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The Viper of Milan.

A ROMANCE OF LOMBARDY. BY MARJORIE BOWEN.

(Continued.) "It matters not for now," said Visconti. "My daughter loves me, painter, and none the less, I doubt not, that I am Duke of Milan, and she shall be my duchess, as I have vowed."

"I have won a wife to myself—a wife who loves me for myself alone." "Ah, she loves thee for what thou art not," cried Valentine aloud. "But Visconti took no heed of her."

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Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers



COATS TOP SPRING GOWNS.

Although the three-piece tailor-made—the coat, skirt and blouse costume—is well in the forefront of things fashionable, the dressmaker-gown that makes its street appearance with a wrap topping it is the choice of many modish style, chief of which is the readiness with which one street toilet is so made as to be changed into another.

larnini, is dealing with the truth." "Vistarnini," repeated Mastino. "Me thinks I know the name—a painter, didst thou say?" "A painter, my lord; the house is near the western gate."

HEART TROUBLE CURED

In the rush, hurry and worry of modern times, we overlook the heart. It is any wonder then that there comes a breakdown of this wonderful little engine, when such a poor man's thanks are but an halting gift; some day, however, the Duke of Verona shall tell thee what his gratitude is worth my friend, I thank God! Ligozzi, for one, friend!"

GRAU LEFT HALF A MILLION

Report That He Had Lost Fortune in Recent Money Panic is Denied. NEW YORK, April 17—Ever since the death of Maurice Grau in Paris there have been repeated rumors in this city that he had lost in speculations most of the money he made at the Metropolitan Opera House.

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not itself a true disease. We think of Dyspepsia, Heartburn, and Indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific Nerve sickness—nothing else.

RE-UNITED BY DEATH

Pathos Surrounds This Story of Young Toronto People.

(Mail and Empire, Toronto.) A peculiar coincidence, coupled with one of the most pathetic stories ever heard in real life, has developed with the death early yesterday morning of Dr. G. Arthur Roberts, of 6 Cassenden avenue, son of George R. Roberts, for so many years connected with the Baptist Book Room dressmaker. There is a his fold or seam down the center back, which affords a pocket for a handkerchief. The side seams are widely gored, and the sleeve is of the plain coat variety, with a dark chocolate brown cloth around the collarless neck and down the fronts for trimming, little ball buttons of knotted silver braid and tiny loops of the same lightning the effect of the dark cloth trimming.

SHOULD LEARN HOW TO DRESS

Duke of Cirella Says American Women Are Generally Over-Dressed—Too Many Diamonds.

PARIS, April 18—The Duke of Cirella, of world-wide fame as "Ciri," the Parisian cartoonist, has just arrived in Paris after a lengthy stay in the United States for the purpose of studying American society and making character sketches. "I regard the American people very highly and greatly admire the beauty of their women," he said tonight, "but in my opinion they should come to Europe for a course of study in the art of dressing."

SAYS THAT GIRLS WORK OVER VATS

Woman Asserts They Are Displacing Men in Milwaukee Breweries.

CHICAGO, April 17—Irenee Osgood, of Northwest University Settlement declared before the Women's Trade Union League at Hull House that women are fast displacing men in the breweries and tanneries of Milwaukee. "In 1903 a certain big tannery in Milwaukee employed only two women," she said. "I went through the same place recently and there were 300 girls working there. The men in that place had been reduced 20 cents a day as a consequence."

HOME PAPERS

THE TELEGRAPH AND TIMES

THESE PAPERS are delivered to St. John residences by CARRIER. They are taken into the homes of responsible and desirable people who pay for the privilege of reading them.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

At the monthly meeting of the International Brotherhood of Railway Employees, Lodge No. 145, held in Foresters' Hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. J. Davis; vice-president, W. H. Sprout; secretary-treasurer, J. McGilvray; conductor, Thos. Hastings; inner sentinel, J. Cotter; local pro. board, J. McGilvray, T. Hastings, F. W. Morton.

Stewart's Chocolates advertisement. Text: THERE is but one making—the purest, most wholesome, most delicious of bon-bons. They are the "crowning glory" of chocolate.

Lea Perrins Sauce advertisement. Text: What is Food without Flavour? What is a Dinner without Lea & Perrins' Sauce? Try it both ways. Judge by the Taste!

Times Want Ads advertisement. Text: ALL OVER TOWN! Times Want Ads.

The CANADIAN DRUG CO., LTD. advertisement. Text: Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Druggists' Sundries. Everything the Drug Trade needs. The Best Goods, the Right Prices, Prompt and Satisfactory Service.

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GOOD FOR ST. JOHN

The supplementary federal estimates provide a large sum for additional dredging in St. John harbor. And it may be hoped that no time will be lost in securing an additional dredge.

Hon. Mr. Fielding made the important statement yesterday that the supplementary estimates would also provide for a daily mail service between St. John and Digby. This has long been urged by the St. John board of trade.

THE GLOBE CRITICISED

Referring to the Globe's remarkable attitude with regard to the claim of New Brunswick upon the portfolio of minister of railways, a correspondent of the Sun, in a long letter of protest, makes these observations:

"As New Brunswickers have practically made the Intercolonial what it is, there would seem to be no good reason why Sir Wilfrid Laurier should select someone from another province to administer the affairs of this important department. On the contrary, should the vacancy in the cabinet have to be filled by some other man, Mr. Emmerson, the success that has attended the Intercolonial under a New Brunswick minister should give this province the position, provided we have among our representatives a man of sufficient ability to fill it. It is really too bad on the part of the people of St. John to put the Globe in its present attitude towards the Globe's article of Wednesday is too transparent to deceive anybody. From present indications there is a desire very strongly expressed that a strong man should be sent to Ottawa to represent the interests of St. John in the present crisis. The gentleman whose name is most freely used is not pleasing to the Globe, and it seeks to make it appear that even should he reach Ottawa there will be no vacancy in the cabinet for him. The people of St. John are not concerned regarding the future of the Globe's attitude, but they do decide to contest this city in the coming election. At Ottawa, as at Fredericton, his executive ability would force recognition when the proper time arrives."

ST. JOHN'S OPPORTUNITY

The discussion called forth in the House of Commons at Ottawa yesterday by Dr. Daniel's question regarding St. John and the mail steamers is not without its lesson to St. John people. At the present moment, had the minister of railways been a St. John man when the question of testing St. John as a direct mail port was agitated last winter, there can be no reasonable doubt that a fair test would have been made. There was never greater need of strong representation of this constituency in parliament than there is today. Only the strongest of our public men should be sent to uphold the rights of this city at this time. The lesson should not be lost upon the electors, who will soon be called upon to choose a successor to the late Dr. Stockton. Events will move rapidly in Canada in the next few years. There will be strong pressure upon the government from many sections of the country. There will be changes in the personnel of the cabinet. St. John has an opportunity which should not be overlooked. The reconstructed cabinet should have a St. John man as minister of railways.

THREE USEFUL GRANTS

The treasury board yesterday decided to recommend small grants for supervised playgrounds, free kindergartens and the Associated Charities. The surprising thing about the vote is that any alderman should be found in opposition to an expenditure so very small in comparison with the value of the services rendered to the city by each applicant. That the largest grant should be given to the free kindergartens will not arouse envy or jealousy in the minds of members of the playground committee, since they recognise the paramount importance of kindergarten work. But neither of these two applicants receive as much as they asked for, and \$250 will not go far toward equipping new playgrounds and paying teachers. Nevertheless, it is a step in advance, and the work so well begun last year will be somewhat further extended, and the time hastened when supervised playgrounds will be a recognised part of the city's educational system. The like must eventually be the case with kindergarten work, which in many countries is regarded and treated as a most important branch of educational work, carried on as a part of the public school system.

Recognition of the work of the Associated Charities is also just and reasonable. They ask for a very small grant, and the value of the work in connection with the various charitable organizations of the city, is of the greatest value. The Times ventures to say that the \$850 granted to the three applicants named above will yield better and more lasting benefits than much of the expenditure voted by the aldermen without a dissenting voice.

HATS and CAPS.

Stores open till 8 o'clock. St. John, April 19th, 1907. We are in the Hat business in real earnest this spring and are carrying the leading English, American and Canadian styles. See our special \$2.00 and \$2.50 Hats.

Men's Stiff Hats, . . . \$2.00 to \$3.50
Men's Soft Hats,75 to 3.00
Men's Caps,25 to 1.00
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STOCKING PROTECTORS,20c.
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RUBBER HEEL CUSHIONS,25c.
FELT HEEL CUSHIONS,30c.
ARCH SUPPORTS,20c.
BLACK GAITER BUTTONS, Doz.3c.
SHOE TREES, Best,75c.
HANDY SHOE POLISHER,25c.
"COLLEGE" SHOE POLISHER,75c.
"ARTGUM" FOR CLEANING WHITE KID LEATHER,15c.

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LYCEUM STOCK CO. IN "THE SQUAW MAN"

Jelenko's Players Give Excellent Production of New York Success.

The Lyceum Stock Company was given a most enthusiastic welcome home when they gave "The Squaw Man" its first production in St. John at the Opera House last night. The setting for the production taking it in all and the Lyceum Company handled it much more creditably than any similar company which has attempted the production of any of the New York successes in St. John for many months.

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Does it Cost a Lot For Shoes? We can save you from 25 to 50 per cent if you will buy your shoes here.

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Ladies' Tan Oxfords.

Chocolate Oxford, Blucher Cut, Heavy Eyelet, - \$1.75.
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A WORD TO THE MEN FOLKS!

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LINES UPON A SKELETON

(This poem was written anonymously and placed by the side of a skeleton in the Museum every fortnight, and made to discover its author, but without availing themselves that a reward of £200 was offered as an inducement for the writer to reveal his name.)

Behold the ruin! 'twas a skull
Once of ethereal spirit full;
This narrow cell was his retreat;
This space was thought's mysterious seat.
What dreamt his vision filled the spot,
What dreams of pleasure-long forgot!
Nor hope, nor love, nor joy, nor fear,
Have left one trace of yearning here.

Beneath this mouldering canopy
Once shone the bright and busy eye;
But start not at the dismal void,
If social love that eye employed.
If with no lawless flag it glared,
But through the dew of kindness beamed,
That eye shall be forever bright
When stars and moons are in their night.

Within this hollow cavern hung
The ready, swift, and tuneful tongue;
If falsehood's honey it dispensed,
And when it could not praise was chained—
If bold in virtue's cause it spoke,
Yet gentle concert never broke,
This silent tongue shall plead for thee
When time unravels eternity.

Say, did these fingers delve the mine?
Or with its eviled rubies shine?
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IN LIGHTER VEIN
THAT'S ALL.
"Is he subject to brainstorms?"
"Yes, he has had money enough for that; he is just a crank."

DIFFERENT.
"Yes, the ladies just keep his quarters filled with bouquets and love letters."
"Is he a matinee idol?"
"Oh, no; he's a wife murderer."

STILL HOPING.
"She will expect to get married."
"She must think Love is blind?"
"Blind! She must think Love is both blind and foolish."

DECOLLETE.
"Yes she was at the ball last night."
"Dressed in the height of fashion, I presume?"
"Rather I should say she was undressed in the height of fashion."

THE GRAFTERS.
"Be sure you're right then go ahead."
"Don't stop up for a minute."
"Or, so it seems—from going wrong. When there is something in it."

COMING AND GOING.
"What kick have you against married life?"
"Well if I don't keep my wife dressed in the height of fashion I have trouble with her and if I do keep her dressed in the height of fashion I have trouble with her dressmaker."

DIFFERENT.
"I tell you the atmosphere around our house is mighty chilly after I have been out for a long evening with the boys; isn't it so around your house?"
"No, indeed; my wife makes it hot for me."

ISAAC WAS THRIFTY.
"Oh, Isaac! Her lady has called a harrat! Send for der doctor!"
"Vat! undt pay him two tollars undt helluf for recovering it! Rebecca you need not have no piece of mind. Led der baby keep it; he can't spend it."

OLIVER TWIST AT THE NICKEL
New Moving Picture Films Drew Large Crowds Yesterday.

The story of Oliver Twist as told by Charles Dickens is fully enacted in the motion picture entitled "The Modern Oliver Twist" which is one of those now being shown at the Nickel, formerly Keith's.

Little Oliver is first seen walking slowly down a street in the suburbs of a great city, ragged and forlorn. He sits sadly down on a stone by the roadside when a tramp offers him food, which he greedily eats, and then taking him by the hand leads him away.

The interior of Fagin's den in the city is then seen, and crooks of various kinds enter. Finally comes the one who has found little Oliver, leading the child, who is seized upon by the Fagin who proceeds to show him how to pick a pocket.

Then a street scene is shown with a well dressed man purchasing a paper at a stand. The pickpockets, little Oliver with them, rob him, but he discovers his loss and immediately gives chase.

A long chase follows, the fugitives keeping close hold of Oliver for a time, but finally it gets so hot that they drop him, and he immediately hides around a corner as the chase goes on.

The man who has been robbed, however, spies him and takes him up, and having heard his story takes him to his home. The thieves follow him, however, and the Sykes of the picture breaks into the house and carry him back to Fagin's den.

Then they plan the burglary and two of them steal out, taking Oliver with them. They go to the house of his benefactor, Nancy follows them, and after Oliver has been put in through the window Nancy alarms the house and burglars are foiled. Oliver is again cared for, and police follow the thieves to Fagin's den, too late, however, to save Nancy, who is killed by Bill before they arrive.

It is a very striking presentation of the story as told by the immortal Dickens and will interest every one who has read the book. It costs but a nickel at the Nickel.

THE CARLETON FAIR

The attendance at the Carleton Cornet band fair last night was very large, and it was the most successful evening the fair has had. The winners of the door prizes were: Mrs. Charles Larkin, fruit chopper; Verne Wilson, 200 cigars; H. Simpson, fancy dressing case; Jennie Fox, 100 lbs. sugar; Mrs. Williams, 25 lbs. tea. Other winners were Mrs. George Best, dress suit; Mrs. Margaret, Harold Clark, fancy vase; air gun; Abe Craft, fancy pictures, excelsior; James Brooker, fancy cushion; Jennie Best.

Tonight the City Cornet band will play at the fair. The voting contest now stands: C. F. Brown, 242; J. A. McAndrews, 239; J. Campbell, 214; C. H. Jackson, 201; J. Bond, 190.

The R. K. Y. C. held a very successful smoker last evening. G. B. Hegon and Horace King, the committee in charge, provided an excellent programme. D.

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Liberal Ward Meetings.

Meetings of the Liberal Electors in the various city wards will be held on

Monday, April 22 at 8 p. m., to elect delegates to a convention to a convention to be held Friday, April 26, in Berryman's Hall, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the representation of the City and County of Saint John in the Federal Parliament.

The meeting places of the various wards will be: Kings, Queens, Dukes, Sydney and Dufferin, Berryman's Hall Wellington and Prince, - - Opera House Block Victoria, - - McLean & Holts or Victoria Rink Guys & Brooks, - - Oddfellows' Hall, Carleton Lorne, Lansdowne and Stanley, - Union Hall THOMAS McAVITY, Chairman Liberal Executive.



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The eminent Dr. I. N. LOVE, in his address to the Medical Board on the subject of Alopecia (loss of hair) stated that if a means could be devised to bring nutrients to the hair follicles (hair roots), without resorting to any irritating process, the problem of hair growth would be solved.

THE SECRETARY, EVANS VACUUM CAP CO., LTD. REGENT HOUSE, REGENT STREET, LONDON, W.

DR. DANIEL ASKS WHY THIS PORT WAS NOT GIVEN CHANCE

He Also Takes Mr. Foster to Task for Saying I. C. R. Elevator in St. John is of No Use---Daily Mail Service With Digby All the Year Round.

Ottawa, April 18--On the vote for the Atlantic mail service Dr. Daniel asked why the government declined to allow the Canadian Pacific steamers to make direct trips from St. John. In the opinion of the C. P. R. they could give a better and more prompt mail service from St. John than Halifax.

THE TREASURY BOARD GIVES \$200 TO PLAYGROUNDS, \$500 TO KINDERGARTEN, \$250 TO CHARITIES

At a special meeting of the treasury board yesterday afternoon the board recommended \$200 for the Associated Charities, \$500 for the playgrounds and \$500 for the free kindergarten.



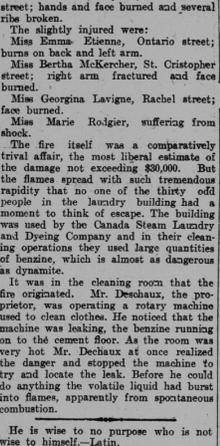
The marriage of Miss Agnes Grace Burpee to Hon. Harrison Andrew McKeown, which was solemnized last evening in St. David's Presbyterian church was the premier society event of the week, and the good wishes of a wide circle of friends followed Mr. and Mrs. McKeown.

Mrs. John Ross, Miss Tupper, Mrs. Law and Mrs. Rutherford. Lady Tilley entertained yesterday afternoon at a very enjoyable tea in honor of the Misses Toller. Lady Tilley wore a handsome gown of black broad satin trimmed with old rose point.

MONTREAL HAS A FATAL BLAZE

Three People Killed and Many Others Injured During Fire in Dye Works. Montreal, April 18--Three were burned to death and several were badly injured this afternoon by a fire in the Canada Siam Laundry, St. Justin street.

BUY YOUR Spring Clothing Outfit AT HARVEY'S



Each season shows a marked advance, not only in the quantity of clothing sold, but also in the styles and make of the garments we sell. The most marked improvement in this line is in the clothing shown this spring.

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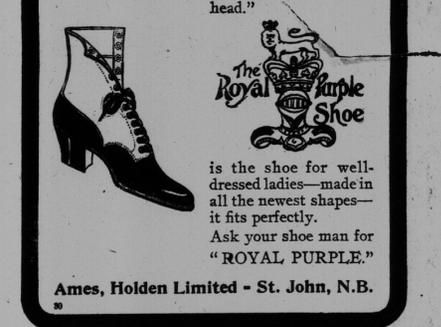
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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

BASE BALL
Montreal, April 18.—(Special)—At Bridgeport (Conn.), yesterday, Manager Kittridge gave Small, of St. John, his first chance in a regular game and the little fellow did well.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
At Cleveland—Detroit, 7; Cleveland, 2.
At Chicago—St. Louis, 9; Chicago, 2.
At New York—Philadelphia, 4; New York, 3.
At Boston—Washington, 4; Boston, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Philadelphia—Pittsburgh, 10; Boston, 4.
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 1; Chicago, 0.
At St. Louis—Cincinnati, St. Louis game called off, cold weather.

STARTING TO PRACTICE.
A practice of the Crescent baseball team is called for Saturday morning on the Weldon lot (Y. M. C. A. field). All interested will please attend.

GOOD WAGES FOR McEACHERN.
The Montreal Star of Wednesday contains an excellent two-column picture of Don McEachern dressed in St. John ballplayer who will play again with the Paterson, N. J. team. Above the picture appeared this heading—"Canada's Star Twirler, who is hurt."

THE RING
BILL SQUIRES HAS LANDED
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 17.—Bill Squires, champion heavyweight, of Australia, has arrived here and will be matched within the next forty-eight hours to meet Tommy Burns in a twenty-round bout before either the Pacific Athletic Club, the Los Angeles Club, or Jimmy Coffroth's Club in San Francisco, on May the thirtieth. Both fight promoters are after a match and the one that offers the fighters the best inducements will get the contest. Squires with his manager reached San Francisco on the steamship Ventura yesterday and was met at the pier by Coffroth who immediately offered him a fight with Burns. Squires took the offer under consideration.

THE LONGSHOREMEN
The annual meeting of the Longshoremen's Association was held last night in Jerryman's Hall. There was considerable discussion about the question of raising the summer rate of wages to 40 cents an hour instead of 35 cents as heretofore. Nothing definite was decided, and the matter will be further discussed at the next meeting.

LONGBOAT IN BOSTON.
BOSTON, April 18.—Thomas Longboat, the famous Onondaga Indian distance runner, who is claimed to be the greatest manager in the world today in a race from 10 to 30 miles, arrived in this city last evening at 8:25 direct from Toronto, Ont.

LACROSSE
Ottawa Won Twice in England.
Montreal, April 18.—A special London cable says: The Capital Game Club of Ottawa, made their first appearance in England yesterday in a game against the Essex team which they defeated by a score of 11 goals to 10. Only nine men a side were played. The game was on the Luton cricket ground, just outside of London.

FOOTBALL
A very friendly game was played yesterday on the Shamrock grounds between men of the steamer Empress of Ireland and the Turkish resulting in a victory for the Irish by four goals to two.

ROLLER SKATING
SIX HOUR RACE NEXT.
At the Queen's rink Prof. Demers was the drawing card this week. Next week the six hour team race will take place in which six teams will take part. The race will be contested an hour each night after the 10th hand. Great interest is being taken in the coming event.

TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE



April 19, 1907.—Six years ago today Aquinaldo advised the Filipinos to accept American sovereignty. Find Uncle Sam. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. (Right side down at left shoulder.)

CHEAPEST STOVE STORE IN THE CITY.
Model Art Range, No. 8, 6 holes, high shelf, and water front. . . . \$18.00
M. J. SLINEY, Cor. Waterloo and Paddock Sts.
Phone 1710.

INTER-SOCIETY LEAGUE BALL
Executive of League Met Last Night to Make Arrangements for the Season.

The executive of the Inter-Society League met last night in St. Peter's rooms, Douglas avenue, and it was unanimously decided to continue the league during the coming season.
Despite the fact that already this week one paper mentioned that the Algonquins would probably enter the league, in place of the St. Rose team, which retired, and another last night to the effect that an amalgamated St. Rose-St. Patrick team would enter the league in place of the St. Rose team, the four teams that battled for supremacy last year, viz.: St. Joseph's, St. Peter's, F. M. A. and St. Rose's, will be seen on the diamond again this season.

BRITAIN HAD A GOOD YEAR
Asquith's Budget Speech Shows Nation is Prosperous.
LONDON, April 18.—The budget speech of Chancellor of the Exchequer Asquith today was a most satisfactory one. Mr. Asquith estimated the expenditure for 1907-08 at \$703,785,000, the revenue on the existing basis of taxation was estimated at \$720,800,000.

THEY LAUGH AT LABOR LAW
Crow's Nest Miners Say Government Investigation is a Farce.
Ferne, B. C., April 18.—One thousand miners are now out on strike, and more are quitting daily. These cover a dozen mining camps along Crow's Nest line. The situation is desperate, and the railroad's supply of coal will not last ten days.

LAURIER OPPOSES IMPERIAL COUNCIL
Montreal, April 18.—A special London cable says: Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Frederick Borden and the Hon. L. F. Brodeur proceeded to the colonial office again this morning for the resumed conference on the question of an imperial council and imperial defense. The bald official statement issued last night obviously gives no sort of indication of the decisive conflict of opinion in which Sir Wilfrid Laurier's stand, decisively, for no such form of permanent council, as has been proposed, and no cash contributions to the imperial forces.

WARM YOUR LUNGS, SOOTHE YOUR THROAT, DR. WHITE'S HONEY BALM.
With that grateful cough-breaker and cold killer:
25 cents AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

OUR NEW AND UP-TO-DATE DEPT. IS NOW OPEN. YOU ARE INVITED TO INSPECT IT. WE CLOTHE YOU FROM HEAD TO FOOT! I T has long been our ambition to clothe the men and boys of your family from their heads to their heels. To better enable us to do this, we have lately enlarged our premises, and added a thoroughly up-to-date Ready-Made Clothing Dept. This, in addition to our already extensive departments in Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Custom Tailoring and Men's Furnishings, puts us in a better position than any other store in Saint John to serve you with best goods at lowest prices in all departments.

We Only Have Clothing That We Can Recommend. RELIABLE SUITS FOR MEN. \$6.75, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$9.75, \$11.75, \$13.50 and \$15.75. TOP AND RAINCOATS, \$7.50, \$8.75 and \$11.50. Suits For The Boys That Will Wear \$3.18, \$3.28 and \$4.68. MEN'S PANTS, 98c., \$1.18, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.75. Clothe the Family Here AND SAVE MONEY! C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., North End. Clothing, Tailoring, Boots and Shoes.

ATE THEM YET? STEAK PIES. They're just luscious. Made fresh every Saturday; all sold Saturday; no stale ones for anyone. Don't confound them with common meat pies. Just the difference as day tonight. They'll be hot tomorrow ready for supper. Get yours early. LESS LABOR. That's what you're looking for, now housecleaning time is here. One thing there's no need to do—bake bread. SCOTCH ZEST BREAD. is backed to save you labor, and give you strength to carry on the duties which have to be done. SCOTCH ZEST BREAD counts its daily friends by the hundreds. You one of them? UNION BAKERY, GEO. J. SMITH, Prop., 122 Charlotte Street.

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NOTICE. Attention at Church's Corner (so called) in the City of Saint John at the hour of twelve o'clock (NOON) on Tuesday the thirtieth day of April A. D. 1907 all and singular all the right title interest and estate of John McCabe in that lot of land situated in the City of Saint John described as follows:—All that piece and parcel of land fronting forty feet on the south side of Sherford Street and extending back southward preserving the same breadth one hundred feet and including the said amount being respectively for eight respective assessments from and including the year 1905 to and including the year 1906 respectively assessed against the said John McCabe on said land for ordinary City taxes in the City of Saint John so part of which has been paid. Dated the 27th day of March A. D. 1907. FRED SANDALL, Receiver of Taxes in and for the City of St. John, N. B. C. N. GARDNER, Recorder of the City of Saint John.

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In both foreign and domestic fabrics are showing complete lines of up-to-date styles, colors and effects that are strictly correct. There is unmistakable economy in purchasing up-to-date fabrics at a moderate price, rather than last season's left-overs at bargain prices.

STYLISH WOOL SUITINGS in shadow stripes and checks, new and particularly handsome, 50 to 54 in. wide, 75c. to \$1.10 yard.

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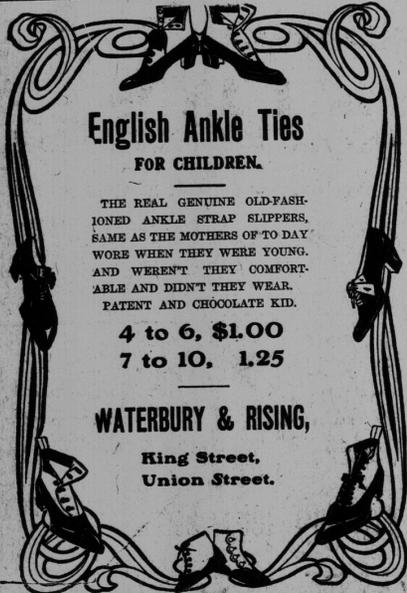
SHEPHERD CHECKS in Navy and White, Brown and White, Green and White, and Gray and White, 42 inches wide at 65c. yard.

PLAIDS AND OVERCHECKED Tweeds in all the new shades of Gray, Green and Blue Mixtures, 40 to 44 in. wide at 60c. to 90c. yard.

PLAIN TWILL VENETIAN CLOTH, for Tailored Suits, 40 to 48 in. wide at \$1.25 yard.

RAINPROOF SUITINGS, (Priestley's Cravenette)—A drab durable fabric for women's and children's wear. Come in all colors, olive, green, etc. These are spot and rainproof—60 in. wide at \$1.50 and \$1.55 yard.

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THE REAL GENUINE OLD-FASHIONED ANKLE STRAP SLIPPERS, SAME AS THE MOTHERS OF TO DAY WORE WHEN THEY WERE YOUNG, AND WERENT THEY COMFORTABLE AND DIDNT THEY WEAR. PATENT AND CHOCOLATE KID.

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WHO WILL BE THE LIBERAL CHOICE?

The War Is On

To the Editor of The Times: Sir,—It may not be generally known, but it is a fact that a very determined effort is to be made by a few of the so-called leaders of the Liberal party in St. John to prevent the Attorney General from securing the nomination of that party. For some years the machinery of the party has been in the hands of two or three individuals who have been manipulating things to suit themselves with the hope that events might turn out to their personal advantage. St. John was lost to the Liberal party in the last general election because of the weakness of the candidates placed in the field and the fact that they had been nominated by a stuffed convention. In other words the gentlemen who received the largest number of votes at the result of an unfairly conducted primaries were rejected by enough Liberal voters who really care for the party to permit to do further injury to party interests by being allowed to retain and operate for their personal benefit what really belongs to the executive of the party is difficult to explain. But this is the condition of affairs that really exists, and which must be overcome if St. John is to be represented by a man of ability, for it is known the "boss" of the Liberal party does not want a man representing this city whom he cannot control. This is self-evident by the hysterical movements of those under his control in their efforts to again obtain control of the primaries next Monday evening.

There is not a business man nor a thinking man in this community who does not recognize that the best man we get to represent us at Ottawa for the next few years is none too good. He will have a hard fight to get justice for St. John and will have to take a determined stand against other interests which would rather ignore St. John altogether, or compel action that would be detrimental to our best interests. A second-rate man is no good, for two reasons, the principal of which is that he is not likely to be elected, a fact that would mean nothing of the kind. There was every reason why the Liberals should have carried St. John. It was admitted generally that the Canadian people would again return Sir Wilfrid Laurier to power, and common sense, if nothing else, would have urged the people of this constituency to send government supporters, but the candidates put forward by the Liberal party were so lamentably weak that the party would not have been built up with such care, and easily had a majority, was so torn asunder by internal strife that it was defeated. A history to be written of this defeat. Are the same methods which brought about this defeat to be permitted to guide the party in the next election? If they are, a complete reorganization of the Liberal party is necessary, and its control removed from the hands of those who would exploit it for their personal advantage. To do this, those who desire the representation of the city to be in proper hands must attend the primaries and their share towards seeing that the right man is selected. It is idle to lament afterwards, and there is no satisfaction, gratification nor sense in defeating the machine nomination when with a little good work the whole blunder might have been prevented and the control removed from those who rank

their personal feelings higher than their party allegiance. Let the men who wish to see St. John represented by Attorney General Pugsley, the only man—the best man in sight—see to it that the machine is overturned, and those who are plotting to control the primaries against him, are overthrown. Every man who signed the requisition to bring Mr. Pugsley into the field should not only vote for him when nominated but should do everything in his power to bring about his nomination. A LIBERAL VOTER.

The Importance of the Hour

Sir,—We are on the eve of an important event to the people of St. John city. By the Globe's action it would seem we are to be relegated to a back seat in anything we might wish to develop in the province of this province by electing some insignificant and incapable figure-head as the representative of this city. Such an action would sell their country's birthright for the money there is in it for them, is a most degrading transaction, even if it is approved, but when emanating from a writer of supposed ability it is doubly so. To sum up the whole matter in short, we want a man to go to Ottawa and explain that we still exist as a province, however much it is desired by the sister provinces to set her aside, and that as we are the natural freight winter port, that it is no longer feasible or fair to compel this province to undergo all the expense attendant on making the proper facilities to handle the freight of all the different provinces to the west. These facilities and expenses it is in the right of the whole province to contribute to, especially the western end, for whose benefit these improvements are required, and they on their part should do their honest duty in the matter. This province has, so far, been made a hobby horse for the whole Dominion to ride rough-shod over, and therefore it is important to select the only man capable of intelligently and forcefully explaining these matters so vitally affecting this city, and that man is Hon. Dr. Pugsley. He combines every able point the late lamented A. G. Blair possessed. He is a man of military and defense training, he is a man of affairs, and it behooves every man that is loyal to his country to stand for his rights. Mr. Fielding is an astute financier, all will acknowledge, but that astuteness, if employed against a sister province to rob her of her natural rights as the main port of Canada, must be met by a man as astute as himself, and that fighting man for New Brunswick's honor will be found in him, who will succeed in the square of infantry that New Brunswick possesses. Set aside all politics and selfish personal interests and select the only man who can fight for the whole province. Respectfully, J. S. CLIMO.

Nova Scotia Wants It

(Special to Halifax Echo.) MONTREAL, April 18.—People from Ottawa state that the new minister of railways and canals will be E. M. MacDonald, M. P. for the county of Fictou, N. S., and that the department of militia and defense will soon be presided over by a New Brunswicker. A gentleman close to the treasury bureau states that Sir Frederick Borden will probably do very little more work as a minister and that his future assistance (and it is in the nature of a promise) will be at the head of some of operations will be at the head of the High Commissioner's office in London. Mr. MacDonald had, of course, no chance of progression while the present minister of war remained in office, but this will be changed the moment Sir Frederick Borden decides to go to London. It is said that Hon. Mr. Fielding looks with pleasure upon Mr. MacDonald's promotion and this goes a good way with the premier in any choice he has to make of colleagues from the maritime provinces.

POLICE COURT

Several Cases Disposed of by the Magistrate This Morning

Joseph McAfee, an aged citizen, who figured in the police court some weeks ago, in a suit with a Main street Hebrew merchant, was arrested last night by Police-men Rankin and Henry, on a charge of lying and lurking in the store at 609 Main street, which has been rented until May 1 by Mr. Rubins. Mr. McAfee claims the ownership of the property and holds a duplicate key of the store. Mr. Rubins, however, pays the rent to Mrs. McAfee.

The old man was found in the store about 10 o'clock last night by the officers referred to, who say he had been there for three or four hours.

To avoid this morning W. B. Wallace appeared for the aged prisoner, and Dr. A. W. MacRae for Mrs. McAfee.

Mr. Wallace said that his client claimed the right to the property in question. Dr. MacRae did not see why the matter of title should be fought out there.

"Well," replied Mr. Wallace, "we are going to fight it out; that's what we're here for."

Dr. MacRae—"He's not the landlord," "No," replied Mr. Wallace, "he's better than the landlord, he's the owner."

It was finally decided to take up the matter at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. His honor ordered that Mr. McAfee be kept apart from the other prisoners and made as comfortable as possible.

John Francis, charged with assaulting his brother, Peter, on Sheffield street last night, also with resisting the police, pleaded guilty to both charges.

The case was set aside for the present. Wm. Law, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail. One Russ, an Austrian, arrested for wandering about on King street and being unable to give a satisfactory account of himself to the police, was remanded.

CIVIC PAY DAY

Chamberlain Sangall this morning disbursed the following amounts to civic laborers for the past fortnight:

Table showing civic pay disbursements: Water and sewerage \$1,491.06, Ferry 1,211.91, Total \$2,702.97.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club meets as usual, Lyceum Street, in The Square Hall, at 8 o'clock. Motion pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel. Prof. Demers, the world's champion roller skater, at the Queen's Rollaway. King's Messenger Band concert in Centenary school room. The painters are requested to meet at 8 o'clock in their hall. Annual meeting of the Provincial Rifle Association at 8 o'clock. Carlton Cornet Band Fair, at City Hall, west end.

THE WEATHER

FORECAST—Moderate variable winds, fair and mild. Saturday, southeasterly winds and showers. A disturbance now near the South Atlantic Coast will probably give unsettled conditions further north on Saturday. The weather is improving in the western provinces. To Banks, fresh southeasterly winds. To America, strong southeast and south. Sable Island, west, 10 miles, clear. Point Lepreau, southwest, 12 miles, 11 A. M.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORTS. Highest Temperature during last 24 hours 48. Lowest Temperature during last 24 hours 43. Humidity at Noon 75. Barometer Reading, 30.15. Wind at Noon, S. E. 28 inches. Wind at Noon, direction, Velocity, 10 miles per hour. Fair. Highest temperature, Same date last year, Highest temperature, 55; lowest, 30. Clear. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

LATE LOCALS

The annual sale of the market tolls, stalls and scales for the ensuing year will be held on Friday, April 28, at 11 o'clock.

People living between Germain and Sydney streets, on Princess street, have just cause to complain about the condition of that street. No effort has been made to take the ice away from that district. A number of men were put to work in the middle of King square recently, when they might have been sent to Princess street.

Tormented by small boys, and fearing the loss of his eye, Thomas Minehan, an aged resident of the vicinity of Haymarket square, called at the police court yesterday and asked if something could not be done to prevent small boys throwing snowballs at him. As he came out of his house yesterday he was struck on the nose with a missile hurled by a lad who had been waiting for him. He has but one eye and is afraid of losing the sight of it by the thoughtlessness of the young stars. He reported a lad named Fish, who will be called to court.

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New White Mercerized Waistings. New English Cambrics For Cotton Shirtwaist Suits.

SCOTCH GINGHAMS in sixty new choice patterns. DRESS LINEN in white, pink, green, light blue, mid blue delft blue and natural linen color, all 36 inches wide, 8 to 10 yards for suit—at 45c. per yard. Exquisite designs in French Organ dy Dress Muslin. WHITE PERSIAN LAWN for the shadow needle work now so popular for waists. THIN SHEER LAWN, for waists. Small white spot Muslin. MERCERIZED MUSLIN in beautiful printed designs. DUCK AND GALATEAS in great variety. Write for samples.

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45 CENTS PAIR. THIS SPECIAL PRICE UNTIL SATURDAY, APRIL 20th.

CORSETS are made of fine Batiste, steel filled, and nicely trimmed with lace and ribbon. All sizes, in these shapes, short or long waist, habit hip, and military girdle.

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Dresden China Ornaments. JUST RECEIVED FOR WEDDING GIFTS.

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