operating about Pugwash, N. S. If the weather is favorable they expect to have the Victoria in St. Andrews by Saturday.—Courier.

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EX-CHIEF OF POLICE SHOT HIS SUCCESSOR

And Then With a Revolver, Defied Arrest—He Had Been Drinking

MONROEVILLE, Pa., May 17.—Thomas Cates, ex-chief of police of Belleverton, three miles from here, was fatally shot last night by Wm. Cates, his predecessor, who then walked down Main street firing the .38-calibre revolver at every one who attempted to approach him. Cates was finally subdued by several citizens but before a squad of officers who had been summoned could lock Cates up, he was severely beaten by an angry crowd which threatened to lynch him.

Chief Cates arrested Cates on a charge of disorderly conduct. While searching him at the jail, Cates suddenly drew a revolver and fired a bullet into Cates's forehead. Threatening James Frost, another officer, Cates escaped from the jail to Main street where he began firing at everybody he saw.

No motive is known except that Cates had been drinking.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY TENDER.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Buildings, Chaudiere Junction," will be received up to and including, MONDAY, MAY 20TH, 1907, for the construction of an addition to the present engine house, and for a Stores and Office building, at Chaudiere Junction, P. Q.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Station Master's Office at Lewis and Chaudiere Junction, P. Q., and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Montreal, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGELL,
General Manager.
Railway Office,
Montreal, N. B.,
May 2nd, 1907. 8-5-10

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 24, not reserved, may be purchased by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally, at the local land office for the district in which the land is situated.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

- (1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
- (2) If the father or mother, if the father is deceased of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.
- (3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.
- (4) Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

In re Estate of Kennedy Huston, late of the City of St. John, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration of the Estate of the late Kennedy Huston, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned E. Annie O'Dell.

All persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned Administratrix or her Solicitors, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to file the same, duly attested, with the said Solicitors.

Dated this eleventh day of May, A. D. 1907.

E. ANNIE O'DELL,
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Solicitors,
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BATTLESHIPS IN DRY DOCK

BOSTON, May 16.—The battleships New Jersey and Missouri arrived here today from Jamestown where they have been participating in the naval display. The New Jersey went to dry dock at Charlestown Navy Y-3 for repairs.

The many Sussex friends of F. G. Walker, formerly of the Sussex Merchantile Boat and Ship department, will regret to learn that he is confined to the hospital at St. John, the victim of a serious operation for appendicitis.—Sussex Record.

SPECIAL NEWS FROM
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Lord's Day Alliance Will Take Up
Judge Morson's Decision

Nearly Five Hundred Toronto Plumbers
Out on Strike—The Estate of the
Late Senator Fulford

TORONTO, May 15.—The Lord's Day Alliance will take up Judge Morson's decision on Sunday, selling by restaurants. Rev. J. G. Shearer, secretary, points out that the decision would allow such people to do regular grocery trade in canned stuffs as well as food of all sorts, including cooked meat.

Four hundred and sixty plumbers went on strike in Toronto today, and as the carpenters and other building trades promise to support them, a long industrial struggle, which will tie up the building in the city, is not unlikely. The plumbers want an eight-hour day and union shops.

A motion for judgment on pleadings made this morning on behalf of the Toronto General Trusts Corporation before Justice Testel, brings out the fact that the estate of the late senator George Taylor Fulford of Brookville is tied up for many years and the court is asked to construe the will.

In March last writs were issued by the trust corporation as executor of the estate of the late senator. The suit was for the construction of the will and for declaration as to what is destination of dividend arising from certain assets of Fulford, Hanson Co. and the W. T. Hanson Co., which extended a pill business through the United States and Mexico. The question is whether the income arising from these is to go to the children of the late senator or be accumulated and put into a fund which is already established and then be paid to the grandchildren.

The estate amounts to several millions. The executors want a ruling as to whether the revenue from the companies formed since his death shall be paid out yearly to the beneficiaries or be put in a fund and paid to the grandchildren after the death of the children of the testator. Judgment was reserved.

To ascertain the responsibility of those higher up it is probable the Ontario government will make some inquiries into the case of Conductor Thompson, who was sentenced to three years in Kingston in connection with the G. T. R. wreck near Guelph. The attorney general's department has received a communication from Justice Riddell enclosing a copy of his judgment and raising the question of the responsibility of officials over Thompson for the hours he worked. Deputy Attorney General Cartwright said the letter would naturally be followed by an inquiry of some kind.

NEW MANAGER FOR
MANUFACTURERS' LIFE

TORONTO, May 15.—At today's meeting of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co., Geo. A. Somerville, secretary and manager of the Huron and Erie Loan Co. of London, Ont., was appointed manager of the Manufacturers' Life. The salary is said to be twelve thousand dollars.

CANADIAN NORTHERN CHANGES

TORONTO, May 15.—D. B. Hanna, third vice president, has been appointed general manager of the Canadian Northern Railway. Mr. James will not return to the road's service. Several other changes are being arranged, and H. J. Fleming, manager of the Toronto Street Railway, will soon enter the service of the Canadian Northern.

GENEROUS GIFTS

Although the weather yesterday was not calculated to make people feel particularly cheerful, the collectors for philanthropic objects met with encouraging success. L. P. D. Tilly and G. E. Barbour secured additional pledges for the new Y. M. C. A. building fund amounting to \$25.

Manager Corbell, of the Seaman's Institute was also in a jubilant mood. He received \$14 for the Seaman's Institute building fund. Five hundred of this amount was given by the Misses Murray of Douglas Avenue.

Confirmation at St. Mary's
Thirty-nine candidates were confirmed at St. Mary's church last night by Coadjutor Bishop Richardson. Rev. Dr. Raymond and Rev. I. Mathers were also present. Twenty-two of those confirmed were males and seventeen females. Three of the former were boys from the Wiggins' Male Orphan Asylum. Before the ceremony of confirmation an impressive address to the candidates was made by the coadjutor bishop. He also addressed them after the laying on of hands.

After the confirmation services the official representatives of the church on behalf of the congregation presented the coadjutor bishop with an address, this being his first confirmation at St. Mary's since his consecration as bishop. The bishop made a suitable reply.

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FIRST INQUIRY OF ITS
KIND IN CANADA

Board of Conciliation Investigating
G. T. R. Trouble With Its
Mechanics

MONTREAL, May 15.—The board of conciliation and investigation which has been appointed by the Minister of Labor to inquire into the disputes between the G. T. R. and the machinists at Point St. Charles workshops over the demand of the latter for advance in wages, held its first meeting in the board room of the G. T. R. offices today. The board met under the presidency of Prof. Shortt, of Queen's University, and Wallace Nesbit, K.C., representing the Grand Trunk, and J. G. O'Donoghue, representing the machinists, were present. The fact that C. M. Hays, second vice president and general manager, and E. Fitzgugh, third vice president, were in attendance at the opening of the inquiry, is regarded as proof that the company attach considerable importance to the investigation, the first in Eastern Canada that has been held under the new industrial dispute investigation act. E. Champlain, second vice president of the International Association of Machinists, was at the inquiry.

WILL TRY TO STOP INDIANS
FROM PRACTICING MEDICINE
IN PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

TORONTO, Ont., May 15.—The Ontario Medical Council are not disposed to let Indians practice medicine in Ontario without a license.

Some time ago Chief Hill of the Six Nations tribe of Brantford was brought before the magistrate of that city on the charge of practicing without a license. He was discharged on the ground that an Indian does not come under the Ontario statutes. He is a ward of the Dominion, but the council do not think he should be allowed to dispense drugs and compounds to the sick, and will appeal next week from the magistrate's finding.

THIRTEEN LIQUOR LICENSES
WILL BE CUT OFF

TORONTO, May 15.—Thirteen liquor licenses are to be cut off by the Ontario government between Fort William and Kenora during the railway construction work now in progress. Such was the announcement of Hon. W. J. Hanna, provincial secretary, today. This action is taken on the part of the Ontario government because the Dominion government has seen fit to modify its original proclamation which prohibited the sale of liquor within 20 miles of construction works by reducing it to ten miles. This will mean the cutting off of eight licenses, the towns interested being Kenora, Wabigoon, Dryden, Eagle River, Vermillion Bay, Dierwick, Gold Rock and Ignace.

THE CURLEW WILL GO INTO
COMMISSION MONDAY

OTTAWA, May 15.—The fishery cruiser Curlew will go into commission for the summer work on the Bay of Fundy and the Nova Scotia shore on Monday. Mr. Robinson, who was first officer last summer, will be in command.

METHODISTS ORGANIZE BIG
SUMMER RESORT SCHEME

Thirty Acre Block of Land Acquired from C. T. Hayler
Two Miles Below Westfield—They will Build Auditorium for Summer Meetings and Erect Fifty Cottages to Rent—Other Plans.

The Methodist Camp Meeting and Summer Resort Association was organized yesterday afternoon in Centenary church. Their plans are much more comprehensive than was generally anticipated by outsiders, who were under the impression that the committee appointed at a recent meeting of the Methodist conference had only in view the securing of a site suitable for summer camp meetings. In addition to this feature of the enterprise, however, the association will establish a summer resort on quite a large scale.

Those present at the meeting yesterday were Rev. Thomas Marshall, chairman; Rev. James Crisp, secretary; Rev. T. J. Delstadt, Rev. S. Howard, James Myles, J. B. Tait, and Mr. Willett of Westfield.

Thirty acres of land have been purchased from Charles T. Hayler, nearly all of which is covered with shady groves, and with an ideal location as a summer resort. The property is situated just below Brandy Point and about one or five miles below Westfield station so that no fear that their cars will be affronted by the strident melody of revival hymns. The property has a frontage on the water of about sixty rods and runs back eighty rods. The C. P. R. line passes just at the rear and it is understood that the company have promised to have a station erected at that point.

In securing this property the association have had in mind the holding of the annual conference there when so desired, as well as a summer school of missions, and an annual camp meeting.

SAW THE NEGRO
SOLDIERS SHOOTING

Two Important Witnesses in Brownsville
Investigation Before the Senate
Committee

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Two witnesses in the Brownsville investigation before the senate committee on military affairs today testified that they saw negro soldiers shooting up the Texas town on the night of August 12. One of these was Lieutenant Dominguez of the Brownsville police, who received a bullet through the arm and had his horse shot from under him while trying to warn citizens of the approach of armed men, whom he declared positively to be negro soldiers from the garrison, and another was Policeman Padron, who described a busy quarter of an hour dodging bullets. He also was positive that the men doing the shooting were negro soldiers. Dr. Charles H. Thorn, a

dentist, testified that he heard a group of men fire at the rear of his house and shouting commands to each other. He gave his judgment that the voices were those of negroes.

F. A. H. Sanborn, manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, who occupied a room opposite the garrison, testified to seeing a negro soldier enter the post at about the time the firing ceased.

BOLD BURGLARS MAKE
BIG HAUL FROM BANK

ALEXANDRIA, May 15.—Burglars last night entered the jewelry store of H. R. Cudon and blowing open the safe carried off a lot of watches, diamonds and other jewelry. Persons living near heard the explosion and came to their doors but were ordered back and shots fired to intimidate them. Cudon's loss is thought to be over two thousand dollars.

IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY

In the west cloister of Westminster abbey is a gravestone of John Houghton, once champion prize fighter of England.

SCOPE OF INSTITUTION
WILL BE BROADENED

Directors of Protestant Orphan Asylum
Propose Adding Manual Training and
Other Educational Facilities

The directors of the Protestant Orphan Asylum met in the mayor's office yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers: P. H. Estabrook, president; G. E. Fairweather, vice-president; O. H. Warwick, treasurer; J. H. A. L. Fairweather, secretary; G. E. Fairweather and Struan Robertson were elected auditors.

The committee chosen were as follows: Finance—T. H. Estabrook, O. H. Warwick and James Manchester; standing committees—W. S. Fisher, J. King Keller and Judge Forbes; building committee, H. C. Rankine, C. H. Peters and Dr. W. S. Morrison.

MAYBE FOR HONEYMOON
MAYBE FOR GRIM WAR
THAT YACHT IS BOUGHT

BOSTON, May 15.—S. Bigelow's steam yacht Pantooost, one of the largest American built yachts afloat, has been sold. Considerable secrecy has attended the negotiations for the sale, which have been carried on between Mr. Bigelow and a New York brokerage agency, and the name of the purchaser has not yet been announced.

PROFESSOR LEAGOCK
AT VICTORIA LEAGUE

Discussed Canadian Question—Haldane and Archbishop of Canterbury also Spoke
LONDON, May 15.—At the annual meeting of the navy league it was decided to abstain from appealing to the country to protest against the present naval policy of the government. Charges and counter charges, fiery speeches and angry interruptions were features of the meeting. H. F. Wyatt, moved an amendment deeply deploring the diminution of naval strength involved in the reduction of the naval estimates. The amendment mentioned the abandonment of Esquimaux and other naval stations. Wyatt told of the differences between himself and the majority of the committee. Admiral Fremantle disagreed with the amendment which was rejected by a vote of 44 to 27.

SEIZED QUANTITY OF
LIQUOR AT TRURO

Inspectors Late, Packages to Have
Been Delivered There by Canadian
Express Co.

TRURO, N. S., May 17.—Liquor License Inspector Gass and Assistant Inspector Johnston of Truro, acting under the Nova Scotia License Act of 1886 and amendments thereto, seized and conveyed to a place of safe keeping four cases alleged by them to be intoxicating liquors consigned in the care of the Canadian Express Co's agent here for delivery to Truro parties. This seizure is the first made since the recent amendment of the license law which makes it illegal for the shipment of liquors into counties wherein the Nova Scotia license law is in force and which grants no license. Express Agent Linton says the officers visited the company's premises today and made a search. He saw no papers and was not vouchsafed any information excepting that they were looking for contraband goods. They opened one case and found what they alleged was liquor. Three other cases similarly constructed and labelled were seized along with the one opened.

The agent objected to the removal of the goods, but his objection was overruled. He then made a report to the company's officers. What action the latter will take is not known. It is reported that the Nova Scotia legislature, as has been declared by men learned in the law, Truro will pay for making the test. The seizure has created much comment.

The imprint is the title of a new monthly, published by the American Bank Note Company, which promises to be of practical value to banks, trust companies and corporations interested in issuing bank notes, bonds, stock certificates and instruments requiring security.

The cover of the May number, just out, is an attractive combination of steel-plate engraving and color work. Articles of interest to bank and trust company officials deal with the protection of checks, municipal and industrial securities. A supplement in colors shows the proposed Administrative Headquarters in New York City of the company in the United States, with which the American Bank Note Company of Canada is affiliated. Many interesting examples of printing as executed in the present New York plant are also shown.

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GILMOUR says

he has received new lines of
Ready Tailored Clothing

Two-Piece Suits

Cost unlined except through shoulders, but shape retaining by means of canvas, haircloth and expert tailoring, regular style of pockets, Trousers roll bottom or not as you prefer; straps for strap with buckle on each side of waist to draw them tight at waist without forming an unsightly bunch at back. Besides an extra good line of 30th Century styles we have a select assortment from New York, sizes 35 to 42. Prices \$10 to \$18. By far the most stylish and best fitting we have yet shown.

Raincoats

New lots received recently. Several shades at \$12 and Black Cravenette at \$15.50. Cravenette is considered one of the most attractive factory of rainproof clothes. These bear the registered trademark on the wrong side of the cloth as well as on the label guaranteeing genuineness. Other qualities from \$8.50 to \$12. Some odd coats at one third less than regular prices.

Prince Albert Coats and Vests

Our range of sizes is rendered complete by new ones this week. Cut in the latest style of fine black vicuna, faced specially with the same silk that is used on our \$30 custom made coats. If you want a correct frock coat and vest at a low price or in a hurry we can recommend these. Price, \$20.

Dress Suits

These are new and absolutely correct, finished with same silk as custom made. Our own tailors make any changes required to made the fit perfect. Price \$25. While plique dress vests, single or double breasted, \$2 and up; black figured silk very rich and handsome, \$5.50.

Customers will easily recognize these garments to be exactly what we claim—ready tailored. Our own tailors finish them and any alterations required.

AT VICTORIA LEAGUE

Discussed Canadian Question—Haldane and Archbishop of Canterbury also Spoke

LONDON, May 15.—At the annual meeting of the navy league it was decided to abstain from appealing to the country to protest against the present naval policy of the government. Charges and counter charges, fiery speeches and angry interruptions were features of the meeting. H. F. Wyatt, moved an amendment deeply deploring the diminution of naval strength involved in the reduction of the naval estimates. The amendment mentioned the abandonment of Esquimaux and other naval stations. Wyatt told of the differences between himself and the majority of the committee. Admiral Fremantle disagreed with the amendment which was rejected by a vote of 44 to 27.

The Archibishop of Canterbury at the meeting spoke of the immense and growing problem of Canada. Men understanding spiritual work are going there in quite inadequate numbers.

At a meeting under the auspices of the National Service League today, Earl Roberts presiding, J. L. Hughes of Toronto said he believed in military drill as part of the educational training of any boy who is not physically incapable of taking part in it.

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SEVFM.

FOR A MILLION
... OF MONEY

By Arthur W. Marchmont.

"Hallo, Dutchy, where are you off to?"
"I want to put these out of the dust in a cupboard," and she opened the door of one that was close to them. The girl laughed. "Rummy place for your hat. I say, I want to speak to you. Such a lark. Last night—"
"Oh, I left my gloves in there," broke in Olive, pointing to the still room. "Fetch them for me, Susan. I am in a hurry. Mrs. Grimston is waiting for me."
"All right," was the reply, as the girl turned away.
The moment she had disappeared, Olive ran to the arched door and opened it. Pausing a second to pin on her hat, she ran up the stairs. At the top was one of the footmen.
"Hallo, going out at this time of day?" he said in astonishment.
"Mrs. Grimston sent me," answered Olive with a little shudder at the falsehood she had to tell.
"The next corner was a small street, and she turned into it, she caught sight of two of the footmen from the Minister's, who came running out of Cromwell Gardens.
Her heart gave a great throb of fear and she gave herself up for lost. But fortune favored her with a chance, and her own wit helped her to take advantage, and they could laugh over her experiences together.
"But the next day Olive was soon aware that something unusual was to take place at South Kensington. It began with an awkward incident for her. Mrs. Grimston sent her down stairs by the main staircase on some trivial errand, and on the landing she came face to face with Jack. He looked at her sharply, and she believed he had recognized her.
"With great presence of mind, she turned her head away, and called out in German as if to someone above, that she would be there directly.
"German, by Jove!" she heard him say to himself, in a tone of suspicion. Then he turned to her, and said, "Frau Olive, I wish to speak to you."
"But Olive slipped past him, and was running downstairs. Without looking back, she called, 'Directly, sir,' and did not stop until she was below in the servants' quarters. There she found a letter from her mother, and it kept her soundly for her neglect.
"But in the middle of the evening something else slipped out. Mrs. Grimston had been carpentered by the Minister, and he and Jack had piled her with all sorts of questions about her servants, and particularly about Olga Schmidt, who she was, where she came from, and what character she had, and the cross-examination had concluded with the request that the girl should be sent up to them.
"Olive was in dismay. To face Jack alone would be bad enough. He would certainly recognize her. But to submit to a searching-cross-fire of questions from the minister himself, would almost inevitably end in her contradicting herself and possibly being given in charge.
"Jack had what told his chief something of what she had told him on the previous day; and thus suspicion had been roused.
"You needn't look so scared. They can't eat you," said Mrs. Grimston. "But you must go up. You are proud of your yourself, too. For it seems you flouted just now when Mr. Fenwick was speaking to you."
"I stand here in that way, but come with me at once. You mustn't be a minute. We can't keep him waiting, or he'll be mad."
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LUDLOW ST. BAPTIST CHURCH BURNED
\$1,400 MORTGAGE

Interesting Feature of 66th Anniversary Celebration
Able Address by Dr. McIntyre on Progress of the Denomination the Last Century

The people of Ludlow street Baptist church last evening celebrated the sixty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the church by burning a mortgage of \$1,400 which had hung over the church for some time. The wiping out of the indebtedness is due largely to the efforts of the pastor, Rev. E. C. Jenkins, ably backed by the congregation.
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LEMEUX WONT RECEDE FROM HIS POSITION IN REGARD TO POSTAL LAW

Says He Will Pay No Attention to Desire of United States for Re-consideration—U.S. Mails Carried for Almost Nothing Too Long, He Thinks—Royal Society Officers—Immigration Figures.

OTTAWA, May 16.—The postal authorities of the United States are anxious that the convention recently entered into with Canada for a change in the rates on newspapers and publications should be suspended for a few months while the question of returning to the old condition of affairs was considered. In regard to the proposal, Hon. Mr. Lemeux said: "I have no intention of receding from the position I have taken with regard to the new postal convention between Canada and the United States. From a business point of view Canada was for altogether too long a time carrying the United States mails for almost nothing. There is no likelihood of our doing that again. I looked carefully into the matter, and I do not now intend that we shall recede from our new position."
Mr. Lemeux, it is understood, is arranging to carry out the understanding he recently had with the Canadian Press Association.
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WERE ONLY OFF IN HOLIDAY

Montreal Longshoremen Say They Did Not Strike Them All Day Long, But They Would Not Give In—Unsettled

MONTREAL, May 16.—The shipping men made a sudden change of front this afternoon, and calling in the representatives of the striking longshoremen, with whom they have previously refused to have anything to do, made to them an offer of an increase of two and a half cents per hour for both night and day work, or, this not being acceptable, to arbitrate, the rates fixed to prevail until the closing of navigation.
The offer was submitted to a mass meeting of the men this evening and refused, the meeting deciding to accept anything less than five cents per hour demanded, to have anything to do with arbitration.
All day long A. Facland, acting deputy minister of labor, labored with the strikers, endeavoring to convince them that they had violated the provisions of the Lemeux law and that it was their duty to return to work and submit their demands to a conciliation board.
The deputy minister's arguments might as well have been addressed to a stone wall. The men asserted that they had not gone out on strike, but were merely taking a holiday, with the hope that by the time they decided to return to work that their employers would have recognized that the increased cost of living made increased wages necessary.
From this attitude they could not be budged. The shippers were not in the least anxious to test the clauses of the act which made striking before a conciliation board an offence, a misdemeanor and the government does not appear at all anxious to shoulder the burden. There are now twenty steamships in port. On some of them small gangs of men, assisted by the wharf, are doing their best to get out the cargo, but progress is slow and the wharf is becoming congested with the cargo and inward bound cargo, the strike of the Shedd companies teamsters complicating matters.
The unionism of Wells and Lemesurier cartage companies today met the demand of their men. So far there has not been any disorder.

RAILROADS
CANADIAN PACIFIC

MAY VICTORIA DAY
24th Return Tickets at
SINGLE FARE
On sale May 23rd and 24th.
Return Limit May 27th.
Between all Stations in Canada East of Fort Arthur.
W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R. S. John, N.B.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 24th, 1907, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:
TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.
No. 6—Mixed train to Moncton, 6.30
No. 2—Express for Halifax, 7.10
No. 134—Express for Quebec and Montreal, also Pt. du Chene, Pictou, and the Sydney, 7.20
No. 25—Express for Pt. du Chene, Halifax and Pictou, 7.35
No. 4—Mixed for Moncton, 7.35
No. 8—Express for Sussex, 7.35
No. 134—Express for Quebec and Montreal, also Pt. du Chene, Pictou, and the Sydney, 7.35
TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.
No. 3—From Halifax, Pictou, and the Sydney, 6.20
No. 7—Express from Sussex, 7.00
No. 133—Express from Montreal, Quebec and Pt. du Chene, 7.00
No. 5—Express from Moncton, 7.10
No. 24—Express from Halifax, Pictou, Pt. du Chene and Campbellton, 7.10
No. 3—Mixed from Moncton, 7.20
No. 1—Express from Moncton, 7.30
No. 11—Mixed from Moncton (daily), 7.30

STEAMERS

ATLANTIC STEAMSHIP OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY ROYAL MAIL SERVICE

"EMPRESSES"
ST. JOHN, N.B. to LIVERPOOL via HALIFAX
Fri, May 3—Empress of Britain
Sat, May 11—Empress of France
Sat, May 11—Empress of India
Sat, May 11—Empress of Ireland
Sat, May 11—Empress of Russia
Sat, May 11—Empress of Siam
Sat, May 11—Empress of Sweden
Sat, May 11—Empress of the East
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Sat, May 11—Empress of the North
Sat, May 11—Empress of the South
Sat, May 11—Empress of the East
Sat, May 11—Empress of the West
Sat, May 11—Empress of the North
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EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY INTERNATIONAL DIVISION

TWO TRIPS
Commencing Tuesday, April 23rd, steamers leave St. John on Tuesdays and Fridays at 6.30 p.m. (Atlantic Standard) for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston.
RETURNING
Leave Boston on Mondays and Thursdays at 9.00 a.m. for Portland, St. John, Lubec and St. John.
All cargo except live stock, via steamers of this company is insured against fire and marine risk.
W. G. LEWIS, Agent, St. John, N.B.

Intercolonial Railway TENDER

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "tender for buildings, Halifax," will be received up to and including THURSDAY, MAY 23rd, 1907, for the construction of a Stores building, Oil House and Chimney, all to be erected near the site of the new engine house at Halifax, N.S.
Plans and specification may be seen at the Terminal Agent's Office at Halifax, N.S., and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N.B., where forms of tender may be obtained.
All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.
D. FORTINGIER, General Manager, Railway Office, Moncton, N.B., May 15th, 1907. 17-5-11

ROYAL COMMISSION WILL VISIT ST. JOHN

OTTAWA, May 16.—The royal commission of inquiry into the grain business of Canada left this afternoon for New York. After an inspection of the grain handling facilities at American ports the commission will go to St. John, Portland and will be visited, but probably not Boston or Halifax, as the commission sail for England on the Empress of Britain on May 21st.

REV. E. C. JENKINS.

tion and its finance committee, the president of which was G. S. Mayes. The church last evening was crowded to the doors and the enthusiasm of the church members over the fact that the church was free of debt was apparent to all.
The service was a lengthy one. The main address was delivered by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, D. D., Rev. Mr. Jenkins also spoke, giving a brief account of the church's history and of the successful attempt to raise the mortgage.
The service began with prayer by the pastor.
Rev. W. W. McMaster of German street Baptist church followed with a prayer by the pastor of the Main street Baptist church, Rev. D. Hutchinson, Ottawa.

FORMER FREDERICTON MAN WINS POLITICAL VICTORY IN WISCONSIN

MADISON, Wis., May 16.—The Wisconsin senatorial deadlock was broken tonight by the nomination on the first ballot of the Republican caucus of former Congressman Isaac Stephenson of Marinette. The result was accompanied by the breaking up of the opposition which when the anti-Stephenson realized that they were beaten, returned to the former favorites, Esch and Halten. The final result was: Stephenson, 54; Esch, 23; Halten, 19; Scatterlings, 1.
The credit for the Stephenson victory is given to Lieut. Governor Connor, who secured the support of two members claimed to have been pledged to Halten.
The ballot ended a deadlock existing since April 16. Since that time a daily ballot had been taken in legislature in joint session and nearly eighty ballots were taken in the Republican caucus. They were originally five avowed candidates, but Congressman Cooper and former Speaker Lenroot withdrew a week ago.
Was Born in Fredericton
BANGOR, May 16.—Isaac Stephenson was a resident of Bangor for a brief period in the early forties. He was born in Fredericton, N. B.
He afterwards moved to this city when Stephenson was 11 years of age. In 1841 young Stephenson went to Wisconsin, where he was employed on a small lake steamer. He invested his earnings in timber lands and eventually became a leading lumber man. He was a member of congress from Wisconsin.

MONCTON FINDS SCOTT ACT LESS PROFITABLE THAN LICENSE SYSTEM

MONCTON, N.B., May 16.—That the Scott act system is not as profitable as license, from a financial view-point, is evidenced by a summary of the year's work of the attempted enforcement of the C. T. A. in this city. In the year ending April 30 last, \$1,700 had been paid into the city treasury in Scott's Act fines, the amount averaging \$100 to each dealer fined, which is not even a fair license. Richard Hebert and Daniel Bourgeois were the heaviest contributors, paying \$200 each, while Justace LeBlanc and William Wilson contributed \$150 each. One hundred dollar fines were paid by five other dealers, and \$50 each was deposited by seven others. In addition to these, three dealers served a month in Dorchester, and three others portions of a month. Sentences of a month each still standing against three other dealers. Five have gone out of the business since Magistrate Kay adopted the method of sending convicted violators of the act to jail. The sentence of one month's imprisonment had not been interfered with, but half a dozen \$200 fine convictions have been set aside by the supreme court of Canada.
A good deal of drift ice is still floating in the Straits, and has interfered considerably with the regular trips of the steamer Empress.
The "Hammington," former chief of police of the I. C. R., intends establishing a maritime detective agency, with headquarters in this city.
Hon. F. J. Sweeney, surveyor general, has donated to the Natural History Museum of the Moncton High and Grammar school, an excellently mounted wild-cat. The collection in the museum, which was established at the suggestion of J. T. Hawke, chairman of the school board, is growing rapidly.
Tuesday night, while the vessel was at Moncton, three of her sailors deserted, and up to the time of sailing, had not been located, and the vessel left without them. The schooner Irene arrived here this afternoon to take lumber, and the schooner Emily F. North is loading laths at the local port.
Charles VanWile, of St. Petersburg, Florida, has arrived at Point du Chene in connection with the extensive clam-fishing industry which he has been conducting there for the past several seasons. Mr. VanWile distributes about \$20,000 annually at Point du Chene in purchasing clams, and in wages.

MAJOR BAXTER WILL BE RE-APPOINTED TO ACTIVE LIST

OTTAWA, May 16.—Major J. B. M. Baxter has been recommended for re-appointment to the active list of the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery, as senior major of that corps. Upon the reorganization of the regiment on the higher establishment, Major Baxter consented to be transferred to the corps reserve upon a misapprehension of the status of officers of that reserve. He recently applied to be restored to his former status and his request has been granted.

C. P. R. FIREMAN GETS FATAL INJURIES

ORANGEVILLE, May 15.—E. Baker, a C. P. R. fireman whose home is in Toronto Junction, was probably fatally injured south of Orangeville railway station this morning. Baker was fireman on an engine which left Orangeville in charge of Engineer J. McGuire with only a van attached. McGuire with the engine, and a fireman, an auxiliary connecting shaft snapped. The rapidly moving engine, driving the floor and seat upwards, and hurling Baker through the window, fracturing his skull. Baker is about 27 years of age and has a wife and two children. Engineer McGuire escaped unhurt.

PARK PAVILION TENDERS AWARDED

The tenders for building the pavilion at Rockwood Park, which will be used for entertainments this summer, under the direction of Frank White, who is the resident contractor, were opened given out yesterday. The pavilion will be two stories high, 70 feet long, with a verandah 70x20, and will be lighted by electricity. Entertainments will be extensively provided, both in summer and winter.
S. Williams of High street was given the contract for performing the carpentry in connection with the work. Mr. Corbett will do the masonry work and R. S. Craig the painting. The inside of the pavilion is to be ready for occupancy by June 15th, and the exterior is to be completed by June 20th.

KNIGHTS PLANNING FOR NEXT YEAR

The Knights of Pythias of this city, consisting of members of No. 20 Brunswick Lodge, No. 1, Union Lodge, No. 2, and St. John Lodge, No. 20, met in mass meeting last evening in Castle Hall to decide on some initial step toward the formation of a club to attend the biennial encampment to be held in Boston in 1908.
W. E. Hopper was elected chairman pro tem and F. A. Kinnear was appointed secretary. The secretary outlined the proposal to form a club of Pythians for the purpose of funding contributions or savings from the present time until 1908 as a substantial amount toward an encampment fund.
About forty K. of P.'s enrolled last evening, and it is expected that two hundred or more will join the club at subsequent meetings. A constitution was drawn up and permanent officers were elected. W. E. Hopper was made president, F. A. Kinnear secretary and J. Cecil Mitchell treasurer.
Advices from Moncton, Halifax, Fredericton and other points show that the matter is being enthusiastically taken up.

CONSTITIATION AND PILES

are but the natural consequences of bad digestion; of imperfect working on the part of the digestive organs.
TRY HERNER'S DYSPEPSIA CURE
35c and \$1.00 Bottle
It acts upon the food, assists the stomach in doing its work, restores the bowels to normal condition
SOLD BY ALL GOOD DRUGGISTS
MADE BY THE DR. SCOTT WHITE LINIMENT CO., ST. JOHN, N. B.

ANOTHER FOOL GONE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 16.—To win a wager Thomas Taylor, a negro cab driver, today consumed 19 drinks of whiskey, without a break. He died seven hours later.

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A CUSTOMER'S REASONABLE WISH IS THIS STORE'S PLEASURE.

DYKEMAN'S.

English Tapestry Portiers.

A special lot on sale at \$1.98 a pair. They are extra large size, 3 1/2 yds. long and 50 inches wide. They come in two shades, cardinal and terra cotta.

Tapestry, Wool and Chenille Table Covers.

A lot of samples, no two alike, direct from the manufacturer, and sold at less than the price he sells them for. Size from one yard square up to three yards. Prices running from 35 Cents to \$4.50.

Lace and Net Door Panels.

We are showing a large assortment of these at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 95c and \$1.50 each.

F. A. DYKEMAN & Co.,

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Toasted Corn Flakes

The new cereal, 12c package.

Huyler's Chocolate Dipped Triscuit Biscuit.

25 cents package.

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Patent Dress Shoe,

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Made to wear with light Summer dresses. This style is now in our Women's Window.

Women's Patent Blucher Oxfords,

Plain toe, with light flexible close trimmed soles.

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A DAINTY SHOE.

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Fountain Pens!

Eagle Fountain Pens. Fitted with 14 karat gold pen. Price \$1.00

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Your system needs a spring cleaning out. **Beef, Iron and Wine** makes the blood rich and pure

GEO. E. PRICE, Druggist, 303 Union Street, 127 Queen Street.

Wall Papers!

We still have a good assortment of WALL PAPERS at 3, 4, 5 to 20c. roll, best patterns are going fast. LACE CURTAINS, 22c. to \$2.10 a pair. WINDOW SHADES, 15 to 60 cents each. CURTAIN POLES, 25 and 35 cents. BRASS SASH RODS, 5, 8, 10, 12 cents. CURTAIN MUSLINS.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE, Phone 1754, 82-85 Charlotte St.

Central Park—

- Lawn Grass Seed.
- White Clover Seed.
- Timothy Seed.
- Sweet Pea Seed (King Edward).

S. McDIARMID, King Street.

PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

WHEN IT COMES TO PROFIT

That's where we fall down. That's the reason we sell the best

Cashmere Hose

for men and women at

25c. PAIR

Plain Feet. The Easy Kind.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts. Store Open Evenings.

THE WEATHER

Forecast—Moderate westerly winds, changing to southwest. Few local showers today, but mostly fair. Saturday fair.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Harry J. Gardner will receive on Tuesday afternoon and evening, May 21st, at her home, 144 Waterloo street.

McLean, Holt & Co. are pushing along the work on their new iron foundry at Courtney Bay. The large boiler and engine was delivered by E. Leonard & Sons on Wednesday. The plant, when completed, will be a valuable addition to St. John's industries.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian church will be held in Erskine church, Montreal, on June 5th. The annual meeting of the Presbyterian Synod will be held at Halifax in October next.

Engineer H. G. Hunter returned from a trip to New York a few days ago. Speaking to the Star today, Mr. Hunter said that the large concrete pipe on No. 2 section had been nearly completed and he expected that repairs would be completed in about two weeks.

Miss Susan Toner of Milltown, having business to attend to in Calais on Tuesday evening of last week, carried in a hand bag \$88.00 which amount was in a cotton mill pay envelope. On arrival at the Calais post office, she found the amount was still in the hand bag but while returning from that point to the office of Hanson and St. Clair the money was lost.—Courier.

A tennis club has been organized in Milltown, N. B., under the name of "The Milltown Tennis Club." The officers elected were: President, A. Mungall; Secy, Treas., Mrs. Alex. E. Adam; Executive committee, Alex. E. Adam, Wm. Mungall, John DeLong and G. Klein; tournament committee, Mrs. Adam, Miss Morrison and Miss String.—Courier.

While Cap. Chas. Anderson, of this place was in St. John lately, a wily agent approached him with an offer of \$1,600 to smuggle in from Newfound land 40 Chinamen, landing them at any port in Canada near a railway. The charter was to be \$2,000 if Capt. Anderson would bring 50 Chinamen that way. He didn't like to try.—Coast Guard.

J. B. Mills, who built and conducted "Wonderland" moving picture theatre, on Charlotte street, is still confined to his room in the New Victoria hotel, Halifax, according to advices received today by the Star. Mills tells this paper that he is desirous of unloading "Wonderland" upon any person or persons who have faith in an agent of this kind which has been rather disappointing at present, because of Mr. Mills' complete breakdown in health, otherwise the proprietor of the house claims he would have made big money.

D. W. Newcomb, divisional superintendent and other C. P. R. officials held an inquiry here Monday into the collision between two engines last week. Their decision will be made later. Driver Allen Bartlett who was scalded by escaping steam, is recovering satisfactorily, though necessarily by slow degrees, as the burns on his legs, arms and face were a very severe nature. Fortunately for him he retained his presence of mind while enveloped in escaping steam and kept his mouth closed, for one inhalation of the scalding steam would probably have proved fatal.—Courier.

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Ald. Lewis, who at the last meeting of the board of works assumed a strong stand in favor of Director Cushing, took occasion this morning to make some remarks on civic affairs. The alderman is of the opinion that he does not receive ample support from other members of the council. Ald. Lewis said that when the Ludd was first put into commission he stood at a point of view which he has brought up, but the members of the council refused the offer and the same boiler is now in use. Ald. Lewis says that he is a mechanic by trade and is qualified to judge whether the boiler is good enough or not. He declares that the boiler cannot pass the government inspector. The alderman went on to state that in nearly every other civic matter of importance which he has brought up, he has had to stand alone. He says that he knows exactly what kind of work Director Cushing does. He drives about the city and watches the director's work, and finds that every thing is done satisfactorily. "I want these men who are after Cushing to make direct charges, but they won't, and I have to stand alone in this matter as I did with business connected with the Ludd, and she is a disgrace to the city."

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One of the city's elderly constables had an experience a few days ago that he will not forget in a long time. In the future discharge of his duties he will be more careful of his actions in the presence of ladies. The constable, armed with a writ for the arrest of a lady, gained admittance to her home during the afternoon, and explained as best he could that she was to accompany him to the county jail for the purpose of becoming one of the inmates. The lady did not faint or go into a fit of hysterics, but calmly told the official that she would accompany him if he would allow her time to change her home attire for a street dress which might be more suitable for the jail. Her request was granted and she adjourned to her bedroom. The constable became impatient at this delay and the seconds seemed minutes to him. At last an idea struck him, that his fair prisoner had probably jumped from an upper story window and made good her escape. On the spur of the moment he rushed to the bedroom and pushed in the door. There was a scream of surprise, for the prisoner was not quite ready. While the constable stood frozen to the spot the woman quickly took in the situation and opening a drawer of her dressing table she took out a revolver, pointed it at the amazed official and told him to take himself out of the room or he would have to be carried. The constable did not hear the command, but when he looked into the muzzle of a gun full of lead he quickly realized that it was morning duty for him. He awaited, shivering from fear, in the kitchen. Some time afterwards his prisoner joined him. She was fully dressed for the street parade and for the inspection of the neighbors, and accompanied the old man to jail. She was assigned to a cell, but only for a short time when liberated on bail.

THOSE STEALING CASES

The Mahoney case was resumed in the police court this morning. John Parice was the first witness called. He said that he hauled a stove from schooner's warehouse to his barn in Fairville. The prisoner had asked him to do this.

Officer Hamm, sworn, stated that he received information about the robbery and endeavored to locate the stove. He succeeded in finding it in a small room in the kitchen in Edward Wilson's house. He covered the stove with a cloth until he reported having found it.

Manager Irwin of the McClary Co. identified the stoves recovered as being the property of the company. Charles Smith, the colored man who was arrested on May 13th, charged with having committed several robberies here, was brought before the magistrate this morning and further evidence was taken. John Gilbert, who is proprietor of a second-hand store, was the only witness. He said that the prisoner sold him a gun and a pair of shoes for \$1.50. The prisoner was remanded.

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Expired Suddenly This Forenoon—A Fire at Milltown.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., May 17.—Thomas Lawler, one of our best known citizens, died suddenly this forenoon of heart disease. He was seized with illness while in his stable, and was assisted to the house, and expired almost immediately. In former years he conducted a large boarding house and was well known in many parts of the province. He was seventy-two years of age, and is survived by his widow, one son and three daughters.

Raymond Wilson, a popular employee in the Waterson Drug Store for some years, leaves on Monday for St. John, having accepted a responsible position with the National Drug Co.

A large stable owned by Fred Binko at Milltown, Me., was destroyed by fire this forenoon.

SHORTAGE OF WATER ON THE HIGHER LEVELS

Douglas Avenue People are Having Troubles of Their Own

The choicest anatomies of the people of the hilly parts of Main street and Douglas avenue are being heaped upon the devoted heads of the water works officials in general these days, particularly during this forenoon, when the water supply was reduced to a minimum and mostly cut off altogether. Hot water boilers and hot water fronts are cracking and dancing under the pressure of seething water without any cold water feed, and it would not be surprising if a serious accident results in some household from this cause. Aside from the extreme inconvenience of the shortage there is constant danger.

The board of health inspectors will start out on their annual tour of inspection about the city on Monday next.

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