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FOREST PRESERVATION

The bill relating to the better preservation and protection of New Brunswick forests, which Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced in the legislature yesterday, is a most important measure, and will no doubt receive the hearty support of the house. The premier stated in his speech that when these lands were run in Restigouche county it was discovered that the province possessed many more square miles of land than had been estimated. It is important that we should know what we have in public lands, and it is also desirable that the government should know the relative value of different areas, determined by the quality and quantity of forest growth in the different sections. This can only be determined by a careful survey.

THE WINTER PORT

The value of 75 cargoes by the winter port steamships from St. John this season was estimated at \$16,188,000, or more than \$2,800,000 in excess of the total of last season for 90 cargoes. Already over 3,500,000 bushels of wheat have gone forward this season. The Times estimate of \$30,000,000 or more for the whole value of the season's cargoes from this port would appear to be a moderate one. It is gratifying to learn that estimates are now being made of the quantity of additional dredging required for a modern new steamship berth, and that the work is likely to be provided for by parliament at this session. The usual weekly statement of the outward cargo values for the season entered at the customs house to date will be found on another page of today's Times. It is a most satisfactory record.

MONEY IN COBALT

So much has been printed of late concerning the riches of the Cobalt region in Ontario that the following article from an Ottawa paper is of timely interest. "The announcement that Ward Edson has discovered a new use for the mineral cobalt, and is buying up large quantities of it for use in storage batteries will tend to enhance the value of the discoveries in the Cobalt region. Until the mineral was unearthed there in large quantities the production was limited and it ranged in value over a dollar a pound, its use being largely confined to pigment purposes for staining glass etc. It resembles nickel and could be used for steel hardening processes if it were less expensive. Since the New Ontario field was opened the price has fallen very much, but even at 85 cents a pound it would be a commercial success for mining where the output is large as in the Cobalt region. There is little doubt that new uses will be found for it which will again enhance the price as soon as manufacturers are convinced that a steady supply of it can be guaranteed. It is understood that the proprietors of the Larose mine have been guaranteed \$1 a pound for their output by a large French firm. Hitherto practically none of the cobalt in the district has been sold owing to the slump in prices which followed the opening of the mine, and in the ore shipped to Jersey City for smelting the smelter there only allowed the Canadians the value of the silver and appropriated the cobalt and auxiliary minerals. Edson's discovery will have the effect of making Cobalt properties more valuable."

FOR A SANITARIUM

A bill relating to a sanitarium for consumptives was before the Manitoba legislature this week, and was given its second reading. The following extract from the speech of Dr. McManis is of special interest in view of the effort to secure a sanitarium for New Brunswick. "At Gravenhurst there was an institution that was doing excellent work, and which called for the support and sympathy of all Canadians. In 1902, of the 134 cases of tubercular consumption treated at Gravenhurst, 78 were discharged cured, 38 with the disease arrested, 16 with it stationary, and in no case did the treatment fail or the patient die. Of 210 advanced cases 17 were cured, in 100 the disease was arrested, in 48 the patient was much improved, in 23 the disease was stationary, in 10 the treatment failed, and 2 patients died. In 140 of the advanced cases, 1 patient was discharged cured, 22 with the disease arrested, 45 much improved, in 28 it remained stationary, in 27 the treatment failed and

6 patients died, giving a total of 474 patients, 96 discharged as cured, 102 with the disease arrested, 100 much improved, in 84 cases the disease was stationary, in 37 the treatment failed, and 5 patients died. From this it would be seen that where the proper treatment was adopted, 90 per cent. of the patients were benefited, and 25 to 30 per cent. were totally cured. It had been thought for a long time that high altitude and warm climates were essential to successful sanitarium treatment, but experience had now shown conclusively that patients derived more benefit in the alternative conditions in which they were accustomed to live, and to which they expected to return. Another mistaken idea which had been exploded, was that the establishment of a sanitarium resulted in the spreading of disease in the district in which it was located, experience showing that instead of this being the case the presence of the institution invariably had an educative influence, and by directing attention to the cause and its treatment, caused the people to exercise care and take precautions which had the opposite effect. The success of the sanitarium treatment had been demonstrated in many countries, but while hospitals and institutions were maintained to isolate other contagious diseases, and to care for the sick, the incurable and the deaf and dumb, the most fatal and distressing of all diseases was allowed to proliferate to go unchecked. But the conditions of affairs, he hoped, would not be allowed to continue. The original bill owned by the late senator with respect to a sanitarium for consumptives provided that municipalities might make grants for the erection and maintenance of such an institution, and a certain amount had been obtained, but not sufficient for building to be commenced. He had discussed the matter with the authorities, and he now wished to publicly make the offer to the municipalities of the province that if they would agree to give \$25,000 for the establishment and maintenance of a sanitarium, the amount to be raised according to reliable assessment, he would undertake, in co-operation with the health board to collect another \$25,000. (Applause.) An institution of this kind was needed in the province, and \$50,000 at least was wanted for the enterprise. He was asking the people of Manitoba to assist him; he had made up his mind that the money was necessary, and he was going to get it. (Hear, hear.) Another speaker, discussing the subject, is thus reported:—"The ravages of consumption were appalling. Its victims represented one-third of those dying between the ages of 15 and 60, and statistics showed that it killed four and a half times more people than smallpox, scarlet fever, yellow fever, typhoid, Asiatic cholera and leprosy combined. Its victims in Canada alone numbered 25 a day."

Mr. C. E. E. Usher, of the C. P. R., who has just returned from a business trip to Detroit and the west, states to the Montreal Witness that wherever he went in the United States he found the Americans talking of Canada. All classes of people were interested in the country, but more particularly the agricultural classes, who were preparing to come over the border in large numbers and settle in the west.

The city and the street railway company appear to have made an amicable arrangement whereby the extension of the line through Carleton this year will be assured. This will be an important addition to the street railway service, and will no doubt prove profitable to the company.

The Intercolonial Railway had a field day in the commons yesterday. It may be observed that the various speakers said what, from a party standpoint, they would be expected to say.

The more drunk citizens seen in the act of being carted to the central station the more clearly they realize that St. John requires a patrol wagon.

In case of a public meeting to discuss civic affairs, candidates who had nothing to say would at least give the foreign taxpayers a chance to look them over.

St. John aldermen must feel rather apprehensive after visiting Fredericton. The capital city had just retired some of its leading city fathers to private life.

In referring to the New York Life trustee as "our Judge 'Andy' Hamilton" did not intend any reference to the "yellow dog" fund.

A valued contemporary says St. Patrick was a Scotchman. Our neighbor probably means St. Andrew.

Prince Arthur of Connaught visited yesterday from Japan for Canada.

Fatal As Consumption

DOCTORS SAY ERYSIPELAS IS ONE OF HANKIND'S DEADLIEST FOES.

Acute, somewhat contagious, and often fatal, Erysipelas is much to be dreaded. It is supposed to be due to the presence of a particular germ in the system. Chills, fever and intense local redness of the skin are the principal symptoms. There follows an eruption, dark spreading patches, itching and burning skin. No remedy can prevent this disease. Dr. Hamilton's Pills which cleanse the system of the germ, earth the blood, stimulate the bowels to regular, effective action. Take Dr. Hamilton's Pills and your system will be regenerated, revitalized and made proof against disease. Good for men, excellent for women, and most effective for children. All ages and both sexes find Dr. Hamilton's Pills a marvelous medicine. A high active life do not gripe or cause inconvenience, still they cleanse and purify the system, thereby maintaining a high standard of health. Sold by all dealers, 25c. per box, or five boxes for \$1.00, or by mail from N. C. Potts & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

Latest New York Hats For Men.

We are in the hat business in real earnest this spring. Our new Gent's Furnishing Department gives us the necessary room, and we have just opened a large lot of the very newest shades and shapes in Both Soft and Stiff Hats, which we will sell at unusually low prices. NEW STIFF HATS, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 to \$3.50. NEW SOFT HATS at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

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The modest price, \$3.00 is an added attraction. See our window. We have the boot.



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This is the month we have NEW FURNITURE ARRIVING from the factories every day. We can furnish your house in anything from the parlor to the kitchen, at most reasonable prices. We are noted for our LARGE DISCOUNTS, and would like you to call any time, NOW if possible, for first choice. Open every evening.

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A good set will pay for itself in a single season. The pins made of Brass, Nickel Plated. The curtains when dry. No. 1—An Excellent Low Priced Set. \$1.20. No. 2—A Larger and Stronger Set. 1.75. No. 3—The Same as No. 2, but with casels on the back, so that the stretcher will stand alone. 2.15. No. 4—A Large Set with Adjustable Pins, which fit the scallops in any curtains. 2.35. No. 5—The Same as No. 4, but with casels on the back. 2.75.

EMERSON & FISHER, LIMITED.

The New Store. 25 Germain Street. The Stove Store Where "Monarch" Steel Ranges are sold.

MISSES' STYLISH BOX CALF BOOTS, low heels; special price, \$1.60. MISSES' SPRING HEEL BOOTS, strong and durable, just the thing for Spring wear. 1.50. J. W. SMITH, 37 Waterloo St.

Grand Clearance Sale

BOOTS and SHOES, RUBBERS and OVERSHOES

To make room for Spring Goods

Sale Prices: 28c, 48c, 68c, 98c, \$1.18, \$1.48, \$1.98 and \$2.48. Former Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.10, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.50.

Special Rubber Prices: Women's, 48c., Misses', 45c., Children's, 38c. Men's Rubbers, 68c., and 75c., Boys', 68c., Youths, 58c. Overshoes at Cost Price.

G. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Streets, North End.

GILBERT LANE DYE WORKS.

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

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Are in Very Pretty Designs and Colorings. Good, Stout Papers from 5c. per roll up. A. B. WETMORE, 59 Garden St.

The Inglenook Philosopher of Kennebecasis Bay.

What matter if the year grows old, What matter if the leaves turn brown, What matter if the snows fall down, If we have pockets filled with gold, A country home and a home in town?

Why should we worry for their sake In our country home or our home in town? The gods do well and the gods do ill— On these they smile—on those they frown! 'Tis not for us to bask their will So long as they our pockets fill, And give us homes in country and town.

Gold is the god of this generation; it is worshipped alike by the intellectual and the ignorant, the rich and the poor. If a young man devotes himself to any scientific or artistic pursuit he is not prompted to do so by love of science or art, but by a desire to profit by their aid. If a young lady makes herself distinguished in any womanly department of knowledge the dollar is always in the foreground. In brief, mankind labors under the impression that the dollar is the only source of human happiness and that by the accumulation of dollars, and by that alone, can the coveted end be attained. This impression is of comparatively recent origin.

Stephen Girard, born in 1750, had no such impression. He was active, just and saving. It was a passion with him to make money, not for itself, but for what he could do with it. When he died at 81 years his benefactions amounted to more than \$7,000,000, including liberal provision for his relatives. He was known during the latter years of his life as "Honest Old Girard." George Peabody, born in 1795, without a single estate upon his reputation, accumulated an estate of \$12,000,000, of which he gave away \$10,000,000. George Peabody, born in 1795, without a single estate upon his reputation, accumulated an estate of \$12,000,000, of which he gave away \$10,000,000. Like Girard, he was without a family. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who died in 1877, spent 81 years in having an estate worth about \$120,000,000, was perhaps the last of the multi-millionaires to preserve their honor unspotted through life. The principle of the money grubber today is to get it honestly if he can, but to get it anyway. The man who has the windfall apples and brands them "No. 6" is no less a criminal than Hyde; the man who makes syrup out of beet sugar and sells it as maple syrup is no less a criminal than Alexander; the man who uses short weights and measures in selling and long in buying is no less a criminal than the McCurdy; and the man who adulterates foods, fabrics or anything else, sells them as pure is no less a criminal than McCall. It is because we are all in the same boat that each thing is earnestly left to the question unanswered, White Head, March 15.

SOUND OF RUNNING WATER

(Winnipeg Telegram) The prairie farmer across yesterday and by the time his chores were done, he found the fence on biting into the three-month-old snow that surrounded his farm. He walked through the snow, and went down to the slough. There, eating through the ice-caked creek that runs down to the river, he heard the sound of running water.

It was but a faint, tinkling tinkle. It beat upon the hearing like a ghostly din of the harvest. It was the sound of the coming harvest. It was the sound of running water. All through the great west the sound of running water is softly beating on the ear of the men who till the lands. From the Ontario line to the Rockies the farmer is preparing for his campaign. The sound of running water has told him that the winter is almost past, and that the days are near when the wheat will burgeon from the stalks that have fought their way through the fat prairie soil. The sound of running water brings promise of more property, more money and more progress to the west. It heartens the few disheartened, and it brings promise of good to the successful. The sound of running water is the herald of the West's continued health, wealth and happiness.

IT'S DELIGHTFUL IN THE BERMUDAS.

The fascinating Orient—France, Spain, Italy, the Holy Land, Egypt, bathed in golden sunlight—all these await the winter voyager. How many long to escape the ice and cold of Canada, yet dread the evil effects of seasickness. There is now no reason why anyone should not make these trips and enjoy the days on shipboard. A clever Canadian has invented a device that is an absolute preventive against the horrible nausea. The rolling of the ship starts up a corresponding movement of liver, stomach and intestines. This causes seasickness. The Anti-Mal-de-Mer Belt keeps the internal organs in place and prevents this unnatural motion. Thus, there can be no seasickness. This belt has been successfully tested by hundreds who were always sick at sea before—and to whom the Anti-Mal-de-Mer Belt brought immunity from this distressing complaint. Full information as to prices, etc., may be obtained by addressing the Anti-Mal-de-Mer Belt Co., 180 St. James Street, Montreal, or they may be seen at R. D. Taylor, Agent, 2 South Wharf St., St. John, N. B.

MIKE (TWIN) AND GANS

LOS ANGELES, Calif. March 17—The open air boat planned for last night between Joe Gans and Mike (Twin) Sullivan will take place tonight. It was postponed on account of rain.

WALL PAPERS

We have secured another lot of Wall Paper that we will sell at a sacrifice. Our prices are 25c., 4c., 5c., to 10c. per roll. Regular price—25c. per roll. Don't fail to get our prices before buying. KITCHEN CROCKERY, Lowest prices. GRANITE WARE, TIN WARE, all varieties. Just arrived—300 dozen Rubber Balls, All sizes. Every line of goods carried by us is sold at the lowest possible price by

Arnold's Department Store, 11-15 Charlotte Street. May 1st we remove to 32 and 33 Charlotte Street, Robertson, Trites & Co's old stand.

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WE SELL, "Canadians" With the mark of quality. Made of raw Rubber.

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We make a specialty of repairing platform and counter scales, also weigh beams to conform with inspectors' requirements.

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Cheap Caps!

Boys' Navy Serge Caps, 15c. each; 2 for 25c. at E. O. PARSONS, WEST END.

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GIVE US A CALL!

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Wall Papers.

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We sell quality goods at common prices.

F. BURRIDGE, . . WEST END.

**SPRING CAPS**

IN MEN'S AND YOUTH'S NEW SHAPES. NEWBORN TWEEDS, SOMETHING NAUTY.

25, 50, and 75 Cents.

Gents Dress Gloves, New Colors for Spring have arrived.

F. S. THOMAS, - 539-541 Main Street, NORTH END. DUFFERIN BLOCK.

**HARNESS!**

Now is the time you will need a new set of harness. We carry the largest assortment and are offering Special Values in introducing our line of harness—all our own make. Here are a few lines:

Nickel Mounted Driving Harness from \$14.00 a set up; Solid Nickel Mounted Driving Harness from \$16.00 a set up; Double Nickel Mounted Driving Harness from \$18.00 a set up; Single Nickel Mounted Driving Harness from \$12.00 a set up; Cart Harness from \$11.00 a set up; Saddle Harness from \$13.00 a set up.

H. HORTON & SON, LIMITED, 9 AND 11 MARKET SQUARE.

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DO YOU LIKE THEM?

Olives, 10c. a Bottle.  
Olives, 15c. a Bottle.  
Olives, 25c. a Bottle.  
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French Beans, Peas and Mushrooms.

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Other fashionable patterns and desirable coats are priced \$9, \$12, \$13.50.

Our stock of Showerproof never embraced so many desirable garments as this season.

Every one interested in the progress of fine clothes making is invited to inspect our fitting exhibit; they will be surprised at the marvelous advance in ready tailored garments.

**A. GILMOUR,**

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**STRIKE ON AT INVER VESS COMPANY'S COLLIERY**

Men Objected to New System of Dockage Inaugurated by the Management.

Inverness, N. S., March 16.—(Special)—Today saw the opening of what may turn out to be a serious strike in the Inverness Railway & Coal Company's mine at Inverness (N. S.), owned by MacKenzie & Mann, when about 100 men, who usually work in the leading places, stopped at home.

For some months back the grievances of the miners have been accumulating, and of late the P. W. A. has come into prominence and will, no doubt, join.

The immediate cause of today's trouble arose from notices posted some days ago signed by the underground manager instituting a dockage system under which any box of coal sent up by a miner and found to contain fifty pounds of stone would be docked 100 pounds; for 100 pounds, the whole box would be docked; and for more than 100 pounds the miner was liable to be discharged.

This system was put into effect today. Last night the P. W. A. held a meeting at which it was decided not to

**EPPE'S COCOA**

The Most Nutritious and Economical.

An admirable food, with all its natural qualities intact. This excellent Cocoa maintains the system in robust health, and enables it to resist winter's extreme cold.

**TO PRESERVE OUR FORESTS**

Fredericton, N. B., March 16.—The House met at 3 o'clock.

Hon. Mr. Sweeney introduced a bill to authorize the city of Moncton to grant certain streets to his majesty for the use of the international railway. The bill was read a second time on the ground of urgency.

Dr. Rudlicki introduced a bill relating to the commissioners of the alms house of St. John; Mr. Murray a bill relating to the town of Newcastle.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie gave notice of a resolution relative to the Quebec conference of 1902 with respect to better terms for the provinces of Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Manitoba.

He said that in view of what was reported to have been said in respect to this matter by Sir Walter Laurier in a recent speech, it might not be necessary to press this resolution. He had telegraphed to Ottawa for a copy of Hansard for the purpose of ascertaining just what he did say.

Hon. Mr. Jones introduced a bill to extend exemption of butter and cheese factories from taxation.

Hon. Mr. Pugh presented the petition of Thomas Malcolm for a bill relating to the International Railway Company.

Mr. Murray introduced a bill relating to the Fisheries of New Brunswick.

Mr. Copp presented the petition of Wm. Milford and others for an act to incorporate the Maritime Power & Light Company.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill relating to the provincial debt of the province. He explained that it was for the purpose of enabling the province to make a temporary loan. This power was possessed by all the provinces. On the ground of urgency it was read a second time.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to confirm letters of appointment granted to the Grand Falls Power Company. On the ground of urgency it was read a second time.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to amend the consolidated statutes with reference to the situation of the blind. He explained that its object was to increase the allowance from \$75 to \$80.

Mr. Copp presented the petition of M. E. Lodge and others for an act to incorporate the Moncton and Gulf Railway Company.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill in reference to certain consolidated school districts. He explained that its object was to extend the time to three years from the opening of the school, instead of three years from the passing of the act.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill for the better protection and preservation of the public domain. He said: This is the bill which I promised in the budget speech, and it is one which will be of great benefit to the province. It proposes a better way of taking care of our forests and increasing the revenue. Since the passing of the act, we have had a very important message from the crown timber lands of the province. It is a message which is of the greatest value to the province.

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In Gingham, Sateens, Drills, Galateas, Tweeds, Shakers and Flannels.

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COSY-CORNER CUSHIONS in immense numbers—just the right kind for lounging nooks, with pretty pictorial effects, and good durable coverings. From 50c. to \$1.25 each.

BROWN LINEN CUSHION CASES with Hemstitched Frill Plain, and worked in white and colors. Ready for the cushion. From 35c. to \$1.25 each.

FANCY SATIN CUSHIONS; something really fine for the drawing room. Made in gorgeous materials and appropriately patterned. Only 75c. each.

LAUNDRY BAGS in Fancy Art Ticking—a brand new assortment, also in Satens. These have Hoop Handles and are quite new in idea. Only 75c. each.

STAMPING TO ORDER is a specialty with us and now is the time to get your spring orders stamped. We will have in design for the Eyelet or Shadow work. New designs for Towels, Corset Covers, Collar and Cuff Sets, etc.

(Art Room).

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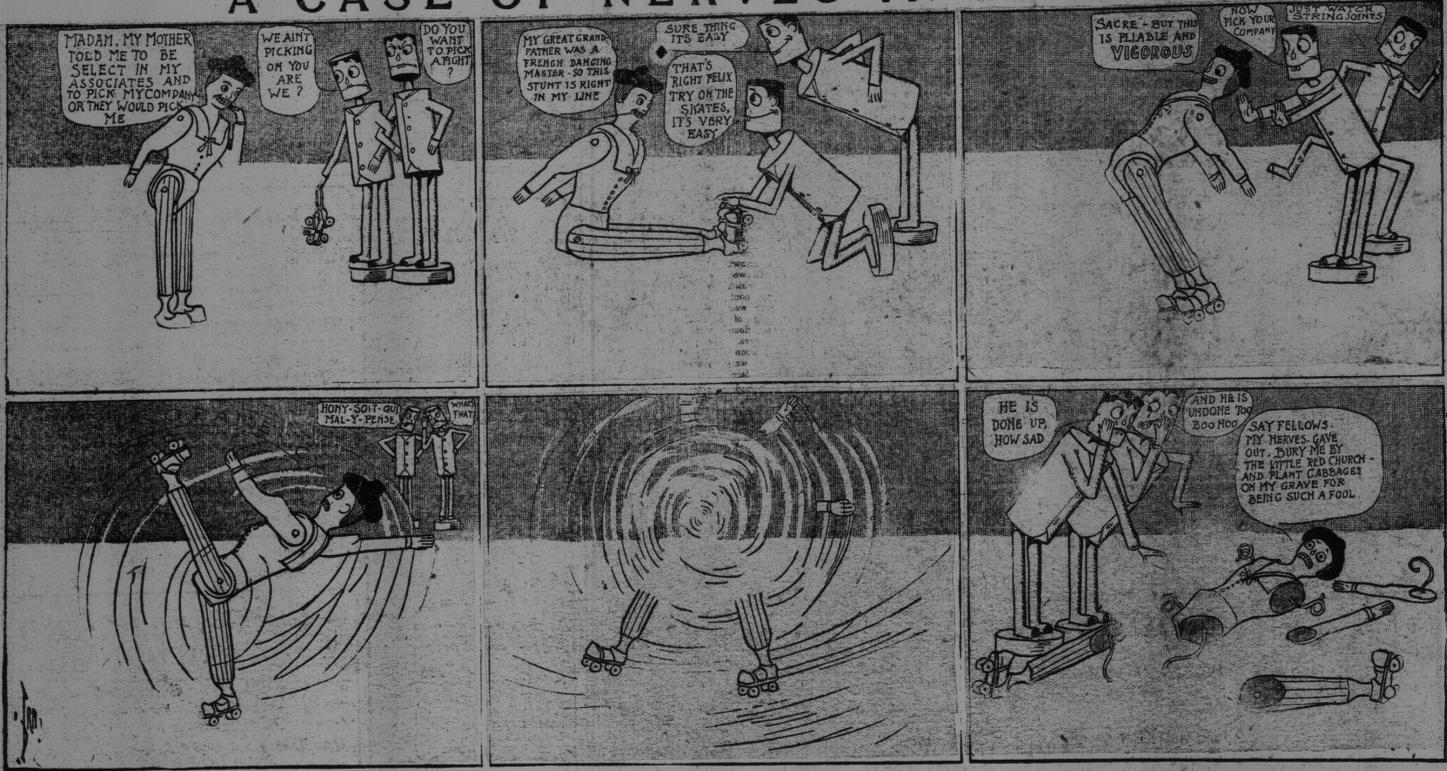
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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1906.

SUITABLE TOILETTES FOR YOUNG MATRONS

The Styles of the Hour Are Admirably Suited to the Needs of Young Matrons. The Ready-made Maternity Gown Unsatisfactory in Most Cases---Gowns Made on Empire Lines Are More in Vogue Than the Separate Skirt and Blouse. Black Chiffon Panama Cloth Is Admirably Adapted to This Purpose, as It Permits of Unlimited Shirrings.



(By Mary Dean.)

The present styles are admirably suited to the needs of the young matron. Looseness of fit is everywhere a feature of the moment, and the fall of lines from the bust, which the short-waisted effects entail, are becoming in every figure. Ready-made toilettes for maternity wear are excessively dear, and nine times out of ten they are inadequate. The same deficiencies apply to the corsets and bonnet trunks provided, so it has come to be the thing to have these garments and toilettes made to order. A private dressmaker gives some excellent advice as to the general lines needed to effect a good appearance. The only skirt which can be worn with any degree of comfort and good effect is shirred a finger deep all round. It is, besides, long enough to fall upon the floor everywhere. But toilettes built on Empire lines are best of all, the odd skirts and regulation waist not leading itself always to good results. The shoulders of the Empire gown should also be built out widely, even to an exaggerated extent; the skirt be gathered very full, and the short bodice effect be finished at the front with a wide, soft bow and streaming ends, placed at the bust line. An Empire dress, the skirt of which is shirred, or finely plaited to the short waist, is a very disgusting and unwholesome model. Even the sleeves of the costume they part in the general good effect, full bodiced sleeves being much more desirable than close sets. An Empire street dress fashioned by this exclusive shop for a young matron was of black chiffon panama, the thinness of which permitted unlimited gathering. Black, too, is found to be better suited than color to an inconspicuous appearance. Some stunning Empire coats turned out by

five distinct facings, is of summer ballets, with a lower finish of silk elastic. Then there are boned bodices without number, and girdles which are akin to corsets; but all things said and done, the matter of the ease depends up in this we care. If it adds to comfort it should be worn; but if it brings the torture which many women complain of, it should certainly be discarded. In point of house dress, the needs of the young matron are very easily supplied. House gowns for all the world of women are on the loose flowing order, and what with the Watteau pleats so much employed, and the charming fluffy bows placed at the front, results cannot be other than graceful. Some charming house gowns in Empire style shown by the aforementioned people were made of a soft yet heavy grade of pongee. Rajah silk, cashmere, and delicate shaped others, one of which—the rajah silk—showed a lovely shade of old dull blue. This charming gown is shown in the larger drawing on this page tucked trimming the skirt, and narrow Cluny lace in a deep yellow, the fish and sleeves of the bodice. The vest is of white batiste, finely tucked and trimmed with the yellow Cluny. Another very special style among these house gowns was supplied by three triple capes, the soft ends of which crossed at the bust and fell fish-fashion, down the front. In fact, the graceful disguising fish is every-

where a feature among these dresses, and in the soft materials the house frocks call for they have a distinguishing prettiness. Some very smart little jackets were both of simple and elegant materials, as some are supplied for dinner wear. One of dull green silk hung with black lace and trimmed at the front with scarf of green chiffon was in exceptional taste. A handsome collar of Irish lace finished the slightly open neck of this, and the sleeves were elbow puffs ending in double ruffles. Apropos of Irish lace, it is enormously used upon the Spring things, among which are a variety of pretty black tulle jackets suitable to young matrons. The imported models in these are very quaint in cut, never longer than the hips and always loose. One model showed a full underneath like a second jacket of the heavier Irish, a magnificent pattern with snowball and a rustic edge. This fall followed the slappings of the little jacket which was bordered with a very simple pool of the silk. Inside the neck, which was V-shaped, there was a full under-lap from the lacy three-quarter sleeves. The prettiest touch of all showed upon the big silk covered buttons, which were covered in turn with the snowball lace. Lace-trimmed jackets of tulle, and shorties chain, will be a marked feature of the Spring styles. To be strictly the thing they will need to match the color

of the skirt, which may be of cloth veiling, cashmere or other Spring weight wool. A silk skirt will not be approved with these jackets, which to be really effective, must, as it were, stand alone. Referring to the subject of present discussion, the awkwardness and unfitness of the general bed-room wrapper is often a great fret to young matrons. The ready-made styles are never full enough, and when they are the price is out of all proportion to the worth of the garment, the style being also generally a very commonplace one. A smart and useful bed-room wrapper here displayed could be fashioned from any kimono pattern with a little ingenuity. For the pattern to the depth of an Empire bodice and cut material at this point; for the skirt, add more fullness than the pattern calls for and shape breastless slightly at top. A diamond sleeve instead of the usual open thing could also be substituted. A pretty wrapper of this sort is made of figured French chamois, with a hand-trimmed plain scalloped out at the top line. A feature of the second wrapper is a bias seam down the back running from neck to hem, which gives a charming swing to the entire garment and permits the fronts to fall with graceful fullness. The fit of the back of a garment is a very necessary point for the wrappers here specified. A loose fall from the shoulders is always good, whether made



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SOME NOTABLE PEOPLE. Ivy Ashton Boon, Author of 'The Greater Love'. ADELIN STANHOPE WHEATCROFT.

THE TRAGEDY OF LONDON'S POOR. In the address at the opening of the latest Men's Shelter in London, the General said that he was asked sometimes if he had a plan for dealing with the mass of social wrecks. Yes, he had. It was true that while they were doing something for the few there was a large number still out in the cold. Between 1,500 and 2,000 men would be wandering about the streets of London that night without a roof over their heads. Between three and four o'clock that very morning the Salvation Army fed in the streets of London 1,055 homeless wanderers, with a basin of soup, and 151 men were turned away from the Shelters on the previous night because there was no room for them. What were they to do with these people? He was ashamed to say that he had heard the suggestion made that they should leave them to perish and they would die in time. But the awkward thing about it was that instead of dying out, they increased and multiplied. If the country would have the plan he would separate them into classes. For those who would work he would have a sort of industrial league, in which if a man did his task for twelve months, and did not get drunk during that period, he would find him a place where the man could keep his character and earn his bread, and if it could not be done in this country he would take the man to another. But what about those who would not work? He would deal with them by compulsory powers, and by means of labor colonies he would compel those who were able to work to earn their own living. He believed they would soon be glad to work when they saw the necessity for it, and those who displayed willingness in that direction he would treat with special kindness, even to providing them with a newspaper to suit their political opinions. But who was going to pay the piper? Well, last year he was promoting a bill in parliament to deal with the compulsory confinement of vagrants, and that was backed up by gentlemen holding all kinds of political opinions. He was going to look after that bill very keenly and with great hopes in the coming parliament, and as to the cost, he believed he would make his scheme almost, if not entirely, self-supporting. In Switzerland such a scheme was not only self-supporting, but a source of profit to the state. Then he would link up those institutions with his emigration proposals, so that by means of colonies at home or abroad they would be able to deal with every man and woman who was now classed as destitute.

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Norah. I'm thinking now of boyhood years, The long, sweet days I knew, When all the world was ripe with song, And skies were soft and blue. Along the shady lanes of Clare, I wandered in my glee, And by my side a Colleen fair Sang old love songs to me. Their soft, sweet trill came back again-- The captive never dies-- I knew the story all too true I read in her dear eyes. It was the same old tale retold, You've heard it, I allow, And I loved Nora dearly then, And I love Nora now. One day, it really seems an age, I left the shores of Erin and-- I said a fond good-bye. She promised then, my men have done, And many yet will do, That time would only clove hind, Our lives and make them true. But time can never steal from me Those fancies sweet and dear, And Erin's shores seem bending yet-- Her shores today are near. For soft, grey eyes look into mine Reminding me of last year, My heart I left with Nora then, My heart's with Nora now. Since then I've wandered, oh, so far And many a road I've been And there is little worth the while To me that's yet unseen. The restless winds have blown me too, Like some weird ship of fate, And I'll be standing soon, alone, At life's grim twilight gate. But time can never steal from me Those fancies sweet and dear, And Erin's shores seem bending yet-- Her shores today are near. For soft, grey eyes look into mine Reminding me of last year, My heart I left with Nora then, My heart's with Nora now.

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NO SUNDAY EXCURSIONS

IF THIS BILL IS PASSED

Would Stop Sunday Amusements and Entertainments, and Also the Sale of Goods on Sunday - A Decidedly Restrictive Measure.

Ottawa, March 16. - Mr. Fitzpatrick's bill respecting the Lord's Day prohibits on Sunday the sale or offering for sale or purchase of any goods, wares or merchandise.

It shall not be lawful for any person on that day to shoot at any target, mark or other thing for that purpose.

The penalties for violation of the act are provided for in the bill.

Every corporation which causes its employees to violate the act is rendered liable for a penalty not exceeding \$500.

Nothing in the act is to prevent the operation of any act now or hereafter in force in any province regarding any railway subject as such to provincial legislation.

The act does not repeal or in any way affect the provisions of any Provincial Law Day act in present force.

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HORRIBLE DEATH OF MONCTON MAN

Moncton, N. B., March 16. - (Special.) - Harley Cole, son of Edward Cole, of Dorchester, an employe in the electrical department of the I. C. R. here, met a tragic death this afternoon while at work in the I. C. R. yard fixing electric light poles.

He climbed a pole to fasten the guy rope and came in contact with wires charged with 2,000 voltage, being electrocuted before the eyes of his horror-stricken fellow workmen.

The tragedy occurred about quarter to five. A crew of seven or eight men, Cole among the number, had been engaged during the day straightening light poles in the yard and were putting in shape the pole in front of the check office. It was found necessary to have the rope fastened about the pole to pull it into line.

None of the men happened to have a watch, so young Cole, who was known to be an expert climber, was asked by Foreman A. Amersall to climb the pole, fifteen feet, and fasten the guy.

The pole was thirty-five feet high. Cole was on the top of the pole when he was electrocuted. He was thrown from the pole and fell into the yard.

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WARM DEBATE ON INTERCOLONIAL

Haggart Says the Road is Bankrupt and Should be Got Rid Of.

Ottawa, March 16.—(Special)—When Hon. John Haggart resumed his speech on the Intercolonial Railway today, he took strong exception to the carrying of hay free to the farmers of Prince Edward Island. It was done during election time, and he was to do some of the same in the future.

assurance that the line is to remain in the hands of the government. When the maritime provinces were arranging for maritime union, the olive branch was held out to them. They joined confederation and one of the terms was the construction of the I. C. R. The low freight rates were arranged in the first place to carry on the work of the construction of the I. C. R. and not the maritime provinces got the benefit of these rates. They were arranged for the good of Canada. The government's position is that the road should be operated as a government railway.

\$200.00 GIVEN FREE IN GOLD PRIZES GRAND EDUCATIONAL CONTEST

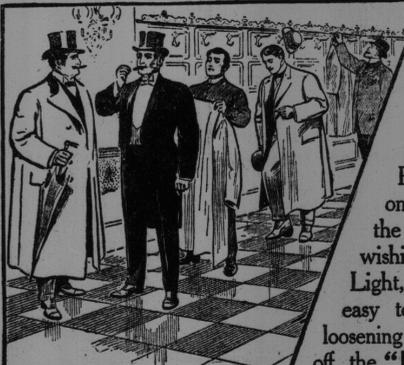
We offer \$200.00 in gold to those sending in the largest lists of correct words made from the twelve different letters used in spelling the four words Armour's Extract of Beef

CONDITIONS The only the following 12 letters—A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z. No letter to appear in the same word twice.

QUEBEC MAN FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

Three Rivers Jury Decides That Wallace McCraw Killed Percy Schlotter.

Three Rivers, Que., March 16.—(Special)—Wallace McCraw was today found guilty of the murder of Percy Howard Schlotter, who on March 5th, 1905, was found shot in his stable at Grand Anse on the St. Maurice River. Chief Detective McCracken, of the provincial force, was sent to the scene and at the coroner's inquest arrested Wallace McCraw and Mrs. Schlotter, wife of the murdered man, as an accomplice in the crime.



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We make all the "Eversticks" sold in Canada. Every genuine "Everstick" bears "the mark of quality." You know that means good honest wear.

RUINED HIS STOMACH

By Dosing With Deleterious Mixtures for Catarrh. A foolish practice to take eastern medicines into the stomach. The germs are in the nose, throat and bronchial tubes.

BANQUET FOR S. D. SCOTT HERE

A banquet will be given S. D. Scott, former editor of the Sun, in this city during the April recess of the house of commons. It will be given by friends in the Conservative party.

QUEEN'S COUNTY PROBATE COURT

Hampton, Kings county, March 16.—The Kings county Probate Court held its second March sitting at Hurdway yesterday afternoon, when Judge Gilbert granted letters of administration to Mrs. Alice M. Gannon, on the estate of her late husband, George W. Gannon, of Studholm, deceased.

HALIFAX GIRL MARRIES AMHERST CHINAMAN

Miss Nellie Kennedy is now Mrs. Charles Sing—Other News of Interest. Chatham, March 16.—Frederic G. Marshall, the energetic general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., spent yesterday in Amherst in the interest of that institution.

ATLANTIC CITY Is the Place to Spend the Birthdays of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln THE LEEDS COMPANY.

ROYAL HOTEL, 41, 43 and 45 King Street, ST. JOHN, N. B. VICTORIA HOTEL, King Street, St. John, N.B.

CAN CANCER BE CURED? IT CAN SIR.

Send 6 cents (stamp) for booklet "Cancer, Its Cause and Cure." Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont. In St. Andrew's church lecture room Monday evening a Canadian literary evening is to be given under the direction of Mrs. E. A. Smith.

RIBS TORN AWAY; DID NOT KNOW IT

"I felt something like a big nail sticking into me," was the remark of John Rose, of Guilford street, Carleton, when informed on Wednesday by the doctor that he had been working with two of his ribs torn from the breast bone.

THE WEAK SPOT

In case of disease or over exertion it is the weak spot that is immediately affected. With the majority of women the weak spot is the kidneys. The use of GIN PILLS corrects this by strengthening the kidneys so that they do their work naturally and well.

King Edward VII. Scotch Is unsurpassed by any other Scotch Whisky imported into this market. The secret of the success of this popular Scotch is that while it is made from Pure Barley Malt grown on the Moors of the Highlands it is aged in OLD SHERRY CASKS.

THE FIRST NEED of a cook, in order to insure good bread and pastry on Baking Day, is a good flour; and one which is uniform. A brand which varies in quality and strength and requires different methods of using every time, is a source of worry to any cook, and the cause of much spoiled bread and pastry.

NEW VICTORIA. Furnishings from our own store for winter with the excellent rooms and accompaniments of the Hotel at moderate rates. Overlooks harbor. On street car line. Write for prospectus to our office.

GIN PILLS clean, heal, purify—cure or you get your money back. All druggists get one per box, 6 boxes for \$10. Write for free trial box. MENTION THIS PAPER. THE BOLE DRUG CO. - WINNIPEG, MAN.

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Morocco Port Which the Kaiser Covets, His Enemies Assert



Mogador

Prince of Wales Watching Capture of Wild Elephant



The picture deals with an incident during the tour of India just made by the Prince and Princess of Wales. The elephant, who had been caught in the keddah was taken in tow by three tame elephants. He was very refractory, knocked over several Venetian masks, and then sat down in a clump of bamboo, and refused to go a step further.

Some of the Newest Plays and Those Who Figure

Advertisement for plays featuring portraits and names of actors like Allen T. Hopping, R.W. Chauchois, and C.D. Dunwoodie.

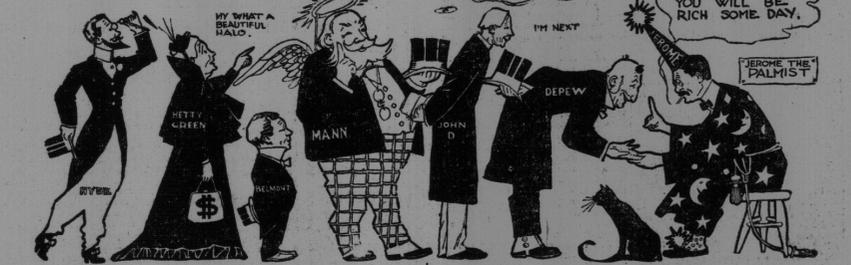
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Every mother who has used Baby's Own Tablets will tell you that they are the best medicine in the world for the cure of constipation, colic, sour stomach, indigestion, diarrhoea, sleeplessness, teething troubles and other ailments of children.

CHANT OF THE WATER WAGON
Yo-ho! for a life on the tempo'rance seat!
With a pledge abracadabra starboard lee!
And a thirst that's left behind!

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS with a circular logo and text.

Joseph S. Knowles, who has been suffering for a long time from a sprained knee, underwent an operation at the hospital Tuesday. He is now very much improved, as his friends will be glad to learn.

Carnegie Opens Laughing American Millionaires Association



New York, March 16.—The fourth annual convention of Laughing American Millionaires was opened with a broad grin today by "Andy" Carnegie in the grand banquet room of the Hot-Aero Club. Minutes of the last meeting were sung by Chauncey M. Depew amid screams of joy.



Countess de Castellane, Who Asks for Divorce

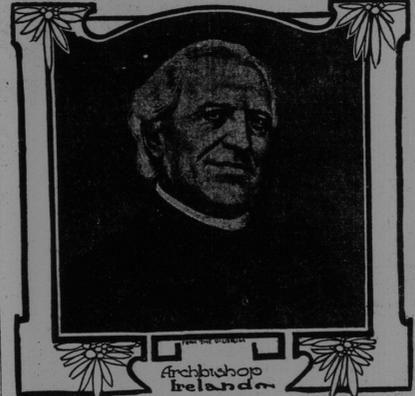


There is still much interest, both in France and this country, over the domestic difficulties of the Countess de Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould, and her husband, Count Boni. There have been at various times reports both that there was still possibility of a reconciliation and on the other hand that the legal action taken by the countess would be changed from a suit for a separation to one for a divorce.

WHAT SULPHUR DOES FOR THE HUMAN BODY IN HEALTH AND DISEASE.

The mention of sulphur will recall to many of us the early days when our mothers and grandmothers gave us our daily dose of sulphur and molasses every spring and fall. It was the universal spring and fall "blood purifier," "skin cure," and "mind yoke," this old-fashioned remedy was not without merit.

Prelate in Controversy With St. Paul Priest



St. Paul, Minn., March 16.—Almost simultaneously with the departure for Rome of Archbishop John Ireland, of this city, an announcement is made that a controversy involving him on one side and Father J. T. Harrison and Daniel W. Lawler, the prominent Catholic layman, of St. Paul, on the other, has been referred to the Vatican for decision, and promises to result in sensational revelations. It is whispered in church circles here that Archbishop Ireland is to be appointed a Curia Cardinal and to take up his permanent residence in Rome, but members of the Harrison party declare their belief that he has been summoned to the Holy See to explain his actions.

POPE DESIRES CONGREGATIONAL SINGING IN CHURCHES

London, Ont., March 16.—(Special)—Congregational singing was introduced at St. Peter's Cathedral in Rome yesterday for the first time. The Bishop of London announced that it was the desire of the Pope that congregational singing should be encouraged in Catholic churches.

HE TOOK HIS WIFE'S ADVICE

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Cured the Stomach Trouble that Confinned Henry A. Coles to His Bed.
One of the unpleasant features of indigestion and dyspepsia is that it always gets worse. Take the case of Henry A. Coles, of St. Mary's River, Guyana, Co., N. S. He says: "I had stomach trouble for about five years more or less, and at last I was taken to my bed and the doctor called in. He did me no good. I was suffering a great deal and did not know what to do."

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It's the one habit you'll never regret forming. It's a habit that brings genuine pleasure every day in the year. By all means—get the habit—smoke Irvings—and save the habit.

He's got the habit, why shouldn't you?

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To Whom It May Concern:

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If you want a first-class instrument, you should not fail to call or write for prices and terms to 7 Market Square, St. John. Easy terms of payment if required.

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**The Gilbey Catacombs**

Here is pictured one of the many vaults of W. & A. Gilbey, containing 8,000 Butts of wine. It conveys some idea of the justness of their claim—the largest Wine and Spirit Merchants in the world. The Port Wine Vault is a quarter of a mile long and contains as high as 7,000 to 10,000 Pipes.

Consumers—especially invalids—should be particularly on their guard against the cheap and inferior Spanish Red Wines which are largely sold as "Port." Their protection is a guarantee on the label that the Wine is strictly the "Product of Portugal." Without a peer as an After-dinner or Medicinal Wine is

**W. & A. GILBEY'S**

**"Invalid" Port**

Light in body and elegant in bouquet. Matured from the best growths of the Alto-Douro, where the Port Grape attains its highest culture.

This wine is so named because highly recommended by Sir Charles A. Cameron, President of the Royal College of Surgeons as a "genuine Port Wine of good quality, unequalled for general consumption and excellent for the use of invalids."

Absolutely guaranteed as labelled—A trial convinces.

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The Sanitary Wall Coating

is a cement base, in twenty tints and white. It hardens with age. A child can prepare it. Any man can use it to beautify the home. Women with their natural taste for good looks and pretty home surroundings can get splendid results with ALABASTINE.

Write for book about ALABASTINE and how to use it. FREE. Hardware and Paint Dealers everywhere sell ALABASTINE.

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**EFFECT OF COAL STRIKE, IF ONE IS DECLARED**

**400,000 Miners Will Stop Work and Cost Will Reach \$10,000,000 a Month—Operators Have Big Store of Coal and Miners Have a Good-Sized Defence Fund.**

(Brooklyn Eagle).

If the negotiations now in progress fail to avert a coal strike, the greatest conflict between labor and capital in the history of the country is expected to begin on the first of the month. Such a strike will involve 400,000 men, upon whom depend for support many persons, and cause a shut down that will cost miners and operators \$10,000,000 per month as long as it lasts. All industrial pursuits that depend on coal for power will be affected.

The strike of 1902 would be a child's play compared to one that now threatens. Then it was only the anthracite miners who went out. Now, the bituminous miners are involved, and should a call be issued every miner in the United States would lay down his pick, saving only those of West Virginia, who are non-union and who really are the cause of the present breaking out of a never-settled trouble.

201,000 IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Naturally the storm centre of such a strike would be Pennsylvania. The Keystone state employs a total of 201,000 coal miners, who last year turned out more than 170,000,000 tons. Virtually all the North Atlantic ports, draw on the coal fields of Pennsylvania for their supplies. Consequently, their commercial, manufacturing and business interests generally would be affected just as soon as the miners quit turning the shaft that makes the wheels go round.

In these cities of the coast there is a vivid memory of what the strike of 1902 cost before the intervention of President Roosevelt brought it to an end. One statistician figured that the "outlay" was at least as great as the hope fortune the United States government spent in the Spanish-American War. And since the month-end of the word "war" suggests bloodshed and the loss of life, it must also be remembered that in the great strike of 1902 both sides were singularly fortunate in keeping the deaths by violence down to thirteen.

It was partly in anticipation of a strike that Pennsylvania passed its anti-strike law, which, under Superintendent John C. Green, gives the state 200 trained men who could at all times be shifted quickly to the scene of disorder, and whose presence would be much less provoking to the miners than that of Pinkertons or soldiers, and hence less likely to provoke trouble.

Whatever is done to bring about a new agreement between miners and operators, must come quickly. On March 31 will expire the award of the Anthracite Coal Commission, which was appointed by President Roosevelt to settle the strike set on foot at the same time will pass out of existence the Board of Conciliation which has been successful in straightening out several other disputes in the four years of its existence.

While it is believed the operators' committee has about formulated the deal for its answer to the miners' demands, it is thought the former is sparing for time. The operators have announced the answer will not be submitted until March 19 at Pittsburgh. On the Thursday preceding will be held the national convention of the United Mine Workers of America in Indianapolis.

**BOTH SIDES WELL PREPARED.**

If there is a strike it will present one feature to make it even more stubbornly contested than the one of 1902. Now both sides are ready for it. Four years ago they were in a somewhat unprepared state. The situation is different. The operators have the coal, the miners the money.

The operators need coal to maintain a supply till the mines are tried out, and forced to return. The miners figure that if they have a sufficient supply of the root of all evil, they can hang from the hearths of their members, and thus do away with any chance of having the strike broken.

From official sources it was learned that the anthracite companies now have 15,000,000 tons stored in their own yards and that they expect to have at least 20,000,000 tons out of the mines and ready for a six months campaign if the mines decide to quit work. In fact the statement has been made by one representing both the anthracite and bituminous interests that so much coal has been produced within the last two years that a shutdown of several months this summer would be necessary if a strike was not ordered.

Among the bituminous operators extracted a very provision has likewise been made for the threatened strike. Bituminous coal is more stored than anthracite, because of its deterioration, and also because of the more constant demand for it in the manufacturing fields, but for more than a year dealers have been trying a possible emergency, and this advice has been accepted very generally throughout the Eastern and Middle States.

It was said recently that it was impossible to estimate how much bituminous coal was now outside the mines, but that millions of tons had been distributed among large manufacturers everywhere and that the companies had no apprehension of inability to supply all demands for the next six months.

While the operators have been storing their coal in this, the miners have been putting their money in the bank.

**DEFENSE FUND OF \$3,000,000.**

John Mitchell, national president of the Mine Workers of America, has steadily fought since the end of the last strike that it was but a temporary settlement, and that the miners owed it to themselves to get ready for a bigger battle.

This they have been doing with a will. Not only have the individuals banked a big percentage of their large earnings of the last four years, but so liberally have they subscribed to the defense fund that President Mitchell now has at his command more than \$3,000,000 with which to keep the wolf from the miners' door after the battle begins.

That the organization is capable of carrying on strikes upon a magnitude unheard of before in this country is indicated in the statement that during the past four years it has conducted no fewer than twenty-two strikes in the various coal districts of the country of sufficient importance to demand relief from the union's treasury.

For those four years these strikes have cost the operators a grand total of nearly \$3,000,000. In 1902 184,000 mine workers were on strike for two months, and 160,000 for five months, under the direction of this organization.

In the Meyersdale district of Pennsylvania some 1,500 families have been dependent upon the union for their support for nearly two years because of a strike in that field.

Since July, 1905, about 8,000 families of mine workers in Alabama have been supported for the greater part of this time through union relief, the expenditure of the United Mine Workers for this purpose alone in that state averaging \$10,000 a week. In Colorado and Utah, for three months in 1904, this organization expended an average of \$15,000 a week in the conduct of a strike.

Although the big principles on which the present quarrel hinge are those of labor and capital, supply and demand, the difference between employer and employee as to how profits should be shared, it is, nevertheless, a fact that the situation in West Virginia has done much to bring about the crisis.

West Virginia has coal fields, and valuable ones. Foreign immigration lately has turned there in increasing numbers. The men have found employment in the coal fields, but they have not joined the union in fact they have worked for prices below the union scale. This has enabled the Virginia operators to sell their coal at a lower rate than owners in other states where unions keep up the price of mining coal which, with freight, is the main item in its production.

As long as West Virginia remains non-union its prices stay down, and the operators have not hesitated to sell the union leaders that if they want to be considered they must unionize West Virginia. It was the West Virginia competition that made the mine owners of Ohio, Illinois, Indiana and Western Pennsylvania to make a five per cent reduction in wages in 1904, and the insistence of the miners that this be replaced is one of the issues in the present discussion.

**DEMANDS OF THE MINERS.**

Briefly put, the demands of the miners can be summed up thus:

Recognition of the union; an eight-hour day; a revised Conciliation Board arranged for the quiet settlement of grievances; uniform wages for company hands; a definite and as far as practicable uniform scale for all dead work; a standard ton for weighing ton.

No men on either side match them in ability. He has the general consent been picked to do the talking for the owners, and the United Mine Workers of America have placed their trust in Mr. Mitchell.

In the negotiations which preceded the coal strike of 1902 six men faced each other. These six were President Barst, of the Reading, Truesdale, of the Lackawanna, and Thomas, of the Lehigh Valley. John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, and District Presidents Faby and Nichols, of two of the miners organizations in the anthracite regions. These with one other District President, Duffy, conducted all the negotiations in 1902.

One day, the President Barst against Mitchell. The two met were the principal spokesmen for their sides in the discussion. The President and Mitchell clashed often in the hearings before the Board of Arbitration.

**FOUR PACKAGES OF DYES MAKE**

**Miners Miserable and Grief.**

**Diamond Dyes**

Have Made Millions of Wives, Mothers and Daughters Happy and Contented.

Women, who buy and use any of the advertised, wash and mangle packages, you put up in imitation of the reliable never-fading DIAMOND DYES, must spot to meet with sad and disappointing results in the home.

Crude package dyes with only fancy names to recommend them, and sold by one dealer for the sake of large profits, are the direct cause of much of the feminine bad temper and irritability manifested in many homes.

If our women and girls would avoid trouble, loss of goods and hard cash, they must insist upon getting the DIAMOND DYES, wherever they buy dye work is to be done. One ten cent package of the time-tried DIAMOND DYES will always color more goods than will two packages of other dyes, and give brighter, faster, more brilliant and more lasting shades. One set, DIAMOND DYES, is worth more than two sets of other dyes, for all well regulated homes.

Send your name and address to W. & A. Gilbey, Limited, Montreal, P. Q., and you will receive free of cost a new Dye Book, Card of Dyed Cloth Samples and Booklet in verse, entitled "The Legend of the Dye in the Kingdom."

**HAMILTON'S BLAST WILL NOT STOP SUIT AGAINST HIM**

New York, March 16.—Andrew Hamilton's statement before the legislative investigating committee at Albany yesterday will not interfere with the suit which the New York Life Insurance Company proposes to bring against him, according to Augustus G. Paine, a trustee of the company, and a member of the committee.

Mr. Paine was for several years a member of the New York Life's auditing committee, but resigned six years ago. He said today that he did not see how that committee could be held responsible for payments to Hamilton, inasmuch as vouchers were always submitted by the controller of the company and the amounts called for were always regarded as part of the company's legitimate expenses.

**Onions & Bran** were very good in their day for chest troubles, but the modern way is to sprinkle cloths wrung out in hot water, with

**Kendrick's Liniment** and apply to the chest when relief is prompt and effective.

Use it for all distress and pains in the Lungs, Chest and Throat.

**OUR ALTERATION SALE**

Has been a great success so far. Hundreds of people have been well satisfied and we are ready to fill the wants of hundreds of others.

**Some of the Big Bargains for Saturday and Monday:**

- BOYS' 3-PIECE SUITS, all-wool—Tweed, Double Suits and Knives, Age 8 to 12, Worth 3 Dollars—Sale Price, \$1.00.
- BOYS' 3-PIECE SUITS, All-Wool Tweed, Fancy Stripes and Checks, Worth \$4.00 Sale Price, \$2.00.
- BOYS' WOOL FLEECE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, Fit Ages 4 to 14, 24c. Each.
- MEN'S FLANNELLETTES NIGHT SHIRTS Regular 60c. Kind for 38c.
- MEN'S WHITE DRESS SHIRTS, Regular 60c. Kind for 38c.
- MEN'S DUCK WORKING SHIRTS, 38c.
- MEN'S BLACK COTTON HOSE, 4 Pairs for 25c.
- MEN'S 3c. BRACES for 19c.
- MEN'S BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, 10 c.
- MEN'S WORKING PANTS, 85c. up.
- MEN'S ENGLISH HAIR-LINE PANTS, Worth \$3.00, Sale Price \$2.00.
- MEN'S NICE TWEED SUITS, DOUBLE OR SINGLE BREASTED LATEST CUT, Worth \$7.50, Sale Price, \$4.98.
- MEN'S FANCY TWEED SUITS LATEST STYLE DOUBLE OR SINGLE BREASTED, Worth \$10.00, Sale Price, \$6.00.
- MEN'S TWEED SUITS LARGE PLAIDS MOST DESIRABLE SHADES, Made to Sell at \$12.00, Sale Price \$8.00.
- MEN'S BLACK SUITS, Very Heavy Clay Waxed, Double or Single Breasted, Only, \$6.00.
- MEN'S HEWSON TWEED SUITS, Good Value at \$15.00, Sale Price, \$8.98.
- MEN'S SCOTCH TWEED SUITS, Latest Fashionable Cut Most Desirable Patterns, Worth \$15.00, Sale Price \$11.00.
- MEN'S BEST BLACK CLAY WORSTED SUITS, Same as a Tailor would charge you \$18.00 for, Sale Price \$10.00.
- MEN'S SHOWER PROOF OVERCOATS, Long Fashionable Cut, Full Back, Long Square Shoulders, Worth, \$12.00, Sale Price, \$8.00.
- MEN'S SPRING OVERCOATS, \$4.98 up.
- MEN'S DOUBLE-THREADED BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, Worth 60c. for 38c. each.

**LADIES!**

Don't Wear Cotton When You Can Get Silk at the Same Price.

- LADIES' SILK WAISTS, latest style, worth \$3.00, Sale Price \$1.98.
- LADIES' SILK WAISTS, White, Black, Blue and Brown, worth \$3.50, Sale Price \$2.48.
- LADIES' SILK WAISTS, Green, Grey and Brown, worth \$5.00, for \$3.48.
- LADIES' LUSTRE WAISTS, White, Blue and Brown, regular \$1.25, for 78c.
- LADIES' LUSTRE WAISTS, Black, White; Blue and Brown, regular \$1.98 for \$1.48.
- LADIES' BATEEN UNDERSKIRTS, worth \$1.25, for 80c.
- LADIES' SILK UNDERSKIRTS, Black, Blue or Grey, worth \$6.00, for \$4.00.
- LADIES' LATEST STYLE IN LUSTRE SUITS, worth \$7.50, for \$5.00.
- LADIES' LATEST STYLE WASH SUITS, from \$1.75 to \$5.00.
- LADIES' LATEST STYLE CLOTH SKIRTS, from \$1.75 to \$6.00.
- LADIES' CLOTH COATS, from \$2.98 to \$13.00.
- LADIES' CLOTH SUITS, from \$3.75 to \$18.00.
- LADIES' UMBRELLAS, from 35c. to \$2.50.
- LADIES' FLEECE LINED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, only 38c. each.
- LADIES' SUMMER VESTS, 2 for 25c.

**L**ARGE Assortment Ladies' Spring Hats, in millinery department, at wholesale prices.

**Wilcox Bros.,**  
54 and 56 Dock St., 1 and 2 Market Sq.

THIS EVENING

Stocks Moving Pictures and Concert at the Opera House.

THE WEATHER

Forecast—Moderate to fresh northwest to west winds, fair and moderately cold.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON

Highest temperature during last 24 hours 20. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 10.

LOCAL NEWS

Registrar Jones reports four marriages during the present week, also nineteen births, ten girls, nine boys.

The Daily Telegraph's splendidly illustrated industrial number will be ready for delivery on Monday.

The sale of white and grey cottons at Brown's, 32 and 36 King Square ends tonight.

The interest keeps up in Jas. A. Tuffs & Son's going-out-of-business sale.

Do not forget the annual tea of the Ladies of Brussels street church, next Tuesday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock.

E. A. Everett, G. S. of Grand Division, will address the gospel temperance meeting in Union Hall on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

A trainload of cattle, containing 10 cars, was brought over from the west side this morning and will be shipped on board the steamer Manchester.

Jarvis Purdy, son of D. J. Purdy, M. P. leaves this evening for Des Moines, Iowa, to ascertain the amount of damage done by the Indiana who stole into the club house there recently.

At a copy-right, an interesting book, a pipe and a package of our GOLDEN SUNBEAM smoking tobacco and a pleasant evening is yours.

Don't have your eyes tested in a hurry, unless you want the wrong glasses.

A meeting of the building committee of the Seaman's Mission was held at the Chapman house last night.

The inspector who was on the McLeod wharf at the time of his construction thinks it is a collection on him to say that there was dissatisfaction with the work.

The three men, Holder, Briggs and Pond, who were arrested on March 2nd, on a charge of stealing liquor from a C. P. R. shed at Sand Point, were brought before the magistrate yesterday.

Fourteen deaths occurred in the city during the past week. They resulted from the following causes: Consumption, 2; cancer, 2; influenza, 1; bronchitis, 1; pneumonia, 1; convulsions, 1; heart failure, 1; bronchitis, 1; abdominal tumor, 1; inflammation of brain, 1; death and cerebral, 1; obstruction of circulation, 1.

It is not surprising how the interest has kept up during the entire past week in the sale which is going on at E. A. Dykeman & Co.'s store of the goods saved from the Beck & Peterson fire.

Increasing business at Bustin & Withers' furniture store at 20 demands larger quarters and Jas. Myers, carpenter, is engaged in making extensive alterations.

The store is being remodelled, including new front and a new wide staircase leading to the display rooms above, which now extend as far as Tull's store, making one of the largest furniture stores in St. John.

In the Dominion ten names this afternoon Capt. Marshall and Miss W. Lezley and Miss McLean, J. G. Harrison and Miss Mary Robinson, Dr. T. D. Walker and Miss Vera R. Binson will contest. The winners will receive club prizes.

The city has certainly struck a small sized gold-mine this winter in the contract with the St. John Railway Company for the removal of snow.

Another Position Gordon Tuffa has been selected by the Employment Bureau of the Currie Business University, Ltd., to fill the position of bookkeeper for Linton & Sinclair Co., Ltd.

GAVE COLLINS \$1000 IN GOLD

Imperial Potentate Honored by the Mystic Shriners in Toronto.

A number of the St. John Nobles of the Ancient Arabic Order of Mystic Shriners will join the Imperial Potentate's caravan, which leaves Portland, Me., on May 7th, for Los Angeles.

(Toronto Globe, Thursday.) At the ladies' night in connection with the Banquet Temple of the Mystic Shriners last night, Imperial Potentate Harry A. Collins was the subject of an interesting presentation.

Mr. Collins has been the potentate of the local temple for eighteen years, and at Niagara Falls last June he had the high honor conferred on him of being elected to the position of Imperial Potentate by the representatives from 100 temples, 95 of which are in the United States and 5 in Canada.

The presentation to Mr. Collins consisted of a purse containing a thousand dollars in gold, whilst Mrs. Collins received, on behalf of the members, a very handsome diamond sunburst with 45 diamonds, the present being valued at \$800.



Harry A. Collins

Mrs. Kennedy, were presented each with a diamond ring valued at \$175. The presentations were made by Potentate of Banquet Temple, Illustrations Noble James Glavin.

WHO WILL SUCCEED ARCHBISHOP O'BRIEN?

Already there is much speculation as to who will be the successor of the late Archbishop O'Brien.

It might be said that Bishop Casey will have a prior right to the exalted dignity, being a more prominent figure in the hierarchy.

Bishop Barry's name is also rumored, but his lordship's health, it is said, would not permit of the tremendous responsibility.

Dr. Thompson is connected with St. Francis Xavier College, and it is altogether unlikely that either one would be selected.

Bishop McNeill, of Newfoundland, is an able man, and perhaps he might be chosen as archbishop.

As a matter of fact what will be a dignissimus, 2 Dignior and 3 Dignus when the names go to Rome is yet and will be unknown to the public until after the appointment.

CHURCH SERVICES

Rev. J. B. McLean of Hopewell, N. S., will conduct the services Sunday at St. Stephen's at usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Congregational Church, Union Street, between German and Prince Wm. Rev. W. S. E. B. A. pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject: "Fleeing from Duty." Evening subject: "The Deceiver." Sunday school at twelve o'clock.

Main St. Baptist Church, Rev. D. Hutchinson, pastor, will preach at both services. Baptists at close of morning service.

Rev. C. W. Corey, of Strathcona, Alberta, will preach in Brussels street Baptist church Sunday evening on the needs of the west. Mr. Corey is a Kings County New Brunswicker, man, who knows the west thoroughly.

SALE AND TEA

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a sale of fancy needlework and useful articles in the school room of St. David's church on the afternoon and evening of Thursday the 28th of March.

Num rous articles of artistic design and real merit will be on sale many of which will form appropriate gifts for Easter. Tea will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock and during the evening a musical and literary programme will be rendered by local talent. The proceeds will be devoted to the furnishing fund of the new building of the Y. M. C. A.

AUCTIONS

At Club's corner today the book debts of Robertson & Trite, amounting to \$44,400, were sold at auction to W. B. Bennett for \$43.

IS NOW OVER \$16,000,000

The Value of the Winter Port Cargoes Rapidly Rolling up.

The following is a list of Steamships that have made returns of their outward cargo at the customs house up to showing the valuation of each cargo:

Table listing steamships and their cargo values. Columns include ship name, value, and other details.

Total for 27 steamers... \$16,738,338. Total to date... \$16,738,338.

Since the above was made up the cargoes of the Lake Michigan and St. John City have been entered at the customs, adding \$1,745,745, making a grand total of \$18,484,083.

The whole total for the season of 1919 was \$18,736,877 for ninety-nine cargoes.

The valuation of the first 27 cargoes that went forward last year was \$10,867,389 against the above season of 1919.

The number of cargo shipped up to date in the above steamers is 19,562, against 20,318 for the whole of last season.

Manitoba has received up to date the customs house.

For three steamer, the Oriens, Canada Cape and Melville in the above list are for South Africa, their outward cargoes are valued at \$1,027,500.

Donalson steamship Trinitia, Captain Abernethy, will go to sea this afternoon at 5 o'clock, bound for Glasgow with a cargo of 1,000 tons.

C. P. R. steamship Montserrat, Captain Hodder, will sail this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for London, from this port, with a general cargo.

The valuation of the outward cargo of the steamship Lake Michigan, now on her way to London and Antwerp, from this port, is \$444,150, which is not included in the above list of vessels.

Furness steamship St. John City, now on her way to London, from this port, has a cargo on board valued at \$15,592.

BUSINESS IMPROVEMENTS

Owing to the rapidly growing business of the city, it is necessary to enlarge the present showrooms by taking the upper story, adjoining and converting it into a carpenter, painter and electrician work.

St. Patrick's Day Favorites The Times received this morning from Savoy Bros. & Co., Oak Hall, a tiny pot of real shamrock.

Here's to the land of the shamrock and green. Here's to each leaf and his darling Colleen.

Here's to the one I love dearest and most. May God speed old Ireland.

That's an Irishman's toast! For some years spirits have made considerable attention from the society for Psychological Research and other similar organizations.

Investigation has shown clearly that all the supposed wonders are really explained by scientific means. On Tuesday evening, March 26th, an address upon this subject will be given in St. David's lecture room by Dr. G. G. Corbett of this city.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

The Myrtle-Harler big stock Co. opened up an engagement at the Opera House next Monday evening and will continue for several days with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

Last season the company left a splendid reputation in St. John having put in two weeks at the York Theatre to pack off houses. This season there are several new faces in the company, also new plays, scenery, vaudeville, etc. The play chosen as the first offering on the return is a



W. H. Harler

comedy drama in four acts entitled "Talk" and in the list are one of the most realistic stage fights ever introduced upon the local stage is introduced.

For Wednesday and Thursday an elaborate production of the New England play "My Jim" a story as sweet as "Way Down East." Friday and Saturday evening the big scenic sensation in 4 acts "The Fisherman's Daughter." Two matinees Wednesday and Saturday, Wednesday "The Rose Girl" dealing with life in the sun-kissed southland. Vaudeville will be introduced between the acts, making this a continuous performance.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Chicago Market Report and New York Close. Banker and Broker.

Table of stock market prices. Columns include stock names, prices, and market status.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

May wheat... 43 1/2. July corn... 1.15. August corn... 1.10.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

Open Iron & Steel... 117. 1/2. Tin City... 117 1/2.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED-BY THE LAST OF MARCH, G. H. for general housework. No washing. 77 Gormley street. 2-15-19.

WANTED-AT ONCE, CAPABLE YOUNG man as collector. Apply between 9 and 10 o'clock a.m. Times office. 2-15-19.

TO LET-TWO SMALL FLATS, OUTSIDE of King and Ladlow streets, West End. Apply to E. O. PARSONS, STORIE, 2-15-19.

TO LET-BRICK DWELLING NO. 96 Oak Street. 12 rooms, hot and cold water. W. M. JARVIS. 2-15-19.

TO LET-EITHER AT OPERA HOUSE OR between Princess and Sydney streets, a pair of Eye-glasses. Finder rewarded on leaving Electrician, 24 Spring street, residence of Mrs. P. S. CHASE, 22 Princess street. 2-15-19.

WANTED-POSITION BY RELIABLE man willing to do any competent business, where he can learn things. Electric works preferred. J. W. W. Box 21, Fredericton, N. B. 2-15-19.

W. E. MUNFORD, Carpenter and Builder. Jobbing promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. 24 Spring street, residence at 8 Spring street. 2-15-19.

VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, BANJO and all other Stringed Instruments repaired. Sidley Tobias, 70-81 Spring street. 2-15-19.

LAWTON GREENGLADE, 259 Brussels Street, Choice Family Groceries. All goods new and fresh. Prompt delivery. All goods as represented. Satisfaction guaranteed. A trial will convince. 2-15-19.

TO LET-THE MORNING BUNCH of 12 eggs, six on the be from Union, Gorman, King and Prince William streets. Find or please return to MRS. A. J. HALEY, 215 York street. 2-15-19.

WANTED-BOY AT D. & J. PATTERSON'S, 77 Gormley street. 2-15-19.

MACAULAY BROTHERS & CO.

We are now showing a full range of the new and very popular leaf, stem and moss green shades in all the latest weaves in

Wool Dress Fabrics and Costume Cloths

Green has been established during the past 2 or 3 weeks as the leading color in New York. It will not be the most worn, but will be the exclusive dressy color for this season.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. COTTON COTTON

Grey 5c. Grey 6 1-2 White 8c. A good cotton, yard wide, regular 7 cent quality. Extra heavy, suitable for sheeting, never sold for less than 9 cents yard. English Cotton, Linen finish, good value at 10 cents yard.

SALE ENDS TONIGHT AT TEN P. M.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 King Square

MOHAIR DRESS GOODS.

More popular than ever. They come in Spots, Figures, Checks, Plaids and Plain, from 30c. per yard to \$1.00. We have all colors, White, Cream, Fawn, Champagne, Navy, Brown, Green and Cardinal.

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

Magnificent Stock of French Suit Cases and Bags

Just opened, ten cases of these goods, fresh from the makers, at low prices for cash: No. 1 Suit Case, \$1.25. No. 2 Suit Case, \$1.75. No. 3 Suit Case, 2.00. No. 4 Suit Case, 2.50. No. 5 Suit Case, 3.00. No. 6 Suit Case, 4.50. No. 7 Suit Case, 5.00. No. 8 Suit Case, 6.00.

With a lot of Ladies' Bags, fine grained Kid, Alligator and Seal Leather, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$2.00 up to One hundred, dozen of Men's Braces, full length, silk and mohair ends. Just a manufacturer's lot to clear. The price was 25c. to 40c. a pair, now your choice of the entire lot for 20c. a pair. All at the.

Globe Clothing House, 7 and 9 Foot of King St.

24 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1. Fresh Roll Butter, 22c. per pound. ROBERTSON & CO. 562 and 564 Main St., St. John, N. B.

New Cotton Wrappers!

Mere cheapness never influences this store. The Print used must be of wearful quality. The workmanship, style and fit of each garment must be beyond criticism. This applies to the cheapest as well as to the most expensive Wrappers.

90c., \$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75 Each.

S. W. McMACKIN, Successor to SHARP & McMACKIN, 335 Main Street, North End.

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

A Gilt Tea Set, (54 Pieces) Worth \$4.00. On sale now for \$2.98. Only 10 Tea Sets in Lot. PEOPLES' DEPT. STORE, 2 Mill Street.

Consultation FREE. The Famous Hale Method. Boston Dental Parlors.