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We have just received READY-MADE CLOTHING for Spring. On this we will give the same discount, good until April 1st.

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NEW SPRING CLOTHING For Men and Boys Now Ready.

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ALSO, NEW SPRING SHIRTS, TIES, HATS, CAPS, ETC.

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FORTUNES FOR WOODMAN HERE IN WESTERN MINES

Starr Trophy Presented to the Moncton Hockeyists—John T. Hawke Reorganizes the School Board

MONCTON, N. B., March 22.—The Starr trophy, emblematic of the Maritime hockey championship, was formally presented to the Victoria last night, when a much delayed reception was held in the Opera House. An enthusiastic crowd of five hundred people were present, as well as the Opera House in a four horse barouche. They were formally congratulated by Mayor White and J. C. Lithgow, president of the M. P. A. A., who made the formal presentation of the cup. Later in the evening President Lithgow was presented with a handsome gold locket on behalf of the hockey team in recognition of his services as president of the M. P. A. A. towards the Victoria.

The city council last night decided to purchase the Spurr lot on Main street used as a city square. The price paid will be twelve thousand two hundred dollars, the same lot being offered to the city some time ago for ten thousand. The lot is centrally located and was used as a square last summer. Public opinion is overwhelmingly favorable to the purchase.

The I. C. R. has recovered from the blockade occasioned by Wednesday's big storm and the road is once more in good shape. Two maritime express which were stalled in the snow at Harcourt arrived last evening and the northern division is now clear.

This morning Cassel could not work the same game. She was charged with fighting with Mary Gloss, a colored woman on Sheffield street. Policeman McCallum, who made the arrest, said the woman had been fighting in Amelia Francis house, and went out on the street to finish it. They were untagged the fingers from their headgear.

The woman in reply to the court declared she was fighting and said that in coming out of the Francis house they slipped on the ice and fell over each other.

They went to jail for two months in default of paying \$20 each.

E. F. Woodman has been in the city a few days past in connection with a group of valuable mines in Utah and Nevada to which the Woodman family recently left their estate.

He is acting for the heirs and is here for the purpose of getting deeds signed and completing details so that the property can be sold.

Moncton heir is Geo. H. Woodman and there are a number of heirs in P. E. Island, as well as several scattered throughout the States. The mines are said to be valuable and would give each heir a snug fortune if sold at the present value.

The school trustees last night practically re-organized their mode of procedure and adopted a new constitution. A long series of recommendations made by Chairman J. T. Hawke. He submitted a new order of procedure, increased committees from three to five, the new committees being one for visitation, and the second for safety, health and recreation grounds, which is a very important new departure. He also submitted a set of regulations for janitors, recommendations for increased fire protection, one of which requests the city council to install fire alarm boxes on the exterior of school buildings and that the class rooms be made inter-communicating. He also submitted a new set of regulations for fire drill rescinding those already in force. The recommendations were elaborate and were unanimously adopted.

HEAD LINER REPORTED TODAY FROM BRIAR ISLAND

Innishowen Head Will Likely Arrive Here This Afternoon.

The Head Liner Innishowen Head, which was sighted off Briar Island on Tuesday apparently disabled and steaming only two knots an hour was not reported again until this morning when she was once more sighted off Briar Island heading towards this port. She is expected to reach here this afternoon. It is thought that the steamer to avoid the heavy storm sought more room in the Atlantic and is just returning after a fight in open water against the elements.

The steamer sailed from Andrews, her coaling port on March 4th and has a general cargo.

WIRELESS TELEPHONES EFFECTIVE FOR TWO MILES

BERLIN, March 22.—Count Arco, in his wireless telephone experiments, has succeeded in obtaining a distinct exchange of words in a tolerably natural voice, at a distance of two miles, by using poles thirty feet high.

WARD SYSTEM BILL HELD UP UNTIL AFTER TUESDAY NIGHT'S PUBLIC MEETING

TWO HUNDRED LIVES LOST IN THIS WINTER'S STORMS

Toll of the Sea on the New England and Maritime Province Coasts—Larchmont Disaster the Worst in Years

BOSTON, March 22.—A total of 199 lives and 54 ships have been sacrificed to the storms and the treacherous coasts of New England and the Maritime Provinces for the winter just ended, according to the statistics compiled by the Associated Press today, of the vessels. No account has been taken of the dozens driven ashore and later floated, and figures do not include the loss in Connecticut waters. The long list of dead is swollen out of all proportion to those of many previous years by the sinking of the steamer Larchmont in Block Island Sound, the night of Feb. 11, with an estimated loss of 150 lives. This was the one great disaster of the year in these waters, the largest loss of life in any other single wreck occurring in the foundation of this month of the Newfoundland schooner Harry Louis with her entire crew of eight men.

As usual the Nova Scotia coast has proved the most disastrous to shipping this year, claiming 16 vessels, but Newfoundland was not far behind with 14 craft. The American coastwise fleet was the heaviest losers with 35 ships and 75 lives, while the British loss was 18 ships and 24 lives.

THE PEASANT REVOLT IN ROMANIA BECOMES SERIOUS

Many Persons Reported Killed or Wounded in Conflicts With Troops—Towns are Sacked and Burned

VIENNA, March 22.—According to the news received today in Budapest from Moldavia, the present movement in Roumania is spreading. The town of Dorogoi has been sacked and burned by the peasants. The inhabitants were compelled to flee for their lives. At Cucuteni, where many Hungarians live, a fight occurred between the Hungarians and Roumanian inhabitants. Four Hungarians are reported killed and 30 wounded. Fourteen peasants were killed in the collision with troops at Belgesti, while in Pokshani the people are in revolt against the authorities. The village of Sulice was destroyed by peasant rioters. The fate of the inhabitants is not known.

BUCHAREST, Roumania, March 22.—The agrarian revolt, which at first was confined around Botosani, has now spread practically over the whole of Moldavia. Telegraph and telephone communications have been interrupted, and marauding bands are beginning to hold up travellers. A serious encounter between troops and raiders occurred in Blegesti. The raiders were routed by the troops and some of them killed. At Negresti in the district of Vaslui, a large estate belonging to M. Stoicescu, Liberal minister of agriculture, has been sacked and burned. In the district of Vaslui alone, yesterday 20 peasants were killed and scores were wounded. The movement is really more agrarian than anti-Semitic. The peasants are in revolt against the great farming trust, which has leased the land of the estates to the peasants. These landlords, who control the trust, happen to be Jews and most of their estates have already been sacrificed. Had it not been for the merciless actions of their agents, who ground the peasants down to starvation wages, the revolt would not have occurred. The Jews have suffered more than other people from the uprising because the majority of the shopkeepers are managers of farms in Moldavia for Jews. Further strong military reinforcements were sent to Moldavia today.

IMPORTANT JUDGMENTS IN EQUITY COURT TODAY

In equity court this morning the case came up of Tooke Bros. et al vs. Brock and Patterson and E. W. Patterson. The hearing on the injunction was begun. E. W. Patterson gave Brock and Patterson bills of sale some time ago, which also covered future advances. On Jan. 28th, plaintiffs obtained interim injunction restraining Brock and Patterson from transferring any of the goods of E. W. Patterson. The bills and affidavits were read this morning. The plaintiffs claim the assets of the concern. It shows the weakness of the "bills-of-sale act," which does not reach cases which ought to be covered for the protection of merchants. Hanington, Teed and Hanington for Gault Bros., and A. I. Trueman and J. King Kelley for the defendant.

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Rear Admiral Manney, U. S. delegate to the international conference of wireless telegraphy, and Lieut. Howard S. May, attaché, have been present at a number of Count Arco's exhibitions. The best practical results are obtained at two miles, or under, with thirty foot poles.

Count Arco does not regard his discoveries as entirely practical at present, though he hopes to eventually construct an apparatus which will take the place of wires in cities and perhaps in suburban districts.

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ANOTHER MERGER OF COLBALT PROPERTIES

TORONTO, March 22.—It was rumored in mining circles yesterday that the Nova Scotia and Peterson Lake companies at Cobalt would heretofore be under the same management. It was said that some New York and Philadelphia capitalists behind the Peterson Lake Company had bought a controlling interest in the other at a little over forty cents a share.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Justice Fitzgerald today excused the Thaw jury until 10:30 o'clock next Wednesday morning.

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SPORTING MATTERS

OLIVE DEFEATED HUNTER LAST NIGHT

Two very interesting races were pulled off at the Queen's Rollaway last night. The first was a boys' half mile race won by Gleason, second a mile race between Olive and Hunter and won by the former.

THE TURK TORREBURN RACES.

The horse races which were to have been held at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon, could not be pulled off, owing to the fact that the tracks were blocked with snow.

SHIPPING.

Domestic Ports. ST GEORGE, NB, March 21-Sid, schs James Rothwell, for Philadelphia. British Ports. LIVERPOOL, March 21-Sid, str Parisian, for Halifax and St John.

MISCELLANEOUS

BOSTON, Mar. 21.-Sch. Annie F. Kimball from Portland, Me., for Newport, R. I., was towed into port today disabled, having had mainmast, foremast and two jibs blown away in the heavy gale yesterday.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

With tonnage, destination and consignor. ST. JOHN, Friday, March 22. Steamers-Athena, 538, Glasgow, Robt Reford Co.

APES MADE IMMUNE FROM "SPOTTED FEVER"

EDINBURGH, March 21.-Professor Oiler, being on a visit to Edinburgh, gave a lecture to the university medical students.

VIOLIN MADE OF MATCHES.

German Spends Year on Perfecting Most Unique Musical Instrument. BERLIN, March 21.-An upholsterer named Karl Wagner, living at Munich, has constructed a violin entirely out of wooden matches.

A Few Smokers

Have not yet tried THE BEST 50 Cigar Ever Sold, the PIXIE. Those who buy once buy it again. MADE BY NEW BRUNSWICK CIGAR CO 607 MAIN ST.

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Men's Tweed Suits, . . . \$6 to \$10 Men's Top Coats, . . . \$8 to \$12 Men's Fancy Worsted Suits, 7 to 15 Men's Rain Coats, . . . 8 to 15 Black Dress Suits, . . . \$7.00 to \$15.00.

New Spring Shirts.

We have received a large stock of New Spring Shirts in all the the newest patterns and colorings and truly they are beautiful. Prices, 50c to \$1.50

Gloves.

"DENTS" Kid new shades. Our stock of Nobby Spring Styles in Footwear for Men is unsurpassed. If your feet are tender or hard to fit give us a trial.

Boots and Shoes.

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Neckwear.

Our New Spring Neckwear has arrived on time. Swell new colorings in Men's Silk Cravats, small and large figures, also rich plain colorings. 15c to 50c

Hats.

Your Hat is here. Whatever the ramifications and details of your taste, and whatever the conditions of your purse, we have the hats here that will suit all of them.

Chas. A. Magnusson & Co. The Cash Clothing Store, 73 Dock Street, St. John, N. B.

PETTINGOAT SCARES COMMONS

M. P.'s Cared in Fear of an Invasion of Suffragettes. LONDON, March 21.-For a brief few minutes this evening the House of Commons suffered an agony of terror under the belief that not only the precincts of the House but the sacred chamber itself had been invaded by suffragettes.

PERSIAN COUP EXPECTED.

Chief of the Mohammedans Quits Capital With Followers. TEHRAN, March 21.-The Mush-tahed, the chief priest of the Mohammedans of the Shah sect in Teheran, has taken refuge at Shabdolain, with 300 followers, as a protest against the action of the new parliament.

FREAKS OF FIGURE 9.

Some Results Obtained Which Show the Dynamics of Mathematics. Write down in a row all the numerals except 8, thus: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 9

WEIRD VIGIL OVER COFFIN.

Grave Doubt That the Woman Who Occupies It is Really Dead. ROME, March 21.-Watch is being kept day and night over the coffin of a young Russian woman who was buried at San Remo a fortnight ago.

DIAMONDS!

BEFORE THE RISE I WOULD ADVISE those who are hesitating or even considering the purchasing of a diamond that they will do well to act at once as it is understood that there is to be another very sharp rise after the first of next month.

WON THE RIGHT TO MEET JAY GOULD

BOSTON, March 21.-Joshua Crane, Jr., of the Tennis and Racquet Club of this city, by defeating Charles E. Sands of the Racquet and Tennis Club of New York in the finals of the national court tennis championship today, won the right to meet Jay Gould in the challenges match on Saturday.

THE POLICE

The police were called into George Brown's house on the corner of Charlotte and Britain streets last evening to quell a disturbance Brown was creating.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

Manchester Courier: "Conspicuous for devotional expression. The level of the whole composition is a high one." To be given at St. David's church, March 28.

THE HUSTLING BARKERS

The Two Barkers, Limited, of this city are today adding a most important business to their already long string of enterprises, in a big departmental establishment in the thriving town of Amherst, N. S.

To the Prospective Bride and Groom!



Now that you are about to settle in life, your thoughts must turn toward the making of a home—a place where you can entertain your friends and be happy and contented.

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LOCAL NEWS

George Collinson, of the Mission Church, has been appointed organist and choir master of the St. Andrew's Church of Scotland, at Montreal, C. Blair, formerly of St. John, has occupied the position for some time.

AMUSEMENTS

KEITH'S THEATRE THIS WEEK. Twice Daily at 2.30 and 8.15. CAYANA—The world's greatest aerial artist. MCGREVEY BROTHERS—Change artists.

TIS QUITE RIGHT THE QUEENS ROLLAWAY

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EAST BRANCH CUT IS SMALLER THAN LAST YEAR

BANGOR, March 21.-According to an estimate as near accurate as it is possible to make at this time, there will be about 40,000,000 feet of new logs to come down the East Branch this season.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, M

Store closes evenings at 8 o'clock. Saturdays 11 p. m. UNION CLOTHING CO. 26-28 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B. Old Y. M. C. A. Building. ALEX. CORREY, Mgr. OUR \$12.00 SUITS!

A beautiful showing of SMART SPRING SUITS AT TWELVE DOLLARS. You can be sure you are buying a \$15 Suit. You can buy suits here at \$12 that are not only very attractive but exceptionally serviceable. The greys, in the newest spring shades and patterns, find a highly satisfactory showing. Styles are of the latest order. See our other SWELL SUITS, at \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10 and \$11.

MEN'S TROUSER DEPT. Men's Good Working Trousers, at \$1.25. Men's Fancy Tweed Trousers, at \$1.45. Our \$3 Worsteds Trousers at \$1.95 is one of the best Trousers values ever sold in the city. You can't do without a pair. Boy's Knee Pants, extra value at 40c, 50c, and 75c. MEN'S SHIRTS, \$1.25 values at 90c. Others at 50c and 75c. See our Boys' and Youths' new Spring Shirts at 50c and 75c. Each. They are swell.

UNION CLOTHING CO. DISCUSSES MODERN METHODS OF TREATING CONSUMPTION

In the Nova Scotia department of health, A. P. Reid, provincial health officer, makes the following comment on tuberculosis, in his annual report:

TUBERCULOSIS. This malady in its many types as usual dominates all the others and deserves its title, the Great White Plague, and though much can be done and is being done by the sanatorium, and by public discussion, yet I would suggest that, as with other diseases, the public school be made use of as the public educator to a greater extent than it is. I recognize the fact that now it is being very largely used, and no doubt in time it will be able to fulfil its mission.

I take the liberty of making a lengthy quotation from the Maine, U. S., Bulletin on this subject, because it is not only a good presentation of it, but it applies equally to Nova Scotia and Canada, as to Maine, and as the education of the public is of paramount importance. This may serve as an aid, as it tends to dissipate so many false notions that have for long prevailed, and is quite "up-to-date."

"There are two useful lines of work open to us. The first is to teach the public those vital facts that tuberculosis or consumption is preventable and that it is curable. Second, to furnish means of cure. In Nova Scotia the provincial board of health, amongst others, printed and distributed a circular (1923) on the Prevention of Tuberculosis, and the provincial government has established a sanatorium for its cure that is doing most useful work.

"Climatic conditions have but little direct action in determining the extent of the prevalence of tuberculosis. The greatest death rates from it are found in densely populated regions where in stum districts. The presence of infection and the faulty conditions of human life which favor the contraction of infection are the most important factors in a high death-rate from consumption. Travellers tell us that the climate of Terra del Fuego is vile enough, yet tuberculosis was never there until the English mission was established. The wife of the pastor, a consumptive, was the introducer of the disease which a remarkable epidemic of phthisis spread among the natives.

"The same epidemic pest was brought to the native people of the Hawaiian Islands by the whites, and tuberculosis and alcoholic drinks have been the chief agencies which have swept some primitive races from the face of the earth, though their climes have been congenial. Yet in the rigorous climates of Iceland, the isolated region of Greenland, the Russian Steppes, and other places where the population is sparse or the infection has never been introduced, tuberculosis is almost or quite unknown.

Dr. Mosler, director of the medical clinic at the University of Griefswald, Germany, says: "Based on my opinion upon my own ample experience I concur with Dettweiler and Meissen that curative results in the treatment of tuberculosis have not been fulfilled. I have observed improvement in many cases, but of recurrences I have seen many. In Germany, as in Switzerland, the experience has been that, under sanatorium treatment, the cure of patients is more rapid than in the milder seasons of the year."

THE PERENNIAL TUBERCULOSIS QUESTION. This question of tuberculosis should be of vital interest to every one of us. Not one of us, rich or poor, can escape the malign influence of the do-nothing policy. Not one of us can escape exposure to the infection. It may be present in our own homes, it may find us as we travel, it may be in the office, the school, the workshop, or in places of amusement, it may come in

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TO LET—Small flat 116 City Road, G. S. FISHER & CO. 21-3-4. TO LET—Two flats, 6 rooms each, 121 Brussels street. Modern improvements. 22-3-4. TO LET—Two flats, 11 and 13 Haymarket Square. Rent \$4.00 monthly. J. W. MORRISON, Real Estate Agent, Ritchie's Building, Ring 1643.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE—Edison Phonograph latest large size Flower Horn, patent stand and choice collection of over records. Sold cheap. Address CA TITUS, care Star Office. 22-3-4. FOR SALE—Thirty shares of St. John Canadian Oil Co. Ltd. paying annual dividend of 7 per cent. pay quarterly. Shares \$100 each, in lots want purchasers. Will not accept 1 than par. Apply "Oil Shares," 8 Office. 21-3. FOR SALE—Store shelving w/ walnut fronts. Apply S. C. DRU, 23 Waterloo street. 20-3.

TO LET.

TO LET—Dining room, girl, 40 Leinster street. 21-3-4. TO LET—Store and flat, corner Dorchester and Sewell streets. Apply MISS G. CRAWFORD, 71 Dorchester street. 21-3-4. TO LET—At 310 Princess St., lower flat, containing 6 rooms. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 6. Apply on premises. 20-3-4. JAS. J. POWER.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE—A Turkish Sofa, rosewood finish, will sell half price. Also dining room table. Address A. J. care Star Office. 16-3-6. WAN ED—Old mahogany furniture. Will give highest cash prices. W. A. KAIN, 116 Germain street. 12-3-3 mo. FOR SALE—A great variety of cheap wall paper at McGRATH'S Toy and Furniture Store, Near Wilson's Foundry, Brussels street. Iron bedsteads, umbrellas, etc. 12-3-4. WANTED—Parties having old mahogany furniture to sell Address FURNITURE, care of the Star Office. 9-3-11.

CARLETON. LOWER FLAT, 183 Guildford Street. Six rooms. Or upper flat, nine rooms. Patent closets. Apply Mrs. Young upstairs, or F. E. DEMILL, Bay Shore.

TO LET—One flat of 4 rooms, situated at 49, corner Sydney and Sherfield streets. Rents reasonable. Enquire on premises. 16-3-6. TO LET—Shop 63 Pitt street. Suitable for showrooms or laundry. 12-3-11. TO LET—Upper flat, off Douglas avenue. Apply 461 Main St. 12-3-11. TO LET—One flat with seven rooms, modern improvements. Apply to William Humphreys, 118 St. James street. 2-3-11.

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

WANTED—Middle aged man to act as porter. Apply 106 Union street. 21-3-11. MEN WANTED—For removing ice at Victoria Rink. Apply at once at rink. 21-3-11. WANTED—Boys to learn the Dry Goods business. Apply at once, F. W. DANIEL & CO., Charlotte street. 12-3-11. WANTED—Boy for delivery. Apply HYGIENIC BAKERY. 19-3-11. WANTED—Young man 18 or 20 years, willing to work nights. References, J. ALLAN TURNER, 16-3-11. WANTED—Junior clerk, one with some knowledge of clothing or boots and shoes preferred. Apply to C. B. PIDGON, Cor. Main and Bridge streets, N. E. 12-3-11. WANTED—Pant makers, steady employment, highest wages. First-class hands. C. B. PIDGON, corner Main and Bridge streets. 5-3-11. WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience in type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 12-3-11. WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 5-11-11.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

BOARDING—Room with board at 99 Elliott Row. 6-12-11. TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 22-3-11. WANTED—By a young lady board in private family, Central locality. Address E., care Star Office. 20-3-6.

Wanted at Once

1,000 Laborers for Railroad Construction. Must pay transportation to Winnipeg. 1 First Class Painter. 1 Hotel Waitress. 1 Blacksmith. 1 Plumber. Apply to D. J. McRAE, Globe Building, St. John, N. B. 12-3-11.

ARTICLES LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Bunch of keys with chain attached. Reward on leaving at Star Office. 21-3-2. LOST—Sum of \$10, either at cashiers, Indian tower, or between that and Adelaide street, in envelope addressed "G. VINCENT." Communicate 274 Main street, Reward. FOUND—There was a stick pin found at the Coffee Room, 72 Germain street on Wednesday, the 20th inst. Owner can have it by calling and paying for this advertisement. 22-3-1. LOST—Near Cor. Charlotte and Princess streets, scissors case containing scissors, thimble and work. Finder rewarded by leaving at 161 Leinster St. 22-3-2. Explained. "Why does a colored man always carry a razor?" "Oh, I suppose in case he might want to cut an undesirable acquaintance."

ONE OF THE FAMILY.

A laborer's wife wishing to cure her husband of coming home late at night from the inn, induced her brother to dress up as a ghost one night in order to frighten the tippler. "Who are you?" he asked of the spirit, whom he found in his way on the appointed night. "I am the devil," replied the apparition. "Oh, you're the devil, are you? Well, shake hands, old chap, I married one of your sisters."

GIVE THEM TIME.

In the discussion in the Russian Duma yesterday such terms as "murderer," "murderer," "murderer," etc., were freely exchanged. No one seems, however, to have been called a "graffer." The Duma is young yet.

SITUATIONS WANTED

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPE WRITER, with six years' experience, wants trustworthy position. Apply "TYPEST," care Star Office. WANTED—Position as warehouseman, strong capable and strictly temperate. Address G. W. L., cor. Union and St. John streets, West End. Tel. 5 Ring 21. 22-3-6.

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STOCK OF Carpets and Oilcloths. Less Than Manufacturer's Prices. You have the smallest Furniture need to fill, come to store for the money savings are most remarkable. Come Here and Profit by them.

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CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS IN GENERAL.

HAVE YOUR PAPERING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done early. I am booking orders for spring work already. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDDLESTON, 83 Sydney street, Home, 10 Market Square. Telephone 1811. WM. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR TO M. A. FINN, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 119 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1878. Write for family price list. GEO. ATKINS, Piano and Organ tuner, 126 Germain street. Special attention paid to restoring Pianos and Organs to their original tone. MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD., St. John, N. B., manufacturers of everything in wood that enters into the construction of a house. Cut the trees in the forest and deliver the finished product to the consumer. 8-2-3m. JAMES G. McGIVERN, Agent, No. 5 Mill street, sells coal, good coal, hard and soft, and delivers promptly. Tel. 4. ST. JOHN FUEL CO. can give you cheaper dry wood than any other fuel company in St. John. We also keep in stock the celebrated Springhill Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves, and also both Scotch and American Hard Coal. Prompt delivery with our own teams. Telephone 194. 5 July-1 yr.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

WILLIAM H. PATERSON, Graduate Doctor of Optics, 55 Brussels street. Glasses perfectly right, two years ago, may be far from right now. We will examine your eyes FREE and only recommend a change if absolutely beneficial. 2-2-1 yr. A. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Soles attached. \$5c. F. C. Wesley Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 69 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 582. E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St. J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. 25 Brussels street.

OFFICE AND TRADE HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Teamster for Special Team. ROBINSON'S BAKERY, Union street. 21-3-11. WANTED—Young lady for physican's office, one who has some knowledge of bookkeeping and stenography preferred. References. Apply Box 230, city. 19-3-11. WANTED—Young woman who thoroughly understands packing biscuit. Apply HYGIENIC BAKERY. 19-3-11. WANTED GIRLS—Pantmakers. Inquire A. LEVINE, 19 Canterbury St. Good wages. 18-3-11m. WANTED—A neat appearing girl for confectionery store. Address S. W. S., care Star. 14-3-11. WANTED—Girls to sew by hand. Good wages paid. Steady work. Apply at once, J. SHANE & CO., 71 Germain street. 26-10-11.

FLATS AND HOUSES ...WANTED...

WANTED—To rent a flat for family of two. Address D., Star office.

SACK OF REGISTERED MAIL WAS STOLEN

PARIS, March 21.—The postal authorities here say that the discovery that a sack of registered mail had been stolen was made on the arrival of the mail here from LaSavoie, Jan 25, after arriving at Havre Jan. 24 from New York Jan. 17, but as the total number of sacks received was correct the authorities here called to the New York post office to ascertain whether their post was made on the arrival of the mail. It was found that they captured a man named Rousseau, formerly a broker's clerk, but they did not capture Buttus at that time. As the principal part of the registered mail sacks. A reply was only received March 16, when the case was turned over to the police. It was the result that they captured a man named Rousseau, formerly a broker's clerk, but they did not capture Buttus at that time. As the principal part of the registered mail sacks. A reply was only received March 16, when the case was turned over to the police. 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THE STAR ST JOHN N. B. FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1907

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Bargains In Rubber Boots!

Beginning tomorrow, Saturday morning, we are going to give the public an opportunity to obtain some GENUINE BARGAINS in Rubber Boots. Now that the indications are that we shall have some lively weather this sale will be both timely and opportune.

- 150 Pair of Women's "MALTESE CROSS" first quality Rubber Boots, Black Wool lined, Top Caps, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 7, at \$2.00 a pair.
- Not in the Dominion can this boot be bought less than \$2.50.
- 48 Pair Men's Pure Gum Short Boots, Double Sole, Sizes 6, 7 and 8 at \$3.40 a Pair. These are also "MALTESE CROSS" make.
- 12 Pair Men's Short Pure Gum Snag proof Rubber Boots, all No. 1. Sold everywhere at \$4.75, to be sold at \$3.75 a pair.

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Our New Wall Papers are Now Ready. Very Pretty Patterns and Cheap.

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THAW IS NOT AFRAID OF A LUNACY COMMISSION.

NEW YORK, March 22.—The status of the Thaw case, now that District Attorney Jerome has furnished Justice Fitzgerald with the affidavits of seven alienists who substantiate his expressed opinion that the prisoner is insane and incapable of consulting his counsel as to his defense against the charge of having murdered Stanford White, is this: By two o'clock tomorrow the attorneys for the defense must file affidavits answering Jerome's assertion and combating his affidavit. The district attorney has not formally asked for a commission to inquire into Thaw's mental condition, but has left it to the "conscience of the court," as he expressed it on Wednesday. Justice Fitzgerald will consider the affidavits submitted by each side and inform all the counsel when to appear in court to hear his decision. He may defer the weighing of the affidavits, for he may call for more evidence before he makes up his mind what procedure is advisable. In particular he may seek the opinion of Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, the alienist, who, when called to the stand by the defense on Wednesday, evoked District Attorney Jerome's statement as to Thaw's mental condition and brought about the present condition of the case. Should Justice Fitzgerald do this, the defense, it is certain, will strive to bar Dr. Hamilton's testimony on the ground of professional privilege, inasmuch as he was engaged by the defense to examine Thaw. In all this the jury will have no part, although it was excused yesterday to appear in court this morning. This, however, will be a formality, and they will be again excused until it has been decided whether Thaw must undergo an examination as to his sanity. Notwithstanding District Attorney Jerome's belief that Thaw is a paranoiac and the corroborative opinions of the state's experts that he is practically insane, the defense will make a determined effort to combat the appointment of a lunacy commission or his going to an asylum. His five lawyers met at the office of Delphin M.

Delmas last night, and discussed plans towards the end. A line of action was proposed. This will consist of sworn statements of alienists that they have found Thaw fully capable of advising counsel and sworn statements by counsel and relatives to this effect. Probably Dr. Evans, Wagner, Hammond, will make affidavits which will set forth that they have sat in court beside Thaw for several weeks, have talked with him freely, and are convinced that he is quite competent to confer with his counsel as to his welfare in this case. A number of letters to his counsel since the trial began will also be submitted to the court. If Justice Fitzgerald decides to appoint a commission in lunacy, it will consist of three members, an alienist, a lawyer and a layman. The alienist must necessarily be one who has not figured in any wise in the case. The commission, if chosen, will examine Thaw and report to the court. If it were to find him sane, the trial would be resumed; if otherwise, Justice Fitzgerald would be obliged to order Thaw's confinement in the hospital for the criminal insane at Mattewan. Thaw is not greatly disturbed, it is said, over the possibility of having to be examined by a physician. His lawyers have told him that the question at issue is mainly whether he can instruct them properly. He is confident on this point, and confident also that when once this question is disposed of, he will be all the easier for his lawyers to persuade the jury as to the "brain-storm" line of defense.

USED THE WRONG DYE. LONDON, March 21.—A woman who was sued by a hairdresser in the Brompton Court yesterday explained her belief that Thaw is a paranoiac and the corroborative opinions of the state's experts that he is practically insane, the defense will make a determined effort to combat the appointment of a lunacy commission or his going to an asylum. His five lawyers met at the office of Delphin M.

Society

The senior whist club was entertained last evening by Mrs. Sancton.

At the Canadian Club luncheon in the York Assembly rooms this evening, Mr. Wilkinson of the Toronto News will deliver an address.

Mr. Harold Schofield will occupy the house on Carterbury street to be vacated by Mr. N. R. Burrows, who will shortly leave for Montreal.

Mrs. Bustin, of St. James street, entertained the reading circle of Queen Square Church last evening.

Mrs. George K. McLeod was hostess at the final tea of the lady members of the St. Andrew's Curling Club on Thursday afternoon. The affair took place at the residence of Mrs. Isaac Burpee, Mount Pleasant.

Dr. Thomas Walker and Mrs. Walker will leave early in April on a trip to England.

Mrs. E. R. Chapman and family left last evening for Winnipeg, where they will join Mr. Chapman.

The reading circle of Centenary church met last evening at the residence of Mrs. George Jenkins.

Ottawa Journal—Miss Zillah Rankine, of St. John, is visiting Miss Edith Fielding.

Miss Sturdee and Miss E. S. Gilbert are passengers for England on the Empress of Ireland which sails today.

Rev. G. M. Campbell has closed the paragon on Queen Square, and has taken rooms at the Clifton.

Miss Hazel Bridges entertained the Art Club at her father's residence, Orange street, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Winslow sail on the Empress of Ireland today. They will tour Europe.

Miss Grace Bruechok returned on Tuesday from Boston, where she was visiting her sister.

Mrs. Will McLaughlin entertained a number of her lady friends at a drive home at the home, Princess street, on Thursday evening.

Captain Herbert Clinch, Mrs. Clinch, and Miss Thomson sailed on March 16th from Colombo, Ceylon, on board a North German Lloyd steamer for Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong and Yokohama. The party will spend six weeks in Japan. On May 23, Miss Thomson and Mrs. Clinch will sail from Yokohama on the Empress of Japan for Vancouver. Capt. Clinch will return to India to join his regiment which is stationed at Secunderabad.

Mrs. W. F. Hatheway was hostess at an informal tea on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hatheway was assisted by the Misses Hatheway, Miss Blanche Allen and Miss Beatrice Skinner in entertaining her guests.

Mr. W. Malcolm McKay and son, sail this evening on the Empress of Ireland for a trip to England.

Mrs. Eustace Barnes and Miss Russell entertain a large number of their lady friends at bridge at the home of Miss Russell, Peters street, this afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Packer Wright street, entertained informally at a bridge whist at her home on Friday evening.

Mrs. Harvey Hayward entertained a few friends very pleasantly at a drive home party at her home, Queen Square on Friday evening. Pretty prizes were won by Mrs. R. N. Robertson and Mr. Roy Wheeler.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson, of Fredericton, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. L. Jarvis, Duke street.

Miss Lou Purvis was hostess at a very enjoyable At Home on Saturday afternoon, given in honor of Miss Knuth, of Germany, who is visiting here.

Mrs. G. H. White, King street East, returned on Monday from a trip to Toronto.

Mrs. A. J. Webster, of Shediac, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Vernon McLellan, King street East.

Miss Edith Skinner gave a most enjoyable bridge on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Burrows, who is moving to Montreal.

O. S. Crockett, M. P., of Fredericton, spent Tuesday in town the guest of his brother, Dr. A. Pierce Crockett.

About twenty of the friends of Miss Alice Hogan gave her a surprise party at her home, Hazen street, on Saturday evening. Miss Hogan leaves about the first of April for New York to take up the study of nursing.

Mrs. H. B. Peck entertained a few of her lady friends at a luncheon at her home, Crouchville, on Saturday.

Miss Palmer, of Dorchester, is visiting Mrs. H. W. DeForest, Coburg street.

Rev. David Lang is spending this week in Montreal.

Mrs. Harvey Hayward gave a small but very enjoyable 5 o'clock tea at her home, Queen Square, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Seeley left on Wednesday for a trip to New York and Washington.

Mrs. C. Pickard, of Sackville, has been spending this week here, a guest at the Royal.

Montreal Witness: Mr. and Mrs. George Broadhurst, 55 Shuter street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Florence, to Bernard Clinton Grant of Montreal, formerly of Woodcock, N. B., to take place on April 3.

On Saturday afternoon the members of the Racine Club will have the privilege of asking their friends to the Club's quarters, the occasion being the presentation of prizes to Cyrus Inches Astley and Miss Madeline Barker, the winners of the recent match.

Mrs. H. Atwater Smith, who has been visiting her father, Edwin Peters, left last night for New York. She was accompanied by her brother, Shirley Peters.

Miss Frances Steison will entertain the young people's whist club this evening.

Mrs. R. C. Elkin, of Douglas Avenue, is confined to her home through illness.

SIGNS OF SPRING EVIDENT, VICTORIA COUNTY WAKING UP

(Victoria County News.)

Dear Friends we are alive and I thought a few items from here would be of some interest.

John W. Hitchcock and sons have moved out of the woods having finished their winter operations for Clark's farm, getting through some days sooner than they expected, the first sunny days of March warmed the boys to lay on a few logs was their record, load scaling 375 ft. the boys will not sing Land of Rest for these I sigh, for we bid adieu to our old logging camp and started our course for Home, Sweet Home.

The Victoria Co. are completing arrangements for building a large Pottery House at this place and have already ordered two cars of fertilizer to be shipped here this week, which looks encouraging.

Hauling logs is now the order of the day with good roads and fine weather. J. E. Higgins and wife are calling on friends at Lake Edward.

E. Guin while loading logs on his sled had his leg badly broken last week. Mr. Charles B. Guin took him to the St. John Hospital. Mr. Clark has returned and reports him doing nicely.

I wish I was good looking or had the winning ways so I could get some one besides my brother-in-law.

I heard a little boy say to his father the other day "you don't get up earlier you will lose your property. A lot of our neighbors boys are getting left as all the pretty girls are getting married."

We had another small fire here early Sunday morning when a barn owned by Jas. Price was destroyed, also a reaper which was stored in it. Early in the morning a fire broke out in the barn, some seasoned lumber which was stored in the barn was also destroyed. Mr. Price's loss will be quite heavy.

The Savagery of human nature makes its appearance here as Dog fighting boys ride your moose mast.

Burnt beans are now plentiful. P. Bowmaster and S. P. Watson factory to the shareholders and all concerned. The output for the year reached about \$500,000 of business at Amherst and including the Robb-Mumford Works at South Framingham the shipments reached nearly \$1,000,000, which was a considerable increase over the previous year's business.

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ROBB ENGINEERING CO. HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Years Business Was Good and the Prospects for the Future are Excellent

The annual meeting of the Robb Engineering Co. was held at the Parish House Hall, at three o'clock on Tuesday, the 19th inst.

The president, D. W. Robb, presented the directors' report and a financial statement for the year 1906, which was adopted unanimously.

We are advised that the statement of the year's business was very satisfactory to the shareholders and all concerned. The output for the year reached about \$500,000 of business at Amherst and including the Robb-Mumford Works at South Framingham the shipments reached nearly \$1,000,000, which was a considerable increase over the previous year's business.

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REDISTRIBUTION IN NEW PROVINCES

Saskatchewan is Divided Into Ten Ridings and Alberta into Seven Based on Census.

OTTAWA, March 21.—The special committee appointed to redistribute the constituencies in Saskatchewan and Alberta, consequent upon the quinquennial census of last year presented its report today. The names of the new constituencies, with the total population, based on the recent census is as follows:

SASKATCHEWAN.
Battleford 17,359
Humboldt 23,903
MacKenzie 26,554
Moose Jaw 24,281
Assiniboia 25,253
Prince Albert 20,222
Regina 29,705
Saskatoon 25,135
Saskatchewan 27,751
Qu'Appelle 30,580

ALBERTA.
Edmonton 26,402
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Medicine Hat 23,363
Red Deer 31,000
Strathcona 29,431
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St. John, N. B., Mar. 22, 1907.

THE CANADIAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The Canadian Bible Society at its annual meeting just closed at Ottawa, reported an income exceeding that of the previous year by \$16,000. It has been recommended to the British and Foreign Bible Society \$30,000 being \$12,000 more than the former contributions. At the same time the cost of the work in Canada had been met and a much larger balance of \$10,000 is kept to carry on operations on an extended scale throughout the Dominion. Nearly 90,000 copies of Scripture were circulated in Canada and Newfoundland during the year, many thousands of them among the polyglot immigrants in their many tongues at Quebec, St. John and Halifax as they arrived, and at Winnipeg before they scattered over the prairies.

The Society has forty colporteurs and Biblewomen. Rev. J. Bowen, (Church of England), Ladysmith, C. D. Rev. W. S. Hazard, B. D. (Methodist), Toronto, and Rev. Thomas Bennett, (Presbyterian) Montreal, were appointed District Secretaries for British Columbia, Alberta, Ontario and Quebec, in addition to other agents in the field. The General Board consists of 42 representatives of all the Auxiliaries from the Atlantic to the Pacific with Dr. N. W. Hoyle, K. C., as president, Rev. Dean Davis and Rev. Dr. W. D. Armstrong as vice-presidents, Elias Rogers as treasurer and Rev. R. E. Welsh as general secretary.

The Governor General the Earl Grey speaking at the close of the public meeting in Ottawa after addresses by Archbishop Armitage, of Halifax, and Dr. Cameron, of Toronto, said he had come as the patron of the Society to show his sympathy with its objects. When he heard of the six millions of copies circulated every year, and of the 200 millions issued since the Society was founded, he thought how the output must be the largest output of all the publishing houses in the world. And when he heard how these had been issued not in one, but in four hundred languages, he thought of the complicated work which reflected the greatest credit on the gentlemen who had given their brains to the task.

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Amalg. Copper	88 1/2	88 1/2
Anacosta	84 1/2	83 1/2
Am. Sugar Refs.	122	121 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Rfg.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	37 1/2	37 1/2
Atchafalaya	82	82
Am. Locomotive	65	65
Brook. Rfd. Trst.	54 1/2	54 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	80 1/2	80 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	41 1/2	40 1/2
Canadian Pac.	171 1/2	170
Chi. and G. West.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Colo. P. and Iron	30 1/2	30 1/2
Consolidated Gas	119 1/2	119 1/2
Erie	28 1/2	28 1/2
Kansas and Texas	57 1/2	57 1/2
Louis. and Nash.	118 1/2	118 1/2
Missouri Central	20 1/2	20 1/2
Missouri Pacific	73 1/2	73 1/2
Nor. and Western	77 1/2	77 1/2
N. Y. Central	133 1/2	133 1/2
Ont. and Western	38 1/2	37 1/2
Reading	105	104 1/2
Republic Steel	27	27
Sloss Sheffield	53	53
Pennsylvania	122 1/2	121 1/2
Rock Island	22	21 1/2
St. Paul	128 1/2	128 1/2
Southern Ry.	23	23 1/2
Southern Pacific	81 1/2	80 1/2
Northern Pacific	127 1/2	126 1/2
National Lead	58 1/2	58 1/2
Twin City	94 1/2	94
Tenn. C. and Iron	142	142
Union Pacific	137 1/2	137 1/2
U. S. Steel	37 1/2	36 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	100 1/2	99 1/2
Total sales in New York yesterday, 66,200 shares.		

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

	Thurs. Fri.	Cl. Op's Noon.
May corn	46 1/2	46 1/2
Wheat	75 1/2	75 1/2
Oats	42 1/2	42 1/2
Pork	15 1/2	15 1/2
July corn	46 1/2	46 1/2
Wheat	77 1/2	77 1/2
Oats	37 1/2	37 1/2
Pork	15 1/2	15 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

	Thurs. Fri.	Cl. Op's Noon.
Dom. Cosh.	90 1/2	90 1/2
Dom. Iron and Steel	80 1/2	190
Dom. I. and S. pfd.	30	50 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	72	72 1/2
C. P. R.	171 1/2	169 1/2
Twin City	94 1/2	94 1/2
Montreal Power	86 1/2	85 1/2
Detroit Union	78 1/2	79 1/2
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PORT OF MONTREAL UNDER HANDICAP Doubts Entertained as to Whether Shipping Season Will be Profitable

Montreal shipping interests are not so sanguine as to the prospects of trade at the port of Montreal for the coming season, and grave doubts are entertained as to whether the season will be as remunerative, as under other and better conditions, it might be.

Mr. Robert Reford, president of the Bedford Company, when asked regarding the shipping prospects for the coming season, stated they were very doubtful.

The same thing is true of the freights on grain, which give little more than the cost of loading or discharging. The high insurance rates on both ships and cargoes, compared with United States ports and competing points elsewhere, are also a deterrent.

Mr. Andrew A. Allan, discussing the question, believes it is simply a question of improvements to the channel, and the making of Montreal a free port.

GIRLS FICKLENESS CAUSED SUICIDE Young Englishman Killed Himself in Montreal Yesterday

Went Back to Old Country to Find Sweetheart Married to Brother Whom He Wouldn't Betray

MONTREAL, March 21.—At a quarter to three this morning Jack Freebody was found in his room, 137 St. Antoine street, lying on the floor, in front of his looking glass, his throat cut from ear to ear and an open razor clinched in his right hand.

Freebody was an Englishman, thirty-five years of age, and had been in Canada about a year. He had returned from London, England, and until about two days ago was employed in the freight yards of the C. P. R.

The girl traced him, wrote him, finally telling him in a letter received a few days ago that she was deserting the brother and following him.

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ing and straightening of the Beaujeu channel." Speaking of the high rates on insurance, Mr. Allan stated that the rates were not likely to go down very much for the next few years, so long as we have serious accidents in the channel from year to year.

PREMIER FORECASTS EARLY COMPLETION OF VALLEY RAILWAY

Highly Important Announcements in the Budget Speech Yesterday

Work Will Begin Shortly on St. John Dry Dock—Lands Along G. T. P. Reserved for Public—Mastery Defense of the Government's Financial Policy.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 21.—The house met at three o'clock. Hon. Mr. Pugsley—When the Imperial Coal Company's bill was before the committee the order of the opposition was objection to the bond issue. He was absent when the bill was disposed of in committee and I wish to say if it wishes the matter to be further discussed I will be glad to have the bill recommitted and the order for the third reading rescinded.

What the Valley Means The only thing which prevents the valley region between Fredericton and Woodstock from being among the very fertile parts of the province is the lack of communication with the outside world. There is also in this region abundance of good pasture, and sheep raising is capable of being carried on to a profitable industry.

The Dry Dock Discussed We have also given encouragement to a dry dock and I am glad in the belief that before long Mr. Robertson will be able to make public announcement that the work on the dry dock has been commenced.

A Valley Railroad I was disappointed at the rumor that the bill to authorize the construction of a railway from St. John to the valley had not been introduced.

Our Sound Finances Referring again to the balance sheet of the province I ought to be a matter that should afford the greatest satisfaction to my predecessor, the present one, his liabilities amounted to very little more than \$3,000,000, and with that small amount of debt we had assets in our forest lands worth at least \$20,000,000.

Advantages of the Road There are 70,000 people residing in the St. John river valley in a distance of 143 miles, and most of these people have no railway communication.

way facilities of any kind. The farms are up to date in their methods and equipped with improved machinery for the greater part, but have no ready access to the market. The land is adapted to the raising of the finest potatoes, but the long haul to any shipping point has prevented the farmers from raising them in any great quantities.

There are water powers at Meductic, Pokok, Shogomoc and others on the west side and others on the east side of the St. John river which are undeveloped because of the complete isolation of this section of the province. A large part of the farming land is equal to the very best in the province.

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Table with 2 columns: Railway Name, Amount. Includes Woodstock Railway, Western Extension Railway, Fredericton Branch Railway, etc.

Our Past Mistake If instead of giving these moneys to the province and guaranteeing the bonds they would have lost nothing but the interest for a short time, because the C. P. R. today is paying a rental of \$72,829.74 on a total mileage of 466 miles, equal to 4 per cent on \$20,000 a mile.

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THE STAR ST JOHN N. B., FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1907

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Beginning tomorrow, Saturday morning, we are going to give the public an opportunity to obtain some GENUINE BARGAINS in Rubber Boots. Now that the indications are that we shall have some slushy weather this sale will be both timely and opportune.

150 Pair of Women's "MALTESE CROSS" first quality Rubber Boots, Black Wool lined, Toe Caps, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 7, at \$2.00 a pair. Not in the Dominion can this boot be bought less than \$2.50.

48 Pair Men's Pure Gum Short Boots, Double Sole, Sizes 6, 7 and 8 at \$3.40 a Pair. These are also "MALTESE CROSS" make.

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THAW IS NOT AFRAID OF A LUNACY COMMISSION.

NEW YORK, March 22.—The status of the Thaw case, now that the District Attorney Jerome has furnished Justice Fitzgerald with the affidavits of seven alienists who substantiate his expressed opinion that the prisoner is insane and incapable of consulting his counsel as to his defense against the charge of having murdered Stanford White, is this: By two o'clock tomorrow the attorneys for the defense must file affidavits answering Jerome's assertion and combating his affidavit. The district attorney has not formally asked for a commission to inquire into Thaw's mental condition, but has left it to the "conscience of the court," as he expressed it on Wednesday. Justice Fitzgerald will consider the affidavits submitted by each side and inform all the counsel when to appear in court to hear his decision. He may defer the weighing of the affidavits, for he may call for more evidence before he makes up his mind what procedure is advisable. In particular he may seek the opinion of Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, the alienist, who, when called to the stand by the defense on Wednesday, evoked District Attorney Jerome's statement as to Thaw's mental state and brought about the present condition of the case. Should Justice Fitzgerald do this, the defense, it is certain, will strive to bar Dr. Hamilton's testimony on the ground of professional privilege, inasmuch as he was engaged by the defense to examine Thaw. In all this the jury will have no part, although it was excused yesterday to appear in court this morning. This, however, will be a formality, and they will be again excused until it has been decided whether Thaw must undergo an examination as to his sanity. Notwithstanding District Attorney Jerome's belief that Thaw is a paranoiac and the corroborative opinions of the state's experts that he is practically insane, the defense will make a determined effort to combat the appointment of a lunacy commission or jury going to an asylum. His five lawyers met at the office of Delphin M.

Whist Club Society

The senior whist club was entertained last evening by Mrs. Sanction.

At the Canadian Club luncheon in the York Assembly rooms this evening, Mr. Whitson of the Toronto News will deliver an address.

Mr. Harold Schofield will occupy the house on Canterbury street to be vacated by Mr. N. R. Burrows, who will shortly leave for Montreal.

Mrs. Eustace Barnes and Miss Russell entertain a large number of their lady friends at bridge at the home of Miss Russell, Peters street, this afternoon.

Mrs. W. F. Hatheway was hostess at an informal tea on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hatheway was assisted by the Misses Hatheway, Miss Blanche Allen and Miss Beatrice Skinner in entertaining her guests.

Mr. W. Malcolm McKay and son, sail this evening on the Empress of Ireland for a trip to England.

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Mrs. H. C. Page, Wright street, entertained informally at a bridge whist at her home on Friday evening.

Mrs. Harvey Hayward entertained a few friends very pleasantly at a drive home party at her home, Queen Square on Friday evening. Pretty prizes were won by Mrs. R. N. Robertson and Mr. Roy Wheeler.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson, of Fredericton, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. L. Jarvis, Duke street.

Miss Lou Purves was hostess at a very enjoyable party on Saturday afternoon, given in honor of Miss Knouth, of Germany, who is visiting here.

Mrs. G. H. White, King street East, returned on Monday from a trip to Toronto.

Mrs. A. J. Webster, of Shediac, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Vernon McLellan, King street East.

Miss Edith Skinner gave a most enjoyable bridge on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Burrows, who is moving to Montreal.

Miss Sturdee and Miss E. S. Gilbert are passengers for England on the Empress of Ireland which sails today.

Rev. G. M. Campbell has closed the parsonage on Queen square, and has taken rooms at the Clifton.

Miss Hazel Bridges entertained the Art Club at her father's residence, Orange street, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Winslow sail on the Empress of Ireland today. They will tour Europe.

Miss Grace Buckhof returned on Tuesday from Boston, where she was visiting her sister.

Mrs. Will McLaughlin entertained a number of her lady friends at a drive bridge at her home, Princess street, on Thursday evening.

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SIGNS OF SPRING EVIDENT, VICTORIA COUNTY WAKING UP

(Victoria County News)

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The Victoria Co. are completing arrangements for building a large Potato House at this place and have already ordered two cars of fertilizer to be shipped here this week, which looks encouraging.

Hauling logs is now the order of the day with good roads and fine weather. J. E. Higgins and wife are calling on friends at Lake Edward.

E. Guin while loading logs on his sled had his leg badly broken last week. Mr. Clark and J. Guin took him to the St. John Hospital. Mr. Clark has returned and reports him doing nicely.

I wish I was good looking or had the winning ways, so I could get some one besides my brother-in-law.

I heard a little boy say to his father the other day, Papa if you don't set up earlier you will lose your property.

A lot of our neighbor boys are getting left as all the pretty girls are getting married.

DELUSION. The Gasoline Engine is again panting here. Quite a stir this winter at the Dixon siding. M. Dixon and family were spending a few days here this week.

We wonder if the music we hear on the evenings, can be the wedding bells on Tilley Hill or the new organ at Medford. We would rather know who plays the nose that was seen trying to cross the river this morning. It was watched by a couple of young ladies for some time, but at times of writing the man who owned it had not come in sight.

TEMPERANCE MEETINGS. There will be a temperance meeting in the hall of the Every Day Club at 8 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, and another at 8.30 in the evening. A. H. Wright will speak in the afternoon. In the evening Charles S. Humbert will speak on the Dependence and Independence of Man. There will be good music at both meetings.

SEVENTY-SEVEN YEARS AS TEACHER. LONDON, March 21.—By the death of William Fletcher North, at Seabrook, Lincolnshire has lost its oldest Sunday school teacher. Mr. North, who was 92, was born, lived and died on the same farm. He became a Sunday school teacher at 15, and a local preacher at 18.

SCHOOL CHILDREN BOYCOTTED. LONDON, March 21.—A curious deadlock has arisen between the education authorities of Durham county and the borough of Gateshead. Recently Gateshead took a census of the county children attending its schools, and demanded payment for some four to five hundred coming from Durham. This demand has been refused by the county and yesterday the Gateshead Education Committee approved of a circular to send the parents of the children living on the borough boundary, informing them that their children will not be admitted to the Gateshead schools after the end of next month.

HELENA. Next, March 22.—Four men were blown to atoms last night in a Northern Pacific tunnel, near Lombard, as a result of a careless workman tampering the hole with a steel instrument. Names of dead were unobtainable.

RELIGIOUS REVIVALS ON; JURORS INDIGT THEMSELVES. ROLLINGFORD, Miss., March 22.—Every member of the grand jury in the circuit court here indicted himself for violating the Sunday liquor law, and each appeared before Judge Both, and each was fined \$10, with a lecture. The grand jury then indicted the petit jurors for the same offense. A religious revival, recently swept over Sharkey County, and people of high and low degree are purging themselves.

LORD MAYOR SOLDIER AND SAILOR. LONDON, March 21.—"You would hardly think, to look at me, that I am Mayor at the distribution, at the Guildhall last Saturday, of the prizes to the First City of London Royal Garrison Artillery, of which he is honorable colonel. He is also admiral of the Port of London."

A FAMILY OF POLICEMEN. LONDON, March 21.—A family of policemen attended the assizes at Maidstone yesterday. All the members belonged to the Kent county constabulary, and they represented every grade in the force. They were Superintendent Fowle, of Cranbrook, and his three sons—Detective Inspector Fowle, of Faversham; Sergeant Fowle, of Ashford, and Constable Fowle, of Wren's Cross.

USED THE WRONG DYE. LONDON, March 21.—A woman who was sued by a hairdresser in the Brompton Court yesterday explained that she had to give up employing him because the wrong dye was used six years ago. "They gave me dye," she said, "which turned my hair black, blue and green. It cost me \$30 to get it right again."

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REDISTRIBUTION IN NEW PROVINCES

Saskatchewan is Divided into Ten Ridings and Alberta into Seven Based on Census

OTTAWA, March 21.—The special committee appointed to redistribute the constituencies in Saskatchewan and Alberta, consequent upon the quinquennial census of last year, presented its report today. The names of the new constituencies, with the total population, based on the recent census is as follows:

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ROBB ENGINEERING CO.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Years Business Was Good and the Prospects for the Future are Excellent

The annual meeting of the Robb Engineering Co., Ltd., was held at the Parish House Hall, at three o'clock on Tuesday, the 19th inst.

The president, D. W. Robb, presented the report of the directors, and the following figures were adopted unanimously.

We are advised that the statement of the year's business was very satisfactory to the shareholders and all concerned. The output for the year reached about \$300,000 of business at Amherst and including the Robb-Mumford Works at South Framingham the shipments reached nearly \$1,000,000, which was a considerable increase over the previous year's business.

The profits were quite satisfactory and dividends have been declared on the stock of the Robb Engineering Co. and provided stock of the Robb-Mumford Boiler Co. The outlook for business is good.

The following directors were elected for the year 1907: D. W. Robb, president; Amherst, N. S.; W. B. Ross, K. C., Halifax, N. S.; M. C. Grant, Esq., Halifax; Robert E. Harris, K. C., Halifax; A. E. Collas, Esq., Halifax; W. M. Alken, Esq., Halifax; J. S. McLennan, Esq., Sydney, C. E.; A. G. Robb, M. E., Amherst; R. W. Robb, M. E., Amherst; and G. W. Cole, secretary-treasurer, Amherst.

Both works at Amherst and South Framingham have fully three months' orders in advance. The American works have a large hand order for the Panama Canal and several important orders from the Western and Southern States. The Robb Engineering Co. are extremely busy with orders from all parts of Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast, among these are several from Montreal, New York, Toronto, Winnipeg, several towns in Alberta and British Columbia, and various parts of the maritime provinces, Ontario and Quebec.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. WANTED—Housemaid. MRS. T. E. G. ARMSTRONG, 27 Queen Square. 22-3-11

WANTED—Reliable girls for general housework. Must be good cooks. No washing. Good references required. Best wages paid. Apply 156 Waterloo street. Ring left hand bell. 18-3-11

WANTED—Housemaid. One willing to assist with care of child. Apply 201 Douglas Avenue. 22-3-11

WANTED—At once, an experienced gas fitter and pipe fitter out of town. Apply immediately to the EUREKA MFG. CO., Ltd., SUSSEX, N. B. 22-3-11

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PREMIER FORECASTS EARLY CONSTRUCTION OF VALLEY RAILWAY

Highly Important Announcements in the Budget Speech Yesterday
Work Will Begin Shortly on St. John Dry Dock—Lands Along G. I. P. Reserved for Public—Mastery Defense of the Government's Financial Policy.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 21.—The house met at three o'clock. Hon. Mr. Pugsley—When the Imperial Coal Company's bill was before the committee the other day the opposition took some objection to the bond issue. He was absent when the bill was disposed of in committee and he wishes to say if he wishes the matter to be further discussed I will be glad to have the bill recommitted and the order for the third reading rescinded. Mr. Hazen—Who the matter was before the committee I had no information as to the value of the company's property. I expressed my views at large. But as the majority of the committee were of the opinion that the bill should pass, I do not feel disposed to bring it up again.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley laid on the table the report of the Halifax Dry Dock and the report of the Halifax School for the Blind. Hon. Mr. Labliss laid on the table the papers asked for in regard to the bridge at Pokok.

not have been approved of by the people of the province. I look today with great pleasure on the condition of New Brunswick and also of its people. They have enjoyed a large measure of prosperity and this has extended to all classes of the community. I am glad to know that coal mining is being carried on with profit in the counties of Queens, Sunbury and Kent and that in the latter counties the amount derived from royalties on coal is five times as much as the total of the guaranteed back for building railroads there. I am glad to know that the result of mining explorations in Gloucester and in the county of St. John are likely to be satisfactory. In all directions we see growth and prosperity. I might refer to the advantage of the winter port trade of St. John in which we have largely assisted.

PORT OF MONTREAL UNDER HANDICAP
Doubts Entertained as to Whether Shipping Season Will be Profitable

Montreal shipping interests are not so sanguine as to the prospects of trade at the port of Montreal for the coming season, and grave doubts are entertained as to whether the season will be as remunerative, as under other and better conditions. It is said that the port of Montreal is seriously and heavily handicapped is well known, owing to a great measure to the conditions existing in regard to the St. Lawrence channel, and to the high rate of marine insurance which naturally follows. In addition the river port charges are very heavy. All this taken in connection with the fact that competition in the shipping trade is keen, places the port of Montreal in a very unfavorable position as compared with the ports of the United States which are today getting so much of the trans-Atlantic trade. This condition of affairs requires a remedy, first of all the deepening and widening of the channel, and then in order to be a factor in the competition of the shipping world, Montreal should be made a free port.

Mr. Robert Reford, president of the Redford Company, when asked regarding the shipping prospects for the coming season, stated they were very doubtful. "This is so for several seasons," said he, "trade is changing very materially, and the competition that formerly existed from the Argentine Republic, Australia, India and lumber in Canada, and the increased demand for Canadian lumber in the United States has greatly decreased the export of this article to Great Britain, while formerly lumber was a very important factor in the cargoes shipped to the Old Country. Great Britain now buys lumber very much cheaper on the Continent, and the lumber thus purchased serves her purposes equally as well as the Canadian material. Consequently the freight now obtainable on lumber shipments, are much less than formerly, are so low, in fact, as to make them almost unprofitable.

"The same thing is true of the freights on grain, which give little more than the cost of loading or discharging. The high insurance rates on both ships and cargoes, compared with United States ports and competing points elsewhere, are also a deterrent to Canadian trade. In addition to all this, our river and port charges are too heavy, heavier than in competing ports, and our accommodation and facilities for handling cargoes at present are entirely insufficient and too expensive, thus making the profitable carrying on of a shipping trade in general cargo from Montreal almost an impossibility. The only business that shows any chance of profit for the coming year is the passenger trade, without which many of the boats could not live."

Mr. Andrew A. Allan, discussing the question, believes it is simply a question of improvement of the channel and the making of Montreal a free port.

GIRLS FICKLENESS CAUSED SUICIDE
Young Englishman Killed Himself in Montreal Yesterday

Went Back to Old Country to Find Sweetheart Married to Brother Whom He Wouldn't Betray

MONTREAL, March 21.—At a quarter to three this morning Jack Freebody was found in his room, 167 St. Antoine street, lying on the floor, his throat cut from ear to ear and an open razor clutched in his right hand.

The girl traced him, wrote him, finally telling him in a letter received a few days ago that she was deserting the brother and following him. The news upset Jack completely. To think that he had been drawn into an affair with his sister-in-law, that before the world he would be thought of as a false and treacherous man, and that his brother would be more than he could bear. He wrote to his brother a heartrending letter, telling his side of the story, then started already, suspecting, worry and qualms of conscience became so strong that this morning the snap came, and the runaway sweetheart will arrive in this country only to find the corpse of Jack to welcome her.

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The Budget Continued
The order of the day being called, Mr. Pugsley, resuming his speech, said: Just before I concluded my speech yesterday I was referring to the amount of work on roads and bridges which had to be done by the board of works. I must here correct an error in the statement I then made. I said we had 46 steel bridges. I meant, I said, all built on stone abutments and of a permanent character. I should also have referred to the steel bridges of a permanent character which we have built in recent years. Since 1901, since we began to build, we have constructed some hundred and twenty, ranging in spans from 67 feet long to 180 feet long, and many of a permanent character. A number of these are on crepe or masonry structures, and the balance are steel bridges. I have not time to go into details of these bridges, but I will say that the amount of work on roads and bridges is a large one, and that we have a large number of structures on crepe or masonry structures, and the balance are steel bridges. I have not time to go into details of these bridges, but I will say that the amount of work on roads and bridges is a large one, and that we have a large number of structures on crepe or masonry structures, and the balance are steel bridges.

Our Sound Finances
Referring again to the balance sheet of the province I think it ought to be a matter that should afford the greatest satisfaction to my profession, and to the people. When he left this government our liabilities amounted to very little more than \$3,000,000, and with that small amount of debt we had assets in our forest lands worth at least \$30,000,000. He must be proud to reflect that as a result of his efforts he had obtained for the province an addition to its income which if capitalized at 4 per cent, would entirely wipe out this debt of the province. I thought also to be a matter of gratification that although we have had large public works to attend to during his term as premier he left an interest at Ottawa, drawing five per cent, the same amount.

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ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY ARRANGE FOR DINNER
St. George's Society met last evening in Scumell's restaurant on Charlotte street. The meeting dealt first with business and afterward devoted itself to a social hour's entertainment. The business transacted was the receiving of the celebration committee's report. Acting on this report, the society decided to observe St. George's day, which is Tuesday, April 23rd, by holding a dinner. The place where the function is to be held will be decided upon later.

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Fredericton Branch Railway, \$227,500.
Hamilton Branch Railway, \$17,500.
St. John Bridge & Railway Extension Co., \$3,500.
St. Stephen and Milltown, \$14,000.
Tobique Valley, \$70,000.
Total, \$1,646,064.57.
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His Lordship Coadjutor Bishop Richardson, chaplain of the society, will preach the sermon.
When the business of the evening had been disposed of the meeting was transferred into a smoker. Refreshments were served and songs sung by Capt. Layton, Messrs. Edwards, Morgan and Steve Mathews. The gathering broke up at a late hour.

U. N. B. DEFEATS KING'S COLLEGE

Won In Intercollegiate Debate at Fredericton Last Night—Subject Well Handled

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 21.—U. N. B. tonight won the intercollegiate debate with Kings College, Windsor. The subject was: "Resolved, that a closer union of the British possessions in America would be mutually beneficial."

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

Portland Y. M. A. Entertainment Well Attended Last Night

The Young Men's Association of the Portland Methodist church gave a concert last evening which was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

GRAVE FEARS THAT VESSEL IS LOST WITH ALL HANDS

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Mar. 21.—Word has just reached here that the schooner Harry Louis, Captain Abraham Dicks, is believed to have been lost with all on board.

STORM WAS WILD IN ALBERT COUNTY

HOPEWELL HILL, March 21.—Last night's storm was one of the worst of the winter in this section.

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ANNUAL MILITIA REPORT DOWN

Reference Made to St. John Building—Weak Points of the Ross Rifle Discussed

OTTAWA, March 21.—The annual report of the militia department was brought down today. The report notes the transfer of Halifax and Equilmont to Canada's defense.

BLACKSMITH SHOT WIFE AND THEN KILLED HIMSELF

DANA, Mass., March 21.—Moses Marcella, the blacksmith of this village, shot his wife to death tonight and committed suicide by putting a bullet into his own brain.

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COLD STORAGE AND OTHER MATTERS DISCUSSED IN HOUSE YESTERDAY

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KEYTH'S THEATRE This Week's Bill Continues to Draw Big Houses

The vaudeville bill at the Keith Theatre this week is attracting unusually big crowds, for it appears to be one of those happy selections where every item is of such a nature, and so arranged, as to earn the opinion that everything is good.

THREE-BUTTON COATS, LARGER LAPELS, GRAY WORSTEDS AND CHEVIOTS, BIGGER TROUSERS.

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MAY SUE OLD DIRECTORS OF ONTARIO BANK

TORONTO, Ont., March 21.—It looks very much as if suit against the old directors of the Ontario Bank will be entered soon.

PULP AND PAPER MILLS ON TOBIQUE

Messrs. McAvity and Stetson Have Bought Murchie Timber Limits With This Object In View

A pulp and paper industry on the banks of the Tobique is one of the probabilities of the future. A deal has been concluded between the Murchie Lumber Co. and the New Brunswick Pulp and Paper Co.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1907

An Easter Shirt Waist Event!

Tomorrow's papers will give particulars of a gigantic sale, of fine quality, 1907.

Lawn, Linen, Lace and Silk Waists.

There will be on sale in this special lot about 500 WAISTS. They were secured by our buyer in Montreal a few days ago at almost half their regular prices.

This is why our buyer is sent periodically to the mills, factories and warehouses of the commercial centres to look after these special offerings.

F. A. DYKEMAN & Co., 59 Charlotte St.

WOMEN'S PATENT OXFORDS.

Of all things to wear probably nothing enjoys such general popularity among women as a pair of natty PATENT OXFORD TIES. They will add to the effect of the prettiest costume. For \$3.00 the pair.

We can show you a particularly smart SHOE, well made in every respect, of good quality Patent Colt, Goodyear welted, medium toe and nice heel. You couldn't help liking this style. You can see them in our window.



HAVE YOU TRIED Toasted Corn Flakes? Just in 15c. Package.

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Easter Post Cards Easter Cards and Booklets.

E. G. NELSON & CO. Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

A Sharp Appetite follows the use of our Beef, Iron and Wine. A strength increaser and system invigorator.

GEO. E. PRICE, Druggist, 127 Queen Street, 305 Union Street.

GROCERY STOCK and STORE FIXTURES FOR SALE BARGAINS.

MEGARITY & KELLEY Hay Market Square, TELEPHONE 830.

Whitewear Sale. Corset Covers, 12c, 18c, 25c to \$1.50 each.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE. Phone 1766. 83-85 Charlotte St.

WANTED—One general girl, also household. Good wages. Apply at once at 75 King street. Over Macauley Bros. 22-3-6

THE WEATHER

Forecasts—Moderate to fresh south-west winds; fair and milder today and on Saturday.

LOCAL NEWS.

Baptismal services will be conducted in Douglas Avenue Christian church this evening.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Kater, to Mr. W. J. Treasethin, of the West End.

Steamer Olenka sailed from Bermuda at seven o'clock this morning, having on board nine hundred and fifty packages of molasses for St. John.

The treasurer of St. Stephen's church Mission Band has received from Mrs. D. McArthur the sum of sixty dollars, proceeds of sale of a sale of fancy goods and candy recently held.

The veterans of the Fenian Raid will celebrate this evening in the Park Hotel. The South African "vets" will also attend.

Samuel L. Warwick, the agent for the Canada Bill Posting Company, has been reported by the police for allowing a quantity of paper to blow about the Brussels street sidewalk.

The funeral of David Bradley, sr., took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon from his late home on Summer street.

On Monday a flock of wild geese arrived at Hopewell Cape from the south and apparently decided to go no farther at present, but settled down in the waters of the Bay of Fundy near the shore and is still in the vicinity.

This is "ladies' night" at the Queen's Rollaway. The ladies skate the 6th band alone, and the gentlemen have their last seventh.

A prominent young marketman, coming down street a few mornings ago, met a one armed man at the Windsor corner, a one legged man in front of the Queen and a one eyed man a little further on.

Mayor Sears had an interesting caller at his office this morning, in the person of a Frenchman who can make smoke come out of his ears.

The Norwegian coal steamer, Dykstad, arrived in port this morning with a cargo for Messrs. R. P. & W. F. Stairs, local agents for the Dominion Coal Company.

Oil escaping from a lamp in a small wash room at Chipman Memorial hospital Sunday morning became ignited, and threatened damage for a time.

INTERDICT AND LIQUOR DEALER WERE FINED Man Who Persuaded Bartender to Give Him a Drink Went to Jail for a Day.

Robert Farrall, a tavern keeper on Simonds street, was this morning fined \$10 for giving liquor on Wednesday, 13th, to James McKay, who is on the interdiction list.

McKay was asked what he had to say to being in the Farrall barroom this evening, and he said he wanted some wood cut and he got a gill of gin for doing the work.

GEORGE N. MACDONALD. The death occurred at his home, 47 Rock street, this morning of George N. Macdonald, in the 44th year of his age.

Mr. Macdonald was a native of Bell's Cove, Queens Co., where his parents reside. One brother, Frank, lives in Melrose, Mass.

Mr. Macdonald was a member of Court Amherst, I. O. F., of Amherst.

HAS LITTLE HOPE FOR ANY CHANGE IN TELEPHONE BILL

Mayor Sears, Back from Fredericton, Feels that the Protest from Municipalities Will Have But Little Effect

Mayor Sears returned last night from Fredericton, where he represented the New Brunswick Union of Municipalities in opposing the telephone bill.

The company had not guaranteed to give a cheaper service and therefore the city should derive a little from that large corporation.

Premier Pugsley promised to consider the matters placed before him by Mayor Sears and Mr. Magee.

WERE NOT FIGHTING; THEY ONLY SLIPPED Sheffield Street Women Were Badly Tangled—Policeman Ross in Grave Danger.

There were nine sad eyed prisoners on the police court bench this morning. Three of the number were charged with drunkenness and were fined \$4 or ten days in jail each.

Joseph Kean, Alex. McElroy, of the steamer Athenia's pantry squad, and Bernard Winnick, an interpreter, were having a lot of fun in their own way on Water street last night.

THIS EVENING. Keith's vaudeville at Keith's. Fenian Raid Veterans annual dinner at Park Hotel.

SMOKING IN COURT. LIVERPOOL, March 21.—At the Becontree Licensing Sessions yesterday Andrew Johnson, the chairman, said: "I see there is one for present, if she does not object, I think you may smoke."

NEW YORK, March 22.—Thomas Houston, of St. Louis, beat Jerome Keogh, of Buffalo, last night, by 208 points to 121 in the first of a series of three games of 200 points each for the world's championship at continuous pool, and a side stake of \$300.

BUFFALO, March 22.—A brick building used to manufacture muriatic acid at the plant of the General Chemical Company, on Buffalo river, was destroyed by fire early today.

DEATHS. MACDONALD.—On the 22nd instant, at his late residence, 47 Rock street, after a lingering illness, George N. Macdonald, in the 44th year of his age, leaving a wife and two children, Harry and Elmer, to mourn their sad loss.

THE CHICAGO LIMITED WAS WRECKED AGAIN

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 22.—The Chicago Limited, from New York for Chicago, on the Pennsylvania R. R. was wrecked early today at Stewart, Pa., about 27 miles east of here.



Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

We make the best \$5.00 set of teeth in this city. We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city.

Boston Dental Parlor, 527 Main St. Dr. J. D. Maher, Proprietor. Office Hours—9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone—Office, 683; Residence, 725.

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An Experienced Hand for Dress Making.

Apprentices Wanted for Millinery Department.

WILCOX BROS

MARKET SQUARE.

Meat Department. CHICKENS, FOWL, DUCK, TURKEY. Tender Roast Beef and Steak. WILLIAMS' Sugar Cured Hams and Bacon acknowledged the best on the market.

KID GLOVES FOR EASTER. Fowne's and Dent's make, in dark and medium tans, at \$1.00 and \$1.25. WETMORE'S, The Young Men's Man, 184 MILL STREET.

The 2 BARKERS, Limited.

A 5 lb. pall of Jam... 35c. One pound of Fresh Ground Coffee... 25c. 10 Cakes Toilet Soap... 10c. A lb. of Regular 40c. Tea... 1.25c.

Sale of Shirt Waists!

WE HAVE PLACED ON SALE TODAY A SMALL LOT OF SLIGHTLY MUSSED WAISTS.

There are just SIXTY-ONE in the lot, the regular prices of which were from \$1.25 to \$1.85. In order to clear these quickly you can

Have Your Choice for 69 cents. Come and get a genuine bargain.

No. 335 Main St. J. W. Mackin Phone No. 600

COLONIAL BOOKSTORE SOMETHING NEW. HAVE YOU SEEN THEM? Puzzle Post Cards WE HAVE THEM T. H. HALL'S, Colonial Book Store, 57 King Street.

We Herewith Announce Our Easter Coats, Costumes, Etc

Fetching Suggestions in Prevailing Modes.

ALL THE NEW STYLES ARE HERE, we are quite ready to display them, fit them and sell them. A strikingly correct portrayal of the most acceptable designs in the large American cities.



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