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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 1909.

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BARGAINS

ARE ALWAYS INTERESTING. READ OVER THIS LIST CAREFULLY. EXAMINE OUR WINDOW. SEE IF THERE IS NOT SOMETHING ON WHICH YOU CAN SAVE MONEY.

Individual Tea and Coffee Pots and Sugar Pitchers, were 30c. NOW 25c.
Nickel Tea Kettles, were 50c. NOW 40c.
Nickel Tea Kettles, were 60c. NOW 50c.
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Coffee Biggins, were \$1.40. NOW 1.25.
Good Morning Coffee Percolators, were \$1.35. NOW 1.25.
Wire Hotel Broilers, were \$1.25. NOW 1.10.
Oval Jap. Trays (extra heavy) 25 x 30 in., were \$2.00. NOW \$1.75.
Glass Oil Cans (1/2 Gallon), were 40c. NOW 35c.
Tea Pot Stands, were 15c. NOW 12c.
Household Nail Boxes, were \$1.40. NOW 1.25.
Fibre Wash Basins, were 25c. NOW 20c.
Dessert Forks (Nickel-Plated), were \$1.15 Doz. NOW 95c.

ASSORTMENT OF FOOD CHOPPERS AT HALF PRICE. ASSORTMENT OF ENAMELWARE AT HALF PRICE.

W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd
MARKET SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B.

ENTERPRISE STOVES

Are guaranteed to be the most perfect bakers. The numerous features at your disposal will mean a saving of time and labor, as well as producing the most satisfactory results. They are made of the best materials by highly skilled workmen, in the most modern stove foundry in Canada.

"Enterprise" Stoves have two guarantees—our own and that of the Enterprise Foundry Co.

It would be a pleasure to have you call and see for yourself this very excellent line of stoves.

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Satisfactory Suits For Men \$5. to \$22.

WE only handle Suits that are well tailored, for, after all every man knows that these are the only kind that will keep shapely. A Suit may be very stylish but if it is poorly tailored it's never a profitable investment.

Over one hundred different lines to select from in prices ranging from

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American Clothing House,
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OUR SPECIAL Fownes' Cape Gloves \$1.00

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MOTHINE ODORLESS Effective Preventative and Destroyer of MOTHS Price 15c and 25c Box

The DRUG STORE—Phone 587—100 King St
CHARLES R. WASSON

Stores open till 8 p. m. St. John, April 18, 1909.

Don't Let This Sunday Catch You in Last Winter's Clothing

On a nice fine Sunday you will feel just about half the man in the Clothing you have worn all winter that you would in a new Spring outfit. Perhaps you may not need a whole Suit, a Coat and Vest, a pair of Trousers, a new wash Vest, or it may be a Spring Overcoat or Hat would fix you up. If so they are here in the right style and at prices that will save you money.

SPRING TOP COATS, \$6.98 to \$15.00
MEN'S SPRING SUITS, 5.00 to 20.00

Also Boys' Suits of every description.

J. N. HARVEY, Opera & Tailoring Clothing House Block

CLAIMS OF TOBACCO PULP MILL PROJECT PRESENTED TODAY

Delegation Appears to Support the New Enterprise—Salmon Club is the Chief Objector.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 18.—The corporation committee met this morning to consider the Tobacco Pulp and Paper Company's bill, Mr. Tweeddale, the promoter, outlined in a general way the great benefits which would result to the county of Victoria from the establishment of such an industry as the proposed company contemplated. The bill, he said, had been before the committee last year and had been stood over for a year for further information. It was then opposed by some of the lumber and fishing interests, both of which would be found carefully protected under the present bill. Some of the promoters were large holders of limits on the Tobique and they were anxious to manufacture the tops of the trees and small lumber into pulp and so save hundreds of thousands of dollars at the present time going to waste. It was proposed to construct a dam which would economically serve the purposes of the company. At that point supplementary power could also be had from Arcootook Falls. The Dominion government, he said, absolutely safeguarded the fisheries. Among the main opponents of the bill was the Tobique Salmon Club, composed of foresters, who controlled salmon fishing on a large portion of the river for which they paid the province the magnificent sum of \$50 a year. These people with their arbitrary rights were trying to prevent the industrial development of the province. One day's business of the proposed industry would bring more money into the province than five years' revenue from the salmon club. He referred to some letters against sending out raw material to be manufactured outside the province, and favored the development of all industries possible. Employees of the salmon club had been circulating petitions against the bill, but here before the committee was a delegation of fourteen gentlemen representing three-quarters of the business interests of the district, who at two hours' notice when they heard the bill was to be proposed taken the train to come here and support it.

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FEAR OF LYNCHING KEEPS TURKS QUIET

Members Afraid to Enter the Parliament Building.

LONDON, April 18.—Turkey still has a parliament, but its influence appears to be dead. Many of its members are fearful of entering the doors, which has now obtained control of the state. Nobody dares to predict what a few days may bring forth.

Constantinople remains quiet, but any public man who incurs the opposition of the soldiers or the reactionary party is in danger of being lynched and days succeeding the first rising have done nothing to relieve the anxiety.

The Times publishes a programme of the new Turkish government's policy. The new cabinet will follow the political program of its predecessor both as to foreign relations and to domestic affairs. It will maintain and develop the constitutional institution of the empire and restore order by strict enforcement of the law. It will submit to the parliament financial and other administrative measures and will maintain cordial relations with the powers.

LONDON, April 18.—The Admiralty today gave details to the report emanating from Vienna on a joint naval demonstration at Constantinople. No British squadron has been ordered to leave Malta for the Bosphorus as has been said, nor has information reached the Admiralty of the intention of the Turkish military authorities to send ships to Turkish waters.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—The manifesto issued yesterday by a committee of Union, which movement of the last few days is declared to be in no way directed against the constitutional government, has created an excellent impression on the public mind.

The new minister of marine, Vice-Admiral Djavid Pasha, has resigned owing to the hostility shown his appointment by the navy, the president of the authorities. A band of Albanians at Petch defeated the troops sent there to restore order and that one of the Turkish military stations in the Albanian country military mutineers seized their barracks and drove their officers away. Famine prevails in Macedonia and Old Serbia. Eight thousand families are suffering, the correspondent declares, and more than 100 persons already have died of starvation.

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Others Have Disappeared—No Naval Demonstration.

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HANSON GETS A MONTH IN JAIL FOR ASSAULT

Without Option of a Fine—Must Also Pay \$55 Costs or Do Another Month.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 18.—At the police court this morning Col. Marsh delivered judgment in the Crockett-Hanson assault case. His Honor found Hanson guilty of assault and sentenced him to one month in jail without the option of a fine, and also \$55 for costs, which he said would mean another month's jail.

PROMINENT BUSINESS MAN SHOT DOWN IN STREET

Assault Escaped—Thought to be Dismissed Employee.

ELMIRA, N. Y., April 18.—Joseph McCann, one of Elmira's well known business men, and one of the leading meat dealers of the Southern Tier, was shot down on the street in the center of the city here at 9 o'clock this morning when on his way to his store. Two bullets entered his body. He was taken to the hospital and is not expected to live. His assailant is supposed to have been a young man who had been employed by Mr. McCann and who had been dismissed because of alleged shortages in his accounts. An effort was made to pursue him but thus far without success.

PROMINENT CLERGYMEN TO GATHER AT NORTHFIELD

NORTHFIELD, Mass., April 18.—Many prominent clergymen from the United States, Canada and England will attend the annual conference at Northfield during the coming summer. The conference programme has practically been completed and provides sessions from the middle of June until late in September. The largest representation of clergymen will be present at the conference of Christian Workers which meets the first two weeks in August.

The Manchester liner, Manchester Shipper, sailed for Manchester about one o'clock this afternoon with a good general cargo.

TWENTY GUESTS ARE MISSING

After Fire Which Destroyed Big Hotel

Three Hundred Inmates Thrown Into Panic—Many are Crushed and Several Burned.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Three hundred guests of the St. George Hotel in Howard street were thrown into a panic by a fire which completely destroyed the building, a three story frame structure, shortly after three o'clock this morning. While it is not known that any lives were lost, it is reported by the clerk that at least 20 of the guests still cannot be accounted for. Six men were severely burned, one probably fatally and many received minor injuries by being trampled in the rush to escape.

MOUNT ETNA SAID TO BE IN ERUPTION

Stromboli Also Active—Terrorified Inhabitants of Catania Flee for Safety.

PARIS, April 18.—A despatch received here from Naples says that Mount Etna is in eruption and that showers of cinders have fallen on Catania. Many of the inhabitants, the despatch says, have fled. Stromboli, it is asserted, also is active.

A Naples despatch several days ago said that Mount Etna was again in a state of eruption and that the people were terrified, fearing another earthquake. This report, however, was denied in despatches from Catania, which were received at Rome.

PRISONER CUTS HIS THROAT IN COURT ROOM

Fearing a Death Sentence—Doctors Dressed the Wound and Prisoner Heard His Sentence of 14 Years.

RIDGEWATER, N.J., April 18.—Fearing a sentence of death was about to be imposed on him, Arch Smith, an Irish laborer, slashed his throat in the crowded courtroom here yesterday while the judge was in the act of charging the jury with murdering the juror. The court heard, while a deputy sheriff summoned a doctor, and almost before he had finished dressing the wound, the jury agreed on a verdict of guilty and fixed Smith's punishment at fourteen years in the penitentiary.

THE ROYAL PARTY

LONDON, April 18.—Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria, left this city today for Paris, where they will join King Edward. The royal party will proceed there by special train to Genoa, where they will board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert for a cruise in the Mediterranean.

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A few weeks ago charges of fraud were brought against certain of the directors of the sugar company which is a big concern capitalized at \$11,000,000. The directors resigned and an investigation of the affairs of the company followed.

A series of questionable transactions was disclosed and the stock dropped from 10 to 60 points as a result of the exposure, a large number of people including many foreigners meeting in a scandalous manner in the street.

The affair started an outcry from the press and the public which led to the prosecution of a number of the directors involved. These men were arrested in commercial and political circles. When the nine members of the Lower House were taken in custody today, the charges against them were not made public owing to the connection of the defendant directors with politics. It is generally believed that the investigation of the sugar company resulted in the exposure of bribery in the Diet.

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"I have letters from residents of various sections," he said, "who are insisting that wood block is the thing for paving purposes. Our organization has investigated every phase of the paving question, and it is stronger than ever in its indorsement of wood. The merchants are insistent in their demands that wood be used, and there will be no let-up in the fight until their goal is accomplished."

Frank Reiser, a director of the association, defended wood blocks by producing statistics issued by the United States government, which, he said, show that this material is far better than granite or asphalt.

"When the government makes it plain that, from every standpoint, paving by wood blocks is the best," said Mr. Reiser, "it should be taken for granted that such is the case. The government does not have an eye one way or the other when it investigates the matter of this sort."

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EXPORTS TO U. S. SHOW IMMENSE INCREASE.

The exports to the United States through the port of St. John for the quarter ending March 31 shows an enormous increase over the previous total. A statement of the various shipments has been received and the total export amounts to \$88,716.39. This includes the product of the American laths, lumber and shingles, totalling \$224,881.92.

A remarkable increase is shown in the report of tea, which advanced from \$10,176.07 to \$51,660.15. The reason assigned for this enormous increase is the convenience of tariff changes.

Lumber is another product which has been shipped in heavy quantities for the past three months. An increase of over 500 per cent. being shown. Laths went up from \$23,488.91 to \$67,508.25. The lumber exports amounted to \$39,569.11. Wood pulp advanced from \$2,787.17 to \$116,264.64. Heavy increases were also shown in the export trade in shingles. From the product of the American mills there was an export of laths amounting to \$25,046.33, while shingles increased from \$10,075.00 to \$12,148.05.

The detailed statement is as follows:

Articles.	Value.
Animals:	
Birds.....	500.00
Horses.....	550.00
Sheep.....	2,500.00
Castor seed.....	7,234.59
Chalk.....	1,516.82
Cook.....	2,229.09
Emigrants' effects.....	7,832.60
Fertilizer.....	7,138.50
Fish:	
Cod.....	504.00
Mackerel.....	1,972.17
Fish Waste.....	991.45
Oil.....	1,031.55
Glucose.....	1,233.33
Guano.....	45,995.80
Hides.....	60,403.34
Junk.....	4,988.54
Line.....	67,268.25
Liquor.....	1,122.50
Lumber.....	17,520.02
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Miscellaneous.....	483,013.03
Potatoes.....	14,759.47
Pulp wood.....	8,436.15
Raw furs.....	5,655.75
Returned Am. goods.....	4,989.97
Rough buffings.....	3,457.00
Salt.....	1,545.00
Sax.....	2,717.00
Shoes.....	3,183.65
Shingles.....	5,844.46
Ship knees.....	891.75
Stout.....	3,388.58
Tea.....	81,669.18
Tea.....	2,504.33
Wool pulp.....	116,264.64
Total.....	\$63,824.40
Product of American logs:	
Lumber.....	\$168,657.56

BANKING HOUSE SUSPENDS

LUEBECK, Germany, April 18.—A local sensation was caused here today by the suspension of the banking house of Lockmann and Holtz. Pending the clearing up of the situation the creditors of the firm have refrained from asking for the appointment of a receiver.

Value.	
Advertising matter.....	\$ 143.50
Buttons.....	51.45
Boxwood.....	500.00
Canned meats.....	3,386.06
Cotton laces.....	25.00
Cocoa butter.....	3,370.00
Cresote oil.....	566.67
Dry goods.....	5,118.00
Earl wares.....	387.69
Earth paint.....	213.36
Glass.....	1,538.00
Jelly tins.....	1,421.00
Linoleum.....	6,488.00
Loabsters.....	270.00
Mineral water.....	297.77
Muslin.....	1,181.00
Mushrooms.....	6,562.00
Palat.....	482.00
Paper.....	1,294.00
Quinine.....	810.00
Sea moss.....	253.67
Soda.....	228.56
Spruce Gum.....	100.00
Steel.....	2,257.29
Steel angles.....	1,131.40
Tankage.....	206.85
Vinegar.....	115.31

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COAL-- American Anthracite, Scotch Anthracite, Old Mines Sydney Reserve. Delivered in bulk or in bags. Prices Low. R. P. & W. F. STARR, Ltd. 49 BMYTHE ST., 14 CHARLOTTE ST.

LOCAL NEWS

Kitchen girl wanted; also assistant cook. Apply Royal Hotel. To cure a headache in ten minutes use Mumford Headache Powder, 25 cents. Maritime Ring Works clean carpets promptly. Phone us to call M.1941. NEW YORK DRESSMAKERS, reasonable prices. Telephone Main 123-31. House 161 Mill St. 13-2-11. Cleaning and pressing done at Coder Bros. Telephone 428-21. 6-4-11. Curtains done up for full housekeeping with homelike care at Ungar's Tel. 14.

NEW TEMPERANCE HALL

DEDICATED ON MAIN ST. Handsome New Quarters of Alexandra Temple of Honor Opened With Interesting and Impressive Service. Impressive was the service held last night at the Alexandra Temple of Honor in Main street, North End, when the new hall was dedicated by Grand Worshipful Templar Blouet and the Grand Worshipful Chaplain, Rev. D. Hutchinson. The evening opened by an orchestral selection, which was given to a crowd of well-wishers. The chairman, Dr. Roberts, opened with an address, in which he eulogized the strenuous work being carried on by the Templars. It is according to our rights that when we build new premises, he said, "that we dedicate them to the work we are carrying on so successfully."

FASCINATION OF SEARCH FOR WEALTH AT GOWGANDA

The Veriest Greenhorn is as Likely to Turn Up Something Good as the Veteran—Lots of Tenderfeet About—Plenty of Adventure to be Had.

GOWGANDA, April 15.—The winter rush into silver fields is over; the spring rush will commence in about six weeks from now, when the canoes are clear of ice. The last of the army of teams that has been pouring in supplies from both ways has left on its homeward trip out, and the quadruple pay and a big bonus besides could tempt the owners to risk their horses again over the dangerous roads or the chances of having their horses left at the wrong end of the route where they are 1000 a ton, and where the only thing for the unlucky teamster to do would be to shoot his horses and work his way out as best he could. There were nearly a thousand teams at work on the Charlottetown route, and probably half as many on the Bellevue and St. John's routes. Quantities of supplies were left at both terminals, and many companies and merchants got in but a part of their goods. There are loads and loads of machinery and supplies stashed at every roadside or dumped by the roadside in the bush.

TIMBER AREAS UNPROTECTED.

Leading Dealer of United States Draws Attention to Lumber Supply and Great Danger That Confronts the Americans.

PARIS, April 12.—Twenty years from now the probability of how where to obtain a sufficient supply of lumber will bother the people of the United States, said Mr. M. A. Robertson, of St. Paul, Minn., one of the leading lumber dealers in the northwest. Mr. Robertson, who is stopping at the Hotel Bristol, was talking on the lumber supply, which gives evidence of failing to meet the demand sooner or later. He said: "Our properties are located in Canada. We ship to the United States. Therefore considering the tariff legislation, the show may pinch us on the other foot. We want to see the tariff reduced."

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE OF PIANOS AND ORGANS

The greatest bargain in high grade, new, and good used Pianos, piano players, and Organs ever offered in St. John. Don't fail to take advantage of this Clearance Sale. Owing to important changes that we expect to make in our business in about two weeks, a large amount of this stock must be cleared out at once.

Pianos, Organs, Talking Machines, Violins and All Kinds of Musical Instruments. Cash or Easy Terms. W. H. Johnson Co., Ltd., 7 Market Square, St. John, N. B.

The "Want" ads. are read by ambitious people, those who want to improve their condition in life. Do you need anyone of this class?

Tonight the annual meeting of the Seaman's Institute will be held and members, friends and subscribers are cordially invited at the Institute at 8 o'clock. There is Only One BROMO QUININE That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of Dr. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day, 25c.

Tomorrow afternoon the Nickel Theatre matinee for school children will be an hour long, and in the evening the Festival Orchestra will discourse an entirely popular programme.

Our special artist will be at work as his stand in our show room painting pictures to order on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Call in Dominion Specialty Co., Ltd., opposite Dufferin Hotel. 15-1-3.

Mrs. Gilbert O'Dell begs to thank the many friends, among whom not least, her husband's employers, Messrs. Hutchinson and Co. for the kindness and sympathy extended to her in her late bereavement.

All members of Dominion Lodge, L. O. L., No. 14, are requested to attend a special meeting tonight at 8 o'clock sharp, to arrange to attend the funeral of late brother William Peckham. By order of the Worshipful Master, Charles L. Hamilton, recording secretary.

There was an enjoyable gathering at Orange Hall last evening to attend the "at home" given by the members of the York L. O. L. and their friends. There was a large attendance and a musical and literary programme was carried out. Speeches were delivered by County Master Kelly, Geo. E. Day, H. E. Codner and others.

Miss Florence Mabey passed away about 10.30 o'clock last night after a lingering illness at her home, 14 Metcalfe street. She was 72 years of age and had been ill with diabetes. She leaves a father, mother, three brothers and one sister to mourn their sad loss. The brothers are B. L. Mabey, with John Sealy, R. F. with C. H. Peters & Sons and B. C. with the N. B. Telephone Co.; a sister, Miss Etta L. Mabey, is employed with Dunsford & Co.

Walter White is mourning the loss of a valuable portion of the machinery of his motor boat. The owner visited Marie's Cove last week to give the gear a thorough overhauling, but found that the reversing clutch, costing about \$36, had been taken, while about \$40 damage was done to the boat. The police are working on the case.

Friends of Alderman Hamm will regret to learn that he has been forced to resign to Sheriff Ritchie, for the benefit of his creditors. His legal adviser, Ald. H. H. Pickett said last night that it was impossible at the present time to say just what Alderman Hamm's liabilities are. Alderman Hamm is very ill in the hospital and has not been able to furnish a statement. No one has been allowed to see him except relatives and intimate friends. A meeting of the creditors will be held next week.

A woman without funds and two small children are being sheltered at the Salvation Army Home. The party reached the town yesterday from Portland. However, as the woman could not produce the requisite amount she was detained by the officials. The case had an unusual pitiful phase, as the woman is about to become a mother within a short time.

LIQUOR CASE TRIED AT FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 16.—In the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon argument was concluded in the case of the King vs. John L. Marsh, Police Magistrate of Fredericton, ex parte Robert L. Walker. In this case Walker, who is a C. H. station master here, was convicted by the magistrate under the Canada Temperance Act for storing liquor. Mr. Hughes at the session of the court obtained a rule nisi to quash the conviction, and today argued to have the same made absolute. Mr. A. J. Gregory, K. C., opposed the contention. The court said it would give judgment at a later date.

NO MORE DANDRUFF

To irritate the scalp and make the hair fall out, after you use Luby's Parisian Hair Renewer. It is a quick and absolute cure for Dandruff. It makes the hair grow soft, lustrous and beautiful. At all druggists, 50 cents per bottle. R. J. DEVINA, Limited, Agents, Montreal.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

At Black's bowling alley last night in a well fought contest between Brokers, No. 4, and the Canadian Rubber Co., No. 6. The former were the victors by four wickets.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. AVE. Includes Olive, Roberts, Dean, Mahoney, Cronin.

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Today the Dunlop Rubber Co. will meet the Ames Holden Co. SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 15.—Edward Payson Weston reached South Bend at 7 o'clock tonight in excellent condition. He left Goshen shortly after 10 o'clock this morning, announcing that he would be in South Bend, 25 miles distant, before night. He did not stop in South Bend, but continued to New Carlisle, 14 miles west of here where he will stay tonight.

BOSTON, Mass., April 15.—The lengthy litigation against relatives of the late Andrew J. Davis, the wealthy Montana mine owner, by Mrs. Eva A. Ingersoll, widow of the late Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, ended today, when Judge Wm. L. Putnam in the United States district court.

WAS THE LAST IN.

Surely never such a gathering of men of all kinds and conditions has ever been seen in the bush or at a stake here by the lure of the silver fields up in the spruce bush of Ontario. It took me four days to get up of them here, but they were last of the last, and I had to walk the last forty miles. Over this distance prospectors were strung along every few hundred yards at places, and never a mile of bush road but some are coming on it, but there are only three hundred prospectors. They are of all sorts and conditions, from the seasoned veteran, who knows his business, to the tenderfoot, ignorant of everything, but bound to find a bit of open country somewhere on which to stake his claim.

FIRE SIDE CLUB AT DINNER AT WHITE'S

Annual Affair Proves Most Enjoyable—An Excellent Programme. The seventh annual dinner of the Fireside Club of St. David's church was held last evening at White's restaurant and was highly enjoyable. President McFarlane occupied the chair. Mr. White had prepared a splendid menu, and after the good things had been done justice to the following programme and toast list was carried out.

THE LURE OF IT ALL

The prospectors you meet in the bush are hungry for information; you don't require a formal introduction to get talking to them. Thousands of men already tramping the trails who would not know a piece of hungry quartz from the richest appetite, and are dead anxious to learn where to go and how to look for the veins—and that's the lure of it all—these men are just about as high as the clouds, and consequently they are not to be trusted. At this time of year the experienced man takes a grub-hunt and rations, and many of them have been at this kind of thing all winter, for there has been very little snow on the lakes, they had to tramp the snow into the water, then back again and wait a day or more for their tracks to freeze and load to go. There was no trail to follow, and it took them two weeks to get through. They tell me they have made a fine discovery—a vein four inches wide, all carrying silver. They asked me to go out to see it, and I hope to do so when the waterways open up.

BLOCK IN THE TRAIL

The tale of the strenuous effort made to bring in stuff over the rough bush roads is a bit extraordinary—one only those who have seen the activity of that last marvelous week can realize it. The roads were cut to pieces, the lakes were two feet deep with water over the top, horses were continually breaking through the air holes, the bolt of the double-tree would be quickly drawn and the horse pulled out before it sank. The horses would be pulled around the hole and merely on again—in a block of this twenty, thirty, forty in a bunch. When a horse went through a green bush or a pole is struck in the hole as a warning to those who follow.

There are a score or more of dead horses on the roadside, horses downed out with the work or that sickness

PARIS, April 12.—Twenty years from now the probability of how where to obtain a sufficient supply of lumber will bother the people of the United States, said Mr. M. A. Robertson, of St. Paul, Minn., one of the leading lumber dealers in the northwest.

Continuing on the topic of the future scarcity of lumber in the United States, Mr. Robertson said: "The great fault of the present, and which in the interest of British lumber is the failure to protect timber areas. Contracting companies cut away heavy timber and leave the undergrowth exposed to dangers of fire, or the undergrowth is destroyed to make either waste or farm land. This is a mistake. The situation constitutes a positive danger to the welfare of the country."

WANTS TO KEEP HIS MILLION.

King Leopold and His Dealings in Hankow—Canton Bonds.

BRUSSELS, April 12.—The sudden appearance of the Belgian claims in the struggle to prevent the completion of the German loan at Peking is not, according to authoritative information here, in any way due to the fact that King Leopold, as reported, is acting in the interest of British bankers who desire to block the German loan. King Leopold's motives in the matter appear to be of a different nature. When the American-China development company was formed Leopold secured a large share of the 10,000,000 franc loan fund at 90, making thereby for himself about 1,000,000 francs. Mr. De Lathuysen, then president of the committee of surveillance of this fund, now governor of the National Bank of Belgium, protested earnestly against the transaction and subsequently resigned. Before he did so a written contract was executed from the King, whereby the latter guaranteed the difference between the price he paid for the bonds and the sum at which they were turned into the Congo fund. Leopold's present interest in the matter seems to be to find a way to get rid of the bonds, at least at par, in order to avoid being compelled to restore the million to the Congo treasury. It is said the King expects to see J. Pierpont Morgan, who was in Brussels shortly and this interview is expected to have an influence on the King's ultimate decision.

BREAD WILL LIKELY RISE

Aware of the continued increase in the price of flour, householders are now being worried over the possibility of an advance in bread. Though no announcement has been made that a rise will take place, unless the price of flour drops an increase may be expected. The price of grain still shows a tendency to go higher and consequently the various brands of flour have advanced in price. William Shaw of Shaw's Bakery, when approached on the matter last night, stated that he could not say positively that a rise in the price of bread would result. The wholesale price now being asked is six cents a loaf.

EXTEND PERMANENT CALL TO REV. MR. TITUS

A business meeting of the Coburg street Christian church was held last evening at the church. The Rev. Geo. Titus, who has been supplying at the church for the past three months, was unanimously extended the call to continue as the permanent chaplain. Several spots of his faithful work at the church and his services are gratefully appreciated.

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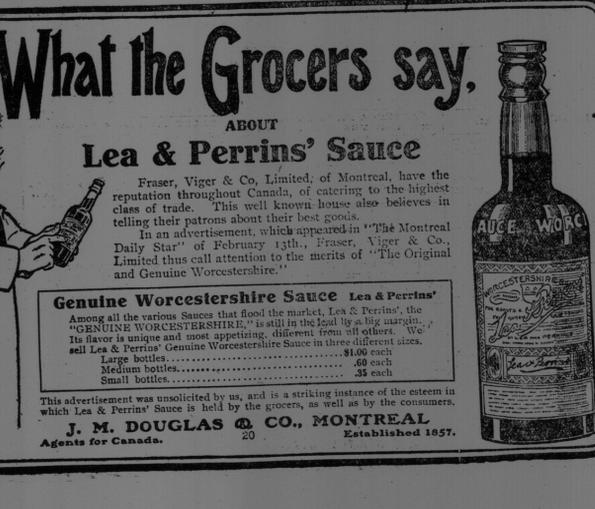
TONIGHT Spangles and The Preacher. DON'T MISS THIS ONE. The third act, showing a church illuminated, with a snow scene that is said to be a sensation in itself will be shown. Frankie Carpenter and Company including Jere Crady and Billy Rhodes the smallest and cutest comedians in the world will be with us. 8—MORE DAYS—8 SATURDAY NIGHT. Girl of Eagle Ranch. Prices—Matsinee, 15c, and 25c. Evenings, 15c, 25c, 50c and 25c.

What the Grocers say.

ABOUT Lea & Perrins' Sauce. Fraser, Viger & Co., Limited, of Montreal, have the reputation throughout Canada, of catering to the highest class of trade. This well known house also believes in telling their patrons about their best goods. In an advertisement, which appeared in "The Montreal Daily Star" of February 13th, Fraser, Viger & Co., Limited thus call attention to the merits of "The Original and Genuine Worcestershire."

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This advertisement was unsolicited by us, and is a striking instance of the esteem in which Lea & Perrins' Sauce is held by the grocers, as well as by the consumers. J. M. DOUGLAS & CO., MONTREAL. Agents for Canada. Established 1857.



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NEW ISLAND BRIDGE BILL AMENDED IN LEGISLATURE

FREDRICKTON, Feb. 15.—The House met at 3 o'clock. The following bills were read a third time and passed: Respecting Education of the Blind, To Incorporate the Twin Tree Shores Railway Company, respecting Deaf and Dumb Children, and To Amend the Municipalities Act.

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GROWTH OF THE BRITISH RACE.

One of the most noticeable features of a comparison of the population of the United States in 1790 with that of 1900 is the evidence which it gives of the extreme fecundity of the British race. Such a comparison has been made by officials of the government of our sister country and the facts which it reveals are extremely interesting.

The Alderman has a quarrel with the newspapers. They have made free to criticize his actions, they have even dared to review the actions of the Common Council in a way that did not always reflect credit upon that body.

But to turn the tables on the complaining Alderman, we may venture to discover a serious defect in this servant of the city. No one can have failed to note that Alderman Baxter for purposes of defence always identifies himself and the Common Council.

FOUR NEW THEATRES FOR BOSTON PLAY-BOERS

BOSTON, Mass., April 14.—Four new theatres in Boston and one in Cambridge are to be built in the near future. The Schubert Brothers of New York have acquired the premises on the most street on which the late W. C. Bond had begun the erection of the Lyric.

MARION CRAWFORD'S WILL

NEW YORK, April 15.—The will of E. Marion Crawford, the novelist, who died in Italy, was filed with the surrogate today on behalf of Arthur Terry, the brother of the testator who is appointed his executor.

HOLMER'S MOVEMENTS

The Montreal Herald says: A race between Hans Holmer and the late Wood is due to come off in Montreal and Quebec in about a fortnight's time.

SULTAN IN COMPLETE CONTROL

LONDON, April 15.—A despatch from Constantinople says that the Sultan is in complete mastery. He controls the army and has ordered the troops, which were recently withdrawn from the Yildim Kiosk, to return to their barracks around the palace.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 15.—An agreement between the athletic management of Harvard and Yale, under the annual regatta on the Charles River at New London, which will be held this year on July 1, was announced tonight.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR

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GIRL OF 15 MASTER OF HUNT CLUB HOUNDS

"Polly" Page, Horsewoman, First of Her Sex to Fill Position. PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—Miss Mary Crozer Page, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Edman Page, of 2022 Spruce street, is entitled to write "M. F. H." after the name when she has any correspondence to do in reference to the Upland Hunt Club, for this 15-year-old follower of the hounds has been appointed master of fox hounds of the club, which hunts the fields and barrens in the neighborhood of Chester.

SEGOMES GRANDMOTHER AND MOTHER IN THE SAME DAY

Mrs. Alexander Plaso, of Worcester, is 34 Years Old, Her Daughter is 18.

ALLEGED INHUMAN TREATMENT OF LABORERS

Port Arthur Labor Council Asks for Royal Commission to Investigate Conditions.

RESCUED JEALOUS LOVER FROM JAIL TO MARRY HIM

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 15.—Miss Christina Parlier, an Italian girl 30 years, was married today to Camillo Desiato, a young man 8 year her senior, below 5 feet tall, shot and wounded her during a fit of jealousy.

ENTHUSIASM AND FAT

These two, like oil and water, mix poorly. This does not imply fat men and women never get enthusiastic. They do down deep inside. But what does it amount to when the leaders of their enthusiasm into energetic action?

FIFTEEN YEAR OLD BOY CONFESSES TO MURDER

LOCKPORT, N. Y., April 15.—Roman Sankowski, 15 years old, confessed to the murder of his brother, Tony Pierog, at his home in Buffalo avenue, Niagara Falls, on March 21. Sankowski was taken before the grand jury today.

15,000 GREAT LAKE SAILORS ON STRIKE

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 15.—The strike of 15,000 sailors on the Great Lakes is rather their refusal to work, is now in effect. Fully 15,000 men, from engineers to deckhands, are affected by the decision of the union organizations not to operate boats belonging to members of the Lake Carriers' Association, until its avowed purpose to force an open shop on the lake boats is abandoned.

FRANKIE CARPENTER

Miss Carpenter and her excellent company, playing a two-weeks engagement at the Opera House, has won an enviable reputation in New England States, where she has played the same roles each year for eight years in succession, and holds the record in many of those cities for the largest number of paid admissions of any company playing at popular prices, and in many cases has held that record season after season.

WILL CELEBRATE ST. ANDREW'S ANNIVERSARY

An elaborate programme is being arranged in celebration of the 125th anniversary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on May 16, and during the week following Rev. A. B. Dickie, of Sackville, moderator of the Presbytery, and Rev. Dr. Johnson, of the American Presbyterian church, Montreal, will be among the chief speakers.

MAY POSTPONE THE TRIAL

Owing to the condition of the roads in Burton, the district town of Sunbury County, it is possible that a postponement of the trial of John Kinsie may be necessary. The Italian is charged with the murder of John MacKay at Milno on November 1 last. In all probability the order-in-council will be issued for the holding of a special trial.

VILLAGES ARE ISOLATED BY GREAT FLOOD

Streams Overflow in New England GREAT DAMAGE Industrial Plants Closed Down—Railway Traffic is Delayed. BOSTON, April 15.—Swollen by the heavy rain of yesterday and today, and by the melting of the lingering remnants of the winter snow on the hillsides, all the streams of New England assumed fresher proportions, and in some of them caused much damage.

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COURT HAWATHA, No. 753-Parsons Hall, Market Building, 1st Wednesday.

CAUTION! Refuse any bread sold as BUTTERNUT BREAD

DEATHS TOMPKINS—At Woodstock on 18th instant, Frances Charlotte, wife of John R. Tompkins, and daughter of the late Rev. Chas. Lee, rector of Fredrickton.

MARBY—In this city, on April 14th, Miss Florence Mabey, aged 22 years, leaving a father, mother, three brothers and one sister to mourn their sad loss.



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OLD BANK THEFT DISCLOSED.

Joakins Trust Co.'s Loss of \$18,000 Comes Out From Report on Its Successor.

NEW YORK, April 15.—When the inventory of the Lafayette Trust Company anything and said that, on the other hand, the Lafayette Trust Company owed the First National \$75.

Other assets, including furniture and fixtures, and First National Bank loan adjustment, valued at \$106,709.

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FLEET OF FIFTY CRAFT DELAYED BY THE FOG

NEWPORT, R. I., April 15.—A thick fog which surrounded Narragansett Bay today further detained the fleet of more than fifty craft, which has been forced to remain inactive here because of wind and sea conditions.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 15.—Forty-six separate reasons why Duncan R. Cooper and Robin J. Cooper, recently convicted of the murder of former United States Senator E. W. Carmack, should be granted a new trial, are set forth in the motion for a new trial filed in writing today by attorneys for the defendants.

HANDED HOT ROAST TO MODERN LITERATURE

Poet Deplores the Magazine and Newspaper Habit—Years for Good Books.

TORONTO, April 15.—Mr. William Wilfrid Campbell, M. A., LL. D., F. R. S. C., is a man of letters and a poet. Last night he said several startling things to the Ontario Library Association. He scolded the association about the reading of magazines instead of books, and he commended the "problem" novel and George Meredith in rhetorical measures.

"Do not fiddle while Ontario burns," he said. "Stem the tide of the debasing influence of modern popular literature. You librarians and newspaper men have had the monster which is about to destroy you. He who in any walk of life descends to catering to what is called public opinion is dooming himself in the long run."

"Where books were once read, magazines and newspapers are today in their place. The average library in its efforts to be popular is deteriorating the library ideal to the public appetite. Too much is being done to provide cheap American magazines for boys and girls and lounging men. The magazine list could be cut down to one-fifth with great advantage. The reading of newspapers and novels has become one of the habits of our age."

UNITED MINE WORKERS CONVENTION TERMINATED

FERNIE, B. C., April 15.—The United Mine Workers' convention terminated here yesterday. The result was a vote for the resignation of the president, and the election of a new president.

POLICEMEN SUSPENDED

PITTSFIELD, Mass., April 15.—When Police Officers John Hines and Dennis Condon reported for duty tonight they were suspended by order of Mayor W. H. Macdonald, pending an investigation of the charge made against Hines by Condon during the trial of a city man yesterday.

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EXTENSIONS TO ONTARIO PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS. Great Improvements Will be Made at Cost of Three Quarters of a Million.

TORONTO, April 15.—The provincial cabinet met yesterday to approve the final draft for plans for the enlargement of the parliament buildings. It was decided to advertise for tenders and commence work as soon as the extension will be on the lines indicated.

POLICE WERE WATCHING. When "Railroad Builder" Got \$500 From a Hopeful Hoboken Stenographer.

NEW YORK, April 15.—A man who described himself as Fred Pettigall, a bond broker, and who said he had an office at 89 Barclay street, was arrested on Monday morning.

TOO POOR TO WED, MAN KILLS HIMSELF. William L. Fredericks, of Lancaster, Couldn't Give Sweetheart a Home.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—Because he did not have sufficient money to furnish a home for the girl he loved, and whom he intended to marry, William L. Fredericks, 35 years old, committed suicide yesterday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. P. Kemp, 830 North Market street.

Floorglaze. HOW hard it is to keep floors clean when they're carpeted, painted, or oiled! And how easy when they're Floorglazed! Floorglaze cleans floors with any of ten cleaning colors. It won't wear off. It's waterproof for good. For outdoor floors as well as for indoor.

PARLIAMENT ENDORSES DR. PUGSLEY--THE MAYES SCANDAL BURIED AGAIN

OTTAWA, April 15.—Hon. Wm. Pugsley hit back hard at his opponents and triumphed in the commons today in a majority reply to the demand of the opposition for an investigation of the charges contained in the notorious Mayes affidavit.

Mr. Pugsley scored at the outset by practically compelling Dr. Daniel to table the original Mayes affidavit, which for months has been unavailable. Dr. Daniel's observations upon it were of the nature of a series of insinuations rounded off by the Minister of Public Works to rearm.

After Dr. Pugsley's trenchant reply the debate was continued by Mr. Laurier, Mr. Foster, Dr. Clarke, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fielding.

THEOLOGICAL QUESTION DIVINITY OF CHRIST. Presbyterian Candidates for the Ministry Doubt Even Resurrection.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Four candidates for licenses to preach were examined before the Presbytery of New York at its annual meeting in the First Presbyterian church yesterday.

ST. JOHN HEADQUARTERS - FOR - Ladies' & Gent's Up-to-date Clothing

Ladies' Broadcloth Suits in plain and fancy stripe goods, latest style and cut, from \$18 to \$35

Ladies' Panama Suits, plain and fancy stripe, price from \$15 to \$25

Ladies' Vicuna Suits, plain and fancy stripe, all shades from \$10 to \$18

Ladies' Venetian Suits, plain and fancy stripe, latest shades from \$13 to \$25

Ladies' Tweed Suits, different shades and styles, from \$10 to \$18

Ladies' Short/Box and Semi-fitting Coats latest styles and shades, from \$4.98 to \$12

Ladies' Vicuna Skirts, blue, brown, black and green worth \$2.98 to clear at \$1.98

Ladies' Tweed Skirts, blue, brown, black and green worth 3.75 to clear at \$2.48

We have all the newest things in skirts at prices to suit all.

Why? Because Our Prices Beat Them All.

Special We make to order all ladies' suits and coats without any extra charge.

GROUND FLOOR 300 Ladies' White Lawn Waists worth 1.25 for 98c

100 " " " " " 1.75 for 1.25

150 " " " " " 2.75 for 2.00

200 Net Waists, silk lined, worth 3.75 for 2.99

100 Silk Waists, worth 3.50 for 2.25

250 White Underskirts, worth 1.25 for 98c

300 Black Sateen Underskirts, worth 1.25 for 98c

200 Guaranteed Silk Underskirts, worth 4.50 for 3.48

150 Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth 1.00 for 75c

Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth 1.50 for 1.15

Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, worth 35c for 25c

Ladies' Black All-wool Lama Hose, worth 45c for 35c

P C and D & A Corsets, worth 2.50 for 1.75

P C and D & A Corsets, worth 1.75 for 1.25

P C and D & A Corsets, worth 1.25 for 98c

P C and D & A Corsets, worth 1.00 for 78c

P C and D & A Corsets, worth 75c for 58c

P C and D & A Corsets, worth 50c for 40c

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures Less 10 Per Cent Discount for Saturday and Monday

In Men's Clothing Dept.

Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, double or single breasted \$12 to \$16

Men's English Fancy Worsted Suits \$12 to \$16

Men's Scotch Tweed Suits \$10 to \$10

Men's Canadian " " " " " \$7.50 to \$10

Men's Spring Overcoats \$6 to \$14

Men's Raincoats \$6 to \$14

Men's Soft Front Shirts 49c to 1.25

Men's Ties and Braces 19c to 50c

Men's Summer Shirts and Drawers 48c to 1.25

Wear the King Hat \$2.50

The Liberty Shoe Fits Men - Best, \$4 to 5.50

The Rideau Shoe for Ladies 3.00 to 4.50

WILCOX BROS. Dock St. & Market Sq.

FORTUNES VANISH IN TRICE IN WHEAT PIT

Day of Tumult on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Patten Against the Field—Boasts the Press Only to Have the Bears Beat Them Down.

CHICAGO, April 15.—It was a day of tumult and sharply shifting fortunes in the wheat pit of the Board of Trade today.

July wheat, following a doleful advance to a new high level, suddenly dropped an extreme 15 cents.

The "pyramided" fortunes of small speculators vanished in a trice and the day was saved from rout.

Within the last fifteen minutes of trading Mr. Patten bought \$200,000 bushels of wheat for July delivery.

Nothing but a flurry, said Mr. Patten, but that was after the turbulent pit had been deserted for the day.

During the final quarter of an hour the price of wheat advanced 15 cents.

Mr. Patten personally visited the floor of the exchange and directed his own deals by word of mouth.

It was Patten against the field, and the final goal showed that the former apparently was as mighty as ever.

Far from the maddening strife on the board, in hundreds of bakeries, there was a different scene.

Flour had risen and the bakers' mills were busy, were trying to find out where their profits were coming from.

According to one of the largest bakers in the city the price of flour was doubled in the last few weeks.

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QUEER TALES OF SIGHTS TO BE VIEWED IN CHINA

To the Caucasian, China is a land of contradictions and mysteries.

The pleromatic nature of its natives is in marked contrast to their inherent cruelty.

What a poor, weak-kneed, and these, with beads, paper money, and paper money, are burned at the grave, so that they may be enjoyed in the life beyond.

Hired mourners, with cymbals, gongs and wind instruments, keep up a continuous series of howls and noises, to which is added the boo-boo!

A girl is not even allowed to look upon her husband until she is actually wedded.

Supposing, for instance, a man has a daughter he wishes to marry well.

A sort of "go-between" is engaged, and she prepares a card bearing the ancestral names, and the symbols indicating the year, month, day and hour of her birth, and presents it to the prospective bridegroom's parents.

Should the suit be favorably looked upon, the latter consults a fortune-teller to learn whether the match will be propitious.

A similar ceremony is then carried out on behalf of the bridegroom, and the preliminaries being thus settled, cards, on which are attached a dragon and a phoenix, and red silk cords, are exchanged.

Presentations are also given and received, and at length the bride and her parent's house in a sedan chair.

Half-way this is met by the husband's friends, who finish the journey with it.

The bride, with covered head, and the bridegroom adjoin to the reception room, where each tries to sit on a portion of the bride's head covering by the husband.

The accident occurred shortly after one o'clock, and when it became known that the accident had occurred the news spread rapidly and great crowds lined the shore while rescuers were at work bringing the remains to land.

Particulars of the accident as far as could be ascertained at the scene by your correspondent are that the fishing boat at shore and started to enjoy a sail on account of the calm.

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SEVEN NOVA SCOTIANS FIND WATERY GRAVES

Fishing Schooner In Report of Loss of Six Sailors.

Three of Them From Nova Scotia—Boating Accident Completes the List.

BOSTON, April 15.—The Boston fishing schooner, Howland, which arrived at Gloucester today with her flag at half-mast, reports the loss of six men which strayed away April 8 when the vessel was 120 miles from the Nova Scotia coast.

The missing men were: James McDonald, Harbor An Bouché, N. S., age 34, unmarried; Owen Duffey, 24, Halifax, unmarried; Otto Whyte, 28, Port Medway, N. S., married; Owen Hutchins, 24, Boothbay, Maine, unmarried; Isadore Anderson of Denmark; Thomas White 23, Gloucester, married; Harry Gardner, 25, Scotchman, unmarried; William McLeod, 32, of Port Morien, married, a wife and two children. The rescued man, is Thomas French, who is in a serious condition as the result of his experience.

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ELECTION CARD

Gentlemen—In accepting your endorsement to become candidate for the office of Alderman-at-Large I might say there is no one in this city who would like to see a good honest city government better than I, that means low taxation and clean roads, clean streets, etc.

If you favor me with your votes on Election Day you will never have cause for regret, if you elect me I pledge you my word of honor there will be no rake-offs with your monies, there can be a saving to the taxpayers of St. John of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars a year by adopting clean, honest methods and honest business transactions between the taxpayers and those who have business with the city, by working for the city or otherwise. Those are my views, and all who think as I do I solicit their vote and influence to that end.

Yours respectfully, J. W. MONTGOMERY, 7 and 8 King St.

I don't belong to any political party neither Liberals or Conservatives. J. W. M.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the solicitation of a large number of the ratepayers of St. John I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for Alderman-at-Large.

As my views on some important subjects are generally known, I will not repeat them, and as I will not be able to see a large number of the voters before the election I will respectfully solicit your support and as I intend in this election to practice what I preach, namely, economy, I do not intend to employ a single man to represent me at any polling booth in the city, believing that the independent voters of St. John generally decide who they will vote for before going to the polls.

At least I am willing to put that matter to the test. Hoping that my friends and acquaintances and the public generally will give me their assistance and support, for which in return I pledge myself to use the best that is in me to advance the interests of my native city.

Your obedient servant, JOHN SIMES.

To the Electors

To the Electors of the City of St. John: Ladies and Gentlemen—I will be a candidate for alderman to represent Victoria Ward at the elections on April 20th.

My record as a citizen and a business man is known to you and should you elect me to represent Victoria Ward, I will endeavor to apply my experience and business knowledge in conducting civic matters.

My object in running is to endeavor to give the citizens full value for expenditures and to bring the present rate of taxation to a lower one if possible, and also to make my native city a desirable one for trade and manufacturing industries.

Yours respectfully, ROBERT R. PATCHELL.

To the Electors

Being a candidate for alderman for Queens Ward at the coming election, I take the liberty of soliciting your votes. I have no politics in civic affairs, but will seek to promote the best interests of our city. I pledge myself to stand for a clean administration and for everything that will promote the best interests of our city at large.

Yours very truly, JOHN H. BURLEY.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—At the request of a large number of taxpayers I am a candidate for alderman to represent Victoria Ward.

I and my firm are large taxpayers and are interested in the city's affairs being economically and efficiently administered, and if elected I will serve the interests of the city to the best of my ability.

Faithfully Yours, R. T. HAYES, St. John, N. B., April 13, 1909.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

Ladies and Gentlemen: An election will be held on Tuesday, the 20th day of April next, when the vote will be taken for your representatives at the Civic Council Board for the year 1909-10, and having been nominated by an influential and representative number of citizens to serve as alderman for Prince Ward, I have endeavored to do so, and if I receive a sufficient number of votes to elect me I will endeavor to give the same care and attention to your interests as I have devoted to my own business for the past thirty-five years.

Yours faithfully, GEO. A. KNOELL.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

At the request of a large number of the taxpayers, I am a candidate for the office of Alderman-at-Large, and if elected I will serve the interests of the city to the best of my ability.

Respectfully Yours, JAMES V. RUSSELL.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

Upon the solicitation of many of the electors I have consented to be a candidate for Alderman for Queens Ward at the election to take place on Tuesday, April 20th.

I most respectfully solicit your votes and if elected I pledge myself to give my very best attention and judgment to the business of the city.

I remain, Yours faithfully, FRANK L. KINNEY.

POPULAR WITH ALL SOCIALLY

Sketch of Hon. Wm. Pugsley

WELL LIKED

Toronto Newspaper Man Says Minister is Both Shrewd and Capable

(Staff Correspondent Toronto Star) OTTAWA, April 13.—The Hon. William Pugsley is the man in the public eye, and just now the public is rubbing the eyes. This makes things rather uncomfortable for Mr. Pugsley, who naturally doesn't relish the public's scrutiny.

Mr. Pugsley, however, is well able to take care of himself, as those who attacked him have found before now. He is a suave gentleman, as well as the assualt of past sessions have beaten in vain. He is already pointing out that the commission has given no part of the money to show what means are included in the large amount named.

He will be found to be somewhat of a fighter, and his face will never tell his enemies what they have hit home—if they do his home. If they rattle him in the locomotory which seems sound to mark the present week in the House, they will do rather more than they have in the past.

Mr. Pugsley is somewhere on the far side of sixty; he modestly declines to put his age in the parliamentary companion. He was a college classmate of the Hon. George E. Foster, however, and Mr. Foster is sixty-two. They do not look each other.

"Bill" Pugsley, as his friends call him, is a stoutish gentleman with a twinkling in his eye, and a hitherto undecipherable smile. It is hard to think of the twinkling, which makes Mr. Pugsley look almost the Santa Claus, but it is probably the habit of smiling generally at opponents which has made him at least one section of his enemies.

Converse with him, and he becomes a prince of entertainers, genial, sympathetic, full of good humor, a fine listener, measuring up the other fellow rather more than revealing himself. But there is no question about his being good company, in part, perhaps, because he listens so well.

While the Minister of Public Works is accustomed to present a front of pleasantness even to his foes, there are times in the House when he loses the smile, and says things that hurt; things, however, which he appears to say in indignation rather than anger. If he gets "boiling mad," as it is called, he does not show it by "boiling over."

In his own department Mr. Pugsley is liked. His popularity with his subordinates is one of the things which the opposition cannot attack. He tempers business with friendliness.

CONVICED KILLS DEPUTY WARDEN

To Suffer From Headaches Makes Life Miserable.

It takes a person that has had or is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbing, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, rarely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels.

To the fact that Burdock Blood Bitters reaches every part of the system is due its success in relieving and permanently curing headaches. It has proven a specific for the malady in all its forms.

Mr. Allison E. Brown, Sumnerfield, N.B., writes: "I have been troubled with Constipation and Headaches for a long time. After trying different doctors to no effect, a friend asked me to try Burdock Blood Bitters. I find I am completely cured after taking three bottles. I can safely recommend it to all."

Without Mother's Sea and Train-Sick Remedy. It has recently been thoroughly tested on English and Irish channels and found absolutely reliable.

Recommended editorially by such papers as London Daily Express, New York Herald, Montreal Herald and the Press generally in Great Britain.

Write for booklet and press notices. For sale at all first-class druggists. Guaranteed perfectly harmless to the most delicate.

MOTHER'S SEA AND TRAIN-SICK REMEDY Co., 20 Cleland Bldg., Detroit, Michigan.

For sale and recommended in St. John by A. Chipman Smith, G. A. Moore, Royal Pharmacy and G. A. Ricker.

IN MEMORY OF MODJESKA

WARSAW, Russian Poland, April 15.—A movement is on foot in Russian and Austrian Poland to honor the memory of Helena Modjeska, the Polish actress, who died in California, April 8.

Arrangements are being made for a memorial service to be held in this city and a statue of Madame Modjeska will be erected in the foyer of the Warsaw Theatre. A committee is working in Austrian Poland to erect another statue at the Lemberg Theatre.

Every Woman should know the new Marvel Whirling Spray. It is the best remedy for all kinds of women's ailments.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. FRIDAY, APRIL 16 1909

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Attractive Styles

The throng of busy buyers of EASTER COSTUMES have pretty well demonstrated the need of this store for supplying of special tailored garments, leaving the marks of exclusiveness and making it possible to have your own Special Suit at an exceeding moderate cost, while we have them at higher prices. Here's a suit that will meet the requirements of those who like the graceful effects of the plain well-tailored costume, that imparts distinction and attractiveness to the figure.

\$25.00

This stunning and effective tailored made costume, in a great variety of the new cloths, and all the new colorings. When you've seen them you will realize the care we have taken in selecting them.

FURS

From Makers to Wearers at Wholesale Prices

We have something for you in FUR VALUES this week that must prove of interest if you expect to wear good furs next season. We've gone to some length to give you fur values that must force the bargain buyers to cast a longing glance at this store and to buy in advance of immediate requirements. We've never been able to offer such FUR BARGAINS at this season—if you don't agree with us now, you will later when the prices begin to advance, which they're sure to do as the London fur sales have already fixed the prices for the coming year at an average advance of 25 per cent.

These Prices Hold Good Till Saturday, April 17

NATURAL MINK PILLOW MUFFS, \$42.50 FOR \$25.00
BLACK MARTIN PILLOW MUFFS, \$16.50 FOR \$9.50
PERSIAN LAMB PILLOW MUFFS, \$23.00 FOR \$14.50

A remittance of \$5.00 must accompany the order as an evidence of good faith to secure our special offer. We will arrange payment of balance to suit your convenience. Order must reach us before April 17th, but goods may be delivered next fall to suit your convenience.

The Dunlap-Cooke Co., Ltd.

Furriers by Royal Warrant to H. R. H. the Princess of Wales.
54 King Street, St. John, N. B.

Winnipeg, Man. Boston, Mass. Halifax, N. S. Amherst, N. S.



Social and Personal

Mrs. A. M. Rowan entertained a number of her friends at bridge at her home Main street on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley left on Wednesday evening for London, Ont., where she will be a guest at her sister's wedding.

Miss McCollin, of St. Stephen, is visiting Miss Cline, St. James street.

Mrs. H. H. McAvity was hostess at an afternoon tea at her home, 175 Dock street on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Kessen spent Easter in the Rectory, Charlotte street.

Miss Ald, of Saskatoon, Alta., is visiting Mrs. Henning, Mecklenburg street.

Mrs. J. R. Gillis entertained the Arts Club at her residence on Tuesday evening. A number of invited guests enjoyed the fine programme. Among those who assisted in the programme were: Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Miss Ella Smith, Miss Lindsay, Miss Lougin, Mr. S. J. McGowan and Mr. Fox.

A parlor concert will be given this evening at the Rectory, Charlotte street. Among those who will assist are: Mrs. W. J. Henning, Miss Fairweather, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. F. McNeil, Mr. Kelley, Mr. McKean and a string quartette.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald spent Easter in New York.

Wm. Wheeler, of Montreal, was in town for the weekend, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Anderson.

Mrs. Fred E. Sayre and Mr. John Sayre went to Montreal on Tuesday.

Rev. J. J. McCaskill is spending this week in Woodstock.

Miss Miriam Hatheway and Miss Ethel Jarvis went to Fredericton on Wednesday, where they were guests at the Governor's ball.

The Williams Sisters went to Yarmouth on Friday to visit friends.

PRICE OF CIGARS A BURNING QUESTION

In the Northwest—Toronto Man, Indignant, Puts Dealers in Same Class as Highway Robbers.

TORONTO, April 16.—"I want to place myself on record as saying that a good cigar cannot be purchased west of Winnipeg for less than fifteen cents," says a writer in The Bookkeeper, "and then, to be entirely candid in the matter, they're no rank than the ordinary five-cent brands, such as the choice Havana in comparison."

"There is room for 500 good cigars in the three provinces, and there is room for a many more in other parts of the Dominion; but I recommend only the west, where any man who makes a good cigar to sell for ten cents will be independent within a few years."

"Cigars are a good illustration of ordinary business methods now in vogue. You pay five cents for a cigar in Toronto. At Moose Jaw you pay ten cents for the same cigar and at Calgary it costs you fifteen. If you are a writer in the business man's magazine and say: 'Well, this isn't Toronto!' One of them said candidly to me: 'Why, sure, we make cigars for cents profit on the cigar. They get a quarter for it in Alaska.'"

"Western Canada isn't Alaska. It is a network of railroads. Its freight rates while high, are getting steadily cheaper. The business methods of the west are a great industry which would distribute over \$400,000 a year in wages in the province, and he explained how in the manufacture of pulp and paper practically the whole pulp industry for the product was paid out for raw material and wages, nothing but little sulphur being imported to enter into the manufacture. There was a great economy also in combining paper making with the manufacture of pulp, as fully one-third of the cost of the pulp was in drying, the cost which was obtained when a paper mill was at the tail of the pulp mill. The great water power of the Tobique now going to waste would also be utilized by the erection of a dam such as this bill proposed and so far as damages to any party was concerned their interests were amply safeguarded."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Dear Sir—A few days ago the saloon men published in several of the local papers the names of those who signed the petition asking for a vote on the local option question. We understand each paper was paid at a certain advertising rate for doing so. Yet in this morning's issue the Sun states the temperance people published the petition and tells a story of "a legion of ratepayers" as aroused against the movement.

On the other hand, the forces of the united churches were pleased that the saloon men took this step. Nothing in the campaign has done more to consolidate the men who are determined to drive the saloons out of the residential districts. We are surprised that the liquor men were so far-seeing. Perhaps they have seen their blunder and now wish to throw the responsibility on others.

Their evident purpose was to intimidate the electors, and a system of boycott has already been set in operation against some whose names appear on the petitions. But the will of the people will not be throttled, and we will express itself on Tuesday by an overwhelming majority against the saloon. Hundreds of men who, for all the reasons, would not sign the petition will go to the polls on Tuesday and cast a secret ballot against the craft and rotten peddler. The bill of the Sun's charges that this "legion of ratepayers" for the most part did not know what they were signing is a reflection upon the intelligence of the electors. There is no indignation among the moral reform forces, with Bishop Richardson, Bishop Casey and all the other elements of the city, and all the temperance organizations, and all the other elements of moral and social reform standing together on the one side, and the saloon men on the other, the citizens will not hesitate how to mark their ballots next Tuesday.

Complaint is made by the Sun that everything has not been above board regarding the petitions. Everything has been strictly in accordance with the law, but the moral reform people did not announce publicly what they were doing. Ever since the meeting of the Council in January the work was going on, and the success which has thus far been gained is due to the secrecy that was maintained. For once in their history they said nothing, but worked on while the saloon element regarded the movement as dead. As soon as the bill was introduced into the legislature an explanation of the silence was in order. The present plebiscite is on the order of the legislature, not of the Common Council.

I take this opportunity to warn the electors against false statements issued at the eleventh hour. The article of this morning, which is absolutely false throughout, is a sample of what we might expect during the next few days. I also extend a hearty invitation to the saloon party to send representatives to discuss this or any other question in connection with the local option vote at any of the meetings between now or Tuesday. Or we shall be glad to meet them on any platform mutually agreed upon where both parties shall have an equal opportunity to present their case to the electors.

Yours very sincerely,
ANGUS A. GRAHAM.
St. John, N. B., April 15th, 1909.

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CANADIANS IN LOUISVILLE FORM MAPLE LEAF CLUB

LOUISVILLE, N. Y., April 16.—Among the organizations of the cheerfully expatriated with which Louisville is well stocked, the Maple Leaf Club is the newest. This is composed of all the former Canadians who could be found and their number several hundreds in high positions in the community. Norman Rushton is president. Dr. Montague who was a member of Sir John Macdonald's cabinet, will address the club in a few weeks.

HORSEMEN GLAD THAT IT IS NO WORSE

NEW YORK, April 16.—The Metropolitan handicap, the first of the season's big races, will be worth \$5,000 this year instead of \$20,000 as heretofore. Horsemen were pleased when they heard the news today because they had expected that it would be much lower than this in view of the anti-betting law, and the consequent slump in attendance at the race tracks.

Rheumatism

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's Liniment is all that is needed and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. Price 25c; large size, 50c.

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NEW ANTIQUE Russian Hammered Brass Art Ware

in Jardiniers, Fern Dishes, Candle Sticks, Vases, Card Receivers, Cigar Jars, Ash Trays and other small articles
Call and see our display

O. H. WARWICK CO. LTD.,
78 to 82 KING ST.

Glover Farm Dairy Dr. John G. Leonard.
124 Queen Street High grade Milk and Cream. 15 Charlotte Street, BOTTLED FOR FAMILY TRADE. ST. JOHN N. B.
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Groceries! Groceries!

Come and get your Groceries cheap at 7 Waterloo St. Going out of business at once.
Rob't McAfee.

The Greatest Clearance Sale of the Season
1 Dozen New Williams Sewing Machines (Styles Drop Head and Box Top)
Slightly damaged will be sold at greatly reduced prices—either cash or on easy terms.
Also, a Few Good Second Hand Machines Ranging in Prices from \$5.00 to \$10.00
These bargains will be found at the store of
The Williams Mfg. Co., Ltd., 28 Dock Street

ALD. BAXTER ON THE STUMP.

Advocating his re-election as the representative from Brooks Ward at the Council Board, Ald. Baxter addressed a fairly large sized number in the City Hall, Charlott, last evening.

Ald. Baxter took exception to his old enemy the at-large system and characterized as unfair to both the electors and candidates. However, to overcome the evils of the campaign, he had decided to hold public meetings.

Ald. Baxter referred to the record of the Common Council and undertook to champion its cause. He declared the press of the city had endeavored to ridicule him. There was one journal, the Globe, in conclusion he strongly urged his re-election upon his hearers.

Ex-Alderman Lockhart presided at the meeting and Ald. Rowan also spoke briefly.

MORE AMENDMENTS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15.—Shortly after the senate met today it agreed to a resolution of the House of Representatives asking that the tariff bill be returned to that body so that it might be amended to place upon the free list the products of, as well as the crude and refined petroleum. The bill was returned to the senate with this amendment inserted.

The president's message looking to a revision of the Philippine tariff so that the principles of protection might be applied to the industries of those islands and at the same time, in view of practical free trade with the United States sufficient revenue might be provided was laid before the senate and referred to the committee on the Philippines. Senator Bailey introduced an amendment placing a tax of three per cent. upon income of over \$5,000 annually, which, he said, would provide a revenue of from \$60,000,000 to \$80,000,000 annually.

Senator Aldrich announced that he would speak upon the tariff bill next Monday.

IT WILL COST LESS

If You Come to Pidgeon's North End Store for Your Clothes

Why pay more because some other dealer has higher expenses?
If it is YOUR money you're spending this is an important question to consider.

You certainly won't pay more than you are obliged to if you can help it.
If you buy at this store you buy merchandise at a close price; close than any dealer in this town can figure.
You know the reason.
Why then pay for high expense?
Buy merchandise; buy quality and pay less than at any other place in St. John.
BUY AT PIDGEON'S. That's the only real economy shop in town. Read these bargains:

Boys's Suits \$1.98 to 5.68
Men's Suits \$4.98 to 18.48
Men's Overcoats \$6.48 to 12.48

WOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

WANTED—Young man to take care of horse and drive, etc. Box 647 Star office.
PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS. Everything new. Apply MISS E. KILPATRICK, corner Hazen Avenue and Peel street. 16-11

C. B. PIDGEON,

Corner Main and Bridge Streets.
Clothing - Tailoring - Shoes

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS
Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market
Furnished by E. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.
St. John, N. B., April 16, 1909.

Consolidated Gas . . . 37 3/4
Den and H. O. . . 31 1/2
Gen Electric Co. . . 37 3/4
Illinois Cent. . . 145 1/2
Kansas and Texas . . 49 1/2
Great North pd . . 144 1/2
Louis and Nash . . 139 1/2
Rock Island . . 25 1/2
St. Paul . . 145 1/2
Southern Ry . . 29 1/2
Southern Pacific . . 129 1/2
Union Pacific . . 138 1/2
U. S. Steel . . 51 1/2
W. S. Steel pd . . 114 1/2
Wash pd . . 15 1/2
Western Union . . 79 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Don Coal . . . 85 1/2
Dom. I and S. . . 33 1/2
Dom. I and S pd . . 124
C. P. R. . . 117 1/2
Toronto St. Ry. . . 124
Montreal Power . . 114 1/2
R. and Ont. Nav . . 52 1/2
Toronto St. Ry. . . 124

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.
Cig. Op'g. Noon
May . . . 10.4
July . . . 10.42
October . . . 10.24
December . . . 10.24

J. M. ROBINSON & SONS,
(Private Wire Telegram.)
Montreal Morning Sales April 16.
Dom. Iron pd—25 at 124 1/2; 150 at 124 1/2.
Dom. Iron—100 at 35 1/2; 150 at 35 1/2.
225 at 35 1/2.
Montreal Power—19 at 114 1/2; 130 at 114 1/2.
114 1/2; 20 at 115.
Toronto Electric—75 at 124; 10 at 124.
Crown Reserve—1500 at 28.
C. P. R.—200 at 17 1/2; 147 1/2 at 17 1/2.
Asbestos—50 at 92 1/2; 10 at 92 1/2.
Dom. Iron Bonds—3000 at 60 1/2.
Woods—11 at 100 1/2; 25 at 104.
120 Bonds—2000 at 82.
Illinois pd—1 at 92 1/2; 25 at 92.
Hochelaga Bank—5 at 144 1/2.
Dom. Coal—55 at 67 1/2; 55.
Merchants Bank—1 at 16.
Bank of Montreal—1 at 24 1/2; 9 at 24 1/2.
800—50 at 135 1/2.
Detroit—30 at 58 1/2.

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CANADIAN NURSE FOR PARIS

KINGSTON, Ont., April 16.—Miss Annie Miller, a trained nurse, of New York, and daughter of St. J. Miller, of Napawan, has been appointed as nurse in the Canadian Hospital in Paris, France, and has sailed to take up her duties.

ALLAN HICKS

AMHERST, N. S., April 16.—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hicks will deeply regret to hear of the death of their only son, Allan, aged 28, which occurred at the home of his parents at an early hour this morning. The deceased was a victim of consumption and had spent the past year in the west only returning about two weeks ago from Aberdeen, Wash. The deceased was a very bright young man and highly thought of by his host of acquaintances. Besides his mourning parents, he leaves four sisters, Mrs. Edward T. Marney, Mrs. Fred L. Blair and Miss Reline, of Amherst, and Mrs. James A. McKay, of Breckton, Mass. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from his parents' home here.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Wall Street—Trading in stocks started at irregular price changes from last night, the decline somewhat outnumbering the advances. Louisville and Nashville and Corn Products declined 1 and the Southern Railway stocks and Amalgamated Copper 3/4. National lead advanced 3/4.

Try the PERFECT FOOD Grape-Nuts

and you'll know, like millions of others, "There's a Reason" Read the little book "The Road to Well-being" in pink.

EIGHT

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 1909.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

A GREAT SHOWING OF SUMMER WASH MATERIALS

We have a very large assortment of these in all the newest and most attractive fabrics made.

CROXTON CLOTHS

28 inches wide at 25 cents a yard. This is a strikingly up-to-date material and is one of the most serviceable fabrics for summer dresses than can be had.

LINEN SUITINGS

28 inches wide at 25 cents a yard, in all the leading shades.

MERCERIZED COTTON LINENS

At 14 cents a yard. We have these both in plain and stripes in a large assortment of colorings.

MUSLINS

Our muslin department is well stocked with all the very newest designs and patterns, at prices ranging from 10 cents a yard up to 35 cents.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,
69 CHARLOTTE ST.

Suits for Young Men



Young men who want the extreme of fashion—the "college cut" modes—will be mightily pleased with our "young men's line" of 20th Century suits. And each suit is as well made as it is stylish—sure to hold its original elegance and shapeliness. Every suit on a hanger, in a just proof cabinet, free from wrinkles, ready to wear, \$15 to \$25. Others, \$10 to \$20. Conservatively correct models, too, for men of all ages, all tastes and all sizes. Spring overcoats, topers, shower-proof coats—take your pick from new styles. Fancy vests, washable, \$1.00 to \$2.75. And a LARGE line—something sure to suit your fancy.

A. Gilmour, 68 King Street

Tailoring and Clothing

WHITEWEAR SALE

Just received a sample lot of White-
wear.
Ladies' Night Gowns, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$2.75 each.
Ladies' Skirts, 45c, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.40 to \$5.00 each.
Ladies' Drawers, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00 to \$2.75.
Ladies' Corset Covers, 35c, 50c, 75c, 90c, 65c, 85c, \$1.00.
White Shirt Waists, 40c, 50c, 65c, \$1.00 to \$2.00 each.
All new goods at wholesale prices.
Arnold's Department Store
83-85 CHARLOTTE ST.

New Books

The Bronze Bell—By the author of *The Brass Bowl*
Special Messenger—By Chalmers
The Royal End—By Henry Harland

E. G. NELSON & CO.,
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HAND-IN-HAND



with high quality goes reasonable price in our establishment. Every article is of the finest, but no extortionate charges are made. Here you will find a bewilderingly beautiful collection of plain and fancy Rings for lady or gentleman, Watches, Chains, Charms, Brooches, Bracelets, Hat Pins, Lockets, Breast Pins, Trimbles, Metal Clocks, Opera Glasses, and everything that should be found in an up-to-date jewelry store.

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Watchmaker and Jeweler, 16 Mill St.,
St. John, N. B. Phone Main 1807.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate northerly winds, fair and cool. Saturday, light winds, fine and cool.

LOCAL NEWS

No. 3 fire station is being wired by men from the St. John Railway Co. and the house will in the future be lighted by electricity instead of gas.

If you are looking for a better suit than you have been accustomed to getting from \$4.98 to \$18.48, C. B. Paterson's store at the corner of Main and Bridge streets, is the right place to go.

Miss Hetherington, of the staff of the Memorial Hospital, St. Stephen, came in on the C. P. R. at noon today on route for a visit to her home in Washademoak.

Ald. Baxter will address civic issues at a public meeting tonight at 8.15 in the Nickel Assembly Rooms. Tomorrow night will speak in the Temple of Honor Hall, North End.

In Chambers this morning before His Honor Judge Forbes, the defendant in the case of Ross v. Anthony, the examination of the defendant was concluded. H. D. Forbes appeared for the plaintiff. The defendant was not represented.

Herbert Nice, the proprietor of the Red Ball bar-room on the North side of the Main street, appears before the police court this afternoon to answer the charge of allowing gambling in his licensed saloon.

The Montreal express was forty minutes late in reaching the station today. The delay was caused by the transferring of the passengers at Fairville for the departure of the Allan Line steamer Virginia this evening.

Arthur Priest, of Toronto, a mechanic, who installs the Standard Office, and Fred Rabble, a New York gentleman, who installed the new press in the same office, have finished their work and leave for their headquarters this evening. The two gentlemen have made a great many friends while in the city and will be welcomed should they ever return.

The Rev. W. R. Robinson will address a gospel temperance meeting in the Main street hall, Fairville, on Sunday afternoon. The meeting will be under the auspices of the No Surrender Lodge.

Speaking of Circulation

Did it ever occur to you to ask what newspapers mean when they speak of their "circulation"?

To the majority it means the total number of papers printed daily, including those spoiled, unused and returned by agents. Some managers have been known to fix the register of their printing press so it would count double or more. Others have added their daily and weekly circulation together in order to make an imposing statement. But all such statements are worthless to the advertiser. What he wants to know is the NET CIRCULATION, the number of papers ACTUALLY SOLD and delivered to the persons who paid for them.

For instance, The Sun's GROSS CIRCULATION last year averaged 8,750 daily, this being the number of papers sent out of the office, excluding spoiled and unsold copies. Its NET DAILY CIRCULATION was only between 7,000 and 7,100, considerably larger than the net circulation of any other New Brunswick paper.

The difference of over 1,600 papers daily between the gross and the net figures is due to deductions for papers returned by agents and for papers distributed during election campaigns at the expense of a political organization. Such papers only increase the circulation during short periods and should not be included in a circulation statement. The Star, on the other hand sent out no election extra and has few returns, has the bulk of its sale through newsboys. Its average of papers distributed last year was 4,250. Deduction for returns makes the net circulation about 4,100. Of this about 3,700 represents the daily circulation within the city—a record which no other local paper, morning or evening, can approach.

Comparisons of rival circulations, like other comparisons, are odious. Also they are difficult to make, as no other St. John paper has ever published a net statement. But as one point of comparison, the following official figures showing the weight of newspaper mail sent through the St. John Post Office yesterday may be interesting:

The Sun.....490 pounds
The Telegraph.....350 pounds
The Star.....240 pounds
The Sun yesterday was an eight page paper. The Telegraph a ten page paper. It takes about 64 newspaper pages to make a pound. A simple process of calculation from these figures shows that the mail circulation of the two papers yesterday was as follows:
The Sun.....2,300
The Telegraph.....2,560

And about a month ago the Telegraph's mail weighed 425 pounds on a ten page basis, showing a mail circulation then of 2,725.

ARBOR DAY WILL BE OBSERVED ON MAY 7TH

A delicate deodorizer for the toilet
Crushed Rose Talcum Powder
The Royal Pharmacy, King Street.

FRENCHMAN SENT UP FOR ROBBING COMPANION

In the police court this morning two drunks from a steamer forfeited deposits of eight dollars each. Debauched had been remanded to jail, was taken before the magistrate and fined \$8.

Dominic Kerrigan, a young Frenchman, who is charged with stealing thirty odd dollars from his friend Wm. Cunningham, who has been a foreman on the Grand Trunk Pacific construction, was sent up for trial.

MISSIONARY MEETING

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Carleton Methodist church, will hold their Easter meeting this evening in the school room of the church at eight o'clock. There will be special music and interesting selections by the mission band.

There will be an interesting address by Mr. J. N. Harvey on his personal impressions of the Laymen's Missionary congress. There will also be an address by the pastor on Women's other good things. The meeting is open to the public.

ESTATE OF WM. PETERS, JR.

Estate of William Peters, Junior, merchant and leather manufacturer. Last will proved whereby the deceased gave all his property to his wife Alice Maud Peters and appoints her and his brother Charles H. Peters executors. All his probate is issued and they are duly sworn in. No realty, personal estate \$11,400. Messrs. Barnhill, Ewing and Sanford, probators.

FAIRVILLE'S NEW DRUG STORE

Fairville has a new and most up-to-date drug store, where all the public wants can be supplied, situated at No. 49. It is the intention of the management of G. H. Allan, Mr. Allan has had a thorough experience in the drug business and should undoubtedly make a success of the new store. The store is one of the best furnished in the city. The fittings are of quartered oak. The store is at one end of the street. Among the other good things that can be obtained at the new store are the Sun and Star.

WILL CHANGE THE SALOONS

It is understood that several of the liquor dealers in the city are preparing to alter their premises, in order to adapt them to conform with the new license act amendments. The liquor commissioners with Inspector Jones will make an inspection of the premises immediately. They were hindered considerably during the past few days by the disagreeable weather. In some instances the saloons do not front on the streets and it is possible that the commissioners may refuse to grant the licenses.

THE RIVER IS RISING.

The water at Indiantown showed another rise this morning and the steamers plan to make their first trips tomorrow afternoon. From the various sections of the river are to the effect that the stream is entirely open.

It is the intention of the Star Line Company to open the season with the sailing of the steamer Majestic at 1 o'clock tomorrow morning. The Victoria will start on her regular trips at 8.30 o'clock Tuesday morning. The company's warehouse is now open for the reception of freight for all points on the river.

PERSONAL

George A. Recker was a passenger on the Boston express.
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Crosby came in on the Boston express today.
J. J. McCarty, proprietor of the Queen Hotel, Fredericton, is in the city.
John E. Wilson arrived on the Montreal express today.
Mr. and Mrs. John Sealy reached the city on the Boston express.
Rev. Francis Lockary, of Albert, came in on the Montreal express today.
Wm. Arthur Owens, of the I. C. R. freight department, has returned from a business trip to Montreal.

The Allan line royal mail steamer Virginia will leave port this evening at 6.30 o'clock for Liverpool on her last trip of the winter season. The steamer will carry a large number of passengers in addition to a large general cargo.

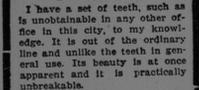
The Temple of Honor banquet which was to have been held in the Temple Hall at 8.30 o'clock this evening, has been postponed until 9.15 p. m. owing to the temperance mass meeting being held earlier in the evening.

"MUM"

A delicate deodorizer for the toilet
Crushed Rose Talcum Powder
The Royal Pharmacy, King Street.

AN UNBREAKABLE SET OF TEETH

There is a class of patients who do not object to paying a fair price for artificial teeth, if they can really secure comfort, usefulness and naturalness.



I have a set of teeth, such as is unobtainable in any other office in this city, to my knowledge. It is out of the ordinary line and unlike the teeth in general use. Its beauty is at once apparent and it is practically unbreakable. It will pay those who are desirous of obtaining the best to be had in the dental line to call and inspect this for themselves. I will gladly demonstrate its superiority over other plates, even if you have no immediate intention of investing.

Dr. J. D. MAHER,
Boston Dental Parlors
527 Main St. North End
Telephone 583

Maple Syrup

New
Maple Cream
Pure
Maple Candy, Pineapples, Cucumbers, Bananas
AT
JAMES COLLIN'S
210 Union Street
Opp. Opera House.

Bardsley's Complexion Cream

contains neither fat, oil or grease; will keep your skin soft and rosy.
At **BARDSLEY'S,**
109 Brussels St.

WEAR

KING HAT

\$2.50

Wilcox Bros.,
Dock Street and Market Square



An Examination

SAMPLES ON APPLICATION.
The Wall Paper buyer who examines our stock will notice the superior quality and finish in all grades of our 1909 Line.
This Spring's selection embracing all the Canadian factories give the buyer an unending variety for all decorative purposes.
High-priced American goods need no longer be imported, we carry in stock all that can be desired both in coloring and tone at prices from 15c. to 90c. per roll.
Inspection invited.

D. McARTHUR, 84 King Street

More About Curtains

We wish to call your attention today to our line of **CURTAINS NETTS and MUSLINS.** The goods are above the ordinary and a visit of inspection to our store will more than repay you for the trouble.

Plain and Fancy Curtain Netts, 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 17 and 20 cents yd.
Curtain Netts with insertion and frill, 25, 30, 35, 40 cents yd.
Curtain Muslins with frill, 11, 12, 15, 18, 20c yd.
Art Muslins, 8, 10, 12, 18, 22 cents yd.
Fancy Crepe Muslins, 28 and 45 cents yd.

S. W. McMackin,
335 Main Street, North End.

WHEN ROBB HINTS A BARGAIN THAT'S ENOUGH!

"RELIABLE" ROBB, The Preser., Ion Druggist, 137 Charlotte Street.

Special Saturday Showing of . . . White Waists . . .

An interesting feature for Saturday shoppers will be the display of White Waists in this department, marked at 65c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25. All pretty, dainty and desirable in the prevailing styles.

BLOUSE WAISTS

Embroidered fronts, lace and insertions, tuckings. Three-quarter and full-length sleeves. Sizes, 34 to 40. Each 65c. to 75c.

UMBRELLAS

A choice assortment of dependable umbrellas for April showers. Silk covers in Green, Navy, Brown and Green. Handles of natural wood. Each \$4.25, \$5 and \$7.50.
See the new Directors Handle, long made of dull finish wood in square and octagonal effect. Plain or with silver and gold mountings. Covers of silk and wool mixtures. Each \$1.50 to \$2.50.
Our special \$1.00 Umbrella is excellent value, durable covers of fast black silk and wool, steel rod, stout frame, large variety of neat handles.

Special Saturday Exhibit of Millinery

In the matter of personal choice there is such a variety here that you cannot help finding something to please you. It's for you to come and see, and marvel at the elegance and wonder at the moderate prices of these clever creations.
A dainty collection of trimmed hats prepared especially for tomorrow, priced from \$2.50 to \$7.50.

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