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SPORTSMAN'S SHOWS WILL
PROVE OF GREAT BENEFIT.

Mrs. Scovill Tells of Her Trip—A Great Deal of Interest Manifested in the New Brunswick Display—Big Tourist Rush is Expected.

Mrs. W. H. Scovill, secretary of the N. B. Tourist Association, who returned on Tuesday from Boston where she attended the Sportsman's Show, which was the first of its kind in the history of the province, says that she was very interested in the facts concerning her trip and the success of the New Brunswick Tourist Association's exhibits at the New York and Boston shows.

A photograph of the Boston exhibit was shown to the reporter. The space was a large one, and moose heads, caribou, deer, wild cats, lynx and other animals which can be secured in the N. B. forests were on exhibition. The New York show lasted for nine days. A large crowd of visitors were continually surrounding the New Brunswick booth and a great many made arrangements to come to this province this summer in search of big game. Adam Moore, of Scotch Lake and Charles Trimmer, two well known guides, were in attendance at the booth and they gave out all the desired information. These guides were known by many New York men and they were given the time of their lives in the city. The Boston show opened on April 1st and continued until the 18th. As far as the exhibits were concerned, the Boston show was far in advance of the New York show. Two cub bears were placed in the N. B. booth and the guides fed them from nursing bottles. Large crowds congregated in the booth and they gave out all the desired information. These guides were known by many New York men and they were given the time of their lives in the city.

Many former New Brunswick men were seen at both shows, and they seemed to desire to linger about the N. B. booth the most of the time. Mrs. Scovill states that one would be surprised to know the large number of New York people who are ignorant of the existence of New Brunswick. Many wanted to know where this province was situated. One New York paper came out with an article headed "Exhibit from New Brunswick, N. B.," which was a surprise to many of the people who had been to the show. Mrs. Scovill reported that great benefit would be derived. Many persons had arranged to come to this province this summer who otherwise would not have done so. Over 20,000 books of the New Brunswick Tourist Association were distributed and the demand was very heavy. Many people came back to secure several of the pamphlets to send to friends in other parts of the States. While in New York and Boston Mrs. Scovill saw several railroad officials and asked them if they looked forward to a big travel to New Brunswick this summer. They expected the biggest rush of tourists to these parts that has ever been.

The trip was a strenuous one and hard work was required to make the N. B. exhibits worthy of special notice, but we have been successful in making sportsmen who visited both shows said that we had the finest exhibit of all. The booklets issued by the Tourist Association are very attractive. They contain many New Brunswick scenes. Cuts of some of St. John's best residential streets appear, and the pamphlets are by far the most attractive yet issued.

ST. JOHN LAWYER WINS
CASE AT CHARLOTTETOWN

Fred. R. Taylor was successful in Contesting the Case Against Magdalen Steamship Co. CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 18.—At noon today Justice Gulliver gave judgment in the admiralty court in the case of the Magdalen Island Steamship Co. versus the Gloucester fishing schooner Diana. The plaintiff's steamer Amelia collided with the schooner of East Point, P. E. I., last September. The plaintiff claimed receipt of damages and salvage for the schooner. The defendant claimed that the schooner was responsible for the collision, allowed no salvage and condemned the steamer to the owners with costs. The counsel for the schooner was Edward S. Dodge of Boston and Fred Taylor of St. John. The case excited great interest here.

P. E. I. MAN MURDERED
IN SAN FRANCISCO

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 18.—James Mooney, aged 24, son of Robert Mooney, of Morley, P. E. I., was murdered recently in San Francisco. He had been stabbed to death in one of the parks and robbed of everything of value, watch, money and ring. Near by was found a knife with which the deed had been committed. There is no clue to the murderer. Hon. George Goldin, of Summerside, member of the provincial government, has been recommended by the Liberal Association as the successor to B. D. McLellan, customs collector at Summerside and will likely receive the appointment.

NOTHING DOING.

PARIS, April 18.—It is asserted in official circles here that nothing in the nature of a French naval demonstration is intended off Morocco. The French cruisers Lalande, Forbin and Gloire, it is added, are merely cruising off the Moroccan coast, putting into various ports and prepared to cope with eventualities until the present intervention of France in Morocco is no longer necessary. The reports received by the French government say the situation is uglier than for some time past.

WOOD POINT MAN
ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Aubrey Snowdon Was Seriously Wounded. Will Lose a Leg—Gun in a Boat Was Discharged While the Victim and John Alward Were Coming Home

SACKVILLE, N. B., April 18.—A very serious gunning accident occurred at Wood Point last night, whereby Aubrey Snowdon, son of Alma Snowdon of that place, will lose one of his legs, if not his life. It seems that John Alward and Snowdon were returning from a gunning expedition. Alward had taken the shells from his gun, but Snowdon neglected to do so. Snowdon was pulling the boat to shore, when in some manner something struck the trigger, discharging the gun, the contents entering Snowdon's right knee, leaving a ragged hole, and splintering the bone. The blood flowed freely and it looked at one time as though he would bleed to death before help arrived. Dr. Cook was called and stopped the flow of blood, but did not attempt to remove the shot. The probability is that his leg will have to be amputated. Snowdon, who is about twenty-one years old, is a carpenter by trade, but during the winter has been employed in the lumber woods at Liver Hebert, N. B.

PARISHIONER EJECTED
FROM THE RECTORY

Had Rev. Mr. Marlmann Fined for Assault. But on Appeal the Conviction Obtained by Larsen Was Set Aside by Judge Carleton

WOODSTOCK, N. B., April 18.—Judge Carleton has just returned from Amherst where he heard the appeal in the summary conviction case of Larsen vs. Marlmann. Some time ago the defendant, who is a clergyman in charge of the Episcopal Mission in New Denmark, ejected one Larsen from the rectory. There had been some friction in the community and Larsen was the bearer of an annoying letter to the person. Refusing to leave the premises there was a scuffle in which the parson came out best. Larsen had the clergyman fined \$10 and costs before a magistrate. From this decision an appeal was taken. Council K. C. of Andover, for Larsen, the evidence went to show that the conviction was based on insufficient testimony and judgment was accordingly given in Rev. Mr. Marlmann's favor, reversing the conviction with costs. Larsen, perhaps anticipating an unfavorable finding, left the jurisdiction of the court before the case was fully argued.

GUNARD LINE IS AT
PEACE WITH THE WORLD

And Officers Do Not Anticipate Any Disagreements—Nothing Definite About Leaving Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, April 18.—Presiding today at the annual meeting of the Cunard Steamship Company, Chairman Watson said he had no positive announcement to make as to whether the company proposed to move from Liverpool to a channel port. He thought the best interests of the line would be served by leaving the matter in abeyance. The new steamers Lusitania and Mauritania would be running in a few months and the company had entered into a satisfactory lease with the New York authorities for increased dock accommodations. Regarding the relations with competitors, the chairman said they were much the same as last year. Although there were no binding agreements regarding rates, they remained practically unchanged. There had been rumors of a breach in the existing understanding, but thus far it had practically been undisturbed. Overtures had been made to the Cunard Line to ally itself with continental competitors, but the terms suggested were of such a nature that they could not be considered. The Cunard Line wished to live in peace with its competitors, but it must be peace based on such a share of business as the Cunard Line was entitled to. The latter would not change existing conditions unless it became necessary to uphold the company's interests on a fair and equitable basis. The statement that the Cunard Company had sold its interests in the Hungarian-American trade was incorrect and the Hungarian government had not asked the company to cancel its contract. The Hungarian government was perfectly loyal to its agreements and the Cunard Line had no doubt that it would continue to be loyal.

JUDICATURE ACT MAY BE
HELD OVER TILL NEXT YEAR

Government Not Likely to Bring It Into Effect Until Provision is Made at Ottawa for the Appointment of the Additional Judge

The judicature act is again held up, and will not likely be brought into operation for almost a year. This is because the amended bill was passed in the local legislature too late for the federal government to provide the salary for the extra judge required, and because the provincial government does not think it advisable to introduce the act until such provision is made. In conversation with the Star today Premier Pugsley outlined the government's position. "You may say," said Premier Pugsley, "that the judicature act as amended was assented to only on Saturday last, and the minister of justice has not yet received any notification regarding it. The British North America act which constitutes the judiciary is what we base our act upon, and there are but two courses open to the federal authorities, either to provide for the judges required for our courts or to disallow the act. "You will notice that Mr. Aylesworth's statement was a purely informal one, but indeed I have no information which would lead me to believe that the federal government will do otherwise than outlined by him. It is now towards the end of the session and we could scarcely reasonably expect provision for an additional judge to be made in these closing hours. It is scarcely probable that anything will be done until next session. "It must also be noted that the act has not yet been proclaimed. We might bring it into force at any time and our courts could be conducted under it with the present number of judges, but of course business could not be as efficiently carried on as with the full bench as outlined in the act. You see it might perhaps be a little unwise to make the act effective until the federal authorities provide the salary for the additional judge and decide upon the readjustment of the bench. This course will likely be adopted, and though I have had no communication with the minister of justice yet, it is probable that the two governments will come to an understanding and act together in the matter. However, as I said, this has been nothing definite."

LOTS OF KISSING WHEN
THE TWO KINGS MET.

Edward and Victor Emmanuel Together in Italy. Britain King Given a Great Reception—Greetings Sent to Queen Victoria—Expressions of Friendship

GAETA, Italy, April 18.—The British royal yacht Victoria and Albert, with King Edward and Queen Alexandra on board, arrived here at about 8:30 o'clock this morning from Malta, escorted by the British armed cruisers Suffolk and Lancaster. King Edward was received by King Victor Emmanuel, who was on board the Italian Royal Yacht Trinacria surrounded by twelve Italian warships and twelve torpedo boats. The usual salutes were exchanged and hearty cheers greeted the British King from the people ashore and the sailors on board the warship. Notwithstanding the fact that the weather was not so fine as hoped for, the shore of the beautiful Gulf of Gaeta, stretching from here to Formia, presented a most attractive appearance, being one continuous stretch of luxuriant vegetation. The two Kings embraced each other repeatedly when they met on board the Trinacria, and King Victor Emmanuel kissed Queen Alexandra's hand. The Mayor of Gaeta sent her Majesty a bouquet of orchids and roses with a card bearing the words: "Devotion and admiration to the most powerful queen in the world." A lunch on board the Trinacria followed. It was mainly attended by military and naval officers, the only local official invited being General del Rosso, commander of the fort of Gaeta. The presence of Marine Minister Miraballo, a strong advocate of increasing the strength of the Italian navy, and the commanders of so many men-of-war, before one of the chief strongholds in the Mediterranean accentuated the martial character of the repast. The toasts exchanged were simply expressions of friendship between Italy and Great Britain. A crowd of English women, who were permitted to witness King Edward's arrival from the high bastions of the fort, gave vent to their patriotism by singing "God Save the King," which was acknowledged by the British royal yacht dipping her ensign.

THE HARKINS COMPANY
ARRIVE AT HALIFAX

Driven Back From the West Indies by the Prevalence of Yellow Fever.

HALIFAX N. S., April 18.—Steamer Orinoco arrived this morning from the West Indies. She encountered terrific weather from Bermuda and came with her decks covered with snow. She had a large passenger list and a heavy cargo. Among the passengers were the members of the Harkins Dramatic Company, who started on a tour of the West Indies, but got no farther than Bermuda. Owing to the prevalence of yellow fever at Trinidad, they cut the trip short. Many cases of yellow fever are reported at Port of Spain and the other islands have put up the quarantine, and Trinidad is practically cut off from the rest of the world.

THAW STILL GIVING ORDERS
ABOUT HIS LAWYERS

NEW YORK, N. Y., April 17.—Clifford W. Hartridge, tonight, after A. Russell Peabody had had talk with Harry K. Thaw in the Tombs prison, made public the following letter: "Dear Sir: "Please continue as my attorney of record. "Very sincerely, "Harry K. Thaw." Lawyer Hartridge had no comment to make on the letter.

AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, April 18.—The commons today decided that the evidence taken by the Insurance Commission should be printed in French. Mr. Alcorn, a Conservative member, announced that he dropped his bill to amend the Dominion election act and the controverted election act. Mr. Borden asked what benefit the Intercolonial would get from the improvements to the Grand Trunk facilities at Montreal. TO LET—Top flat 254 Brussels St. Apply J. B. Gillespie, Ungar's Laundry. 18-4-tf

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- 2.—A SPLENDID CABINET GRAND UPRIGHT PIANO, by Martin-Orme, Ottawa, walnut case, seven and one-third octaves, slightly used—not much more than shopworn. Original price, \$375. Price now, \$290. Terms—\$10 down and \$7 to \$8 per month.
- 3.—A MAGNIFICENT CABINET GRAND MENDELSSOHN PIANO (Upright), walnut case, only a few months in use and as good as it ever was. Original price, \$425. Price now, \$290. Terms—\$10 down and \$8 per month.
- 4.—AN UPRIGHT NEWCOMBE, walnut case, seven and one-third octaves; all order; good as new. Original price, \$375. Price now, \$275. Terms—\$10 down and \$8 per month.
- 5.—A BEAUTIFUL SQUARE PIANO by Wm. Bourne & Sons, Boston, Rosewood case, seven and one-third octaves, carved legs, finished all round. Fine tone. Original price, \$500. Price now, \$445. Terms—\$10 down and \$5 per month.
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SPORTING MATTERS

BASEBALL

American League.
At New York—New York, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
At Detroit—Detroit, 1; Chicago, 4.
At Boston—Boston, 3; Washington, 1.
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 5.
National League.
At New York—New York, 2; Brooklyn, 1 (10 innings).
At Cincinnati—St. Louis, 3; Cincinnati, 8.
At Pittsburgh—Chicago, 6; Pittsburgh, 2.
At Philadelphia—Boston, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
Other Games.
At Holyoke—Holyoke (Conn.), 8; Jersey City (Eastern), 8 (called at end of ninth).
At New Haven—Yale, 11; Niagara, 3.
At Bridgeport—Montreal (Eastern), 7; Bridgeport (Conn.), 0.
At Waterbury—Yale Second team, 6; Waterbury (Conn.), 5.
At Worcester—Worcester (N. E.), 12; Newark (Eastern), 4.
At Philadelphia—University of Pennsylvania, 5; Gettysburg College, 4.
At Ithaca—Cornell, 5; Syracuse (State League), 4.
At Charlottesville, Va.—University of Virginia, 2; Trinity College, 1.
At Washington—George Washington University, 7; University of North Carolina, 8.
At Hartford—Hartford (Conn.), 7; Rochester (Eastern), 8 (ten innings).

land; sch Vinita, from New York via Riverport, NS; Freedom, from do; Emma, from Portland.
Cld, sch H H Kitchener for La Have.
Sid, str A W Perry, for Boston.

British Ports.
LIVERPOOL, April 17—Ard, str Sagamore, from Boston.
LONDON, April 17—Ard, str Latona, from Portland.
GLASGOW, April 17—Ard, str Corinthian, from Portland.
LONDON, April 17—Ard, str Lancasterian, from Boston.
LIVERPOOL, April 17—Ard, str Caroma, from New York.
Sid, str Teutonic, for New York; Lewisport, for Miramichi.

Foreign Ports.
CHATHAM, Mass., April 17—Fresh northwest wind; partly cloudy at sunset.
Passed north, tug Gypsum King, (light), from New York for Boston.
Passed east, str Silvia, from New York for Halifax.
NEW LONDON, Conn., April 17—Ard, sch Henry H Chamberlain, from Saint John, N. B. for—
BOOTHBAY HARBOR, April 17—Ard, schs Crescent, from Boston; Rowena, from do; Ida May, from do.
BOSTON, Mass., April 17—Ard, strs Auchenard, from Rosario, Buenos Ayres and Montevideo; Volund, from Asua, SD; sch Laura C. from Barbados; Lady E Whidden, from do.
CLEARED, sch Lotus, for St. John, N. B. Sailed, str Devonian, for Liverpool.
NEW YORK, April 17—Sid, str Ma-

chafed and davits bent and other damage to hull. She was towed to inner harbor, where repairs will be made to enable her to proceed to destination. No damage to Mark Pendleton.
Sch. Theresa Wolf, from Elizabethport for Hallowell, Me., reports off Watch Hill last night in a squall carried away jibboom and gear attached. Will make temporary repairs and proceed.
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The British str. Andalusia, from Swansea for Breconia, founded April 13 off the Spanish coast. Her captain, first officer and a sailor were picked up and taken to Gibraltar. All the rest of the crew are believed to have been drowned. The Andalusia was of 1,212 tons net. She was built at Newcastle in 1878 and was owned by the Iberian Steamship Company, Limited.

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Shipping Notes.
BOSTON, April 18—It is reported that the cost of repairs and other expenses to sch. Alice M. Lawrence, which struck on the Graves two weeks ago while towing in, will amount to about \$15,000.
BATH, Me., April 18—Sch. Mary E. Palmer was towed here today from Portland for repairs. She was quite badly damaged recently by collision with the sch. Theoline.
LYNN, Mass., April 18—A steamer known as "Alek" was drowned from str. Bay State last night, supposed to be a native of Cape Verde Islands.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., April 15—Sch. Mary Ann McCann, from Port Johnson for Castine, while lying at anchor here last night, fouled sch. Mark Pendleton, at anchor. The McCann had main rigging on starboard side carried away, rail and stanchions broken, cabin

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VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN.
Steamer—
Almeriana, 1,524, London, April 7.
Lake Erie, 4,814, Liverpool, April 10.
Manchester Trader, 2,126, Manchester, March 26.
Monmouth, 2,568, Bristol, April 6.
Pontiac, 2,072, at Bremen, March 26.

LOCAL NEWS

Bananas, 10c. per doz., at 2 Barkers', 100 Princess St., and 111 Brussels St.

Good Valencia oranges, 10c. per doz., at 2 Barkers', 100 Princess St., and 111 Brussels St.
The new plan of life assurance is to insure against sickness by drinking Nebedega water. A specific for all internal ills caused by over acidity, 37 Church street.

A rummage sale in aid of the building fund will be held at the Chipman House on the 25th of April. Those having contributions are requested to send them to the Chipman house as soon as possible.

Fred E. Jordan, editor of the Chatham Commercial, and formerly a well known figure on Newspaper Row, is in the city, on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Jordan, of King street east. The Commercial under Mr. Jordan's editorial direction has become one of the brightest weeklies in the province, and a model for its contemporaries.

A public meeting in the interests of the candidature of Hon. Wm. Pugsley for the federal nomination in the city and county vacancy, will be held in Berrymans Hall on Saturday night. The primaries for the election of delegates to attend the nominating convention will be held on Monday night. In another part of the paper full particulars are given as to where these elections will take place.

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Schooner Talmouth arrived yesterday from Fajardo, Porto Rico, with a cargo of molasses for Percy B. Evans.

See the beautiful Silver Tea Sets in Thos. J. Flood's window, 60 King St., which is to be seen away at Wonderland. Every purchaser of 10c ticket gets check.

Strong eyes are a blessing, but if your eyes are not strong and you need assistance you should go to D. Boyce, the optician. He always uses the dark room method of examination with modern scientific instruments.
Ring up—Main 293—and leave your order to have your piano moved. Our own team and experienced men will attend to it. THE FLOOD CO., Ltd., 31 and 33 King street. H-4-6

I. C. R. Engineer Stockford, who was in charge of a special engine sent from here to Norton yesterday afternoon, made a startling discovery between Coldbrook and Brookville. Mr. Stockford saw an object a short distance ahead and stopped his engine. On investigating he found a man asleep on the track who was intoxicated.

Some trouble arose between the Italian steamer passengers on the Mount Temple when that steamer was bound for this city. When she arrived yesterday it was learned that a fight had taken place between five of the Italians armed with knives. Three of the men were quite badly cut about the head and body.

T. Mitchell Tweedle lately admitted to the bar of Nova Scotia has decided to practice law in Winnipeg. His many friends in Amherst will wish Mr. Tweedle every success in his western home.—Amherst Telegram.

A gentleman from Halifax a few days ago went through the Two Barkers' magnificent establishment. He expressed the opinion that the store was a credit to the city. He is the possessor of a fine tenor voice and is at present a pupil of Mr. John A. Kelley, and under his training Mr. Doherty should develop rapidly and take a place among the city's foremost singers.

Wm. Doherty, who is this week singing the illustrated songs in the Wonderland, on Charlotte street, is making a decided hit with the patrons of this place of amusement. He is the possessor of a fine tenor voice and is at present a pupil of Mr. John A. Kelley, and under his training Mr. Doherty should develop rapidly and take a place among the city's foremost singers.

James Barnes, M. P. of Buctouche was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Royal. Mr. Barnes is the moving spirit of the Northfield Coal Co., which controls valuable areas in Sibleyburg. Scarcity of miners has interfered with the development of the property as rapidly as the company desires, but about a carload is being raised per day. Finding it impossible to secure sufficient operation of the mine, about forty are being imported from Yorkshire, England. These men, who are experienced miners, are expected about the twelfth of May. They are coming out on the Allan Liner Tunisian.

At a public meeting held in St. David's church last evening, under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, the speakers were W. W. Malcolm and Frank Milligan on their work in the home mission field of the province last summer. Mr. Malcolm was located at New Scotland, and Mr. Milligan at Miscou and Shipigan. Both addresses were interesting and greatly enjoyed.

The people of St. Stephen, who expected to build the water works system with money borrowed at a low rate of interest, are somewhat disappointed. At a meeting of the town council held Monday evening, the chairman of the finance committee reported that a loan of \$20,000 had been secured for the needs of the water district and that the best terms the committee could make was a six per cent. basis, with one per cent. brokerage commission added.—Bangor Commercial.

There were 600 present at the Carleton Cornet Band fair last evening. The following were the prize winners: Door prizes—1, clothes winner, Hazen Simpson; 2, loaf of wood, Mrs. Chas. Larron; 3, dozen cans corn, Geo. Cameron; 4, 1 box soap, Frank Perry; 5, 2 dozen cans peaches, Mrs. May Warwick; bagatelle, Theodore Sears, silver knife and fork; air gun, Albert Clark, oil painting; excelsior, Albert Lannigan, lemonade set; bean toss, Frank Perry, pair of panel pictures.

The voting contest stands as follows: J. A. McAndrews, 213; J. Campbell, 198; C. F. Brown, 156; J. Bond, 149; C. H. Jackson, 104.
Like any other safe investment, the newspaper ad brings in profits, and without it an enterprise falls short of its possibilities.—Fourth Estate.

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The NICKEL
(Formerly Keith's Theatre.)

OPENING MON. 15th April: Programme changed every Monday and Thursday.

Continuous Performance

MOVING PICTURES

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ILLUSTRATED SONGS

"Robbing His Majesty's Mail," "How Jones lost his roll," "Adventurous Auto chase," "Canoe Sports," "Impatient Customer," "Illustrated song 'Violent'." Come when you will. Remain as long as you please.

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Exhibition every night this week. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday afternoon.

Admission 10 cents.

Skating before and after every performance.

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19 CHARLOTTE ST.

FINE SILVER TEA SET

to be given away. See it in Thos. J. Flood's window, 60 King street. Check with each 10c ticket.

RAJAH'S CASKET shown this week. Beautifully hand painted.

Assessors' Notice

THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS of Taxes for the City of Saint John, in the present year, hereby require all persons liable to be rated forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their Real Estate, Personal Estate and Income, and hereby give notice that Blank Forms, on which statements may be furnished under the City Assessment Law, can be obtained at the Office of the Assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath and filed in the Office of the Assessors within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated this thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1907.

ARTHUR W. SHARP, Chairman.
URIAH DRAKE,
RICHARD FARMER,
Assessors of Taxes.

Extracts from "The St. John City Assessment Law of 1883":

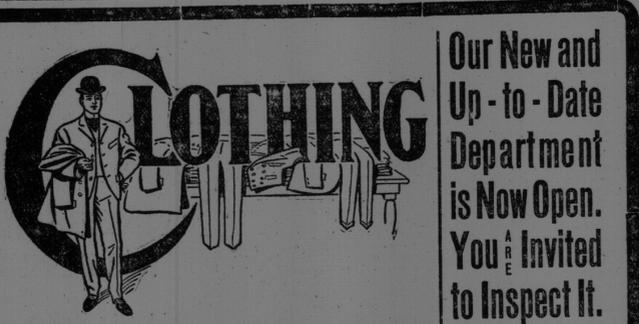
"Sec. 118. The Assessors shall ascertain, as nearly as possible, the particulars of the Real Estate, the Personal Estate, and the Income of any person who has not brought in a statement in accordance with their notice, and as required by this Law, and shall make an estimate thereof, at the true value and amount, to the best of their information and belief; and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission."

"Sec. 123. No person shall have an abatement unless he has filed with the Assessors the statement, under oath, within the time hereinbefore required; nor shall the Common Council in any such case, sustain an appeal from the judgment of the Assessors, unless they shall be satisfied that there was good cause why the statement was not filed in due time as herein provided."

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We Clothe You From Head to Foot!
It 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 Department. 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 St. John to serve you with best goods at lowest prices in all departments.



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\$3.18, \$3.38 and \$4.68.

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98c, \$1.18, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.75.

Clothe the Family Here

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N.B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18 1907

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Store open evenings until 8 o'clock. Saturdays 11 p. m. UNION CLOTHING CO. 26 28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.

Buy Your New Spring Clothing At this POPULAR GROWING CLOTHING STORE where you will get the best clothing at the lowest possible prices.

FREE until May 15th The St. John Railway Company will, until May 15th, sell GAS RANGES at Cost and Connect same Free. ONE MONTH'S TRIAL ALLOWED.

LIBERAL WARD MEETINGS Monday, April 22. Meetings of the Liberal Electors in the various city wards will be held on Monday, April 22, at 8 p. m.

Meetings of the Liberal Electors in the various city wards will be held on Monday, April 22, 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.

THOS. McAVITY, Chairman Liberal Executive. Kings, Queens, Dukes, Sydney and Dufferin, Berrymans Hall, Wellington and Prince, Opera House Block, Victoria, McLean & Holt's or Victoria Rink, Lorne, Lansdowne and Stanley, Union Hall, Guys and Brooks, Oddfellow's Hall, Carleton.

BRIDEGROOM STOLEN ON WAY TO WEDDING Milville Bride Keeps Guests Five Hours Until Her Fiance Appears

MILLVILLE, N. J., April 17.—It leaked out today that the kidnapping of a bridegroom Saturday evening caused the postponement of a wedding for several hours and Miss Rena Dorothy Boardman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boardman, did not become the bride of Ralph Franklin Robbins, of Salem, until early Sunday morning.

EMANCIPATION OF GERMAN WOMEN BERLIN, April 17.—The outlines of a reformed system of education for Prussian women were described in the Diet today by Minister of Education Studdt.

STREET RAILWAY PROMOTERS GET SET-BACK IN MONCTON. MONCTON, April 17.—The city council tonight declined to pass a resolution in favor of a company constructing and operating a street railway in Moncton under an old charter held by the Moncton Street Railway, Heat and Power Company.

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

BIGGEST OF BATTLESHIPS The Aki Launched at Kure Yard, Japan Outclasses the Dreadnought

TOKIO, April 17.—The battleship Aki was launched today from the Kure Navy Yard in the presence of representatives of the Emperor, officers of the British cruiser Alacrity, Vice-Admiral Sir Arthur Moore and the Italian cruiser Vesuvius.

ROOMS AND BOARDING ROOMS TO LET—Furnished rooms at 20 Bedford street. TO LET—By the year or for summer only, part of house at Brookville. Also cottage for summer. H. ADAMS, Telephone 81.

SITUATIONS WANTED ADVERTISEMENT WRITER desires position or will accept clients who cannot pay for exclusive service. Address AD WRITER, Box 114, Star Office. 17-4-6

THE TEACHING OF THE PARABLE. Sabbath School Teacher—"What does the parable of the Prodigal Son teach us?" Bobby Thickett—"Not to be fattened calves, ma'am."

CLASSIFIED ADS.

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

TO LET.

TO LET—Two flats 311 Brussels street. Two flats 155 Chesley street. Apply to E. FARREN, 111 Winter street. 15-4-6

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE—Cypress Brooder in good condition. (123 egg size) cheap. Address Box 113, Star Office. 15-4-6

HOUSEHOLD HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A capable child's nurse, with references. Apply to MRS. WALTER GILBERT, 145 Charlotte St. 15-4-6

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS IN GENERAL.

LOWER FLAT, 13 3/4 Guilford Street. Six rooms. Or upper flat, nine rooms. Patent closets. Apply Mrs. Young upstairs, or F. E. DeMILL, Bay Shore. 23-3-1f

OFFICE AND TRADE HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—A cook. Apply MISS STONE, 171 Germain St. 13-3-1f

REAL ESTATE.

The usual mid-week change of pictures will be made at The Nickel, formerly Kelt's, this noon, and the five pictures which have drawn big houses since Monday will be replaced by two others, which are fully as interesting.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

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MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

CARPENTERS WANTED IMMEDIATELY. Apply 39 Paradise Row. Phone 1334. H. E. BROWN, Carpenter and Builder. 13-4-6

LOST THEIR MOTHER.

When the steamer Admiral Sampson arrived in Boston on Monday, Alfred Walker, aged 16, Cassie, his sister, aged 14, and Harry, aged 11, were passengers. They had come from Port Royal, a town in Jamaica which was ruined by the earthquake.

Going Out Of Business!

ENTIRE STOCK OF Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths. At Less Than Manufacturer's Prices. If you have the smallest Furniture need to fill, come to this Store, for the money savings are most remarkable.

George E. Smith, 18 King St. Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths. They're All Here. As there is no standard shape of face and figure, so no shape of hat will suit all men.

SMITH'S FISH MARKET.

WANTED—Axe Helper wanted at once. Apply to CAMPBELL BROS., 15 and 20 Smythe St. 15-4-1f

AUCTIONS.

Walter S. Potts, Auctioneer. Sales of all kinds attended. Furniture Sales at Residence a Specialty. Office—Market Street. Phone 291.

Wanted at Once.

1,000 Laborers for Railroad Construction. Must pay transportation to Winnipeg. 15 Rough Painters. 3 First Class Cabinet Makers. Apply to D. J. McRAE, Globe Building, St. John, N.B.

Answers to the following addresses are held at the STAR Office uncalled for.

Mr. Carl Titus. Tourist. J. F. G. K. E. The parties for whom these answers are intended will confer favor by calling for same.

HALIFAX TO GIVE FREE SITE FOR N. S. TECHNICAL COLLEGE.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 17.—The city council of Halifax, at an informal meeting today agreed to donate a free site to the government for the Technical Education College building.

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THE STAR, ST JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1907

THIS ST. JOHN STAR is published by THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY, (Ltd.) at St. John, New Brunswick, every afternoon (except Sunday) at \$5 a year.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 18, 1907.

THE JUDGE ALONE TO BLAME.

The sensational developments attending the Thaw murder trial have given rise to endless comment in the American and European press. The opinion generally expressed is that there must be some great weakness in the United States system of administering justice which permits the courts to be made play houses; such a weakness as is not found in Europe and which would never be tolerated by the people of the older and less excitable countries.

The records of United States courts do not show that such a contention can be sustained, for there have been many trials in the past, of equal importance to the one just now concluded, and which have been entirely devoid of all sensational features. The judges and counsel have been possessed of ample power to eliminate from the hearing all those points not directly bearing on the matter in hand.

The trial of Rayner the murderer of Whitely the London merchant is held up as an example of speedy justice in Britain. Yet it took nearly a week longer than the trial of Colquhoun who murdered President McKinley. This man was condemned within eleven days after he fired the fatal shot. He was no more of a lunatic than is Harry Thaw; he was influenced by the very same passion, hatred of one who he had imagined wronged him. McKinley was a ruler and Colquhoun was an anarchist; White was a rouse and Thaw was a felon. The victim in one case was only the President of the United States, a man of pure life, and esteemed by all; in the other he was a society favorite, a debauched genius. One prisoner was an unknown; the other a pampered pet of a uselessly wealthy family. The people of the United States who pay for the maintenance of their courts, must be given the worth of their money. In the Colquhoun trial they demanded only revenge, and it was given to them. In the Thaw trial they wanted sensations and the judge and lawyers who had full power to eliminate those features, felt it their duty to do otherwise in order that the morbidly depraved tastes of some newspaper readers should be gratified. The Thaw trial might well have been completed in three days instead of forty-three if the judge had done his duty.

UNDESIRABLES.

Upwards of two thousand beings were landed at Sand Point yesterday. The majority of them shipped at Antwerp and were selected from many of the lower nations in Europe. They are destined to become Canadian citizens, but it is difficult to realize why such persons should be admitted to the privileges of citizenship. They were a thoroughly disreputable looking lot, ignorant, dirty and depraved, lacking in all those finer qualities which are to be found in the immigrants who came from the British Isles or from Sweden. Their actions were repulsive, and, indeed, they were more like savages than civilized beings. It is to be feared that in the desire for greater population Canada is not exercising a sufficiently rigid supervision over those who are permitted to enter her gates. It would be a selfish policy to preserve the land for only those of the same blood as ourselves, yet at the same time it is not necessary that the scourges of Europe should be asked to settle here. During the past year or two important amendments have been made to the immigration laws which have brought about valuable results; and it is also true that a stricter policy is followed in regard to the selection of immigrants; yet no one could see the swarming mass at Sand Point yesterday without feeling that still further changes are needed.

TROUBLES IN THE WEST.

Western Canada is reaching the third stage in its development, and the conditions which must of necessity arise during the next few years will be watched with interest. Every section passes through the same routine. First come the pioneers, then the boom time, next labor troubles interfering with general prosperity, after that the collapse—the most serious of all—then a period of depression followed, if the resources of the country justify it, by steady and uninterrupted expansion.

It is only to be anticipated that in a province such as Alberta, teeming with mineral wealth, and endeavoring to force development, not only in agricultural but in other important industries, labor problems will from time to time arise. It will be readily understood that an inexperienced country must find difficulty in dealing with such disagreements, and it is also true that newly formed labor organizations are inclined to act without that common sense and caution which is brought by the passing of time. Alberta must suffer, and the rest of

Canada can only look on in sympathy hoping that the disease will not prove too serious. Interference will avail but little, though there is usually some good to be accomplished by mediation, and on occasions arise the services of the federal department of labor may assist in some degree, in bringing about a better feeling between capital and labor.

SPRINGTIME.

Ah, Spring is the time For the lips to rhyme, And the heart to sing its song— When the earth so chill Feels a gladsome thrill And awakes from her slumber long. When the sun's warm looks Melt the frozen brooks, And the waters dash and play— And the joyous note from the robin's throat Is heard through the livelong day: When the balmy airs Waft away our cares, And courage and hope return. With the glad springtime— Then thoughts sublime And fancies glow and burn. As the first caress Of the Spring's soft breath And her promise of joy we greet, Our hearts grow warm With the season's charm— And life is full and sweet.

SPRING—GENTLE SPRING.

Time of the daffodil, Blooming on plain and hill; Time of the liver pill— Spring, gentle Spring! Time, when with splashy thud, Drop we into the mud, Soling our every dud— Spring, gentle Spring! Time, when the blue-bird's note Freezes within his throat, And still the poor poet wrote Spring, gentle Spring! —JIM.

Mark Twain recently told this story as an illustration of his reason for not talking when he dined with the Kaiser: A man was reproached by a friend, who said: "I think it a shame that you have not spoken to your wife for fifteen years. How do you explain it? How do you justify it?" The poor man said: "I didn't want to interrupt her."—Argonaut.

HOW OLD IS ANN?

Chicago railway men are greatly excited over the so-called great railroad puzzle, which was started recently by a thoughtless passenger official. The problem is this: A limited train leaves Chicago for Kansas City, and runs at an average rate of sixty miles an hour throughout the trip. At the same time a train starts for Chicago from Kansas City and travels at the rate of forty miles an hour. When these trains meet which will be the farthest from Chicago?

HOW TO CRY.

"Come, come, my little man," exclaimed old Mr. Cherry; "I wouldn't cry like that." "All right," replied the boy, through his sobs, "Lamma give you a good back of the ear with a stone like I got an see how you'll do it."

MINING ICE.

Glacier ice is now delivered to some of the larger consumers of Lyons and other cities of Europe. There are so many railways in the Alps at present that it has been found profitable to gather this ice and transport it to the cities, where it is preferred to other ice because of its hardness and lasting qualities. This ice is blasted and mined in the same manner as stone is quarried.

NO IMPROVEMENT.

"Do you believe that art can improve on nature?" asked the idealist. "I don't know," answered the matter-of-fact person, "but I must say I could never see how the Easter colorings helped the favor of an egg."

HE RETRACTED NOTHING.

Her Husband—If a man steals—no matter what it is—he will live to regret it. His Wife—During our courtship you used to steal kisses from me. Her Husband—Well, you heard what I said.

THE IDEALIST.

He drains the cup of woe again Down to its bitter dregs— He set an artificial hen On artificial eggs.

EXCITEMENT STILL PREVAILS IN KINGSTON

A Murder on Board the Steamer Vinland—More Earthquake Shocks in Jamaica

The Norwegian steamer Vinland arrived in port yesterday from St. Ann's Bay, and Kingston, Jamaica. Captain Utte states that he and his officers were eyewitnesses to a cold blooded murder in Kingston Bay a few weeks ago. Two negroes who were working on the steamer got in a fight, and one of them who had the best of the altercation, threw the other overboard.

Being badly beaten the man could not swim, and he soon sank and was seen no more. The murderer who was a strong swimmer, jumped overboard and swam for the open sea as soon as he realized what he had done. Boats were sent after him and he was picked up in a short time and taken into custody.

The officers of the Vinland state that four earthquake shocks were felt in Kingston on Good Friday and walls left standing after the big earthquake some months ago, crumbled and fell into the bay. Since the Kingston disaster many idlers are roaming about the streets and they are menacing to the community, as they steal everything they can get their hands on.

LIMOGES THREATENED

Famous French Pottery Town On Verge of Crisis

Between Three and Four Thousand Crates of Its Ware Held Up by U. S. Customs Authorities

PARIS, April 12.—Stories published in some Paris papers represent that Limoges, famous for its pottery manufacturers, is on the verge of an industrial crisis, owing to the action of the American customs in holding up between 3,000 and 4,000 crates of ware in consequence of undervaluation by exporters.

The crisis, it is said, has been developing in the past ten years, during the course of which the United States custom authorities have been continually at odds with exporting firms like the Havillands regarding the valuation of goods. A treasury official at a few years ago was specially detailed to investigate. The result showed that the question was a very difficult and complex one, owing principally to the extremely slight difference between what is known in the trade as first and second class wares, which is frequently puzzling to experts. The manufacturers are hoping that the evidence submitted to the customs authorities will clear away the difficulty. The treasury officials here say they have not had any recent instruction in the matter, and that the new developments reported are not the outcome of the reports sent through Paris.

SEASON OPENS AT EASTPORT

Sardine Packing Now On With Few Fish Offerings

EASTPORT, April 17.—The sardine packing season opened at Eastport Monday, with two factories in operation. The first fish were taken by the coast Canning Co. took fish at factories four and five, and at Lubec the Columbia Packing Co. had one factory in operation. It was expected that few fish would be available and the packers were in no hurry to start business, but a total of 17 hospitals were brought in early in the day and went to the packers who were in readiness to receive them. If the men who were fortunate in securing the first fish were disappointed as the standard price of \$7 per hoghead, set by the packers, was adhered to, the ultimatum of the weir owners who demanded \$8 being set at night.

The fish came from along what is known as the north shore and were of excellent size for oil. Seventeen hogheads were received Monday, and on Tuesday morning eight more were taken by the Seacoast Company, while a greater quantity went to the factory at Lubec. It is doubtful if the remaining fish start up during the present week even though the offerings of fish are large, but the prospects for a busy season are bright. The markets are waiting for the goods and the total pack during the summer and fall will be large.

The present price of fish is likely to continue until the season is well advanced; but the supply available will control the rate to a considerable degree. On the face of things it would appear that the weir owners were unmindful of their agreement with the price they were to demand, but it is explained by those cognizant of the situation that the fish received Monday and Tuesday did not come from parties bound by the terms of the Weir Owners' Association agreement.

BIRTHS.

McBEATH—April 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McBeath, a son.

MARRIAGES.

ROBERTSON-STURDEE—At Trinity church, St. John, N. B., on April 17th, 1907, by the Rev. J. A. Richardson, D. D., Bishop Coadjutor, assisted by the Rev. J. B. Revington-Jones, Charles Sherwood Ewing Robertson to Gertrude Agnes Kingston, younger daughter of the late H. Lawrence Sturdee, Esq.

DEATHS.

STEPHENS—In this city on the 17th inst., after a short illness from pneumonia, Frederick B., eldest son of the late Frederick T. and Orlo Reeve Stephens, leaving one brother and two sisters.

Funeral from St. Paul's (Valley) church on Friday, the 19th inst. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM

BLAINE—In loving memory of Samuel Blaine, who passed away on April 18th, 1906.

RUSSIAN STUDENTS

ROB UNIVERSITY Ten Young Men Begin Firing on Officials, Try to Break Open Safe and Escape

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.—Ten well dressed young men, thought to be students, entered the university at three o'clock this afternoon and began firing on the officials with revolvers. Then they tried to break open a safe, but it proved too strongly built.

All the money they obtained was 1,700 roubles (\$850), which the cashier had in his pocket. They then escaped, on account of the local knowledge they showed it is supposed they are not strangers to the university.

M. Schulgin, a monarchist deputy of the Duma, having made a violent speech attacking the members of the revolutionary party and asking them if they had bombs in their pockets, was expelled by force from the hall followed by forty of his monarchist and moderate colleagues.

St. John, N. B., April 17, 1907.

Men's \$2.25 Boots.

Men's Box Calf Blucher Bals. \$2.25 Men's Dongola Kid Blucher Bals. heavy soles, 2.25 Men's Dongola Blucher, Single Sole Bals. 2.25 Men's Dongola Bals., Heavy or Single Soles. 2.25

All sizes. Different lasts. Inspection requested.

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ARBOR DAY WILL BE

OBSERVED MAY 17th.

No Change in the Programme in the Schools This Year—Empire Day May 23rd

May 17th will be observed as Arbor Day in the public schools and the usual programme will be carried out. It is the custom on Arbor Day for the teachers to devote part of the school session to the study of botany. Several scholars are usually detailed a few days previous to collect rare plants. These are brought to the schools and the teachers lecture on them.

In most of the schools the pupils of the various rooms will assemble in the main halls and programmes of songs and recitations appropriate to the day will be carried out. The rooms are generally decorated with flowers, plants and ferns on Arbor Day and many parents of the children are present at the exercises. One session only will be held on Empire Day which will be observed on the last teaching day preceding the 24th of May. On this day programmes of patriotic songs and recitations will be carried out in the schools.

In tonight's issue of the Star C. B. Pigeon, the Indian town men and boys outfitting house, makes announcement of its entry into the ready-made clothing business in conjunction with their custom tailoring, boots, shoes, caps, furnishings, etc. A high class stock is already on hand at prices which are sure to be satisfactory to the people of the northern part of the city. This extension of business on the part of Mr. Pigeon is an indication of his progressiveness.

WHY HAVE HEADACHE?

People who have healthy, active livers seldom have headache. Most headaches are a protest against a sluggish condition of the stomach and liver.

BROWN'S CASCARA TABLETS

remove the cause. 25c. a Box. SOLD ONLY BY E. CLINTON BROWN, DRUGGIST, Cor. Union and Waterloo Sts. Phone 1006.

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24 Wellington Row. Porcelain Work a Specialty. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. and from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. Phone 119.

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City Fuel Co., City Road.

White Clover Bread

MADE WITH MILK Tastes Best Keeps Best Most Digestible Most Nourishing FROM THE TODDLER TO THE TOTTERER ALL PREFER IT

173 Union St. Phone 1161 423 Main Street. 650-41

A CATS' BOARDING HOUSE.

A woman who had engaged board for two cats at an animal boarding house stopped at the desk on her way out and said: "Oh, by the way, I forgot something. What do you give your cats for Sunday dinner?" "The regular fare," said the proprietor. "I would like you to make an exception in the case of my cats," said the woman. "They have been used to special dishes on home Sunday, and I am sure they would miss them very much. I am willing to pay extra for the care and expense." "That," grumbled the animal man after reading her request, "is one of the peculiar phases of this business. Half the people patronizing a place of this kind insist upon our providing a few choice tidbits for the Sunday dinner of their pets. It is bound to ruin their digestion, but whenever there is a clause in the contract to that effect special Sunday and holiday fare prevails."

Exclusive Jewelry, Etc.

In new goods, and an endless variety from which to choose Remembrances.

FERGUSON & PAGE, Diamond Dealers & Jewelers, 41 King Street.

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1907 Pure Maple Sugar. Oranges, Prunes, Dates, Groceries, Meats, Fish, Vegetables. CHAS. A. CLARK, 73-77 Sydney St

McKIEL'S HOME-MADE BREAD

Sells on merit. The people insist on having it. McKIEL'S BAKERY, 194 Metcalf Street. Branch 69 Wall Street. Also at 565 Main St. Phone 1825.

REAL ESTATE.

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A CATS' BOARDING HOUSE.

A woman who had engaged board for two cats at an animal boarding house stopped at the desk on her way out and said: "Oh, by the way, I forgot something. What do you give your cats for Sunday dinner?" "The regular fare," said the proprietor. "I would like you to make an exception in the case of my cats," said the woman. "They have been used to special dishes on home Sunday, and I am sure they would miss them very much. I am willing to pay extra for the care and expense." "That," grumbled the animal man after reading her request, "is one of the peculiar phases of this business. Half the people patronizing a place of this kind insist upon our providing a few choice tidbits for the Sunday dinner of their pets. It is bound to ruin their digestion, but whenever there is a clause in the contract to that effect special Sunday and holiday fare prevails."

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Yes, Girls, Tell Mother

that our Spring Shoes are now ready. Tell her, also, that we have the prettiest Oxfords and Sandals she ever saw. She can't help buying you a pair when she sees them. Tell her, too, that we have some pretty little Spring-heel Shoes, also Children's High Kid Shoes, with patent leather tips. Children's Low Patent Leathers. A dainty, though mannish shape, that both boys and girls can wear. Kid in same style.

Tell mother to come in and see for herself—she will not find fault with our prices. She can't. Your purse will feel more healthy if you buy your shoes here.

MONAHAN—The Shoe Man, 32 Charlotte Street.

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A strictly high-class showing of the most acceptable trans-Atlantic shapes and qualities. Famous Christy and Scott Makes. ALSO A fine line of American Styles. Children's Tams, Men and Boy's Caps, Etc.

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Day and Night, at Our Going Out of Business Sale!

Hundreds are taking advantage of this wonderful bargain feast to provide footwear for the next season, because they are getting boots and shoes at about one-half the price generally paid for these goods. Be one of the satisfied ones and come with the crowd.

SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.

Nestor's Cod Liver Oil Compound.

An invaluable preparation in all wasting diseases, positively cures obstinate coughs. The best tonic. \$1.00 a Bottle.

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Special Sale

Tonight and All Day Tomorrow.

Pure Linen Window Blinds, regular 40c to 60c value—All One Price. 29c. 200 Blinds in the lot.

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ASK FOR Eddy's "Banniger" Carpet Linings.

Durable. Keeps out cold. Resists damp.

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TEST SUBMARINE BOATS IN RACES

Holland and Lake Types Will Meet in Series of Runs Beginning April 30th

NEWPORT, R. I., April 17.—Unless some accident happens to one of the contestants a series of competitive tests of the two types of submarine boats, the Lake and the Holland, will be made in Narragansett Bay beginning on Tuesday, April 30. Such a contest has been dreamed of for six years by the owners and advocates of the two craft, and now that it is really about to be made all of the navies in the world are interested.

The Holland Submarine Boat Company and the Lake Submarine Boat Company have each built a new boat for the tests. The Lake Company has entered the Lake, which arrived here ten days ago and has been engaged in a series of tuning up trials. This morning she went to New London to be hauled out for her final cleaning. The Holland Company will present the Octopus, which will arrive here next Saturday.

The board which the Secretary of the Navy has appointed to conduct these tests consists of Captain Adolph Marx, president, Naval Constructor, D. W. Taylor, Commander Burns T. Walling, Lieutenant Commander William S. Smith, and Lieutenant John W. Timmons, members and Ensign F. H. Saylor, recorder.

The boats will first be compared as to speed over the measured mile course in the bay. They will be run in a light or cruising condition, with all ballast tanks empty; in an awash condition, with the vessel showing not more than half the conning tower and ready for instant diving; and in a submerged condition, with the conning tower not less than ten feet below the surface.

For these tests three runs will be made over the course at full speed, and four or five runs will be made back and forth at progressively reduced speeds.

The boats will be timed in passing from a light to an awash condition and also in passing to the submerged condition. All other changes will be timed, including the dropping from the surface to a depth of thirty feet and returning again.

The boats will also be required to fire torpedoes at targets, and otherwise will be timed in doing this while running submerged. The times made in loading torpedoes will also be taken into account.

The boats will also be examined as to their fitness for mining and counter mining and cable cutting. As a test of the strength of the construction of each boat it will be submerged to a depth of not less than 200 feet.

The habitability test will probably be the most interesting, for each will be submerged for a period of twenty-four hours, with a full complement of men aboard, who will be expected to live in perfect comfort under the surface.

The amount of fresh air used during the test will be determined and the amount of fresh air that can be carried will be looked into. The behavior of the boats in a seaway will also be taken into consideration in this test.

Officers of both companies are very sanguine.

To Well-Groomed Men

A Specifications Tag With Every Pair



The Shoe of the man; Regals—the well-groomed man. If Regal Shoes were built like some others you see, they wouldn't KEEP their shape to the end, either.

When you see the faultless CUSTOM elegance of Regals in the window—step into the store and read the SIGNED PROOF that goes with every pair. It's all on the Regal Specifications Tag—an absolute Regal GUARANTEE of QUALITY—the only shoe insurance on earth.

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MAGNIFICENT CHURCH DAMAGED BY EARTHQUAKE

MEXICO CITY, April 18.—It has been discovered that the Cathedral of Mexico City, one of the most famous churches in the world, was cracked from top to bottom by the recent earthquake. The fissure is an eighth of an inch wide. An engineer has been appointed to examine the building. The cathedral is centuries old. It is built on the old site of the Aztec temple.

MEXICO CITY, April 18.—News of the death of Inez Bonilla, the first American killed in the recent earthquake, has reached the office of the Associated Press. Senora Inez Bonilla, of Chihuahua, was the wife of the former secretary to the governor of the state of Guerrero.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 18.—Owing to the great difficulty in establishing communication with the cities situated in the region of the greatest devastation wrought by the recent earthquake, details are coming slowly. Each succeeding intelligence magnifies the extent of the disaster. From the latest reports it is learned that the earth is now quiet in the region which was seriously affected, but the last shock occurred as late as noon yesterday.

ROLLER VIC. RE-OPENS MONDAY

It will be glad news to the young folks to learn that Manager R. J. Armstrong has decided to re-open the Victoria Roller Rink on Monday evening next, after the popular resort has been greatly beautified and modernized by painters, carpenters and joiners. Since the ice was removed the floor-makers have thoroughly over-hauled the big circle, replacing what few boards were out of "true" and assuring themselves that the skating surface was in perfect condition. Then decorators got to work and the result is a handsome, bright and airy up-to-date roller resort unsurpassed on the continent. On Monday evening a bumper crowd is sure to whirl around the big floor on new patent skates to the music of the popular rink band.

SEEKING PUBLIC HELP

A meeting of the treasury board is to be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Delegates will be heard from several organizations who are asking for grants. The free kindergarten will ask for \$800; the playgrounds committee for \$500; the Associated Charities delegation for \$400.

TALKS OF NEW BRIDGES

Hon. Mr. LaBillette Talks of Work Being Done at Halls Creek and Memramook

MONCTON, April 17.—Hon. C. H. LaBillette, chief commissioner of public works, was in the city today. Questioned respecting the Hall's Creek bridge near the Sugar Refinery, he said: "The work will be completed within a very few weeks. A steel superstructure has been made and is lying in the company's works at Montreal, awaiting shipment to Moncton. It was made by the Dominion Bridge Company. The delay of course is caused by the late winter and waiting for the frost to come out of the ground so that the stone sub-structure may be finished, or rather, the portion carried away by the land slide, replaced. The work will not take long, as soon as it can be safely commenced. It is, of course, no use bringing the steel superstructure here until the site is ready for its erection. The steel superstructure will consist of an uplift drag of the most modern style and the bridge will present a most handsome appearance. The approaches on both sides will be reconstructed by Contractor John M. Brown, Moncton."

"What about the bridge carried away by the gale at Memramook recently?" "Oh," said Mr. LaBillette, "that bridge is being rapidly re-constructed. There was already on the site when the bridge blew over timber for the purpose of strengthening the old bridge. That timber came in useful for the greater work now necessary. It is the so-called Charters Bridge at Memramook station and a new covered bridge is being constructed by Mr. C. B. Fletcher of the provincial public works department. It will be built upon modern lines of strength and will be much superior to the old bridge destroyed, which lasted a good many years."

ABE ATTEL HAS TROUBLE IN DEFEATING O'TOOLE

A Poor Exhibition of Boxing Was Last Night's Bout at Philadelphia.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A despatch from Philadelphia says: "Abe Attel, feather-weight champion of America, outpointed Tommy O'Toole of Philadelphia in a six round fight at the National A. C. here last night. The bout was one of the most disappointing held in this city for some time. The champion did not show any of his usual brilliancy in avoiding punishment, and it was only at long range fighting that he was able to beat O'Toole. When it came to mixing and in-fighting the Quaker lad held his own. At the end O'Toole was bleeding from the mouth and nose but Attel was practically without a mark. There were no knock-downs secured by either fighters. Attel was forced to do the leading and O'Toole waited to counter."

HE WROTE THE STORY OF SAMOAN DISASTER.

John P. Dunning, Well Known Correspondent, Dead.

Was in the Service of the Associated Press—Made a Hit by His Description of the Great Hurricane.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—John P. Dunning, well known in newspaper circles throughout the country, died yesterday in a hospital here of tumor on the brain. He was 44 years of age. Dunning first came into prominence as a newspaper writer of exceptional ability in 1889. He had been sent to Samoa by the Associated Press to watch developments in the Samoan difficulties, the naval squadrons of Great Britain, Germany and the United States having gathered at that place. On March 15, 1889, a great hurricane swept over the islands and fifteen merchant vessels and six men-of-war were lost in Apia Bay and 145 officers and men of the American and German warships lost their lives. Dunning was upon the scene throughout the hurricane, which lasted thirty-six hours, and assisted the natives in saving many lives. Afterward he wrote a twenty thousand word story of the storm, the wreck of the warships and the rescue of the sailors, which was described as a model of newspaper writing. Dunning served as war correspondent for the Associated Press in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

HUNDREDS BLIND THROUGH NEGLECT

New York Commission Says One Third of the 5,000 Cases in State Were Preventable

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—As a result of an exhaustive census, the New York State Commission on the blind this week recommended to the legislature the creation of a State Board for the blind not dissimilar in scope to the permanent Massachusetts commission, and the carrying out of a state policy that would eliminate the preventable causes of blindness, reduce the burden of chronic care for the disease, and provide for the education, and by a state register, employment bureau and industrial training, aim to meet the needs of the adult and the child. Neglected, and re-establish them in the economic community.

This commission continued the work begun by the state commission of 1890 and has on file records of 5,000 blind persons in New York state (of whom 2,250 are in New York city), 300 more than were returned by the federal census. The commission finds that one in every 1,250 people in the state is blind and estimates the total number in the United States to be nearly 100,000.

Under the head of private charities maintained in the state are described the Home for Blind Children, the Society for the Blind, in the Borough of Brooklyn; the St. Joseph's Blind Asylum, at Mount Loretto, R. I.; the Society for the Blind, in the State of Indiana, in Amsterdam, and the work done for the last year and a half by the New York Association for the Blind.

In considering at length the matter of the prevention of blindness, the commission quotes authorities to show that disease is preventable by the use of very simple precautions that the probable cost to the people of the state of New York of the support of its victims is more than \$10,000; that among 1,000 blind there are only 225 unavoidable cases, 419 that are possibly avoidable and 356 that are absolutely unavoidable. In other words, that one-third of the cases of blindness are absolutely preventable.

INSANE MOTHER TRIED TO KILL HER SON

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 17.—Following an attempt to kill her son seven years ago, by cutting his throat Mrs. Edward Brophy, aged fifty years, of North Truro, was arrested at her home and taken to the town lock-up. She fought savagely with the officers and is believed to be mentally deranged. The child was brought to the Union Hospital in this city, where its wound, which was thought at first to be of a very serious nature was found to be slight. The cut was inflicted with a dull knife.

Spring's Smartest Styles

Dame Fashion is erratic—she has many a twist and turn in the trail of her creations. But every woman feels it her bounden duty to follow fashion's most sinuous and tortuous path. We realize this, and are constantly putting forth our best efforts, watching the style centres for clever productions, that this store may always have on hand the best of the new garments for your selection. For the past few months we have had some very careful planning and shrewd buying. Upon the result you are asked to pass judgment. We await your warm approval.

Ladies' Eton Suits.

Ladies' Eton Suits in pretty light Grey and White Stripe Effects, the newest of the new. Trimmed with Black and White Silk Braid, 3-4 sleeve with Gibson shoulder, Skirt having set in pleats giving full flare effect. More style to this suit than most \$25.00 costumes.

Special, at \$25.00

Ladies' Venetian Costumes.

Ladies' all wool Venetian Costumes in Black and Navy, short stylish Pointe d'Esprit, with strapping from shoulder back and front and around bottom. Taffeta lined. Skirt seven goes with stitched seams flaring at bottom, neat and stylish.

Special, at \$20.00

Ladies' Spring Coats.

The new natty 2 1/2 in. Gibson Coat in Fawn and Grey Tweed Mix having the broad shoulder effect. Velvet Collar. A desirable Spring Coat.

At \$8.95

Ladies' 3-4 Length Coats

In Grey Tweed effects, made with loose back, Vents at side, Double Breast Velvet Collar and Buttons in Contrasting Shade.

Special, at \$8.90

Ladies' Cream Skirts.

Ladies' All Wool Cream Skirts trimmed with pleating. A stylish pretty Skirt to wear with light shirt waists. Assorted lengths and Band Sizes.

Special, \$5.95

Ladies' White Panama Skirts.

Ladies' White Panama Skirts in 9 gore style with flaring seams, trimmed with silk braid. A pretty dressy skirt, stylish and well made.

Special, at \$8.50

Ladies' Silk Waists.

Ladies' Silk Waists in Black and White Wash China Silk. Neatly and prettily trimmed. Just a little different from what you see elsewhere—five rows of tucking and Valenciennes insertion set in in many new styles.

From \$2.95 to \$5.50

Ladies' New Silk Neckwear.

Ladies' New Silk and Chiffon Neckwear just in by express. They are up to the minute. The color combinations are pleasing and the designs are the very latest. You will have a look at them, won't you?

At 50c. to \$1.50

F. W. DANIEL & CO., 1, 3, 5 CHARLOTTE ST.

BRITISH PAPERS COMPLAIN

OF OFFICIAL SECRECY

They Want to Know More About What is Being Done at the Colonial Conference

LONDON, April 18.—An official abstract of yesterday's proceedings of the conference of colonial premiers gives no idea of the trend of the discussion or the attitude of the different matters under discussion. There was a proposal to establish an imperial council with a permanent secretariate instead of the present system of periodical conferences.

CHARGED WITH STEALING

FROM WESTERN UNION

Edward Mulcahy in Court—Magistrate Objects to Boys Being Brought Before Him With Other Prisoners.

Three drunks were fined the usual amounts in the police court this morning. Edward Mulcahy, a former Western Union Telegraph messenger did not seem the least put out this morning when he was charged with stealing seven due bills from the Western Union Company on the 6th inst. and collecting \$2.60 with the said bills from Thomas Nagle, 53 1/2 Dock street, thereby stealing the money.

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The police believe that other crimes may be laid to Mulcahy and suspect him of having had something to do with the recent break in Francis & Vaughan's shoe store a few nights ago. When court opened this morning the boy was sitting on the bench between two drunks. The magistrate said that he had repeatedly requested that boys be not associated with the older prisoners and it appeared that some person was trying to carry out other orders which were against his wishes.

CHARGED WITH STEALING

FROM WESTERN UNION

Edward Mulcahy in Court—Magistrate Objects to Boys Being Brought Before Him With Other Prisoners.

Young Mulcahy was arrested on Main street by an officer last night and allowed to go as he claimed his name was Paris and convinced the officer that he had the wrong boy. Later on Policeman Silas Perry arrested him.

MAGEE'S HATS OF SATISFACTION.



You can choose any hat to suit you out of the several new models with perfect assurance as to correct style, excellent quality, perfect satisfaction. Magee's hats are made by expert hat men in England and America, who use only the best felts, sweet leathers, silk ribbons, bindings and bands. We've a hat to suit every man, young or old. Stiff Hats, \$2.00 to \$5 Soft Hats, 1.50 to \$5

D. MAGEE'S SONS, 63 King Street.

Good Packed Butter 23c. Per Pound.

4 Quarts Best White Beans, 25c. 10 lbs. Choice Onions, 25c. A few tubs Good Packed Butter at 23c. lb., by the tub. Also Ham, Fresh Eggs, Evaporated Apples, Prunes, Oranges and Bananas cheap for cash at

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Clean Sidewalks—Rubbers Laid Aside.

A nice Laced Walking Boot for \$1.65. Comfortable Laced Street Shoes, \$1.25. Kid Slippers, Serge Slippers, Cloth Slippers. A. B. WETMORE, (STORE OPEN EVENINGS) 59 Garden St.

COMMERCIAL

MONTEREAL, April 18.—The Grand Trunk Railway earnings from April 8 to 14 in 1907 were \$389,001, and in 1906 were \$765,473, an increase of \$123,628. WALL STREET, April 18.—Opening dealings in stocks were insignificant in volume, only about a score of transactions being recorded in the five minutes after the opening. The movement was distinctly upwards, but very sluggish. Gains of 5-8 in Union Pacific and Amalgamated Copper were the most conspicuous changes. The market opened firm.

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, April 18.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased, £260,000. Circulation decreased, £22,000. Bullion increased, £48,252. Other securities decreased, £39,000. Other deposits increased, £6,000. Public deposits decreased, £7,000. Notes, reserve increased, £72,000. Government securities, unchanged.

WANTED!

Blacksmith Helpers. Apply JAMES ELLIOT, 18-4-1 Nelson St. LOST—A gold wedding ring. Quite wide, rounding and heavy, lost in the vicinity of British St., St. James and foot of Charlotte streets. Finder please leave with Star. Owner cannot afford to lose the ring.

Public Meeting

BERRYMAN'S HALL SATURDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. A meeting of the electors of the City and County of St. John favorable to the election of Hon. Wm. Pugsley as a member of the House of Commons for said City and County, will be held in Berryman's Hall, Saturday, 27th inst., at 8 p. m.

GUESSING ABOUT PROBABLE CHANGES IN THE CABINET

MONTEREAL, April 18.—The Harrier's League last evening decided not to join either the C. A. U. or the A. A. F., and so remain independent in spirit.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Dom. Coal, 53 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 Dom. Iron and Steel, 13 1/2 13 1/2 13 1/2 Dom. I. and S., 50 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2 Nova Scotia Steel, 70 1/2 70 1/2 70 1/2 C. P. R., 17 1/2 17 1/2 17 1/2 Twin City, 96 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2 Montreal Power, 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 Rich. and Ont. Nav., 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 Detroit United, 74 74 74 Toronto Street Ry., 105 1/2 105 1/2 105 1/2

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Wheat, 45 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2 Oats, 27 1/2 27 1/2 27 1/2 Pork, 15.80 15.80 15.72 July corn, 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2 Wheat, 75 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2 Oats, 39 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2 Pork, 15.87 15.80 15.80

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

May, 8.55 8.55 8.59 July, 8.67 8.67 8.70 October, 9.32 9.32 9.35 December, 10.00 10.00 10.04

MADRID, April 18.—The condition of Queen Victoria is in all respects satisfactory. She was driven in an automobile with King Alfonso to the Casa de Campo yesterday afternoon.

Good Bye St. John!

The Manufacturers' Outlet Co., of New York

Positively Close their Mighty Slaughter of Fashionable Clothing and Up-to-date Gents Furnishings, Saturday, April 20th, at Midnight.

The Big Signs and Banners will be removed from HENDERSON & HUNT'S Building, and the Greatest Clothing Sale of this decade will only be a memory

The Remainder of our Enormous Stock has been Re-assorted and Re-arranged, in order to effect an absolute Clearance of all Broken Lots and Odds and Ends.

This class of Merchandise has no Value to us; the Axe has fallen in every Department and our Farewell Quotations will make all our Former inducements Fade into Insignificance.

The Only Question is: "Are You There"?

Thousands are perfectly satisfied with THE BARGAINS we gave. We advertised your money back if you want it. But nobody wanted to part with their purchase.

Read Friday and Saturday's Price List and think.

The Store will remain open SATURDAY NIGHT until twelve o'clock.

500 Men's Spring Suits, worth from \$10.00 to \$25.00, go the last two days at \$4.98 to \$16.50.

Top Coats, \$3.98 to \$9.98—worth up to \$18.00. Boys Rain Coats and Top Coats at the same great reduction.

Prices Absolutely Annihilated. 10 only Small Boys' Suits, worth \$1.75, at 49c.

Men's Furnishing Department. Good Braces, 19c; Handkerchiefs, 3c; Dress Shirts, 39c;

The Bargain Counters are again filled to the brim with these great values, and we are determined to wind this sale up in a Blaze of Glory. Come and bring the boys.

HENDERSON & HUNT'S, Cor. KING and GERMAIN Streets

RECENT DEATHS.

W. T. STEPHENS. The death of W. T. Stephens, a checker in the I. C. Co., occurred at the General Public Hospital about half-past nine last evening.

MARTIN DOYLE. Martin Doyle, aged 102 years died at St. George a few days ago and was buried on Tuesday.

JOSEPH MONTEITH. TRURO, N. S., April 17.—Joseph Monteith, a well-known resident farmer of Mattland, died at his home yesterday, aged 78 years.

PHILIP MURPHY. REXTON, N. B., April 16.—Philip Murphy, one of the wealthiest and most respected farmers of this county, died at his home at South Branch this morning at the age of 71 years.

MONTREAL, Que., April 17.—Moses Davis of M. Davis & Company, aged sixty-two, died of heart disease last night in the house of Mrs. Laurin, who said she had known him for some time under the name of Duchesne.

MRS. M. D. PRIDE.

AMHERST, April 17.—Mrs. M. D. Pride died at noon today after an illness extending many months. She was 61 years of age and was held in high esteem by a large host of friends.

J. EDWARD SNOODGRASS.

YOUNG'S COVE, Queens Co., April 16.—J. Edward Snodgrass, youngest son of Isaac Snodgrass, passed peacefully away Sunday night, April 16th, at his father's home, after a lingering illness.

JAMES N. SLOAT. CENTREVILLE, April 17.—James N. Sloat, of Tracey's Mills, departed this life on the 15th inst. and was buried in the Baptist cemetery at Centreville.

MRS. JAMES CAIN. CENTREVILLE, April 17.—Mrs. Jas. Cain, of Knoxford, was buried in the Episcopal cemetery on the 18th inst. This aged lady was a daughter of the late Samuel Knight, whose home was formerly at White's Cove, Queen Co.

MARYVILLE, N. B., April 17.—A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Cameron, Fenwick, a few miles above here, at eight o'clock last evening.

WEDDINGS.

FORD-SIMPSON.

A home wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Thomas Simpson, 25 Carleton street, yesterday morning, when Mrs. Simpson's daughter, Miss Lillian Irene, was married to Charles W. Ford of Sackville.

NUTTER-PADDOCK.

On Tuesday afternoon in St. Mary's church, William G. Nutter was united in marriage to Miss Margaret I. Paddock, daughter of the late Thos. Paddock of Kingston.

STERLING-KINGSTON.

At St. James' church rectory at eight o'clock Tuesday night, Rev. J. E. Hand united in marriage Walter Sterling and Miss Lucy Kingston, both of St. Britain street.

CAMERON-STAFFORD.

MARYVILLE, N. B., April 17.—A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Cameron, Fenwick, a few miles above here, at eight o'clock last evening.

Our experience indicates that no business can attain a full measure of success unless its goods be thoroughly mixed known—Keystone Watch Case Co., Phila.

HOWARD NESBIT APPEALS TO THAW

Asks for \$100 to Pay Debts Which He Has Contracted

Time Other Famous Juries Took in Considering a Verdict—Number of Witness Examined, etc.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Throughout the trial Harry K. Thaw and members of his family have felt indignation at the conduct of Howard Nesbit, the young brother of Evelyn Nesbit, because he gave aid to the prosecution.

COST OF THE TRIAL. The probable cost of the Thaw trial is as follows:—

PROSECUTION. Experts' fees, \$5,000. Witness fees, \$15,000. Police work, 5,000. Jury expenses, 1,600. Court expenses, 40,000. Miscellaneous, 10,000. Total, \$75,000.

DEFENCE. Delmas' fee, \$50,000. Other lawyers, 100,000. Medical experts, 15,000. Writing expert, 10,000. For witnesses, 15,000. Police work, 15,000. Miscellaneous, 20,000. Total, \$325,000.

TIME OF OTHER JURIES. The following statement shows the time other famous New York juries were out:

William J. Koerner, jury out, 69 hours, 10 minutes; verdict, first degree. "Nan" Patterson (first), mistrial. "Nan" Patterson (second), jury out 24 hours; verdict, disagreement. "Nan" Patterson (third), jury out 11 hours 35 minutes; verdict, disagreement. Roland B. Molneux (first), jury out 8 hours; verdict, first degree. Roland B. Molneux (second), jury out 25 minutes; verdict, not guilty. Albert T. Patrick, jury out 2 hours; verdict, first degree. Guldenuppe case, jury out 3 hours; verdict, first degree. Bosschier case, jury out 4 hours; verdict, second degree. Carlisle W. Harris, jury out 1 hour

10 minutes; verdict, first degree. Dr. Buchanan, jury out 28 hours; verdict, first degree. Dr. S. J. Kennedy (first), jury out 3 hours 13 minutes; verdict, first degree. Dr. S. J. Kennedy (second), jury out 6 hours 45 minutes; verdict, disagreement. Dr. S. J. Kennedy (third), jury out 22 hours 5 minutes; verdict, disagreement. Burton C. Webster (first), jury out 4 hours; verdict, manslaughter. David Hannigan, jury out 6 hours 20 minutes; verdict, not guilty.

FIGURES OF THE TRIAL. Some interesting figures of the trial are as follows:—Taleman examined, 337. Special panels of jurors, 4. Number of trial days, 43. Lunacy commission in session, 7. Number of days between shooting and beginning of trial, 132. Number of days between shooting and end of trial, 288. Number of alienists called, 15. Number of words in Mr. Jerome's hypothetical question, 15,000.

OTHER FAMOUS TRIALS. Other famous trials are as follows:—Albert T. Patrick—Trial lasted 9 weeks and 3 days; jury out 3 hours; verdict, murder in first degree. Sentence recently commuted to imprisonment for life.

Nan Patterson—First trial, stopped at end of 10 days owing to illness of juror; second trial, 17 days; jury out 24 hours; disagreement. Third trial, 14 days; jury out 11 1/2 hours; disagreement. Third trial, 38 days; jury out 22 hours; verdict, murder in first degree. Defendant was allowed to go free by default.

Roland B. Molneux—First trial, 57 days; jury out 8 hours; verdict, murder in first degree. Second trial, 21 days; jury out 25 minutes; verdict, not guilty. Dr. Samuel J. Kennedy—First trial, 16 days; jury out 2 1/4 hours; verdict, murder in first degree. Second trial, 15 days; jury out 6 1/2 hours; disagreement. Third trial, 38 days; jury out 22 hours; verdict, murder in first degree. Defendant was allowed to go free by default.

Carlisle W. Harris—Trial lasted three weeks; jury out one hour and twenty minutes. Verdict, guilty of murder in first degree. Executed week beginning March 21, 1893. Dr. Robert W. Buchanan—Trial lasted thirty-six days; jury out three and one-half hours. Convicted of murder in second degree on June 8, 1904. Mary Alice Fleming—Trial lasted forty-three days; jury out eleven and one-half hours; 1,100 taleman summoned and 600 examined. This was the greatest number on record except in case of "Boodie" Alderman Thomas Cleary, when 743 taleman were examined. Verdict, not guilty, June 23, 1895. Leon F. Cozlogus—Trial lasted eight hours and twenty-five minutes; jury out four minutes. Verdict, murder in first degree. Taking of testimony lasted only four and one-half hours. Time elapsed between death of President McKinley and conviction of assassin, ten days and fourteen hours.

BAD FIRE AT COBALT

TORONTO, April 17.—A fire which started in the little town of Cobalt, near the famous Cobalt silver mines, tonight, has about wiped out the village. The houses were all frame and of the class that insurance companies would not accept as risks, consequently the loss will fall on the people heavily.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S REMARKS DEEPLY INTEREST BRITISH POLITICAL CIRCLES

Future Gatherings of Conference Discussed Behind Closed Doors by Colonial Premiers Yesterday—Member for Darlington Looking for Further Information.

LONDON, April 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier's pro-British utterances here have caused deep interest in political circles as to the exact meaning of Sir Richard Cartwright's formal announcement as acting Premier in the senate last Thursday, that immediately after the colonial conference the Canadian ministers intend to enter into negotiation with certain foreign powers to bring the new Canadian Intermediate tariff into force.

strong evidence that they are already doing. The colonial premiers discussed today behind closed doors the future gatherings of the conference. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's refusal to accept any scheme for a permanent imperial council is most emphatic. Moreover the belief is growing in well informed circles that whatever the conference may now resolve the conference of 1907 will probably be the last formal gathering of this kind to grope vaguely over the whole field of inter-imperial relations.

MORE ATTACKS OF OPPOSITION

Insurance Report Condemned by Conservatives

Mr. Fielding Denies That Work of Commission Has Not Been of Benefit to Canadian People.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 17.—The House opened today with a Conservative condemnation of the insurance report. Houghton Lemox of Simcoe asked the house to declare that the insurance commission had been guilty of improper conduct in investigating private affairs, that it had suppressed from its findings facts brought out in the evidence and that its operations had been improper, reprehensible and partisan.

BOY ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Placed Obstruction on Track a Few Days Ago

Kings County Lad Who Nearly Wrecked C. P. R. Express Placed in Jail—No Street Cars for Moncton

MONCTON, April 17.—An interesting wedding took place at 3:30 o'clock this evening at the home of G. A. Deane of the L. C. R. stores, when his daughter, Miss Jennie Elvira, was married to Andrew MacGowan of the L. C. R. engineering department and a son of Peter MacGowan of this city. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a number of friends of the young couple by Rev. W. B. Siam, rector of St. George's church. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in gown of white with yellow trimmings and baby lace. There were a large number of beautiful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. MacGowan left on a wedding trip to Upper Canada.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION CLOSED HERE LAST NIGHT

Mrs. Thomas Walker Was Re-elected President

At Public Meeting Addresses Were Delivered by Coadjutor Bishop Richardson and Several Others

PITTSBURG, April 16.—The Pittsburg Leader this afternoon prints a six-column statement from Mrs. Charles J. Holman, mother of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, in which she defends herself against the accusations expressed and implied against her during the Thaw trial.

WOULD HAVE SHOT WHITE HERSELF, HAD SHE KNOWN

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LORD ABERDEEN TO RESIGN? EXPENSES OF POST TOO GREAT

Coming Royal Visits Will Entail Heavy Outlay and Irish Are Eager for Great Display

DUBLIN, April 17.—Tradepeople here complain that the present Lord Leinster, Lord Aberdeen, does not make things "go" at all. The fact that there were only the smallest parties in the viceregal lodge for the Puncshetton and Leopardstown races is rather resented. It is rumored, despite official contradiction, that the resignation of Lord Aberdeen is only a matter of time.

BOY HYPNOTISTS CAUSE DEATH OF THEIR CHUM

Let Him Fall While Raising Him in "Mesmerized" Condition

SHENANDOAH, Pa., April 17.—After a stage hypnotist visited here the latter part of March, the boys got to imitating him, and on Easter Sunday, while raising Richard Foley, Jr., an 11-year-old boy, in a horizontal, stiffened and "mesmerized" position, they let him fall, and his head struck the stone pavement with such force that he died.

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TABERNACLE CALLS REV. J. W. KIERSTEAD

The Tabernacle Baptist church of Haymarket square at a congregational meeting last evening decided to extend a call to Rev. J. W. Kierstead, B. A., of Oxford, Nova Scotia, to fill the pastorate which Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse is about to vacate.

JUDGE FITZGERALD RESTING IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, April 17.—Judge Fitzgerald of New York, who presided over the famous Thaw case which has just come to a close, is now a guest at the Windsor Hotel in this city.

DR. W. W. WHITE IS NOW A MEMBER OF UNIVERSITY SENATE.

Companies Which Are Seeking Incorporation—Royal Gazette Notices.

IT WOULD SEEM TO CONFLICT WITH FEDERAL AND PROVINCIAL ACTS

Provisions of Montreal Alderman's New By-Law Concerning Sunday Observance.

CHILD'S PICTURE WINS BACK RUNAWAY WIFE

Overcome When Confronted With Likeness of Daughter She Deserted

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 17.—After a six weeks' search in every part of the state, William Branch, of Auburn, N. Y., found his wife, who had run away from him and their 5-year-old daughter, in this city, today, and by means of a photograph of his daughter and threats by the police, induced her to return home with him.

MAN BOUND FINGER WITH OIL SOAKED

Colton and Set it Afire

SHAMOKIN, Pa., April 17.—Following the jesting direction of friends in a local restaurant today, Michael Katura suffered terrible torture. He was telling about a wounded hand sustained from a saw.

ST. JOHN SCHOONER WINS IN AN EXCITING RACE FROM BARBADOS

BOSTON, April 17.—Two British schooners started a remarkably close race of over 2,000 miles today, the Gladys E. Whidden, of St. John, N. B., winning over the Laura C. of Lunenburg, N. S., in the run from Barbados to this port by a trifle over nine hours.

DOMINION FAIR WAGE OFFICER HERE

Victor du Breuil of Ottawa, the Dominion Fair Wage officer, was in the city yesterday and will leave for Moncton today.

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MRS. STUART BRINGS ACTION AGAINST THE BANK OF MONTREAL

TORONTO, April 17.—Mrs. John Stuart, wife of the former president of the Bank of Montreal, has brought action against the Bank of Montreal involving about \$200,000.

INTERESTING LECTURE BY DR. H. S. BRIDGES

Last night Dr. H. S. Bridges delivered a very interesting lecture on "Class Management in the school room of the Congregational church, Union street. The address was made to apply particularly to the conduct of Sunday school classes.

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THIS EVENING. Continuous performance at Keith's, Prof. Demers at Queen's Rollaway, Wonderland.

The police report a flow of water across the sidewalk on Carmarthen street, coming from James McKinley's property.

THE WEATHER

Forecasts—Fresh westerly and north-westerly winds, fair, Friday, westerly winds, fair, not much change in temperature. Synopsis—The disturbance which was centered in Maine yesterday passed quickly eastward to the Atlantic and the barometer will now rise slowly. The weather continues cold in Ontario and the Western provinces. To Banks and American ports, fresh to strong westerly and northwesterly winds. Sable Island, northwest wind, 24 miles, clear. Point Lepreau, southwest wind, 18 miles at 11 a. m. Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 48. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 24. Temperature at noon, 42.

LOCAL NEWS.

The last R. K. V. C. smoker of the season will be held at the city club rooms this evening. A fine programme has been arranged.

Mrs. Harry Myles Saunders, (nee Thomas) will receive her friends Thursday afternoon and evening, April 18th at 4 Haymarket Square.

The funeral of the late Miss Belle Golding took place at 2:30 this afternoon from the residence of M. Cowan, 18 Golding street. Rev. D. Hutchinson officiated and interment was in Fernhill.

The body of the late Joseph H. Moore was taken to Rothersey for interment on the early train this morning. Rev. Dr. Wilson conducted a burial service at the late home of the deceased, Victoria Lane, last evening.

William DeWolf, of this city formerly of the engineering staff of the Halifax and South Western Railway, but for the past year in charge of a McKenzie & Mann party located about twenty-five miles from Perry Sound, has resigned that position and will enter the service of the Grand Trunk Transcontinental, being located in New Brunswick. He arrived in the city last evening and today goes to Bridgewater, where his wife and child are residing. In a few days he leaves for New Brunswick to take up the work of his new position.—Halifax Echo.

Director Wm. R. Chapman of the Maine musical festival has sold his Bethel farm to Warren A. Emery, of Bethel. This sale includes all the fine tillage land owned by Mr. Chapman, on the easterly side of the road in Mayville and also the large new barn built by Mr. Chapman last year. This barn is 100 feet long by 40 feet wide and is a good one. About 75 acres of land are included in this deal and all of it is intervals land. The price is not given out but it reported that it was nearly \$10,000. Mr. Chapman still retains his fine summer home and has been located on the opposite side of the road from the land sold. He also owns much other real estate in Bethel, including woods and timberland. Mr. Chapman has engaged Madame Calve, as the leading soloist at the Maine State festival in October. A special excursion will be run from St. John to Bangor during the concert.

At 8:30 o'clock this evening in St. David's Presbyterian church, Rev. A. A. Raham will unite in marriage Miss Grace Burpee, daughter of Mrs. John C. P. Burpee, and Mr. Harrison A. McKeown. About three hundred invitations have been issued for the event which has aroused much interest in social circles.

Miss Maud Binning will be the bridesmaid and Prof. W. Morley Tweedie, of Sackville University, will support the groom. The following gentlemen will act as ushers—James G. Harrison, Bruce Burpee, Gordon Kerr and David McLellan.

After the ceremony a reception will be held at the bride's home, Mount Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. McKeown (to be) will leave on the 11:30 train tonight for Halifax where they will take passage on the C. P. R. steamship Empress of India for England where they will spend some weeks.

Miss Burpee has for some years been a valued member of St. David's church. She has taken a great interest in the child's department and has been one of the most efficient Sunday school teachers.

Mr. McKeown is one of the leading lawyers of this city and the best wishes of a large number of friends will go out to him and his friends for much happiness in their married lives.

FERRY WAS HELD UP FOR THREE HOURS TODAY

The ferry steamer Ludlow was off the route from 7:30 to 10:30 this morning to allow the dredging in the west side slip to be done. Many clerks who reside on the west side of the harbor and who are due to arrive at their places of employment at eight o'clock, were distressed to find on arriving at the floats between 7:30 and 8 o'clock that the ferry was off the route, although no notice had been given. They were obliged to reach the city by way of the suspension bridge, and were quite late in arriving at their work. The dredging was necessary and the hours from 7:30 to 10:30 were thought to be the most suitable to the public.

CUT THE HARNESS AND TURNED THE HORSES LOOSE

About 2:30 o'clock this morning the police found a team of horses wandering about Main street. The horses were harnessed and the harness was badly cut and destroyed. The horses are the property of H. Green of Metcalf street, manager of White's Express, were engaged in hauling scenery from the Opera House to the I. C. R. yard last night. The police say that it was while the scenery was being loaded into a car that the horses were unhitched from the wagon, and while the men were engaged in the car some person cut the harness and drove the horses away.

ANDREW G. BLAIR LEFT AN ESTATE WORTH \$200,000.

Will Fyled at Ottawa, But is Not Yet Probated, Owing to Delay in the Matter of Succession Tax

When Andrew G. Blair died so suddenly a few months ago, the general impression was that he was a poor man. Scarcely anyone, even among his near friends, believed that he was possessed of more than ten or fifteen thousand dollars worth of property. The idea being that the principal amount of his wealth was invested in the New Brunswick Telephone Company. Hence it comes as a great surprise to all to learn that Mr. Blair left an estate valued at not less than two hundred thousand dollars. This is the information which cannot yet be authoritatively announced, but which reaches St. John from a good source. Mr. Blair's will has been entered for probate in the probate court at Ottawa and the draft inventory fixes the amount at about two hundred thousand, a considerable portion of which is in life insurance. It is learned here that his will has not yet been admitted to probate because of a disagreement in regard to the succession tax to be paid to the Provincial Government of Ontario. This has been the cause of the delay, but it is anticipated that a settlement will very shortly be reached. It is understood that the bulk of Mr. Blair's estate goes to members of his family.

AN UNPLEASANT SESSION OF CIVIC COURT TODAY

Many Delays Occurred and Lots of Things to Make the Officials Cranky.

This morning the regular civic court proceedings were held before Judge Ritchie, and His Honor's patience was sorely taxed, for while the docket was a comparatively small one, many constables and the ferry steamer Ludlow were responsible for considerable inconveniences. At the opening of court a number of constables made returns, some of which should have been made yesterday. This was the commenced an unpleasant session. Then when order was restored court officials with very squeaky boots vainly attempted to move noiselessly about the room. With every step there was a squeak solo.

The name of a plaintiff in a suit was called, and there being no response an attorney asked that the case be held over as the parties concerned were in Carleton, and learned when it was too late that the Ludlow was off the route. They were making their way to the east side via the suspension bridge. The next event was a suit with a man from Sussex as the plaintiff. The defendant was not in court and R. G. Murray, who appeared, claimed that the constable who served the summons did not serve on the defendant but on defendant's wife and told the defendant that under the circumstances he would not have to appear until next Thursday. Mr. Murray claimed that constables had no right to do such a thing and that while there were some constables who were "top" there were others who were not.

The judge said that the constables were appointed by the city council not by the court, and after some cross firing between the attorney and the judge this discussion was brought to a close by the judge saying it was not advisable to take up the time of the court with any further discussion on the subject as the law provides that when the summons is left with a defendant's wife the defendant is not bound to come to court until the following week. At the past year the civic court judge has had to speak a number of times on the slack manner in which some of the constables perform their duties. It may be that some changes will result when the new appointments are made.

ST. GEORGES DAY

Service in Trinity Next Sunday Evening, and a Dinner at Union Club on Tuesday

The annual service of St. George's Society will be held at Trinity church on Sunday next, 21st inst., at 7 p. m., preacher, The Right Rev. Canon Richardson, chaplain. Members will assemble at the rooms, Orange Hall, certain street, at 6:30 and leave for the church at 6:45 sharp. It is hoped that every member of the society will attend this service. The Society will celebrate St. George's Day, Tuesday, 23rd inst., by a dinner at The Union Club at 7:45 p. m. Members are requested to assemble at the club at 7:30. Ross and badges are to be worn on both of the above occasions. Members are requested to fly their flags on St. George's Day, and also to request others to do so.

The police were called on yesterday to make peace in a number of places. James Brown, a disturber, was ejected from James Flood's barroom, Marsh Bridge. Joseph McAfee was ejected from Samuel Ruben's store, Main street. A disorderly man was ejected from Annie Doherty's house. The officers were called into Mr. Morris' house on North street to quiet his son, William, who was making a disturbance. They were also obliged to quiet Wm. Hanley, who was making a racket in his mother's house on Britain street.

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