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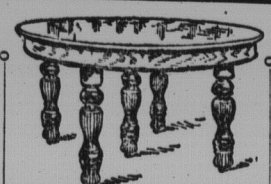
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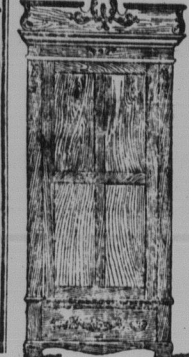
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TO RID RUSSIA OF JEWS. Russian Minister Threatens to Exclude Them From School and Make Living in Russia Impossible.

LONDON, July 23.—The Times announces that it has information that M. Von Plehve, Russian minister of the interior, in receiving a Jewish deputation from Odessa, threatened if the anti-government agitation continued to adopt extreme measures to rid Russia

of the Jews by facilitating their emigration, excluding them from the schools and making it impossible for them to live in the empire.

George Robertson has received word from Louis Coste to the effect that the plans for the dry dock will be completed on August 17th. The draft agreement between this city and the Imperial Dry Dock Co. will be discussed at this afternoon's meeting.

St. John, N. B., July 22, 1903.

Hot-Weather Suits, Unlined Coat and Pants, \$5.50.

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STEEL SCREW FERRY THE BEST.

A. J. McLean, Naval Expert, Will So Advise.

Suitable Boat Will Be 120 Feet Long 50 Feet Beam and Will Cost \$80,000.

A. J. McLean, the naval architect, who has been asked by the common council to advise on the proposed new ferry steamer is in the city and will make his report at this afternoon's meeting.

Mr. McLean has brought with him a number of plans to be used in more clearly explaining his ideas. At today's meeting he will advise the building of a steel screw steamer.

In speaking to the Star today Mr. McLean says that he has given attention to the working and efficiency of ferry boats employed in harbors where conditions similar to those in St. John prevail, where there are strong currents and some floating ice. He is convinced that the type of boat he has in his mind will be easily the most suitable. This is a steel hull, with wooden upperwork. The upper portion of the hull, which projects over the propellers and rudders at the ends, to be submerged in order that it may clear the way of all floating ice or other matter which could otherwise interfere with the working.

The engines are compound expansion, with one high pressure and two low pressure cylinders, thus making it possible to reverse very quickly. The shaft will be of one piece or sectional, but connected to form one piece. With such machinery as Mr. McLean describes, the steamer may approach the floats at full speed and by reversing can be stopped within a very few feet. The calculations made by Mr. McLean are based upon a boat 125 ft. long, and 50 ft. beam. Such a one as this would cost between \$75,000 and \$80,000, if built here, but Mr. McLean suggests that the hull be made and fitted in England, that it be taken apart and brought to St. John, and that it be rebuilt here. The upper deck, and in fact all the upper work which would be of wood, can be built in St. John. This plan of having the hull made in England would, in Mr. McLean's opinion, save at least \$15,000.

SUSSEX RACES.

The midsummer races held yesterday afternoon at Sussex track attracted a big crowd. All Sussex turned out and various places along the line sent large delegations. St. John contributed a respectable number and Moncton and Amherst were well represented. The grand stand was crowded with ladies and gentlemen and the number of teams which occupied the space on either side was large. The track was only in fair condition, some of the horsemen claiming that it was slow. The weather was perfect except that at times it inclined to be a little warm.

The officials of the day were Frank Power of Halifax (starter), C. E. Day of Parramore and J. A. Irving of Lunenburg, judges; J. R. Lamy of Amherst, S. A. Fowler of St. John and Wm. Cochran of Dorchester timers.

The 220 trot and 225 pace was a brilliantly fought battle. After seven hotly contested heats Rockfarm Grace won out. Mr. Willie's brown stallion Lord Alverston got second money winning first place twice. His performance in the first heat when he finished a head in front of Fleetstep was the fastest of the meeting. He did the mile in 2:19-2. The other heats were considerably slower, due to the great number of miles driven and the great amount of scoring required each time.

The summary follows:

220 Trot and 225 Pace.

Rockfarm Grace, br. m., 2:19 1/4, by Clonmore, Fred Warren, Springfield, N. S. 1 2 2 1 4 1

Lord Alverston, br. s., 2:24 1/4, E. Letol Willis, Sydney, C. B. 2 1 3 1 3 4 2

Roberval, br. s., 2:20, J. L. Cox, Amherst, 3 4 5 5 1 3 4

Hartlight, blk. g., 2:24 1/4, F. Boutillier, Halifax, 4 3 1 4 2 2 2

Fleetstep, br. s., 2:22, H. Herbert, Moncton, 2 6 4 3 5 r. o.

Golden Gate, br. s., 2:24 1/4, Thos. Hayes, St. John, 5 5 6 6 dr.

Time—2:19 1/4; 2:25; 2:24 1/4; 2:24 1/4; 2:24 1/4; 2:24 1/4.

Montrose won three heats in the 225 trot and 225 pace, being beaten only in the second heat. He did remarkably well.

225 Trot and 225 Pace.

Montrose, br. s., by Nelson's Wilkes, H. A. McCoy, Fredericton, 1 4 1 1

Kaiser G., br. s., F. Boutillier, Halifax, 3 1 2 3

Nona Wilkes, br. m., Fred Warren, Springfield, 4 2 2 2

George, br. s., R. Herbert, Moncton, 2 3 4 4

Time—2:23; 2:26; 2:25 1/4, and 2:27 1/4.

Darkness came before the completion of the 225 trot and 240 pace. Four heats were contested and when Estelle Boy had two heats to his credit, Katie Bangs one and Ping Pong one the race was postponed until this morning.

This morning Estelle Boy won the fifth heat and race time 2:58-1-2. Katie Bangs went to the front at the quarter pole when, making a bad break, was distanced by Ping Pong, who led to the home stretch.

MORE OFFICIAL BLUNDERING.

The work of laying a water pipe through the C. P. R. yard in Carleton has been completed, and now a fire plug is being placed. This latter job is being done in the usual water department manner, so that it may be of the least possible service. One jet from the plug opens on a buffer at the end of a siding, but fortunately the other will be available for use when needed. The flying machine was not in operation in the laying of this pipe.

Members of No. 4 Company Artillery are requested to attend a meeting at 7 o'clock on Thursday, July 23rd, at the St. John's Hotel.

WEEK OLD BABY LEFT ON DOORSTEP.

In An Old Valise and Poorly Clad, S. H. Sherwood Found It Last Night—Parents Unknown.

Locked in a somewhat disreputable valise, swaddled in clothing of rather poor material, and equipped with but very poor health for the beginning of its life an unknown infant lies alternately crying or sleeping in Samuel H. Sherwood's home on the corner of Charlotte and Germain streets, having been left there at a late hour last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood were out spending the evening last night, and returned home about eleven o'clock. Upon going in Mrs. Sherwood looked the outside door of the entrance to the house and the family retired. A short time afterwards they were awakened by the crying of a child somewhere in the house, and upon going down to investigate Mrs. Sherwood was greatly astonished to find in the front porch a valise in which was an infant only a few days old.

The valise was closed, but holes had been cut in it for the passage of air. Mrs. Sherwood took the child into the house and found that it was in rather a critical condition of health. It was dressed in a pink slip, and wrapped in an old flannel shirt. In the valise there were found several necessary articles of clothing, a feeding bottle and a small package of something rolled in cotton. The infant was fed from the week old.

DOUBT CANADA'S LUCK.

City Rifleman Find Errors in Report of the Shooting for the Kalapore Cup.

Among military men in the city there exists a feeling that the Canadian team has not won the Kalapore cup, in spite of the despatches received this morning. It is believed that if a mistake was made in the first score, a second one has been made in today's report. The reason given is that in the first score Canada was credited with 267 points at the 200 yd. range. Now it is said that the correcting of an error gives Canada twenty points more at this range, making a total of 287. As there are eight men in the team, with seven shots each, the possible at any range is only 280, and consequently Canada cannot have 287 points.

The Kalapore cup which is arousing so much interest, is not really a cup at all, but two golden jars. These are about ten inches in height, of Indian workmanship, and are of a curious antique pattern. They were presented in 1871 by the Rajah of Kalapore for rifle competition between teams from England and the colonies. In the first competition the Indian team consisted of twenty men, but since then have had only eight.

For many years the contest was confined to teams from England and Canada, but in recent years other colonies have sent men over, and some of the best have had much success. Last year the first all Australian team which ever went to England carried off the cup, which, however, had previously been held by Victoria. Canadian marksmen have been successful on six previous occasions and have brought home the trophy in 1872, 1875, 1881, 1884, 1889, and 1896.

THE KING IN IRELAND.

In Phoenix Park he Reviews Largest Muster of Troops Ever Seen in Ireland.

DUBLIN, July 23.—King Edward today reviewed 15,000 troops and 5,000 men of the naval brigade in Phoenix Park. When the ground was packed by the tens of thousands of spectators it made by far the most brilliant scene of the many witnessed since their majesties arrived in Dublin. It was the largest muster of troops ever seen at a review in Ireland. The Duke of Connaught was in command.

The king was attended by the lord lieutenant, the Earl of Dudley, and a numerous suite. Prior to leaving the vice-regal lodge his majesty presented colors to the Royal Irish Militia School.

MARITIME DOCTORS.

Officers Elected—Dr. Campbell, Halifax, is President—May Meet Next Year in Boston.

At ten o'clock this morning the fourth session opened. The nominating committee was not prepared to report at the time assigned them. Dr. G. A. B. Addy moved that the transactions of the Maritime Medical Association be printed in pamphlet form, and that a copy be sent to each member of the association.

The secretary read the treasurer's report. Expenses were \$63.83. There is a balance of \$242.80 on hand.

The nominating committee's report was read. The committee nominated Dr. G. M. Campbell, Halifax, president; Dr. W. H. McDonald, Rose Bay, vice-president for Nova Scotia; Dr. A. F. Emery, St. John, vice-president for New Brunswick; Dr. Alex. McNeil, Summerside, vice-president for P. E. I.; Dr. John Sutherland, Baddeck, P. E. I., treasurer; Dr. T. D. Walker, St. John, secretary.

It was moved, seconded and carried that the gentlemen nominated be elected to their respective offices.

Drs. E. W. Cushing and M. H. Richardson invited the association to Boston to hold their meeting there the year after next.

Dr. Daniel expressed his appreciation of the invitation and would personally be pleased to accept. Drs. McKay and Campbell were both in favor of going to Boston. Dr. Daniel gave notice that at the next meeting of this society he would move that the constitution be changed so as to allow the association to meet elsewhere than now ordered. Dr. McKay moved a vote of thanks to Dr. Cushing and Richardson. The members all standing unanimously carried the vote.

Dr. T. D. Walker moved in amendment to Dr. Addy's motion, that the committee appointed to draw up the transactions immediately hand over to the printer.

THOUSANDS SEE THE DEAD POPE.

Doors of the Vatican Thrown Open to the Public.

Solemn Pontifical Requiem Mass in St. Peter's—Crush Almost Causes Accidents.

ROME, July 23.—Today the body of Leo XIII. lay in state in the Basilica of St. Peter, while thousands of persons from the ordinary walks of life paid a last tribute of love and veneration. The ceremonies of yesterday were viewed only by the nobility, aristocracy and the highest clergy, but today the doors were opened to the entire public. Many remained on the piazza throughout the hot night in order to gain a place at the head of the line. By five o'clock this morning there was a crowd of several hundred persons which had increased by six o'clock to several thousand. Elaborate preparations have been made to guard against accidents in the crush. All the converging streets were cleared of vehicles, leaving them free for foot passengers, while six ambulance stations have been erected, including one at the entrance of the piazza and another beside the door of St. Peter's. At six o'clock the cathedral bells began tolling. At the first bell two regiments of Italian grenadiers marched across the piazza to the stone steps and soon the portico swarmed with the first time in years with Italian troops. The grenadiers stood in double column at parade rest, the lines extending from the threshold of the church through a narrow gateway of a temporary wooden structure which was holding back the crowd. At five minutes after six the gate was opened and the human tide began to flow in. The jam at the narrow entrance soon threatened serious results to the struggling mass of women and children. Many women had their dresses or veils torn off and some were lifted, exhausted over the wooden enclosure and out of the crush. No serious accidents were reported and the ambulances were not summoned.

Within the church temporary railings had been erected to keep the people in line leading directly to the bier. The silent form lay on a catafalque ten feet high so that all could see it. The body was slightly inclined with the head raised and facing the passing throng. The visage had a chalky whiteness and appeared to be unnaturally shrivelled. It was robed in the full vestments as the Roman public knew the pontiff in life. Around the bier burned thirteen candles, while on each side stood the noble guards, motionless. Further back were kneeling priests and acolytes softly intoning invocations.

The crowd pushed against the iron tracery which separated the chapel from the main portion of the church, but those who expected to kiss the shrouded feet were disappointed, as the officials had adopted precautionary measures so that the lower extremities of the body were half a yard back of the iron grating.

All ranks and stations of life were represented in the faces which were pressed against the tracery. Many were working people. There also were groups of convent girls under the care of nuns and of schoolboys headed by priests. Crowds continued to pass before the bier throughout the morning. At 9:30 a. m. a solemn pontifical requiem mass was celebrated in St. Peter's for the repose of the soul of Leo XIII. The crowd was kept constantly moving within the wooden barriers, but other entrances were provided for those desiring to assist at the mass. Several thousand people were present, although in so vast a church, capable of containing 70,000 persons, they appeared to be a mere handful.

The small boy who plays baseball with his sleeves rolled up above the elbow, and who habitually stands alert with both hands on his knees, isn't always the best player on the nine—Somerville Journal.

Men's Straw Hats.

Just received—the very newest New York styles in Men's Straw Hats—something entirely different from those shown at the first of the season.

Prices \$1.50 and \$2.00.

A small lot of this season's straws to clear at 75c. Former prices \$1.50 and \$2.00.

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New Potatoes,

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Do you approve of the action of a few of the small merchants, who after signing the

Saturday Half-Holiday agreement and advertising that they would be closed, are now trying to take a mean advantage of the stores that are closed by opening before the matter has had a fair trial?

Do you think them worthy of your patronage?

Raspberries are coming in with a rush and today lots of them are on the market, while only a couple of days ago there were none to be had. The best berries received yet have come from the vicinity of Oak Point and John O. Vanwart's. They are of good quality, large firm and juicy, and are selling at retail for fifteen cents per box.

FOR SALE—One magnificent upright piano (almost new), cost \$400, now on view at my salesroom, 50 Germain street. Will be sold at a bargain. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

DYKEMAN'S

Ladies' Umbrellas.

SUN RESISTERS. Umbrellas that shade from sun or rain. Good cover, strong frames and easy handles. It is all said in the above. To verify it you will have to see the goods. They are sold at special prices, being a clearing line from the manufacturer.

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At \$1.25.—Umbrellas that were made to retail at \$1.75. Beautiful handle and fine quality of glorious covering.

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Another lot of those special D. & A. Dip Hip straight front corsets will be placed on sale at 50c. per pair. In white or grey, sizes from 18 to 30. This corset is made from a very strong corset jean and is perfect fitting.

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50c. per pair. Summer weight. This is a straight front shirt waist corset, perfect fitting, D. & A. make.

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TO LET—From 1st May next that very comfortable, self contained dwelling house, now occupied by George H. Horton, Esq., No. 155 Gormain street, corner Hantsville, containing 5 rooms, bath room, hot and cold water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday afternoon. Apply to W. TREMANS GARD, 4 King street.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

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WANTED—A young man, 16 or 17 years old, as clerk in the retail department. EMERSON & FISHER.

WANTED—Three reliable men to distribute throughout N. B. and N. S. towns. Particulars having some experience preferred. Liberal salary paid. Apply to Box 65, City.

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WANTED—Three house painters and boy to learn the painting business. DENNISTON & GALLEY, 5 St. Patrick street.

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WANTED—A young compositor, a boy, who has had about three years experience. Apply at SUN OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 500 pounds. It has a brick lining, with smoke and ventilating pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

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HAVE A PEANUT?

(Kansas City Journal). An original young woman of Lamar has invented a new kind of social diversion. It is the "progressive peanut party." Four guests are seated about each table, and on the table is placed a crock full of peanuts. Each guest is provided with a hatpin, and when the word is given all begin jabbing for the peanuts. The quietest that catches the crock first wins the game, and then the sets of players change. It is needless to say that the peanut party is strictly a "hen" function. A man couldn't jab a crockful of peanuts with a hatpin in a week, but the young women of Lamar played thirty games in a single afternoon.

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CONSUMPTIVES AND QUARANTINE

The action of the Maritime Medicine Society toward securing legislation to place tuberculosis on the list of contagious diseases and to take measures for its stamping out, is highly to be commended. Until recently there seems to have been little struggle against this scourge of our northern climate. Any sufferer from the disease has been at finger of death and efforts have been once considered as marked with the directed solely toward the amelioration of his condition until the inevitable end came. During his months or years of decline the consumptive, an object only of pity, has been allowed to associate as freely with people as though he carried not with him the seeds of death for many others.

In the light of this knowledge now possessed by medical science such carelessness seems little short of criminal. The discovery of the bacillus of tuberculosis and the patient experiments made with it have clearly demonstrated the ineffectiveness of all tubercular affections and it will not be long before those suffering from it will be quarantined almost as strictly as small-pox patients. Every day the present condition of supineness regarding the danger is continued brings incalculable harm.

That consumption, unless in an advanced stage is curable, has also been proven. From the open air treatment in sanitariums marvelous results have come. The establishment of suitable institutions of this nature in part at least by the government and maintained under strict governmental control, to which all tubercular patients should be obliged to come, seems to be the only method of overcoming the disease. It is not enough to provide private sanitariums where those who can afford it may seek health, while the more impetuous afflicted scatter the deadly germs as they suffer outside. Consumption is as surely, if not as noticeably contagious as small-pox or scarlet fever or diphtheria and mistaken sympathy for those suffering from the disease cannot long prevent it from being treated in the same way. The action of the medical association is timely. It should be carried into effect as soon as possible.

POLITICIANS AND PRINCIPLE.

As the Star has stated before, if future events should prove that Hon. A. G. Blair has left the government solely because he could not bring himself to approve the Grand Trunk Pacific deal; has sacrificed power and salary for principle alone, his almost unprecedented course cannot be too highly commended. Such action is too unusual among present day politicians, to the majority of whom independence and straightforwardness and honor seem to be very little things as compared with the holding of office.

A notable instance of the more common conduct of politicians in similar situations was provided during the last session of the local legislature. The bill to greatly increase the debt of the province by guaranteeing the bonds of the Restigouche and Western Railway was before the house, Premier Tweedie, a blindfold follower of Mr. Blair, who last election characterized him as an honest though pugnacious little man and a good enough liberal, was personally opposed to the measure. In caucus, when it was considered, he fought strongly against it, using practically the same arguments as those used by the leader of the opposition in the open house.

But the promoters of the road had done their work well and by inducements and arguments of various kinds had made secure the support of the majority of the government. Mr. Tweedie's protests were futile to prevent the endorsement of the bill. Then, in spite of his declaration that he was on principle unalterably opposed to it, he sat quietly in his seat and watched the attorney-general engineer the bill—though it came really under the premier's department—and force it through the house as a government measure. When the proper time came Mr. Tweedie voted in favor of the measure.

It is a great pity, if Mr. Blair possesses these lofty principles that many are crediting him with just now, that he is unable to inculcate something of their like into his disciples.

MR. BLAIR'S DEMANDS.

Mr. Blair's course in the Grand Trunk railway deal is strongly defended by Mr. Blair in the editorial columns of the Telegraph this morning. The difference in matter and style between the imported and the home-manufactured leaders in that editorially hermaphrodite organ is too wide to escape general notice. In addition to re-stating his reasons for his resignation Mr. Blair demands the approval of the provincial press and people at once. "Why should the press and people wait until the bill is introduced in parliament and the members and senators committed to its support," he says, "before expressing freely and fairly their approval of the reasons advanced by the ex-minister of railways against its construction?"

The measure for which Mr. Blair automatically demands instant approval has never yet been laid before the

public. Newspaper forecasts of it have been more or less authoritatively published, fragments of caucus discussion have leaked out, and Mr. Blair has outlined the policy from his point of view, which, under the circumstances, might be fairly considered as prejudiced. But no definite statement has yet come from the government. Final judgment were better withheld until that is made. The public may then and that Mr. Blair's action and the criticism of the government already aroused, may have modified the policy as at first considered.

There is a new paper in New Glasgow, N. S., called the Times, which claims to be entirely independent. It carries its independence so far that the binding of any such mandates as those laid down in English grammar are loftily ignored. Here are a couple of delicious extracts from its second issue:

There are some cattle around town who are continually making bad breaks and proving of much greater annoyance to the peace and harmony of the neighborhood than those which, from time to time, fall into the clutches of the poundkeeper.

It were customary in ancient times, when an oxen was led forth for sacrifice, to cover its dark spots with a whitening substance, etc.

After all, as Humpty Dumpty said, in the matter of English, it is only a question as to who is to be the master, the word or the man.

It is a remarkable thing that an inquest into the circumstances of a death which demand investigation should be postponed because the coroner is not allowed the use of a proper place to hold the enquiry.

The cap-and-bells editor of the Telegraph very humorously discusses the possibility of Hon. Geo. E. Foster being the Conservative candidate in St. John at the next election. Would the Telegraph approve of Mr. Blair as a running mate?

A week or so ago the wretched condition of the streets was excused by the plea that there was a strike on. The strike is over, the men are back at work and the streets and sidewalks are dirtier than ever. Who takes the responsibility now?

MINISTERS FIGHT.

Sifton and Fisher Almost to Blows—
Laurier Excuse Delays in
Railway Policy.

OTTAWA, July 22.—R. L. Borden took occasion to complain at the delay in bringing down the government railway policy. That policy had been decided upon in council and had been submitted to a caucus of liberal members. It had already caused the resignation of one minister of the crown and numerous further discussions in the cabinet, but as yet the house had received no information as to what the policy really is. Parliament had been sitting for months marking time as it were, and this important matter could no longer be delayed.

Sir Wilfrid replied that there had been plenty of business for parliament to do and the session had not been unduly long. As to the important measures yet to come, the redistribution bill would be down at an early date, perhaps tomorrow, and he hoped to bring down the railway policy before the end of the week. Even when the principle of the policy had been agreed upon there were many details which were perhaps as important as the principle itself. These were being worked out, but were not at all easy to adjust.

The discussion of the subject was continued until six o'clock, several members of the opposition taking part, but failing to draw anything more from the government.

Mr. Oiler called attention to a cable despatch in this evening's papers to the effect that London Truth contained an attack on the Canadian government for refusing the payment of compensation to the Anchor Line steamer, Furnessia, which rendered assistance to the government ship, Scotia. "Truth says," added the despatch, "that the national outcome of such will be that no ship will go to the assistance of any Canadian government vessel in distress." Mr. Oiler sincerely hoped that this report was not correct.

Sir William Mulock replied that the Canadian government had no intention of ultimately refusing compensation to the Anchor Line Co., and that the company quite understood this. The defence raised by the crown was because of some questions arising between the third parties growing out of insurance. It is the full intention of the crown to do what is proper under the circumstances, quite irrespective of the judgment.

The house then went into supply, taking up the estimates of the department of labor.

OTTAWA, July 22.—A report was current about the commons today that at the conference last night between Laurier and Hays, general manager of the Grand Trunk, important modifications of the transcontinental contract were agreed to by the representative of the Grand Trunk Pacific. The story further went that so radical were these changes that there was a possibility of Blair's objections to the scheme being removed and of his re-entry into the cabinet. So far as enquiry served to throw light upon this report it indicated that whatever modifications have been made in the original propositions they by no means meet Blair's objections, which strike at the root of the whole bargain.

A report is current that Sifton and Fisher almost came to blows yesterday. Sifton charged Fisher with being vastly responsible for the defeat of the party in the Manitoba elections owing to unpopular census appointments. Fisher warmly resented the charge, and the two ministers from high words almost came to blows but were separated by one of the officials.

J. A. Clark, of St. John, who has been spending a few days here with his parents left for home today—Gleaner.

LOCAL NEWS.

Messrs. Schofield Bros. received advice yesterday of a sharp advance in woodware prices, due to advanced cost of labor and raw materials.

High Mass of Requiem will be sung in the Church of St. John the Baptist on Friday morning at 9 o'clock for the repose of the pope's soul.

The Rev. Mr. Bacon desires to acknowledge the receipt of \$44.65 from the people of St. Luke's church, St. John, also of \$4.25 from St. Clement's, Millville, in aid of sufferers by the recent fire at Musquash.

Rev. Wm. B. Heeney of Toronto, travelling secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, met with St. Paul's church chapter last night and spoke on the general principles governing the work. He will visit the chapter at St. Luke's church tonight.

The children's day programme will be repeated along with other amusements at St. Philip's church this evening. The money taken in will be used to defray the expenses of the Sunday school representative who will attend the conference which meets at Halifax on August 25.

Rev. E. M. Hill, D. D., principal of the Congregational College at Montreal, addressed the congregation of the St. John Congregational church last night on local church work. Mr. Hill attended the union held at Truro and has been visiting some of the churches in the maritime provinces in the interest of the college, of which he is principal. The reverend gentleman is the guest of J. H. Robinson of Mecklenburg street. He will leave for Montreal tonight.

N. B. GOVERNMENT.

FREDERICTON July 22.—Suyver General Dunn has given notice to licensees of crown timber lands and others interested that he will on August 5th hold a conference of lumbermen and others here, for the purpose of considering the advisability of increasing the stumpage on crown timber lands during the present season. The notice assigns as a reason for the increase, re-forestation, protection against fire and the interest of the department and province. A large and representative attendance is asked for and the attendance of an expert on forestry is promised.

The annual sale of unmarked logs rafted this season by the Fredericton Board took place this morning. A large number of lumbermen, including W. H. Murray, Henry Hilyard, Charles Miller, St. John; R. A. Estey, Timothy Lynch, John A. Morrison, D. Fraser, Jr., Robt. Aiken, Parker Glaston, and others, were present and at times bidding was lively and prices obtained reached a good figure. Hemlock went to D. R. A. Estey at \$4.50 per thousand; cedar sold to Miller of St. John at \$10.25, and spruce to Miller at \$13.00 per thousand. It is understood that Miller purchased for John E. Moore.

DECLARED A DRAW.

HALIFAX, July 22.—The boxing bouts at the Armories last night attracted about five hundred people, including quite a number of sports from towns in the province, such as Sydney, Pictou and Truro. The leading bout was between Eddie Connolly of St. John, and John (Twin) Sullivan of Boston. From the first clang of the bell the two men were square and going. Up to the seventh round honors were even, but from that out Sullivan forced matters and did the most of the leading and scored points rapidly. It was agreed that if both men were on their feet at the end of the tenth round the bout would be declared a draw, and this was accordingly the decision. The preliminary bout was between Byron of Waltham, Mass., and Daley of New York at 120 pounds. The boys came together all through it fierce and mixed it in fine style. This bout was declared a draw. This was the third time Connolly and Sullivan were squared and going. At their first meeting Connolly was awarded the decision on a foul and the second was fifteen rounds to a draw.

LONDON TRUTH HITS ONTARIO.

LONDON, July 22.—The Truth will have three hits at Canada in tomorrow's issue. It dubs the Sabatarians of Ontario, whose Sunday Observance Act has just been declared ultra vires by the judicial committee of the privy council, a set of narrow minded bigots, and again protests against the partial abolition of trials by jury in Ontario. It also attacks the Canadian government for resisting the payment of compensation to the Anchor Line steamer, Furnessia, which rendered assistance to the government ship, Scotia.

Truth says that the natural outcome of such measures will be that no ship will go to the assistance of any Canadian government vessel in distress.

RATS IN PARIS.

Driven From Holes, They Go to the Theaters.

PARIS, July 22.—Statisticians estimate that there are 40,000,000 rats in France. The tunneling for the Metropolitan railroad has made them more in evidence. Being apparently driven from their holes, they have taken to attending the theaters. At the free matinee performance in celebration of the 14th, a dozen rats scared the audience at the Porte St. Martin theater. Several women fainted while the employees drove the rats out, which some persons in the audience afterward declared were as big as cats.

BIGAMIST HELD FOR TRIAL.

ST. STEPHEN, July 22.—J. C. Merrill, arrested on a charge of bigamy, was examined today before Police Magistrate Mills, and was sent up for trial.

MARRIAGES.

FAWCETT-HAYWARD.—In this city, July 22nd, by Rev. Dr. Sprague, Robert E. Fawcett, of Seabville, and Lissie A. Hayward, of Goshen, Albert Co.

DEATHS.

McMILLAN.—In this city, on July 22, 1918, in the 66th year of her age, Catherine, wife of William McMILLAN, leaving a husband, sister, three sons and three daughters. Funeral on Saturday at 8.45 a. m., from her late residence, 25 Douglas avenue, to St. Peter's church. Requiem high mass at 9 o'clock.

Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited.

Forty Dozen of Ladies' Shirt Waists.

For sale at centre counter, back store, on Friday and Saturday morning only; sizes 32 to 40 inches; light and dark colors.

Price, 35c. each.

Ladies'

Print Wappers,

at \$1.25.

Fancy Cotton Wappers, trimmed with feather stitch braid and Val lace.

Sale in Linen Room, centre counter.

Damask

Tray Cloths.

Two lots of Damask Tray Cloths to be sold in Linen Room, centre counter.

Lot No. 1, at 25c. each.

Lot No. 2, at 30c. each.

Swiss Applique

Collars.

A special lot of very desirable Wash-

able Collars to wear with white or colored summer costumes, 35c. each. Sale near ribbon counter.

Remnant Sale of

Cloths.

In Men's Cloth Department. For the balance of this month we will offer for sale all remnants AT SPECIAL PRICES. This lot will contain English, Scotch and Canadian cloths.

Clearing Sale of Wash Dress Skirts.

At greatly reduced prices to clear the whole lot on Friday.

Lot 1—Plain white gored flare duck skirts, 75c. each.

Lot 2—Plain linen dress skirt, \$1.25 each.

Lot 3—Light blue and navy blue

drill skirts, with bands of white duck, forming a flounce, \$1.50 each.

Lot 4—White organdie dress skirts, trimmed with three ruffles, and edged with lace around bottom, \$1.50 each.

Lot 5—Light and navy blue drill skirts with bands of same, \$1.75 each.

Lot 6—Black canvas dress skirts, trimmed with three ruffles and white facings around bottom, \$2.75 each. No. 7—Black and white striped canvas skirts, with plain front folds of same, and edged with narrow white braid, \$3.00 each. Sale at centre counter, back store.

New Furs,

New Garments Made of Fresh Skins.

Ladies' Alaska seal jackets.

Ladies' electric seal jackets.

Ladies' Persian lamb jacket, trimmed with mink.

Ladies' Baltic seal jacket.

Ladies' Baltic seal blouses.

Ladies' grey squirrel blouses.

LADIES' FUR LINED CLOTH COATS.

Fur lined coats, trimmed with Alas-

ka sable, mink and moulton.

FUR TIES, FUR TIES, FUR TIES.

Fur ties in blue, grey, squirrel,

sable fox, stone martin, prairie fox,

mink, Isabella fox, white lamb, grey

lamb.

Fur Stoles. Fur Ruffs.

Muffs. Muffs. Muffs.

Muffs in coppered sable, round and

empire style.

Mink muffs with two skins. Mink

muffs with three skins. Mink muffs

with four skins.

Muffs in sable fox, Isabella fox,

prairie fox.

Muffs in mink, round and empire

style. Stone martin muffs. Black fox

muffs.

Ladies' moccasins, gentleman's moc-

casins, children's moccasins.

Ladies' Golf Vests and Waists.

Ladies' Bathing Costumes.

Ladies' Liberty Silk Neck Ruffs.

Prices \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75 and \$4.50 each.

MEN'S AND BOYS' BATHING SUITS

AND TRUNKS.

In Men's Furnishing Department,

ground floor.

Boys' Bathing Trunks, 10c. and 12c.

Men's Bathing Trunks, 15c. and 25c.

Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited.

SALE AND SUPPER.

A. M. Rowan, president of the St. John Iron and Hardware Association, yesterday entertained the members and their friends to a sail on the river in the str. Dream. The party embarked at Indiantown shortly after 2 o'clock and had a very pleasant sail to Evandale, where they had supper. After the repast the health of the president and host was proposed by John J. Barry and ably responded to by M. Rowan. The ladies were proposed by Fred H. Barr, and responded to by Frank S. Murdoch. The party arrived home about eleven o'clock. Those present were: M. E. Agar, Jas. Pender, Fred H. Barr, John J. Foote, Wm. Kerr, R. B. Emerson, John J. Barry, John Keefe, T. C. Lee, Frank S. Murdoch, Mrs. W. E. Agar, Miss Alice Agar, Miss Pender, Mrs. F. H. Barr, Miss MacKahan, Mrs. Wm. Kerr, Mrs. R. B. Emerson, Mrs. John J. Barry, Miss Maggie Keefe, Mrs. T. C. Lee, Miss Armstrong, Miss Jessie A. Murdoch, Miss McColgan.

EXPULSION FROM THE MINISTRY.

Charges Against Rev. Wilfrid Sherwood, of Beal's Island, Maine, was Formerly of Carleton.

Rev. Wilfrid Sherwood has been expelled from the ministry of the Reformed Baptist church, and unpleasant charges led to this action being taken. Many St. John people will remember him as once a resident of West End, but more recently a minister of the Reformed Baptist denomination, preaching at Beal's Island, Me. He had previous to going to Beal's Island, been in the pastorate of Calais, Me., and was a letter written to a woman in that town which led to the course taken at the meeting of the Reformed Baptist Alliance, held at Brown's Flats a few weeks ago.

The evidence which was submitted was, it is stated, too clear to permit of any convincing defence on his part before that body, and his expulsion was decided upon and ordered.

The matter has been kept out of the published reports of the

MEN'S SACK SUITS TO ORDER.

If we can prove to you that we can make you a suit of clothes that combines best of style, perfection in fit, and highest quality of workmanship—all at a fair price—won't you be convinced? We know you will—but you must put us to the test. After that we shan't have to argue with you.

Let us make you a suit from one of these excellently stylish patterns in fancy Tweeds, from \$20 to \$28.

Or from these especially attractive Serges and Cheviots, from \$18 to \$26.

Trousers, too, in stylish Worsteds, \$5.50 to \$9.

A. GLIMOUR,
MEN'S TAILORING
AND CLOTHING.
68 KING STREET

SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL.

Clippers Defeat Portlands.
The Clippers won out from the Portlands last night on the Victoria grounds, the score standing 10-1. The Portlands were not in their usual form. Briggs was in the box for the north end boys, and had he received anything like fair support a different story might have been told. McLeod was played short and made a good job of it. Mahoney made a poor showing at first. Howard had an off night at second. The last said about the rest of the team the better. Case and Norris were in the points for the Clippers. A fair crowd attended. James Whelby umpired.

Amateur League Standing.
(Special to the Sun.)
FRIDERICTON, N. B., July 22.—The Franklins of the St. John Amateur League arrived here this afternoon by steamer, having missed the morning train. Immediately on arrival the base ball game between the Franklins and Tartars of this city was commenced. The Franklins winning, 8 to 4.

McGuigan pitched for the Franklins, receiving great support. Mills was his catcher. Another game will be played today, when the Franklins' star pitcher will be in the box. Dick Tibbets will pitch for the Tartars. It is expected that Fredericton will see one of the best ball games in years.

Commercial League.
The ball was banged around the Barrack square last evening by Barnes' type and ink sippers and M. R. and A's ribbon cutters. The ink follows spotted the other chaps by the score of 13-6. While the ball was intact it looked tired. The batteries were: For the winners, Price and Howe; for the losers, Ellis and Nixon. H. Atchison of the Franklins earned a dollar a minute as umpire, but didn't get it. Grover Watts, the official scorer, is said to have suffered a cramp in his arm. McMillan's team has won from Barnes, Vassie, the Monarchs and M. R. and A's, and has lost one game to Vassie's. It is now up to the newspaper men and Custom House would be to play ball.

A Big Game On.
A big game of ball will be played at Waters' Landing on Saturday, July 25, in connection with the City Cornet Band excursion, when W. H. Thorne & Co's team will meet F. McAvity & Sons'.

A Junior Game.
Last evening the Jubilees defeated the Elms on Fort Howe by a score of 7 to 5.

National League Games Yesterday.
At Boston—Brooklyn, 2; Boston, 5.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 3; New York, 2 (10 innings).

American League.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 7; St. Louis, 6.
At New York—Boston-New York postponed; rain.

At Washington—Philadelphia, 3; Washington, 1.

New England League.
At Lawrence—Fall River, 3; Lawrence, 0.
At Concord—Concord, 3; Concord, 1.
At New Bedford—New Bedford, 7; Haverhill, 5.

At Manchester—Manchester, 1; Lowell, 0.

Eastern League.
At Rochester—Rochester-Rochester postponed; wet grounds.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; Buffalo, 1.

At Jersey City—Jersey City-Jersey City postponed; wet grounds.

At Providence—Providence, 5; Providence, 0 (called off 9th, darkness).

Connecticut League.
At New London—New London, 5; Bridgeport, 2.

At Springfield—Springfield, 3; Hartford, 2 (5 innings).

At New Haven—Meriden, 4; New Haven, 1 (4 innings).

At Norwich—Norwich, 4; Holyoke, 1.

CRICKET.
Some Very Big Scoring in England.

Last mail advices bring some extraordinary scoring during the week July 2nd to July 9th.

Sussex, 542, against Surrey—C. B. Fry, 800.

Notts, 457, Lancashire, 451—A. O. Jones, 377; Iremonger, 125; R. H. Spooner, 247; W. G. Grace, 50.

Yorkshire, 562, against Leicestershire—Denton, 133; Hirst, 152.

Gentlemen v. Players—First innings, 478; Knight, 139; Gentlemen, 1st innings, 385; 2nd innings, 500; S. Ranjitsinhji, 60; A. O. MacLaren, not out; C. B. Fry, 285, not out; K. S. Ranjitsinhji, 60; A. C. MacLaren, 168, not out.

Leicestershire, 429, against Derbyshire—Worcestershire, 500, against Somerset—H. K. Foster, 216; Bowley, 145; Wheldon, 112.

THE RING.
BOSTON, July 22.—While Young Corbett, champion featherweight of the world, got the decision over Jimmy Briggs in their ten round bout before the Tammany Club to-night, the Boston boys gained considerable prestige by staying the limit. Briggs used excellent ring judgment and kept away from Corbett's terrific swings, or ducked when he was pulled in close. As a consequence Corbett failed to land any damaging blows and Briggs was fresh at the end. Corbett's poor condition was evident, as he refused to set a fast pace. Briggs grew more confident as the bout progressed and went at the cham-

AT THE LONDON HOUSE

THURSDAY, JULY 23RD.

The New "Golf" Corset.

A very pretty new style of girdle corset has taken great hold on the popular fancy in Toronto and Montreal. We have secured the sale agency for St. John, and feel sure anyone will be interested in seeing them.

The "Golf" Corset is a narrow girdle of very neat proportion, and instead of lacing it laps over at back and is tied around waist with a white satin ribbon.

The "Golf" Corset is an American idea, giving the most perfect ease, while still retaining the present fashionable figure.

The "Golf" Corsets are sold at one price,

\$1.25 pr.

In Silk Department.

NEW SILK WAISTS.

Pretty new soft taffeta waists just in—a silk that won't cut—fall designs—black and colors \$3.95 each.

NEW WHITE SILK FOR WAISTS.

White "Mouselline," a very beautiful, semi-transparent silk, purposely for waists 75c. yard.

WIDE BLACK MOIRE FOR COATS.

28 inch black moire velour for ladies' or children's coats, excellent finish 85c. yard.

NEW JAPANESE SILK DRAPERIES.

Mantel drapes and piano draperies, in gold, blue, green, pink or cardinal \$1.25 to 2.75 each.

JAPANESE SILK CUSHIONS.

Embroidered Jap silk cushion tops, in new designs. 55c. to \$1.25 each.

Sale of Flowers in Millinery Department.

A lot of fine flowers and foliage to be sold at half and quarter their prices to clear. Choice for 25c. bunch.

Clearing Sale--Whitewear

Nothing the matter with the goods, but being mused and very slightly soiled, prices have been cut to effect clearance. Lace Trimmed White Skirts, Gowns and Corset Covers, all laid out on tables on Second Floor.

Every-day Requirements.

WHITE WASH BELTS.

Stitched or Plain White Belts. Gilt or Silver Buckles. 15c. 13c. each.

NEW BLACK BELTS.

New Black Belts. The best values we have ever shown. Just in. 1c. to 50c.

NEW WASH NECKWEAR.

First Designs in Pique and Embroidery Stocks and Collars. All one price 39c. each.

OUR SPECIAL RIBBON.

Beautiful quality Wide Duchesse Washing Ribbon for neck or sash. All colors 29c. yard.

300 YARDS WHITE AND CREAM RIBBON.

Very Fine all Silk Duchesse Washing Ribbon in White and Cream. Special 29c. yd.

WHITE APPLIQUE LACE COLLARS.

Pretty Washing Lace Collars for Misses and Young Girls. 40c. 45c. 50c. each.

HANDSOME BROAD LACE COLLARS.

The Newest Shopped Effect Lace Collars at remarkably moderate prices. All fine lace \$1.00 to \$4.50 each.

BLACK SEQUIN COLLARS.

To wear with White or All Black Dresses 75c. to \$1.25 each.

BECOMING VEILINGS.

Complexion Veilings and those new fancy Silk Thread Veilings—pretty grey effects 35c. to 50c. yard.

LADIES' FANCY HOSE.

Silk Embroidery Hose in five designs—black, with pink, blue, hello, or white. All one price 25c. pair.

LADIES' "COOL FOOT" HOSE.

"Hermador" Black Cotton Hose with Sanitary Balbriggan Feet. 75c. pair.

NEW BLACK NECK RUFFS.

Very stylish Black Silk Ruffs, with Stole Ends \$3.75 each.

BLACK BEAD CHAINS.

Long Dull Jet Bead Chains, very fashionable \$1.25 each.

F. W. DANIEL & CO.,
London House, Charlotte St.

TRIAL TRIP STEAMER BEATRICE WARING.

One of the finest boats ever seen on the St. John river is the Beatrice E. Waring, which was given her initial spin yesterday afternoon, the result of which was highly pleasing to the owners and officials in charge. Judging from her performance she will be one of the fastest boats on the river.

The Beatrice Waring is one hundred and forty-two feet in length and thirty-two feet beam. She is of the stern wheel pattern, her engines are powerful and of the latest design, and these together with her splendid lines tend to make her speedy. She is fitted up with all modern appliances, has fourteen large staterooms, is heated by steam and is lighted throughout with electricity. Besides the main saloon, the Waring has a good-sized dining saloon and ladies' cabin to administer to the comfort of the passengers, and above these are the kitchen and captain's cabin. In connection with the electrical apparatus an up-to-date switch-board is located in the engine room. The Waring has a powerful search light of 5,000 candle power, and on her return to the wharf after her initial spin on Wednesday the brilliant illumination and play of the search light attracted large crowds, and expressions of admiration were heard on all sides. The steamer is painted clear white, which gives her a beautiful appearance on the water, the interior decorations are of gold, and Capt. A. L. Peatman has every reason to be proud of his new charge. H. C. Waring will act as engineer.

While it is stated that the Waring is to be put on the Bellefleur route, there is a rumor that the boat will run from St. John to Fredericton as a night boat, and her strong search light, staterooms and lighting apparatus go to support this argument, for these are not altogether necessary for a Bellefleur boat. It is supposed that the steamer will take freight below the falls, going above to Indian town when the tide suits.

MARINE MATTERS.

Barkit Albatross, Capt. Grundmark, from St. John, reached Silgo yesterday. She went over in 27 days.

The owners of the sch. Edward Stewart settled the damage done to the sch. Pardon G. Thomson for \$150, and both vessels sailed from Vineyard Haven for their destinations.

A despatch from Buenos Ayres states that the bark Glencona, Capt. Lynn, from Tyne for San Diego, Cal., is aground at San Blas. Crew saved. Assistance was sent from Buenos Ayres.

Str. Bostonian, at Boston from Liverpool, reports grazed an iceberg July 15 while crossing the Banks in a dense fog. No damage sustained.

Bark Sardhana, from Baltimore, for Montreal, is ashore near Point des Monts.

Small sch. Hattie, from Port Hood, for Halifax, with coal, went ashore at Moll Cove, just outside the harbor, during an easterly gale. Several vessels in the harbor dragged their anchors during the blow.

DIED YESTERDAY.

After a lengthy illness the death took place yesterday morning at her residence, 25 Douglas avenue, of Mrs. Catherine McMillan. Besides her husband Mrs. McMillan is survived by a sister, three sons and three daughters. Mrs. McMillan was twice married, her first husband being Mr. Lundy, by whom she had three children, William and George Lundy and Miss Nan Lundy, all of whom reside in the city. Her second husband was William McMillan, by whom she had three children, William McMillan, in the employ of Clinton Brown, druggist; Miss McMillan, a teacher in St. Peter's school and Miss Kate McMillan, residing at home. Mrs. McMillan was in her 65th year.

LAST NIGHT'S BAND CONCERT.

The V. M. tea concert held in Memorial park, Douglas avenue, last night was attended by hundreds of people. The Street Railway Co. had all it could do to accommodate the traffic. The programme rendered by the City Cornet Band was as follows:

March—Vim Toss Hunter
Overture—Past Hunter
The Birds and the Bees Hunter
Selection—Black Brigade Hunter
Waltz—Liberty Hunter
Morceau—Jasper Jenkins Hunter
Selection—King Dodo (by request) Hunter
Humoresque—The Lobsters' Promenade Hunter

HAMLET TONIGHT.

A fairly large audience attended the second performance of Othello at the Opera House last evening. This evening Mr. Owen and company will appear in Hamlet and promise an excellent performance. Friday evening Richelieu will be played, at Saturday's matinee The Lady of Lyons and Saturday night, Hamlet.

DEATH OF BISHOP CLUT.

WINNIPEG, July 22.—The death is announced from Edmonton of Bishop Clut of the Roman Catholic diocese of Athabasca at Lesser Slave were aged 91. He was for many years a noted missionary among the Indians and half-breeds of Mackenzie River district, but retired from active work some years ago.

PRESBYTERIAN PRESENTATION.

HALIFAX, July 22.—Friends in this city of Rev. Principal Gordon of Queen's College, Kingston, tonight presented an address, accompanied by a very handsome gold watch and chain. The chair was occupied by Rev. President Forrest of Dalhousie College. Among those who made speeches were representatives of St. Andrew's church, Halifax, and the Presbyterian College, Halifax. Rev. Dr. Gordon made a touching reply.

THIRTY TO SEVEN.

WINNIPEG, July 22.—With one seat in doubt and two postponed elections yet to be held, the Manitoba election returns stand: Conservatives, 20; Liberals, 7. The probability is that the government will carry both postponed elections.

SANTAL-MIDY
Standard remedy for Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, etc. Cures in 48 hours. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

Sunshine Furnace
No need to worry about coal strikes if your home is heated with a "Sunshine" Furnace.
By placing our patented wood grate over the coal grate it will burn wood or coke and give as perfect satisfaction as with coal—also saves starting a coal fire in spring and fall when a wood fire will take the chill off the house in a few minutes.
Feed-doors are double and extra large—will admit rough chunks.
Radiators are made of heavy steel plate and encircle the dome in such a way that it gives a wide space between the two for the circulation of air and gives an immense radiating surface.
The "Sunshine" is the only Canadian heater which will burn coal, coke or wood with entire satisfaction.
Sold by all Enterprising Dealers. Booklet Free.
McClary's
TORONTO, MONTREAL, WINNIPEG, VANCOUVER, ST. JOHN, N.B.

Bargains!

The following are some of the CUT PRICES I am making in my Mid-Summer Sale:

Women's White Canvas Oxfords,	60
Worth	\$1.25
Misses' " " "	60
Worth	\$1.00
Child's " " "	50
Worth	.90
Women's Tan and Cho. " "	\$1.25
Worth	\$2.00
" " " "	.60
Worth	\$1.00
Men's Tan Bals.,	1.25
Worth	\$1.75
Boys' " " "	1.00
Worth	\$1.50
Men's Pat. and Enamel Bals.,	2.00
Worth	\$3.00
Women's Dong. Oxfords, (small sizes)	.60
Worth	\$1.00
" " Butt. " "	.60
Worth	\$1.00
Men's " Congress,	1.25
Worth	\$1.50.

REVERDY STEEVES, : 44 : Brussels St

CANADA WON THE KOLAPORE CUP.

MONTREAL, July 22.—The Star's Blesley cable says later returns in the competition for Rajah Kolapore's cup give the Canadian team 20 additional points at the first range (200 yards). These increase the score from 267 to 287. Canada has in consequence won the cup by a majority of two points over Australia, their aggregates being 773 and 771 respectively.

In the secretary of state for war cup Sparring put on 49 out of a possible 50 and will be well up in the prize list. None of the other Canadians were very near the top.

MONTREAL, July 22.—The feature of Blesley is the winning of the Alexander prize by McGregor of the Canadian team. He shot off for it with four others and won. The prize is a bronze bust of Her Majesty and £30. In the first stage of the King's competition the Canadians are doing fairly well. The scores of the team in the first two ranges are as follows:

	200	500	Total.
Ammond	30	28	58
Bayles	33	30	63
Crowe	34	33	67
Drysdale	32	32	64
Elliott	33	31	64
Hayhurst	33	33	66
Jones	31	28	59
King	28	32	60
Morris	32	32	64
McNaughton	33	32	65
McGregor	33	34	67
O'Brien	31	29	60
Peddie	30	34	64
Russell	32	34	66
Stewart	31	32	63
Simpson	29	33	62
Smith, Jr.	33	28	61
Skeddon	29	32	61
Vroom	34	34	68
White	33	32	65

BISLEY, Eng. July 22.—The shooting in the first of the three stages of the competition for the King's prize (open only to volunteers and retired volunteers, seven shots at each distance, two hundred, five hundred and six hundred yards) was completed this afternoon. Private Gray of the London Scottish won the bronze medal with a score of 103.

SIFTON HAS BLAIR'S JOB.

MONTREAL, July 22.—The Toronto Mail and Empire's special from Ottawa says: Clifford Sifton is to be the next minister of railways and canals. His candidature for the big spending department came as an unwelcome surprise to the party. Efforts made to convince him that he could not have it were totally unavailing. Sifton knows what he wants and is determined to have it. It may therefore be taken for granted that the next minister will be the young Napoleon.

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Notice to Advertisers.

Advertisers who wish

changes in their "ad" in

Saturday's STAR must

send their copy to the

office early Friday after-

noon as it is impossible to

make changes Saturday

morning.

LOCAL NEWS.

The regular meeting of Court Rock-

wood, I. O. F., 1470, will be held in For-

esters' hall this evening.

A quantity of silver and cents can

be had at the counting room of this

paper.

\$2.98 will buy a fashionable dress or

walking skirt tomorrow at Morrell &

Sutherland's. See ad. on last page.

Special—Soft wood and kindling cut

in stove lengths, \$1.15 per big load at

Watters', Walker's wharf. Telephone

612.

Battle line steamer Trebia, Captain

McDougal, sailed from Newcastle, New

South Wales, on July 23rd, for

Manila.

A week from today the Y. M. C. A.

boys' camp at St. Martins breaks up.

According to occasional reports coming

in the boys are having a glorious time.

Calvin Presbyterian Sunday school

picnic was held yesterday at Ashland

Farm, a large number attending, and

favoured by delightful weather, spent a

thoroughly enjoyable day.

Don't forget the picnic at Westfield

Beach on Tuesday, 28th, under the aus-

pices of Zion Sabbath school. There

will be the usual attractions, and a good

time is expected. Trains leave at 9.21

and 1.30.

The condition of the grass on Queen

Square is simply disgraceful. On those

sections facing Charlotte street it has

received some attention, but in the lower

part of the square it is almost knee

high, full of weeds and not at all pleas-

ing to the eye.

Hon. Ethan Hitchcock, of St. Louis,

Mo., was a passenger to the city on

the American train yesterday, en route

to Bathurst on a fishing trip. He was

accompanied by friends. Mr. Hitch-

cock is secretary of the interior.

His Lordship Bishop Casey left last

evening for Fredericton, where he will

bless the new bell to be placed in St.

Dunstan's church. His lordship was

pastor at Fredericton for a number of

years. He returns to the city tomorrow,

and will celebrate pontifical high mass

for the late Pope either Saturday or

Monday.

The search for the body of James

Myers of St. John, N. B., a member of

ROTTEN FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

Another Break Yesterday Followed by a Fire—Wires Dropping to Pieces.

An incident occurred yesterday which

exemplified on a small scale the fatal

consequences likely to follow delay on

the part of the common council in hav-

ing the present worn-out fire alarm

system replaced by one more serviceable

and less liable to breakdowns.

About ten o'clock yesterday morning

a blow was struck on all the bells, tel-

ling that a break had taken place some-

where in the city circuit. Five minutes

afterwards a resident of Brussels street

discovered a fire in his house and ran

to a nearby box to send in an alarm.

The alarm did not sound in consequence

of the break in the circuit. Fortunately

the fire was a small one and was

quickly extinguished by the occupants

of the house.

Then was discovered by Super-

intendent Leonard shortly afterwards

right over the house in which the fire

had occurred—a strange coincidence.

The wire had worn away to a mere

thread. A similar state of affairs ex-

ists in many parts of the city, and it

behoves the common council to move

and move fast.

AT FORT DUFFERIN.

Arrangements for Annual Artillery

Practice There This Summer.

Instructions have been issued for the

annual artillery gun practice, which

will be held at Fort Dufferin during the

first of August. Although the time has

not definitely stated, it is expected that

the different companies will go into

camp in the same manner as they did

last year, each spending three days

under canvas, and taking turns in do-

ing so.

The published instructions state that

in all twelve companies will attend

camp, two from the Royal Canadian

Garrison Artillery, four from the 3rd

Regiment C. A. and six from the 4th

Regiment. Unless a change has recent-

ly been made, the 4th Regiment, which

is Charlottetown, has not more than

four companies, and officers here are

wondering where the other two are

coming from.

The firing will be the same as last

year, on 12 pound quick firing guns and

6 pound Hotchkiss. Ten instructional

and ten competitive rounds will be fired

by each detachment. The St. John men

are now drilling on the guns under In-

structor Sutherland.

TO RE-OPEN SARDINE FACTORIES

Preparations are now being made to

open one of the large sardine factories

in Eastport later in the month, now

that the fish have begun to put in an

appearance in greater number than at

any time this season, and this will call

for more than three hundred employes,

PERSONAL.

Miss Aggie Nellie of Fredericton, is

visiting friends in the city.

Miss Margaret Johnston left for St.

John this morning to meet her sister,

Miss Bona, who is coming home from

the United States on a vacation.

Rev. G. R. E. McDonald and Mrs.

McDonald are in Fredericton.

Mrs. James Gibson, of Marysville, is

now recovering from a severe attack

of blood poisoning.

J. S. Harding, of St. John, is in the

city—Halifax Echo.

Dr. G. J. McNally, J. W. Bridges, H.

McNally and G. C. VanWart went

to St. John this morning to attend the

session of the N. B. Medical Associa-

tion—Gleaner.

Prof. W. T. Raymond of the Univer-

sity of New Brunswick, is in the

city.

J. E. Dixon of Amherst, is stopping

at the Dufferin.

The following guests registered at

the Bank Springs Hotel from July 5th

to July 11th inclusive: O. T. Dann,

Yarmouth, N. S.; Major and Mrs.

Fraser, Tornaveen, N. B.

C. D. Durrant and bride of Halifax,

are in the city.

Chas. S. Everett arrived home from

the Toronto furniture exhibition yester-

day.

The White's Cove correspondent of

the Sun says:—Miss Georgia Mott of St.

John is visiting friends here. Mrs. Wil-

liam White, wife of Officer White, of St.

John, is visiting relatives. Misses Mil-

red and Helen Foster, of St. John, are

visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. E. White.

Miss Nellie Farris, of St. John, is here

visiting friends. Miss Dora Farris of St. John are visit-

ing their aunt, Mrs. William Springer.

It is announced that on the 29th inst.

Blanche, second daughter of George

Gardiner, of St. Andrews, will be mar-

ried to William J. Nesbitt, insurance

agent, Montreal, formerly a resident of

St. John.

GUNS FOR FREDERICTON.

Two large cannon from the military

stores will be removed within the next

day or two to Fredericton. Governor

Snowball has procured them for orna-

mental purposes and foundations have

been prepared for them in Fredericton

along the river bank.

LA. COL. A. J. Armstrong says that

these guns have been in St. John for

upwards of fifty years. They are long

since out of date, and are practically

useless excepting for the purpose to

which they will now be put. They are

32 pounders, smooth bore and weigh

three tons each. They will be taken

to Fredericton by boat.

PROBATE COURT.

Ancillary probate of the last will and

BRO. COFFIN TO THE BREACH.

Pastor of St. Phillip's indignantly Res-

pends to Mr. McIntyre.

To the Editor of the Star:

Dear Sir.—As I feel it necessary for

me to speak to the public and Mr. Mc-

Intyre through this paper, for he has

done me a great injustice in setting

me before the public in the false light

which he has, I would not have the

public think that I had aimed to ruin

the Christian character of my proce-

cessor and no one can truthfully say

so and the statements which appeared

in this paper which Mr.