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The greatest heater made.
Burns equally well with either hard
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In our Suits at these prices we feel that
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A special reduction in SHAKER FLANNELS 8 cents up; and
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As usual we show the most complete assortment of Children's Head-
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**THE CLOTHING SOLD HERE
BRINGS CUSTOMERS BACK AGAIN**

One of the greatest secrets of our wonderful success is that every sale is
made with a view to future business. The clothing we sell brings the cus-
tomers back and their friends as well. Our customers have done more and bet-
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MEN'S SUITS and OVERCOATS \$5.00 to \$24.00
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NEW RAINCOATS 6.90 to 15.00
ALSO SHIRTS, HATS, UNDERWEAR, etc.

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LUSITANIA BEATS RECORD BUT HAS NO GREAT SPEED

Made the Trip from Port to
Port Faster Than Any
Other Boat, But Her Aver-
age Speed Was Not Equal
to That of Old Liners.

SANDY HOOK, N. J., Sept. 12.—At
6.45 this morning the Lusitania was
sighted by the marine observers at
Fire Island proceeding towards this
port. She passed there at 6.55, accord-
ing to advices received from there and
was apparently holding back slightly
to obtain the benefit of the rising tide,
thereby avoiding any accident of
grounding in the new channel.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—At the hour
when the Lusitania was due to arrive
at Sandy Hook Lightship, a thick haze
overhung the lower bay which prevent-
ed the marine observer at Sandy Hook
from seeing either the liner or the
lightship. The Lusitania will not be
visible from the Hook until she
reaches the Sandy Hook lightship, which is
five miles inside the lightship.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The Lusitania
crossed Sandy Hook bar at 9.03 a. m.
Twenty minutes later she was
observed at the Lightship 4.3 a. m. Her time from
Dant's Rock off Queensown to Sandy
Hook is therefore 5 days, 1 hour, 33
minutes. This compares with the
Lusitania's record of 5 days, 7 hours, 23
minutes for the same course.

If the Lusitania actually passed
Sandy Hook Lightship at 8.43 a. m. her
average speed for the course from
Dant's Rock, which is 2,780 miles in
length, was 23.87 knots per hour. This
compares with the Deutschland's re-
cord speed for the Cherbourg course of
23.15 nautical miles per hour and with
the Lusitania's record of 21.81 miles for
the Queensown course.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A new
steamship record between a European
port and New York was made by the
Cunard liner new giant turbine ship,
the Lusitania, which arrived here today.
The Lusitania left Queensown, the
nearest transatlantic port to New
York at 11.10 a. m. Sunday and arrived
at Sandy Hook Lightship at 8.43 a. m.
(estimated) today making the time for
the trip 5 days, 1 hour and 33 minutes.
This is 8 hours and 40 minutes better
than the previous Queensown-New
York record of 5 days, 7 hours and 23
minutes held by the Lusitania of the
same line.

While the Lusitania has made a new
record for the time a passenger is ac-
tually on board ship, she has not beaten
the average speed per hour record, as
both the Kaiser Wilhelm II., which
has made 23.88 knots per hour from
New York to Plymouth, and the
Deutschland, which has made 23.15
knots per hour to Plymouth, have both
made better time. The Lusitania's
time per hour on her maiden voyage
is estimated at 23.87 knots per hour.
This is 8 hours and 40 minutes better
than the previous Queensown-New
York record of 5 days, 7 hours and 23
minutes held by the Lusitania of the
same line.

Her passengers lined the railings
and crowded the different decks of the
large vessel, waving their hands and
American and British flags. The Mar-
ine Observers stations on shore dip-
ped their flags in salute, many vessels
in the lower bay blew their whistles
in greeting, and the Lusitania's blue
ensign was constantly lowered and
raised in acknowledgement of the re-
ception given her.

**SMUGGLED CHINESE
WILL BE TURNED LOOSE**

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 12.—There is
joy in the Chinese colony both in Hal-
ifax and Sydney today. Judge Russell
this morning ordered the discharge of
the seventeen Chinamen who have
been confined in jail at Sydney charg-
ed with being smuggled into the coun-
try from Newfoundland to escape the
head tax. The Sheriff of Cape Breton
County has been telegraphed to release
them immediately.

**SUICIDED AFTER HIS
ENGAGEMENT WAS BROKEN**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—John F.
Trommer, one of the family of brew-
ers, committed suicide last night in East
New York where he made his home
with his mother and brother, George
F. Trommer. He first stabbed himself
twice in the breast with a carving knife
and then turned on the gas in his
room. Trommer was 28 years old and
unmarried. It was known that he was
recently engaged to be married and
that the engagement had been broken
off.

Among the old St. John boys at present
visiting the city are Willie Wells-
ford and Barney Coyote, both ex-
drivers of the fire department, who
left here some years ago, and are do-
ing well in the United States. They
were both handling the ribbons at No.
1 and No. 3 station and are finding
much pleasure in renewing old ac-
quaintances in the fire department.

**BORDEN STILL BUSY
WITH CRITICISMS**

His Parity Tour, Continued in Ontario—
He is After Sir Wilfrid Laurier
Now.

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 12.—October 7
has been fixed for the by-election in
Brookville, to fill the vacancy in the
legislature caused by the transiting of
Hon. Geo. F. Graham to the Dominion
house.

DUNNVILLE, Ont., Sept. 12.—The
most enthusiastic meetings of R. L.
Borden's tour of Ontario were the two
addressed here last night.

Allegations of electoral corruption on
the part of the government were almost
the first matters discussed by Mr. Bor-
den, who alluded to the result of 1904
elections as a snap verdict, but predict-
ed victory for his party in the next
elections. Without dealing with the
subject at any length he again issued a
challenge to Hon. Mr. Aylesworth aris-
ing from the latter's remarks as to
electoral wrongdoings.

"I say to Mr. Aylesworth that if he
now or at any other time has any evi-
dence or any men to give evidence of
the character to which he alludes at
Dundas I will be ready to meet him
whenever and wherever that evidence
is produced."

Reverting later to the corruption
charges he criticized Sir Richard Car-
tright for the appointment of J. B.
Jackson as commercial agent at Leeds.
He argued that in defending the wrongs
committed by Jackson, Sir Richard had
in effect become the author of a new
commandment, which might be said to
read, "Thou shalt be discreet, and there-
fore thou shalt not be found out."

Some mention was made of Sir Wilfrid
Laurier when Mr. Borden was dealing
with the North Atlantic Trading
Company inquiry. The demand for
certain information as to the company
was refused, and according to the
speaker, "the prime minister of Cana-
da, the exemplar of democratic insti-
tutions, the man who stands for Brit-
ish institutions as he finds them, was
the first to rise in parliament and de-
clare that the people of Canada should
not have that information."

**EUROPEANS ATTACKED
BY CALCUTTA MOBS**

Serious Racial Disturbances in India—
Eastern Bengal Most Affected.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 12.—Serious de-
monstrations by Seditionists have occur-
red here today, the man who stands for Brit-
ish institutions as he finds them, was
the first to rise in parliament and de-
clare that the people of Canada should
not have that information."

THE CRUST OF SOCIETY.

(Victoria County News.)

Hullo! here we are again. Some of
the young ladies from this place made
a flying trip to Morrell Sliding Monday
of last week. The two little white caps
are on the beat again. Wonder what
has happened? Bush Hitchcock had
a birthday party on Friday last all
brought very handsome presents and
all spent a very enjoyable afternoon
and evening. Miss Edith Larsen was
calling on friends at Grand Falls
Portage on Sunday evening. Wonder
if the little red headed man has ar-
rived yet! Mrs. Edwin Larsen from
Van Buren is calling on her mother
Mrs. C. C. Gallagher of this place.

Wonder who it was that went to
Tilly Sunday. Wedding bells are
ringing in the near future.

The Potato crops are very rusty up
this way.

Wedding Bells ringing I wonder who
for.

Mrs. John Hall is able to be out
again.

We are sorry to say Doris Lafling is
on the sick list.

It is still raining and no signs of
stopping.

A number of young folks from
Burdville had an ice cream "stew" at
W. J. Kilpatrick's Monday night.

Pianagan Bros. attended the Fair at
Presque Isle.

Comel Chuckle Head we would like
to hear from you also the Kicker.

Haying over and rather wet for har-
vesting. I will contribute a few items
to the local paper.

Chandler Brown is home laid up
with a lame back.

It is reported that D. C. Coston may
run away from him Wednesday eve-
ning. Any one finding said mate, will
please return to the owner.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Kennedy drove to
the country seat recently.

Our enterprising meat man is still
on the road. Johnnie is a hunter.

Tim Berryman has bought a horse
to replace the one he lost last spring.

Last night's rain prevented the peo-
ple from her following the concert
and box social at Plaster Rock.

I wonder where the Governor of
Maple View spends his Sunday's

NARROW ESCAPE OF AUTOBILISTS

Three Young People Nearly
Killed at St. Stephen

Philadelphia Banker Met Death and a
Physician Was Seriously Hurt—
Scorching the Cause.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Sept. 12.—Why
three people were not killed here last
night is very much a mystery. Mr.
Lavin, son of the superintendent of the
paper mill at Woodland, with an-
other young man from Woodland and
Miss Marion Black of St. Stephen, were
driving in Mr. Lavin's automobile. Mr.
Lavin has a reputation as a reckless
driver, and was sustaining it. Coming
down the steep hill on Hawthorne
street he was travelling at the rate of
forty miles an hour and just at the
foot of the hill he encountered a team.
The road was narrow, and in turning
down his car went into the gutter and
collided with a telephone pole, which
was snapped off two feet from the
ground. The occupants of the car were
thrown about twenty feet, but in
comparative safety. Mr. Lavin's com-
panion from the paper town sustained
an injured ankle, but the others escap-
ed with slight bruises. The car was
badly damaged.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—Presi-
dent John Rummel of the Metropolitan
Bank of this city is dead and Dr. M. C.
Campan, a prominent physician of
this city, is seriously injured as a
result of the latter's automobile coming
into collision with a telegraph pole yester-
day. The men were running at a
great rate of speed, when the steering
gear broke and Dr. Campan lost con-
trol of the machine. The brakes were
applied, but did not check the speed
before it crashed into the telegraph
post. Though cut and bruised, Dr.
Campan escaped a carriage and sent Dr.
Rummel to the hospital. The latter's
injuries were called. Half an hour later
the injured man died of internal in-
juries.

**TO START THE FLEET
A MONTH EARLIER**

Oriental Trouble on the Pacific Induces
Roosevelt to Move the Ships
More Quickly.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The American
today says—While no official an-
nouncement will be made by Secretary
Loeb, it was reported at yesterday's
meeting that the President has sum-
moned Secretary of the Navy Metcalfe
to discuss a plan for starting the bat-
tle fleet for the Pacific a month
earlier than was intended.

The plan as first arranged called for
the departure of the sixteen battleships
about December. Since then the
President has followed closely the Ori-
ental immigration troubles on the Pa-
cific Coast.

POLICE COURT.

There were three prisoners on the
police court bench this morning. All
were fined the usual amount for being
drunk.

Four coachmen, Wm. Daley, Arthur
Love, Chas. Gamble and Ambrose
Given, reported for violating the I. C.
R. rules governing coachmen, were in-
court and were fined two dollars each.

A man for driving a horse at a tur-
loust rate in his home, where other peo-
ple were present, was fined five dollars
and knocking a little girl down, ex-
plained that the child ran directly un-
der the horse.

Policeman Gosselin swore that yester-
day morning between three and four
o'clock he found the cows on Rodney
street. A night watchman found the
cows in his yard on the corner of St.
James and Albert streets, and drove
them to Rodney street for the protec-
tion man to take care of. Hudson said
he has fastened his cows in a pasture
and they broke out. The matter was
allowed to stand over until Monday
morning when some West Side citizens
will give evidence of being annoyed
by the wandering cows.

**NERVE ENOUGH FOR THEFT,
NOT ENOUGH FOR DEATH**

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 12.—Chas.
E. Letten, chief clerk in the office of
the First District Tax Collector here,
who disappeared two days ago leaving
a shortage of over \$100,000, was dis-
covered this afternoon standing on the
bank of the Mississippi attempting to
summon up courage enough to commit
suicide. He said he had started toward
the water several times but each time
his courage had failed him. He made
a full confession.

Ethel—"George, mother was looking
when you kissed me last night."
George—"Oh, how did she take it?"
Ethel—"Well, she said she felt satis-
fied now you mean business."

AN ELECTRICAL CURRENT THE NEW ANAESTHETIC

VEGETABLES PLENTIFUL
AND PRICES ARE GOOD

Crops Not a Failure on the St. John
River—Farmers Want to Export
More Potatoes.

Country produce is now beginning
to come into the city from up river
points in large quantities and will in-
crease every day until the boats cease
running. This year practically a new
industry has been started by the up
river farmers, the shipping of blue ber-
ries through to the United States. In
years past the St. John market has
been supplied with these berries but
this year thousands of crates have been
shipped through to American cities,
Boston being the principal market.

Farmers are now wondering if they
cannot manage to do the same with
their potatoes; potatoes are worth only
a dollar a barrel at Indiantown now.
They have not really started to come
into the city as yet and it is expect-
ed that in some arrangements cannot
be made to ship these potatoes to for-
eign ports, they will be so low that
it will hardly pay to give them.

Not only are potatoes a good crop,
but all the crops are good though as
yet prices are very fair.

A north end grocer stated this morn-
ing that never in his experience has
he seen so much green corn shipped
into the city, yet this article of food
is bringing seven and eight cents per
dozen which is a fairly good price.
Squash is reported to be a fair crop
and is selling for a cent and a half per
pound by the basket, which is much
better than the average price in other
years. Cucumbers are reported as be-
ing in the short. They are fetching about
ten cents per dozen. The cabbage crop
is good and cabbages are selling at 40
cents per dozen. The other vegetables
are in heavy and are bringing fair
prices.

Apples are selling from a dollar to a
dollar and a quarter per barrel, while
good apples bring a dollar and a half.

STEAM VS. GASOLENE.

The North End sports are now get-
ting quite excited over a race which
is likely to be pulled off in a short
time. Frank Goodwin is the owner of
a steam launch, which he claims can
beat any launch in the North End.
Frank Jordan, however, claims that
his gasoline launch has the most
speed. During the past few weeks a
good deal of talk has been going on
concerning the two boats. A number
claim that the only way to really get
speed is by the old fashion, steam, and
Mr. Goodwin would not have anything
else in his boat. Mr. Jordan and his
followers on the other hand insist that
gasoline is the whole show and that
steam is a relic of the middle ages.

The result, it is understood, is that
Mr. Jordan has issued a challenge to
Mr. Goodwin to race him from Indian-
town to Sand Point and return cover-
ing a distance of fourteen miles. It is
also understood that Mr. Goodwin is
only too anxious to meet Mr. Jordan's
boat, so in all probability the race will
be arranged.

This race will not be so much be-
tween the two boats, as between steam
and gasoline, and each power has a
large following in the North End. A
purse is being made up to be presented
to the winner.

JAPANESE COMMENT.

TOKIO, Sept. 12.—The Nihon-Nichi
in its editorial leader this morning ex-
presses full confidence that the Cana-
dian authorities will extend protec-
tions to assure the treaty rights of the
Japanese. The paper adds:

"It is reassuring to know that the
Canadian and English press are unani-
mously in condemning the Van-
couver outbreak and it is hoped that
full justice will be meted out.

"Should the Canadian government in
this instance find a solution of the
problem which would serve as a model
and example in dealing with the same
problem in the Pacific Coast states of
the United States, it would be a case
of fortune snatched out of miseries."

BETTER DEAD.

READING, Pa., Sept. 12.—Mrs. Ger-
trude Clinton, wife of James Clin-
ton, from whom she was separated,
died today from injuries inflicted by
Frank Palmer, her lover.

The woman ran half a square with
blood flowing from a cut in her throat
until she fell exhausted. She was 30
years old and Palmer is 28. They had
been living together until recently but
the woman left Palmer and he killed
her because he believed she was about
to become reconciled to her husband.

A meeting of the firemen's tourna-
ment executive committee is called for
tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock sharp
at the H. and L. No. 1 station, King
street East.

**Prof. Leduc Has Found a Safe
Method of Producing Un-
consciousness, Which He
Says Will Do Away With
Chloroform.**

PARIS, Sept. 12.—Stephane Leduc,
the eminent professor of the School of
Medicine at Nantes, has discovered a
method of causing electric sleep which
it is declared will replace chloroform
and other anaesthetics in all surgical
operations. The discovery proceeded
from study of the effects of intermit-
tent currents and from the knowledge
that the skull and brain offer but lit-
tle resistance to the currents. For a
human being a current of thirty-five
volts is applied intermittently in its
full strength for minute fractions of a
second. Two electrodes are applied to
the skull in a special manner, the
points of application being first care-
fully shaved.

Professor Leduc made scores of ex-
periments on dogs and on himself. All
were successful. The application of the
current is not dangerous and no ill
effect is found even when the experi-
ment lasts for hours.

The arguments for the electric sleep
are said to be numerous, anaesthesia
by chloroform or morphia is disagree-
able, always dangerous and has often
proved fatal, while the awakening is
painful. During the electric shock the
patient is perfectly quiet and the awak-
ening occurs as soon as the electrodes
are withdrawn. The sensations after
the operation are quite agreeable. The
mind appears to work more clearly and
more rapidly and there is a sense of
increased physical vigor.

**WELLMAN REPORTS
A DISASTROUS TRIAL**

Went up in His Airship, But Was Carried
in the Wrong Direction and
Had to Cut Loose.

TRONDHEJEM, Norway, Sept. 12.—
Walter Wellman, the head of the Wel-
man Chicago-Wood expedition, ar-
rived at Tromsø on board the
Fifth-Jot from Spitzbergen yesterday
evening on his way home. He announ-
ced that he had definitely abandoned
for this year after a disastrous trial of
his airship, the proposed attempt to
reach the North Pole. The airship
made an ascent Sept. 2 in a north-
westerly wind which drove him south-
eastward over the land. It was found
necessary to cut the balloon adrift
from the other parts of the airship but
it was recovered after two days' search.

**PRUSSIANS CHARGED WITH
SELLING MILITARY SECRETS**

COBLENZ, Prussia, Sept. 13.—Further
arrests have been made in connec-
tion with the extensive betrayal of mil-
itary secrets previously referred to in
these dispatches. There are now four-
teen persons in custody, of whom
twelve, including four civilians, one of
whom, it is said, belongs to the nobil-
ity, will be charged with high treason.
In the meantime all the prisoners are
kept in closest confinement. The two
who will be arraigned on the charge
of high treason will appear as witness-
es for the state, but they will not be re-
leased before the trial which in all prob-
ability will be held in secret.

**MEN'S SOCIAL CLUB WAS
ORGANIZED AT SACKVILLE**

SACKVILLE, N. B., Sept. 12.—At a
well attended meeting here last night
a Men's Social Club was organized
with a charter membership of about
forty. Fred Ryan, Vice-President of
the Charles Favest Mig. Co., Ltd.,
was elected President; A. B. Copp, M.
P. P., Vice President; R. C. Williams,
Sackville manager of Bank of Nova
Scotia, Secretary-Treasurer; W. H.
Hodgson and A. C. Smith additional mem-
bers of executive. A committee was
appointed to draft a set of bye-laws.
A suite of rooms in the Favest-Copp
block have been rented by the new
organization.

**DUBLIN, Sept. 12.—The committee
of the Royal Irish Yacht Club will
meet here this afternoon, presumably
to decide upon the details of Sir
Thomas Lipton's approaching challenge
for the America's Cup. But the club
members refuse to discuss the matter.**

**For late local and tele-
graphic news see page 7.**

PEA COAL \$4.00 per ton delivered. In stock. TO ARRIVE, A small lot of the celebrated Red Ash American hard coal, especially suitable for grates and cooking stoves.

We Have a Supply of Folding Canvas Cots. Suitable for Camping Parties. HUTCHINGS & CO., 101 to 105 GERMAIN STREET

JUST WHAT YOU HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR. CLAY PIPE, 10 CENTS PLUG. Master Mason, 15c Plug. Bold by all leading dealers.

Latest Music at New York Prices, 15c, 17c, 19c, 23c, 25c and up. The Dominion Specialty Co., 16 Sydney Street

SPORTING MATTERS

BASEBALL

BIG LEAGUE GAMES

American League. At St. Louis—Chicago, 3; St. Louis, 2. At New York—Washington, 2; New York, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Brooklyn—New York, 5; Brooklyn, 6. At Chicago—Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 1.

ROLLER SKATING

OLIVE WON

An exciting one mile race was held at the Queen's Holloway last evening. Olive, Nixon and Alward started. Alward set the pace from the start, and up to the 4th lap was in the lead.

FOOTBALL

SENIOR LEAGUE

The executive of the St. John Rugby football league will hold its annual meeting Saturday evening at eight o'clock. The place of meeting will be the office of J. B. M. Baxter.

J. M. JOHNSON'S HORSE

MAKES WORLD'S RECORD

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 12.—At the state fair here today, Kentucky Todd, owned by J. M. Johnson, of Calais, Maine, established a new world's record of 2:09 for three-year-old stallions.

SHIPPING

DOMESTIC PORTS

YARMOUTH, N.S., Sept. 12.—Arr. str. Active, from Halifax; str. Prince Ar-

STRANGE SAILOR SEIZED WITH FIT

Last night just after the last trip of the Indiantown ferry a stranger approached the ferryman and asked to be taken across the river. The ferryman agreed to ferry the man over, but while he was getting the boat ready heard noise from the place where the stranger was waiting.

LOCAL NEWS

\$50.00 reward for books and safe stolen from Gibbon & Co.

Preventative being better than cure be wise and avoid the tendency to over-acidity by drinking Nelsedega Water, 27 Church street.

Call at J. Ashkin's, 655 Main street and see the two specialists he offers. Ladies' skirts at \$1.48 and ladies' shirt-waists at 25c. For two days only.

If your suit and overcoat need cleaning, pressing or repairing, let McPartland, the tailor, do them for you. Cliff House Block, 72 Princess. 7-8-6

Special sale of tunic boxes and school bags at prices that cannot be equalled. Union Clothing Co., 28-28 Charlotte St. old T. M. C. A. building.

Clear soft water and absolutely pure soap will always produce a high-grade of laundry work. None but the best necessities used in Ungar's Laundry. Phone 54.

Another Position. Fred Leary, of North End, has been selected by the employment bureau of the Curtis Business University, Ltd., to fill the position of assistant book-keeper with Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd.

What you pay is not all that's in the game—it's what you get that counts. When you order breakfast bacon from us you get the highest quality and we sell it for your right. Philips, Douglas, Ave. and Main St. Phone 28.

We sell goods on easy terms. We have just received our fall goods in ladies' and gents' clothing. A. T. Tanager. Please notice number, 47 Brunswick.

Manager Brown of the Canada Woodware Co., who was in the city yesterday, said it had been definitely settled that the company would locate at South Bay. They will occupy the Sutton mill, owned by James Lowry, N. P. P. A. number of local people have subscribed stock in the enterprise.

E. J. Griffiths, secretary of the Canadian Trade and Labor Congress, which is now in session in Glace Bay, will visit this city to proceed towards the establishment of a union in the building trades here. The union, of course, would be affiliated with the Canadian Trade and Labor Congress.

Gideon Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 7, met in the Orange Hall, Germain street, last evening and entertained York Lodge, J. O. A., No. 3. During the evening a musical programme was rendered and speeches were made by Robt. Maxwell, M. P. P., Col. Armstrong, Worshipful Master Hennigar, Deputy Master Earle, Brother Campbell and others. Refreshments brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

On Wednesday evening the members of the Waterloo street United Baptist church held a meeting for the purpose of choosing a new pastor. The unanimous choice of the meeting was Rev. Gideon Swin of Cedar street church.

Mr. Swin, asking him to accept the pastorate. Last evening no reply had been received from Mr. Swin, but it is believed that he will accept. He has been in St. John for some time, being pastor of the Victoria street church for six months before the coming of Rev. Mr. Nobles.

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Dr. A. O. Earle, K. C. and L. P. D. They have returned from Newcastle, where they were engaged in the case of Curtis v. the Sun Insurance office. A settlement was reached yesterday.

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MAYES FIGURED ON DIFFERENT BASIS

City Engineer Peters has come over the soundings taken by O. P. R. engineers and estimates that about 20,000 yards of dredging, instead of 33,000, is necessary to clean up Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 berths.

The C. P. R. figures were based on a distance of 120 feet from the wharf all around and upon an estimated dredge of 32 feet. The city engineer's calculations are estimated for a depth of 41 feet and make allowances for the fact that one-third of the distance out from Nos. 2, 3 and 4 berths is included in the city wharf.

The dredging of the city will be 120 feet from No. 1 and 88 feet out from the other three berths.

These figures will be placed before the Common Council committee today at the central station. It was found that his name was Norman McLeod. He is supposed to be a sailor from a schooner lying on the floor of the river from Indiantown. No explanation of the refusal to admit the man could be obtained at the hospital this morning.

RECENT DEATHS.

MRS. C. D. TITUS.

At her home at Upper James, Sept. 11, Alma, beloved wife of C. D. Titus, after a painful illness, passed into rest. Mrs. Titus, who was 49 years of age, was the daughter of Mr. G. W. Springer, who died some years ago. In early life Mrs. Titus united with the James Baptist church. She was a most devoted Christian, living an exemplary life.

As a wife who was loving and true as a mother most careful in the religious training of her children, and as a member of the church devout and earnest, Mrs. Titus will be greatly missed. As a neighbor she was ever ready to minister to the sick and show sympathy to the sorrowing. Mrs. Titus leaves a husband and four children: Mrs. Geo. White of Mill Cove, Fred D. and Ethelwell S., at home, and Brainard G. in the employ of the St. John Railway Co., besides two brothers, N. S. and G. S. Springer, merchants in St. John.

HENRY GOLDING.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Sept. 12.—A well known and respected resident, Henry Golding, died at his home in Upper Woodstock this morning. Mr. Golding was eighty-five years of age and had been court blind for years. His death was due to a cold contracted at the last session of the county court.

Mr. Golding was a native of Lower Wickham, Queens Co. He came to this country fifty years ago. He is survived by a widow who was formerly Mrs. Margaret Currie, daughter of Richard Currie, of Wickham. Mrs. Millican, wife of Conductor Millican, of the I. C. R., is a niece of the deceased. The funeral will take place at two o'clock on Saturday afternoon from his home in Upper Woodstock.

MRS. CATHERINE J. WILSON.

The death occurred on Wednesday evening of Catherine J. wife of John Wilson. Mrs. Wilson formerly lived in Halifax, and had been ill for a year. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Shaw of this city, and Mrs. F. W. Hatch, of Sacramento, California. Both daughters were with Mrs. Wilson at the time of her death. Mrs. Henry Dunbrack, of this city, is a sister of the deceased. The funeral will take place from 221 King street Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MRS. GERTRUDE ALLINGHAM.

The death occurred this morning of Mrs. Gertrude Allingham, at the age of 17 years. Deceased had been ailing for some time with consumption. She was the daughter of John and Ada Allingham, and died at the home of her father, No. 4 Guilford street, West End. Mrs. Allingham had many friends, was of a lovable nature, and her demise will be greatly regretted. She was a favorite with her companions. Much sympathy expressed for the bereaved parents.

IS THAT SO?

A St. John paper says that Detective Tingley, of the I. C. R., was there a few days ago in connection with an alleged irregularity concerning the weight of junk sold to Harry Garson, a Jewish dealer in that city. During 1906 and 1907 Mr. Garson claims that his dealings with the I. C. R. amounted to \$3,000. Chief Detective Tingley says however, that Detective Tingley was not in St. John on any such mission, and that there is nothing in the story for the present.—Transcript.

C. P. R. FIREMEN WILL GET AN INCREASE

Some time ago the engineers of all the divisions of the C. P. R. east of Port Williams were given an increase of wages, and now the firemen are requesting an advance also. The matter is being taken up on each division with the general superintendent and the divisional officers who report to him. A committee of the firemen of the Atlantic Division composed of Fred Henderson, Wm. King, Murray Campbell and Joshua Lee had an interview yesterday with Mr. Downie, at which C. W. Burpee, superintendent of District No. 1, D. W. Newcombe, of Woodstock, superintendent of District No. 2, and G. E. Ord, master mechanic, were also present. The local rules and schedule were discussed, and the conference will be continued today.

After the details have been thrashed out on each division, the matter will be taken up by the general offices. That the men will be given an increase is quite certain, although it may not be the full amount asked.

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THE HUDSON'S BAY ROUTE.

In another column will be found a condensation of the report prepared for the Department of the Interior by Mr. J. A. J. McKenna on the possibilities of the Hudson Bay route. The report itself deals at great length with many points of detail in connection with this scheme, and forms very interesting reading in view of the fact that transportation is Canada's greatest problem today. Mr. McKenna has summarized and condensed into a few words the results of the surveys made by many exploration parties. He states definitely that the Hudson Bay route is a safe one for three months of the year, August to October. It can be developed at comparatively small expense, and should prove commercially profitable. While Fort Churchill is slightly farther away from Liverpool than is Montreal, it has a tremendous advantage in being hundreds of miles nearer the wheat fields. The Hudson Bay route would not compete with that via Montreal, but would be subsidiary thereto. Perhaps the most important section of the report is that dealing with the possibilities of the extensive country now practically uninhabited, which would be opened to development by the construction of such a railroad to Fort Churchill as is projected.

THE WARD MEETINGS.

Judging from the attendance at the ward meetings held last evening and the energy displayed by all, Liberal workers will leave nothing undone in the way of preparation for a possible contest. While the nomination day proceedings still remain a matter of conjecture, St. John Liberals and the bulk of the Conservative party realize what the proper course must be, but while some uncertainty still prevails it is recognized that in any event thorough organization is desirable. At last evening's meetings ward committees were chosen and the work is now well in hand.

The following is a pretty good week's work for a man who has scarcely yet settled down to the routine of his new office. Dr. Pugsley has devoted some attention to the needs of his own constituency, and has no doubt given due consideration to the requirements of other parts of Canada. In the past week he has: Arranged for the deepening of certain berths to 32 feet instead of 20 feet as planned. Settled the question of dredging the outer section of the new wharf. Placed one dredge at this work already.

Agreed to secure a grant towards deepening and widening the Sand Point berths. Undertaken to secure legislation providing for further harbor extensions. Secured an all year suburban service on the I. C. R. Obtained a promise from the Minister of Railways that the I. C. R. yard facilities will be provided at once to meet the pressing needs of the merchants.

Had inspectors placed on scows to prevent dumping of mud within harbor limits. And is now arranging for the dredging of the channel, so long requested by the Board of trade and citizens generally. Work on this will shortly begin.

The engineers in charge of the West Side work have now definitely concluded that efforts having in view the completion of No. 2 section of the new wharf for the coming winter's traffic would be a waste of time. They are consequently striving for the completion of the first section of the wharf and for improving conditions around the existing berths. It is a pity this view was not adopted months ago.

A family in Moncton consisting of a mother and seven children have been deserted by the husband and father, and being entirely destitute are depending on the charity of neighbors. The man was some time ago acquitted on the charge of living in criminal relationship with another woman. Since the trial he has deserted his wife and gone back to the other woman. He should be soundly horsewhipped, and the jury at Dorchester should be given leather medals.

The council will of course, ask for tenders for the dredging of Sand Point. It is possible that the two contractors now engaged on the West Side may not wholly agree as to the cost of this work. St. John should know which one will do it the more cheaply.

FACTORY SONGS.

NOON.

Swift and red are the factory flames at noon; The world without, and world within, and a crisis soon, The engines hum and the men call out, Like men in the thick of fray— And on the hills gleam the fairy wings of another day.

Dut we are at it, long and late, In the glare and blood of strife, And when sledges stop, and trade runs slow, 'Tis a race for life. And this is the song of the grinding wheels through the golden, golden noon— "Peed up and move us faster men; and soon, soon, soon."

EVENING.

Evening, evening, and the smoky weather, Homeward slowly, through the aisles of Spring; Gallows-like the shadow looms over, Cold as fate the hands that grip and cling. Day! on the fairy wings the hills where yours to roam; The night has come! Oh, give us time for home.

NIGHT.

The lights are out; and now the freeds glow, The tender-faces and the love-words low, But, God, already ringed about us here, That other circle, crouching, waiting—near. Wolves in the shadowy night that stare and wait to leap; Life we are fairly caught; and the long heat trap seems sleep.

MORNING.

Morning! at last morning comes up the hill, With the long, long beams of the rising sun, And the new-born will, And what shines out in the quickened air?

Wolf-trampled path, you are smeared and bare, But my good old Factory Tower Standing the night with a stony power— Steel you were made to sing! And sing you shall to the heart of all, The endless songs of Earth. The travail, the tempest, the battle, the wolf, and the sweetest mirth; "Men, I am honest work, I am fearful strife, The day made, and the night gained, for the child, and the wife, Life is but snatched out of life, out of faith, out of sin, I am thought of man's heart, I am Force, I am Power—I shall win; I shall win." —Katherine Hale.

HE COULD STAND EXPOSURE.

The Arctic expedition was about to start. "I would like to join the party," said the stranger who had just arrived. "Well," replied the celebrated explorer, "we only want men who can stand severe exposure. Do you think you could come under the heading?" "Well, I should say so," replied the stranger. "I was exposed as a San Francisco grafter, but it never faded me." And then the explorer took him along in hopes he could lose him up near the pole.

LOOKING THE STABLE DOOR.

D. B. Carothers, the well known railroad man and a big official on the Baltimore and Ohio road, is a frequent summer visitor here. Mr. Carothers was formerly Miss Leland of Lewiston. —Lewiston Journal.

WHAT HE HAD TO SAY.

"Well, George, do you know it is one o'clock. What have you to say for yourself?" "I did have s-something to s-say, my dear, b-but you've gone an s-scarred it out of m-my head. Oh, I remember it n-now." "Well, what is it?" "Good night!"

BARREN PROSPECTS.

The boy who is ashamed to follow up the plow isn't likely to make headway turning up soil in any other useful occupation.

In business circles and throughout the city generally the announcement that Mr. Charles H. Lee, the genial and efficient manager of the Bank of New Brunswick, in this city, is to be transferred to St. John in about two weeks, has been learned with regret. Mr. Lee came here on September 30th of last year and opened the bank's branch in this city. In that year the business which has come to the bank in this city has far exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the management of the bank's head office, and showed the success with which Mr. Lee was meeting as the manager of the Fredericton office. As the customers of the bank Mr. Lee has shown himself not only a shrewd and well-versed banker, but a courteous and obliging manager, so that he has won new friends for himself and the institution in the interests of which he was working. While Mr. Lee will no doubt be glad to get back with his family in St. John, he nevertheless regrets leaving Fredericton, and his friends here are consoling themselves with the thought that his return to St. John comes in the way of a well-deserved promotion. It is likely that Mr. Lee will remain in Fredericton until about the end of October when he will be succeeded by Mr. Jardine, now accountant at the head office at St. John—Gleason.

WHY ONTARIO BAPTISTS DECLINE UNION PROPOSAL

Following is the full text of the reply sent by the Ontario Baptists to the proposal made by the joint committee on church union: "On behalf of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec we desire to express to the united committees of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregationalist bodies our deep appreciation of their Christian courtesy in inviting us to a conference with a special committee on the question of the union of Protestant Christian bodies in Canada. We also desire to congratulate them on the substantial progress which appears to have been made towards such a union by the three bodies which have hitherto been engaged in these negotiations. "In regard to our own relation to this movement permit us to present the following statement as an expressive of the position which we feel compelled to take.—The Baptist people rejoice in all the manifestations of mutual love among the followers of Jesus Christ and seek on their own part to cultivate a holy fellowship with all Christians. They recognize with thankfulness the gracious operation of the Spirit of God among their brethren of other denominations and feel themselves to be one with them in many of those things which concern the progress of the kingdom of God on earth. At the same time they do not admit that the organic union of all Christians is an essential condition of Christian unity or even necessarily promotive of it. For Christians who differ on questions which some of them hold to be of vital importance it is surely better to admit the impracticability of corporate union than to seek to compass such a union at the cost of sacrificing cherished convictions. "OPPOSE THE HUMAN STANDARD. "In their organization of independent local churches and in their associational gatherings and conventions Baptists have not infrequently made use of brief statements of doctrines which they hold to be Christian, as a basis of mutual cooperation, but they do not intend to establish a uniform confession for all their churches, nor do they regard assent to any fixed statement of doctrine as a prerequisite to membership in a Baptist church or to a place in the Baptist ministry. They feel that the free and independent interpretation of the Scriptures by each man for himself, combined with the spirit of love and obedience, is not only promotive of the highest reflection on divine things and strength of personal conviction, but is a surer and more enduring way of securing unity among Christians than any tendency to erect a human standard of authority over the conscience, to lessen the sense of direct personal responsibility to God, or to obscure the consciousness of immediate relationship with Him. Accordingly, while they entertain a deep respect for various historic Christian creeds, they are not solicitous to identify themselves with these creeds or to claim organic relation with the churches that established them as standards of belief. "A SPIRITUAL HISTORICAL SUCCESSION. "The Baptist people regard all truly religious affiliations as resting, on the one hand, on God's gracious self-communication to human souls, and, on the other hand, on each man's free acceptance of the divine grace and obedience to the divine will. We understand the Scriptures, only those who are the subjects of such a spiritual experience are capable of participation in Christian fellowship or entitled to membership in a Christian church. Believing, therefore, that a Christian church is constituted by a voluntary union of those alone who by personal repentance and faith—not by natural birth, nor by proxy, nor by ceremony, nor by any overt act of the church—have entered into fellowship with God in Christ, they do not regard the claim to ecclesiastical succession in any of its forms as a matter of concern to them. They acknowledge an historical succession, from Christ and His Apostles; but its nature is spiritual, not ecclesiastical, consisting through personal influence and the proclamation of the Gospel, not by means of forms, rites or ceremonies. "THEY STAND BY BAPTISM. "The same principle prevents them from admitting knowingly to church membership any except those who have been spiritually renewed. Thus they cannot regard the children of Christian parents as entitled by birth or membership in a Christian household to a place in a Christian church or as proper subjects of its ordinances. It cannot be granted that the Christian ordinances of baptism and the Lord's Supper convey in any sense to their recipients the spiritual grace which they symbolize, for they have meaning and value only as they express the faith and grace already possessed by those who in these acts of obedience confess their relation to Christ. Hence the practice of infant baptism and the

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ANOTHER RECORD BROKEN. NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Arrived steamer Laprovence, Havre. Laprovence has apparently broken the record for the voyage from Havre to New York held by the same steamer, by probably two hours. Laprovence's previous best trip was made in 6 days, 3 hours, and 24 minutes.

The morning papers yesterday reported that two men had been arrested for fighting on Union street. While this was literally true it did Frank N. Hamm, one of the men, an injustice. Mr. Hamm explains that he was assaulted without provocation by a drunken man, and only defended himself, but the policemen would not accept his version of the affair and dragged him off to jail. The sergeant was more lenient and Mr. Hamm was released on the condition that he appear before the magistrate in the morning, which he did, when he was discharged.

ROBINSON'S. unexpected delay in distributing Butter-Nut Bread souvenirs. Something has gone wrong in shipment from Chicago. We are looking into the matter and expect to have the souvenirs any day.

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PRINCE RUPERT HARBOR. Dominion Government Surveys Show a Depth of Twenty-five to Fifty Fathoms—Lighting Arrangements Completed.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 12.—John Houston, ex-M. P., editor of The Empire of Prince Rupert, is here, and has determined that, as the G. T. P. will not allow him to set up his plant on its soil, he will erect his own atop on the Indian reserve adjoining the town site, and open fire on the magazines from that point of vantage. He expects to be ready in a week or ten days to begin publication. Surveys by the Dominion Government during the whole summer in the harbor of Prince Rupert demonstrate that there is a prevailing depth from twenty-five to fifty fathoms. Alongside the wharf the depth is about forty feet. W. J. Stewart, hydrographic surveyor of the Department of Marine, returned last night from the north, and says that the depth of water is good and the lighting of the entrances and passages by lighthouses, etc., is now so complete that the Lusitania could steam in at any hour of the night. The Dominion Government have carried on surveys in all the inner harbors and H. M. S. Egretta of the outer channel as far south as Skeena. Next year the new hydrographic steamer, now building at Esquimaux, will continue this work in some other northern channels. Mr. Stewart says there is work for such a ship in those waters for two hundred years.

DEALING WITH HARD PROPOSITION. Committee on Church Union Discussing Administration of Benevolent Funds.

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disbursing the revenues of these funds therefore differ materially. Different methods adopted were gone into by the sub-committee, but a solution is still in the future. Because the sub-committee on administration has the biggest task on hand its work has been subdivided among four sub-committees chosen from its own members. These are dealing respectively with benevolent funds, publishing interests, colleges and their support, and missions. Added constitutional members of the sub-committee on administration are Revs. Prof. Varnier, W. T. Gunn, F. J. Day and Henry O'Hara. The Presbyterians elected the following: President B. Falconer, Toronto; Prof. George Ivey, Winnipeg; Dr. D. M. Ramsay, Ottawa; Dr. Thos. Sedgwick, Tatamagouche, N. S.; Principal Scrimgeour, Montreal; Prof. W. C. Murray, Halifax; Principal McGill, Halifax; and Rev. J. H. White, New Westminster, B. C.; Just J. J. MacLaren, H. H. Fudge and W. Ferguson, Stratford.

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disbursing the revenues of these funds therefore differ materially. Different methods adopted were gone into by the sub-committee, but a solution is still in the future. Because the sub-committee on administration has the biggest task on hand its work has been subdivided among four sub-committees chosen from its own members. These are dealing respectively with benevolent funds, publishing interests, colleges and their support, and missions. Added constitutional members of the sub-committee on administration are Revs. Prof. Varnier, W. T. Gunn, F. J. Day and Henry O'Hara. The Presbyterians elected the following: President B. Falconer, Toronto; Prof. George Ivey, Winnipeg; Dr. D. M. Ramsay, Ottawa; Dr. Thos. Sedgwick, Tatamagouche, N. S.; Principal Scrimgeour, Montreal; Prof. W. C. Murray, Halifax; Principal McGill, Halifax; and Rev. J. H. White, New Westminster, B. C.; Just J. J. MacLaren, H. H. Fudge and W. Ferguson, Stratford.

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IF CONTEST COMES THE LIBERAL PARTY WILL BE PREPARED

Organization of the Various Wards Completed Last Night—Minister of Public Works Spoke at Two Meetings, and His Plans for the Future Development of St. John Harbor Were Received With Great Enthusiasm.

While there is still considerable uncertainty whether Hon. Dr. Pugsley will be opposed at the coming by-election, to be held on the twenty-fifth of the present month, or not, the friends of the Minister of Public Works do not intend to be caught unprepared.

To this end meetings were held of the workers in the various wards last night, and strong committees appointed to complete the organization of the party.

The rank and file are in fine fettle, and the spirit that was evidenced last night seemed to indicate that no matter how weak or feeble the opposition might be, the campaign, if there was one, would be conducted with the same energy that would be manifested in the event of a more formidable struggle.

The Minister of Public Works appeared at two meetings, speaking first in the North End and then at Berryman's Hall. He was in excellent form, and spoke with great vigor and spirit. The keynote of his utterances was the development of the port of St. John, and the other Atlantic ports, in order that the immense trade that would flow here from the Northwest when the other great transcontinental lines were completed, might be adequately handled. To see that St. John was properly equipped for this great traffic would be one of the principal achievements that he hoped to have to his credit.

The Minister was very warmly greeted at both of the meetings, the applause in each one amounting to an ovation, and his remarks were frequently interrupted by outbursts of cheers.

Dr. Pugsley's supporters are determined that if there is a contest the majority that will be rolled up for him will be a very emphatic one.

Minister Warmly Received.

At about a quarter to nine the electors of the four wards gathered in the large hall and awaited the arrival of Dr. Pugsley, who had just come from the North End. When he entered the hall there was a great burst of applause. On request, the Minister addressed the meeting, taking his stand in the middle of the floor and not upon the platform.

Dr. Pugsley prefaced his brief address by explaining that he had intended to visit all the ward meetings on the east side of the harbor, but had stayed so long at the North End meeting that he had found it necessary to close his itinerary at Berryman's Hall.

He was not finally known, he said, whether or not there would be a campaign. The newspapers had said there would be one and rumor seemed to bear out the statement. However, in view of the largely signed requisition presented to him by the electors of St. John he thought there could be no doubt as to the result of the campaign.

That requisition had been presented to him in that very hall, it had required the Minister to resign the position of premier of the province and to run for the House of Commons, and he had consented to the requisition. At the time of his acceptance the electors had no doubt and he had had no doubt concerning the possibility of his doing so. He had no doubt, he said, that he would ever stand in that hall holding a portfolio of considerable importance.

Mr. Laurier had seen it to appoint him Minister of Public Works entirely without his seeking the position.

St. John's Great Future.

Dr. Pugsley went on to say that he had the greatest confidence in the future of St. John. In a few years three great transcontinental railways would be pouring into the Maritime Provinces an immense traffic from the Northwest during the winter season. To handle that traffic great improvements would have to be made in the Atlantic ports. As Minister of Public Works he would control an expenditure that would cover the Dominion from Atlantic to Pacific. He thought that every port should receive proper treatment at the hands of the government he was of the opinion the St. John harbor should have no superior on the Atlantic coast. (Applause.)

A Great Project.

The Minister went on to make reference to the project of the Canadian Pacific Railway to facilitate the handling of grain. From Victoria Harbor on the eastern shore of Lake Huron to Peterborough, and on to Smith's Falls, the Canadian Pacific were building a line at the cost of \$60,000 per mile. That piece of railway was to be made as level as a table, as good as any in the world. When this was completed the C. P. R. would handle grain from Victoria Harbor to St. John, and as Minister of Public Works he would see that those two harbors would be sufficiently equipped to handle the wheat traffic so as to reduce the cost of transportation by two-thirds.

Thanks Conservatives.

"I do not wish to introduce a subject of a controversial nature, but I must say that I feel grateful for the good spirit that the Conservatives have shown in not opposing me," said Dr. Pugsley. "I do not think that it will be a disadvantage to St. John that I should be elected." (Applause.)

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pleasure because it is in the hands of a statesman who has done more and who will do more for the country than Sir John ever dreamed of."

Fowler's Remarks.

Dr. Pugsley went on to say that he had not in the Opera House a certain gentleman from Kings had said he hoped Mr. McLean and James Rodger would be bribed with a portfolio. Did that man think that a constituency containing one-sixth of New Brunswick's population should not be represented in the cabinet? (Applause.)

Thanking the electors for attending in so large numbers, Dr. Pugsley took his seat amid cheers.

George Robertson, M. P. P.

George Robertson, M. P. P., responded to calls and spoke briefly. He appealed for attention in the coming campaign. There was a saying that those were most successful in war who prepared in time of peace, and the saying was true. It would be well for every effort to be directed toward earnest work.

He dealt with the needs of St. John and of the duty of the government to ensure its future as a port. In the present instance electors should not consider their likes. It was very often the case that people liked a man who had neither brains nor ability. Dr. Pugsley had both. He had not alongside him in the local legislature when he was a simple member, when he was attorney general and when he was premier. Dr. Pugsley had always been a worker ever since the time he left the farm and came to St. John. His ability was known to all. He was always ready with a handshake for everyone. He felt sure that Dr. Pugsley was the right man to represent St. John.

QUEENS WARD.—Chairman, D. J. Brown; secretary, W. A. Lockhart.

STONEY WARD.—Chairman, W. G. Seville; secretary, Fred Roderick.

DUKES WARD.—Chairman, C. B. Allen; secretary, S. B. Smith.

The Kings Ward Liberals did not elect their officers last night, but will do so at a meeting to be held on Monday evening next.

Princess Ward.

In Princess ward, Martin Dolan was elected chairman and Charles Knodell secretary. The meeting was largely attended. A deputy chairman will be elected at a later meeting to be called by the chairman.

Wellington Ward.

A well attended meeting of the electors of Wellington ward was held and A. O. Skinner was elected chairman and Francis McCafferty, secretary. James T. McLean and James Rodger were elected as members of the ward committee. The meeting was held at eight o'clock to complete the organization.

West Side Lines Up.

The West Side Liberals met in Odd-fellows Hall and elected ward leaders. In both wards the chairman was re-elected. A large number of voters attended the meeting. After the transaction of business a number of those present signed the nomination paper of Dr. Pugsley. The position of the ward electors were as follows:

GUY'S.
I. E. Smith, chairman, re-elected; Herbert McLean, secretary, re-elected; F. T. Byles, chairman district No. 1; Elmer Young, chairman district No. 2; Thomas Ripper, chairman district No. 3.

BROOKS.
Albert R. Clark, chairman, re-elected; Gilbert Ring, secretary. The following gentlemen were elected as a working committee to set the ward representatives: Harvey Ring, Richard Lee, George Fawcett, William Irons, Albert Lee, Timothy Donovan.

AMUSEMENTS

Best Show of Month at the Nickel

Five entirely new subjects will be shown on the Nickel's curtain today and tomorrow and each one good enough for a feature film. It is to the credit of English photographers that clear of them are of their conception and the fifth one American. My Lady's Revenge is a dramatically enacted and a tragedy in which horseback riding, automobile, card playing, duelling and love-making are introduced, the final act being one of surprising and startling qualities. An Unnatural Father is also excellent, dealing with a sad case of domestic infidelity, a rash attempt at murder and an unexpected rescue from an unexpected source. The Waif and the Statue is something entirely novel, being the shortly entwining of a marble church image so that a ragged child may be befriended. A Physical Culture Show, or a clever demonstration of gymnastics and athletics by a lady. Cohen's Bad Luck shows many amusing scenes and situations in New York's Jewish quarter. This afternoon Miss Peix will sing that brand new New York hit, "Neath the Old Acorn Tree, Sweet Estelle, and tonight Mr. Brown is sure to score a big success in a humorous song just out, entitled "Won't You Come Over to Phillie Willie. New scenery of Moncton, Sydney, Sussex and other provincial places.

Happy Half Hour.

A very large crowd was present at the Happy Half Hour yesterday to see the new programme. The pictures are three in number. "The Sea" is an interesting picture, showing some of the marvelous creatures that have their homes in the bottom of the sea. The story tells of a young man who falls asleep and dreams that he has descended to the bottom of the sea in a submarine boat. On his awakening he is hustled. The laughs which greeted this picture showed it was appreciated. The Venusian of the Alps was a very interesting picture, and particularly so, now that the Moors are occupying a prominent place in the eyes of the world. Down Beside the Meadow Brook was charmingly sung by LeDomino Rouge, while Harry H. LeRoy made the most of the latest con-

FOR THE SEASON.

Farmer Meddergrass (reading paper) —"Thet Vaudeville must be a great show town."
Mrs. Meddergrass—"Why so, pa?"
"Why, I see here where another one of our greatest actors has made arrangements 't stay right thar for a hull season."

KNOX STIFF HATS

The "KNOX DERBY" for Fall is one of the most dressy shapes to be found. It has a medium high crown with quite a narrow rolled brim, and is taking the eye of good dressers the world over.

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For commercial, and late local and telegraphic news, see page 7.

HUSBAND DESERTS WIFE AND FAMILY

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 12.—The family of Henry Horsemann, the Moncton man who was acquitted by the jury last week at Dorchester on the charge preferred by his wife of cohabiting with a woman named Leaman, was reported to the police today in very destitute circumstances. Chief Rideout investigated the case and found that Horsemann had deserted his wife and family of seven children, who were without food and with no means of procuring any. The mother has worked for her children as long as she was able, but is now worn out and unable to provide for them. A fourteen-year-old daughter earned fifty cents this week and this kept the wolf from the door for the day. Today Mrs. Horsemann and her children will have to go to the almshouse unless Horsemann can be compelled to provide for them. At present he is devoting his attention to the woman he was charged by his wife as living with.

Queen's Rollaway.

Ladies' night at the Queen's Rollaway tonight. Gentlemen will please remember the usual rules.

Mr. Mantell in Canada.

Mr. Robert Mantell who comes next Monday night to the Opera House, for an engagement of five performances in the tragic characters of Shakespeare, is one of the very few stars who, regarded as belonging exclusively to the United States, make a practice of touring annually in Canada. E. S. Willard is another, though he never gets this far east. But the average American star turns up his or her nose when Canada is mentioned, although many of them play a week each in Toronto and Montreal. They object, however, to the Canadian customs, the duty on their printing, etc. although the very ones who object most are those of a class that about fifteen years ago, started an absurd movement to have the United States government bar out visiting English actors.

CONVENTION WAS WELL ATTENDED

LEXTON, Sept. 12.—The Opposition convention today was attended by representative delegates from every part of Kent County. Wm. J. Frost occupied the chair, and P. X. Robitoux was secretary, and after short addresses by Mr. Hazen and Mr. Morrison, both of whom were very heartily received, the delegates presented their credentials, and business was proceeded with. The nominating committee retired, and after deliberation announced through their chairman that Dr. D. T. Landry, of Buctouche, Dr. T. J. Bourque, of Richibucto, and Lt.-Col. Sturdivant, county councillor of Wellington, were their unanimous choice. The announcement was well received, and the general impression is that Mr. Hazen has secured a very strong ticket, as all the gentlemen nominated are men of character and standing.

The public meeting in the evening was a good one. The hall was crowded, many ladies were present, and a choice selection of music was rendered by the St. Louis band. Councillor George Jardine, of Carleton, presided, and speeches were made by the candidates and Mr. Morrison, and the Opposition leader, Mr. Hazen, received a cordial ovation. He was frequently interrupted by applause. His reference to opposition prospects were of a most hopeful character. He predicted that the Opposition would carry at least thirty seats.

Mr. Morrison, who dealt largely with the financial question, made a very acceptable address. The meeting closed with cheers for the speakers.

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NOBODY TO BLAME FOR BRIDGE DISASTER, SAYS CORONER'S JURY

All Necessary Precautions Were Taken for Safety Says the Verdict—Federal Investigating Commission is Still Proceeding With Its Inquiry—Mr. Hoare Again on the Stand Yesterday.

QUEBEC, Sept. 12.—On the same floor of the Quebec Court House and in chambers hardly thirty feet apart, the Federal commission appointed to investigate the cause of the Quebec bridge disaster, and the coroner's jury, proceeded simultaneously this morning with their respective duties.

of the engineers the very day of the disaster was placed in position in the superstructure in 1906. Mr. McClure, the chief inspector for the Quebec Bridge Co., who testified at the inquest during its previous sitting, added today that the entire superstructure was to weigh 38,000 tons, and that the span which collapsed when complete, was to weigh 17,500 tons, while the weight supported by the piers was 74 per cent of what was considered the maximum, thus affording 26 per cent as a factor of safety.

NATIONAL TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL

Several Resolutions Passed at Yesterday's Session—A Visit to Louisburg.

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 12.—The National Trades and Labor Council, in session at Glace Bay, appointed a committee to confer with the grand secretary of the P. W. A. in the matter of closer relations being established between that organization and the National Trades and Labor Council of Canada.

A resolution of condolence was passed and ordered to be forwarded to the family of the late Daniel J. O'Donohue, who throughout his life had been identified with the interests of labor and who of late years had been an active member of their own organization.

Following upon the communication of yesterday, the council passed a resolution favoring the scheme whereby several labor organizations of Canada would get together in formulating some basis for affiliation. They further recommended that a charge of five cents per man per month be suggested for the purpose of such affiliation.

A resolution was introduced asking that the Dominion government separate the post office and labor department, as a large volume of work done in the labor office would seem to make this imperative.

The Minister of Labor will be requested to appoint a correspondent for the Labor Gazette for the Montreal district.

The labor congress recommends that the law in regard to granting of masters' and stationary engineers' certificates be more strict.

A resolution was introduced recommending that all members of labor organizations and their friends purchase only shoes made in Canada under union conditions and that the government be asked to buy shoes for employees in the government service from the same source.

A motion of thanks was passed by the council expressive of their appreciation of the efforts of the Minister of Labor in behalf of the cause they advocated and of an order in council issued in August of this year to which a fair wage clause must be inserted in all contracts between the government and contractors.

Something Doing Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Every Man and Woman Can Save a Lot of Money by being Quick to Grasp Opportunities like these, which are so seldom offered at this season of the Year.

We will not ask you to buy Summer Goods to lay away. We offer you goods that you must have in a few weeks. The wise will profit at our expense.

- Men's \$18.00 English Melton Overcoats, double lap seam. Sale Price \$12.00
\$18.00 Scotch Tweed Overcoats, large plaids. 12.00
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\$8.50 Canadian Frieze Overcoats, long fashionable cut. 6.00
\$10.00 Shower Proof Overcoats, long fashionable cut. 7.00
\$10.00 Frieze Reefers, fur lined. 7.75
13.00 Hewson Suits. 10.00
15.00 English Worsted Suits, Progress Brand. 6.00
10.00 Canadian Serge Suits. 6.00
10.00 Tweed Suits. 3.48
Boys' \$5.00 3-piece Suits, good Canadian Tweed. 1.98
\$3.00 2-piece Suits, good Canadian Tweed. 98
Men's \$1.50 D. B. Cardigans. 42
65c Wool Fleece Shirts and Drawers. 48
65c White Dress Shirts. 19
35c Black Cashmere Hose. 19
35c Police & Firemen's Braces. 3.75
\$5.00 Frank W. Slater Shoe. 1.93
3.00 King Hat. 4.75
Solid Leather Dress Suit Cases Imitation. \$1.25 up to \$3.00
Trunks, Embossed Metal. \$1.50 to \$3.00
35 dozen Ladies' \$1.50 Wrappers. Your choice for 98c
Ladies' \$1.00 Night Gowns. 78
2.25. 1.48
25 doz. Ladies' Drawers, Regular price 35c. Sale price 19
15 " Corset Covers, only. 19
Ladies' \$1.00 Satene Underskirts. 68
2.25 " for 1.48
25c Hose Supporters. 15
25c Cashmere Hose. 35
50c Cashmere Hose. 48c to \$2.00
All-wool Shawls. 1.28
\$1.75 All-wool Golf Vests. 75
Long Black and White Silk Gloves. 15
35c Wash Collars for. 48
90c White Lawn Shirt Waists. 15
\$6.00 " Silk Waists—long or short sleeves. Sale Price, 4.25
2.50 " China Silk Waists. 1.78
ack Combs, Bracelets, Brooches and Rings at wholesale price.
\$5.00 Black, Blue and Green Vicuna Skirts. 3.48
7.50 Black Venetian Skirts. 4.98
8.50 Panama Cloth Skirts—black or blue. 5.98
Now Fall Coats. All desirable shades and latest fashionable cut. \$9.50 to 18.00
Less 10 p. c. discount during the sale.
Suits—most up-to-date—\$22.00 to \$30.00. Less 10 per cent.

Company thinks men will give in. Conciliation Board at Springhill completes its work—situation unchanged. Halifax, N. S., Sept. 12.—Conciliation board at Springhill completed its work today. At the session this morning the company was not on hand to make any defense. It would not be necessary to meet again.

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CANADA WILL HAVE ONE HUNDRED MILLION PEOPLE SOME DAY, SAYS BISHOP OF LONDON

OTTAWA, Sept. 12.—The Lord Bishop of London this morning conducted communion service and was afterwards entertained at a clerical breakfast at which he made a speech in which he said: "I like to see a high churchman as high as you like—but I also like to see him with his coat of preaching in the open air. We want combination with the people, with all reverence in the cathedral, as well as an abandonment to the common life of the people. We do not want too much starch."

No Alum or Acid there. St. George's Baking Powder. It is a genuine Cream of Tartar Baking Powder—free of alum, acids, lime, ammonia and phosphates.

ET HORRIBLE DEATH. TORONTO, Sept. 12.—Joseph Taylor, a farmer, near Owen Sound, met a horrible death recently. He was stalling a horse when a hog ran into the stall, the horse began to paw and kick in frenzy. Taylor was knocked down, both his jaws broken and his face trampled till almost unrecognizable. He lived about twelve hours.

RAILROADS. CANADIAN PACIFIC SECOND Farm Laborers Excursion. \$12.00 GOING RATE \$18.00 RETURNING RATE. From and to C.P.E. Stations in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

STEAMERS. G.P.R. ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS. EMPRESSES. Montreal, Quebec and Liverpool Service. LAKE MANITOBA, Sept. 16th.

WESTERN EXCURSIONS. September 19, 20, 21. Intercolonial Railway. Will sell Round Trip Tickets from ST. JOHN, N. B.

GERMAN EXPORTS TO CANADA HEAVILY HIT. LONDON, Sept. 12.—A German official green book on details of Canadian trade was received here today. It admits that German exports to Canada were heavily hit, firstly by the proceeds and still more by the surtax.

COMMERCIAL

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

(Furnished by J. M. Robinson and Sons, Bankers.) Morning Sales, September 13. ...

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Dec corn ... 59 1/2 61 1/2 wheat ... 98 1/2 99 1/2 ...

REPORT ON THE HUDSON'S BAY ROUTE

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Furnishings for Men and Boys at Very Special Prices.

- Our entire stock of Men's Hard and Soft Bosom Shirts is marked at special prices for these three days. ...

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visitors were armed with shot guns and revolvers and having led the roadway fired a salute.

CONSOLES ARE 1-1/2 LOWER

For Monday, 3 1/2 for account. American stocks quiet more above parity.

LIVERPOOL—Spot cotton quiet

Prices easier middling 1/8. Futures opened steady 1/4 to 1/2 up.

LONDON, 2 p. m.—Exchange 485.50

Amsterd., 28 1/2; Amalgamated, 6 1/2; Baltimore and Ohio, 99 1/2.

NEW YORK—They are trying to break steel

if successful will unsettle the market. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The latest development in the copper situation

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The latest development in the copper situation

is that the Amalgamated continues to shut down works in part of its mines in Montana

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 13.—Twin City Rapid T. Co.

dividend next month will be at regular rate, but President Towner favors an increase early next year.

I.C.R. FREIGHT HANDLERS GET HIGHER WAGES

Dating From April First the New Schedule Is Now in Effect.

Many of the I. C. R. employes are wearing happy smiles today. The reason is that their pay has been materially advanced

HOSPITAL DIFFICULTY MAY BE SETTLED

FRIDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 13.—Word was received this morning of the Trade Union of the County of St. John

YEO FOUND GUILTY ON THE CHARGE OF RAPE

NEWCASTLE, N. B., Sept. 13.—After three hours' deliberation last night the jury declared Richard Yeo guilty of the charge of rape.

ALEXANDER DICK IS GOING TO MONTREAL

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 13.—Among Donnan's Coal Company's changes shortly to be announced is Alexander Dick

BOY BITTEN BY DOG IS IN DANGEROUS CONDITION

KINGSTON, Sept. 12.—Edward McCammon, of Portsmouth, so severely bitten by a bull dog while swimming on Tuesday afternoon

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GENERAL BOOTH GIVEN A HEARTY FAREWELL

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DREAM PREVENTED A RAILWAY WRECK

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1907

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Stunning Styles in Showerproof Garments.

They are made in Berlin, Germany. The lot that are on display in one of our windows are priced **\$7.85**, though the regular value is \$11.50.

It Is The Best Waterproof Garment

we have ever shown for the money—silk collar and cuffs, perfect fit, and one of the daintiest styles that can be had at such moderate prices.

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We have about 100 samples of these Garments, which are priced **one-third lower** than the regular stock. They run from **\$1.50 to \$5.50**, fitting children from 3 years to 15 years.

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We are showing some special values in Women's Felt and Satin Slippers. They are soft, warm, comfortable and pretty. See them in our window and display case.

FELT SLIPPERS, Dark Blue with Polka Dot... 40 cents.
FELT SLIPPERS, Dark Brown with Check Pattern... 50 cents.
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SATIN SLIPPERS, Black, Quilted... \$1.00.
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Why not make your selection now? You have a much better assortment to choose from.

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50c. large Bottle.

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School Slates, 4c, 7c, 9c, 10c, 15c;
State Pencils for 1c; 2 Lead Pencils 1c;
3 Pens 1c; 3 Sheets Foolscap 1c;
Large Bottle Ink 4c; Hardwood Ruler 1c;
Pencil Sharpener 1c; Exercise Books 3c, 4c, 5c; Scribbles 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c;
Large School Tablets 5c, 9c; Pencil Boxes 4c, 5c, 8c, 10c; School Bags, Readers, etc.

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Phone 1722. 82-85 Charlotte St.

Notice to Advertisers.

Owing to the increased Patronage which Advertisers are giving to the STAR, we are compelled to request those who require changes in their Advertisements to have their Copy in the STAR Office before 9 o'clock in the Morning, to ensure insertion Same Evening.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Eastern States and northern New York—Fair tonight and Saturday. Warmer Saturday in the interior, light variable winds, becoming southeast.

LOCAL NEWS.

"The Willows," at Reed's Point, will be open on Sunday and closed on Monday for the season.

Western Union linemen have reached St. Stephen with a new copper wire they are stretching tomorrow afternoon. Each team has now a victory to its credit and the game will be warily contested. The St. Joseph's line-up has been changed. Elverson will play first base for the Marathons, Stuebe replacing him in right field. Stubbs, who is the regular first baseman for the Marathons, is in New York.

Considerable speculation has been indulged in as to the probable appointee to the office of Stipendiary Magistrate for the county and town. It is understood that the offices were offered in the first instance to Mr. George Dryden, but he has declined to accept owing to business reasons. It is understood that Mr. Jos. Hornbrook will likely preside over the court in future and his appointment will be made at the next meeting of the Government. Considerable business awaits the new incumbent.—Sussex Recorder.

On the invitation of John H. Tonge a number of his friends enjoyed a pleasant outing yesterday afternoon at View End Gardens. Games were indulged in and beautiful prizes were given. Miss Lucy Tonge sang "Let No Count Coo" and had to respond to an enthusiastic encore, when she gave absence. Mr. Tonge also sang several songs. Miss Tonge will have soon to fill an engagement with the W. H. Savage Co. with which she is under contract for a term of years. Speeches were made during the gathering by Joseph Nobles, Samuel Drury, E. J. Logan, John Johnson and Ald. McGowan. Joseph Craig gave several recitations.

Another case of the low down cut part of human nature coming to the surface, is reported as occurring here last week. Several children took a dog out the dog road somewhere and tying it to a tree, proceeded to torture it in a most inhuman manner, shooting, stabbing and hacking it to death. The perpetrators were quite small children, and of course are not one half as much to blame as the parents, who bring them up in such a careless manner that such savage traits come so often to the front. We are far from championing the raising of the cur dogs that are so plentiful, and claim that with the exception of the sheep dogs, it would be better for the country if every dog in it was made away with, as the raising of one sheep or lamb, is of more benefit to the country than all the dogs throughout the whole Dominion, but the above methods are not the way to effect the cure.—Victoria County News.

Mr. Kenneth O. Scribner, son of Robert Scribner, Hampton Village, for the past three or four years a member of the staff of T. McAvity & Son, St. John, has severed his connection with this firm and intends leaving for Missoula, Montana, on the 14th inst., where he has accepted a good position with a hardware firm. On Saturday night last Mr. Scribner was presented with a gold mounted watch fob by the members of the staff, attached to which was a gold locket with his initials engraved on one side, while on the other was the inscription, "To Kenneth O. Skinner from the boys of T. McAvity & Son, St. John, N. B., 1907." Mr. Scribner will be greatly missed by the young people of the village, more especially by the baseball team of which organization he has been a valued member for many years. All Mr. Scribner's friends join in wishing him the greatest success in the distant field in which he has thought best to make his future home.—Sussex Recorder.

TWO MEN DROVE OFF WITH ALD. MCGOWAN'S HORSE

Last night about 9:30 o'clock Alderman McGowan drove into an alley off Sydney street where he left his horse and double seated carriage while he attended to some business in the office of the master painters' union. When he left the office a short time later he was surprised to find his rig gone. The horse had been backed out of the alley and had been spirited away. On making inquiries the alderman learned that two men were seen to enter the carriage and drive toward Lower Cove. The alderman reported the matter to the police and a close watch was kept but the rig was not located by them. It was supposed to have been seen on St. James street at midnight. Alderman McGowan left word at Worden's stable with the night stableman to be on the lookout for the rig as he expected that those who took the animal away would turn it loose when through with it and the mare would make for the stable on Princess street. About two o'clock this morning the stableman heard a horse trotting down Princess street and rushed to the door to see if it turned down Charlotte street. It entered the block and he caught it on the next turn. The animal was quite tired. An endeavor will be made to find out who the men were that took the drive and then turned the horse loose.

CRUEL.

On account of the near proximity to powder, women should not smoke cigarettes.

REV. E. C. JENKINS WRITES A LETTER TO W. C. GAYNOR

Says He Spoke from the Pulpit Without Knowing Who Was Referred to by the Rumors—Fr. Gaynor to Take Further Action.

The following letter received by Rev. W. C. Gaynor from Rev. E. C. Jenkins is self explanatory:—

St. John, N. B., Sept. 13, 1907.

Rev. W. C. Gaynor, Spruce Lake, St. John Co., N. B.

My Dear Sir,—I greatly regret that my address a few Sundays ago from my pulpit in Charlottetown was so misinterpreted as to be of any injury to you. My address was dealing with civic morals, and I had heard certain rumors reflecting some person in an ecclesiastical position, but did not know to whom they applied, and had never heard your name in connection with the same, and did not intend to make any reflection upon you, personally. Since my statements have been so interpreted, and the public not knowing the heart of the thought, it would have been more satisfactory to all had I made further inquiries as to the truth of the rumors before mentioning them from my pulpit. However, I am very glad to understand that you have been able to prove some of the reports untrue, and I shall be glad as a brother minister to know that you are entirely clear of all reflections in regard to the rumors which have been circulated, and I can assure you of my warmest sympathy in this regard. In conversation with Father Gaynor today the Star learned that some years ago, Mr. A. H. Hanington, had been under an order of the equity court, guardian for Curran, but was unable to put up with the eccentricities of the old man and had him handed over to Mr. Gaynor, who has since looked after him. Father Gaynor assured the Star that the money belonging to Curran, amounting to some \$800 or \$750, would be available whenever required. It was in his possession and would be produced when Curran's will was submitted for probate. There will be no trouble whatever about this.

Continuing, Father Gaynor said that was doing all possible to refute the rumors on financial matters which had been circulated about him and hoped within a very short time to prove himself perfectly free from anything of an improper nature. Further than this, he would certainly take action towards the man himself of the other, and more serious charges which have been made. At the present time he did not care to state definitely his plans, but he was sure to direct information which would enable him to take action against the parties responsible for the original stories. He had no doubt that his entire innocence would be proven.

MINISTER STRUCK DEAD WHILE WAVING A GREETING TO HIS WIFE

A very sad accident occurred at Van Buren during the thunder storm of Friday night. Rev. Mr. Hahau, a Congregational student was walking to his home from the St. John Lumber Co's mill when just about to turn in toward the house he raised his hand to wave to his wife who was standing near the window. At that instant he was struck by a bolt of lightning and still dead. His clothing was almost torn off. Mr. Hahau was about to return to college and expected to preach his farewell sermon on Sunday. He had been married but a short time. His body was taken to Warren, Maine, for burial. The members of his congregation and the Masonic lodge made up a purse of \$150 and presented to the widow before she left Van Buren.

BRITISH MARKET GLUTTED.

Farnworth and Jardine's circular dated Liverpool, September 2nd, says:—"New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce and pine deals.—The import to Liverpool and Manchester during the past month has again been too heavy, viz.—About 20,000 stks. (about the same as July) and although the deliveries have also been large, stocks have further increased, and now amount to about 60,000 stks., which is very excessive. Prices have steadily declined, and as the market much requires relief, it is most desirable that shipments should be curtailed as much as possible. Pine deals are in better demand at improved prices. Prices are given as £7 to £7.15 per standard.

WANTED.—At 10 Orange street, girl to do light housework. One who can sleep house preferred. Apply MISS. H. A. DOHERTY, 10 Orange street. 13-34

Something Doing!

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Dock Street and Market Square.

ON SATURDAY, and on SATURDAY ONLY

WE WILL SELL

Potatoes, 10c per peck,
Canned Corn, 5c per can,
Malta Vita, 7c a package—at

THE 2 BARKERS Ltd—100 Princess St. and 111 Brussels St.

Overalls, Jumpers, Etc., at Popular Prices.

See them! That's the best way of knowing just how strong they are, and the extra good value they represent.

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Overalls (Blue Denim), 5c, 60c, 80c, 90c.
Painter's White Overalls, 50c.
White Jumpers, 50c.
Black Drill Jumpers, 95c, \$1.00, \$1.25.
Men's Pants, \$1.35 to \$3.00.
Black Drill Shirts, 50c and 75c.
Working Shirts (Black Sateen), 60c, 75c, 90c, 95c, \$1.00.
Fancy Duck Gingham Shirts, 50c, 60c, 70c, 75c.
Shaker Shirts, 25c, 35c, 50c.
Boys' Top Shirts, 25c, 35c, 50c.
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Suitable for Costumes and Coats

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The proper thing for Evening Dresses. Very neat designs
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Complete range in every width. Most recent patterns

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White and Ecru
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in Black, White and Ecru

IVORY FANCY EMBROIDERED NETS
for Waist Fronts. Also
FANCY EMBROIDERED NETS
for Waistings.

NEW FALL GOODS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTE.—Some Choice Furniture still on Bargain Sale in Housefurnishings Dept.; also Rugs and Squares at cut prices in Carpet Section.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON Ltd

Gage Hats

This is about all the descriptive matter necessary in mentioning this famous make of headwear, for that little sur-namer of four letters is synonymous with all that is smart, chic and stylish in hats for ladies. We have just received for today's showing, an advance supply of charming models, and today's shoppers will be missing a rare opportunity to buy something exclusive and new if they are in need of a hat and allow this early showing to pass unnoticed.