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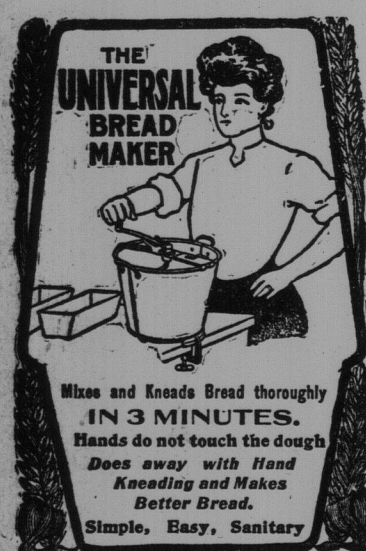
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FIERY APPEAL TO RUSSIAN PEASANTS

Urged to Exterminate the Upper Classes.

Dangerous Sermon Against the Intellectual
Classes Preached by the Metropolitan of St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 30, 12.30 p.m.—In view of the peasant agitation throughout the country some of the newspapers are seriously alarmed at the recent pastoral address of the metropolitan of St. Petersburg, M. Antonius, as being a direct incitement to the ignorant peasants to begin a war of extermination against the entire educated class and the papers are demanding that the Metropolitan and the Holy Synod, whose mouthpiece it is assumed



JELOBOVSKY, Chief of the military college of Russia, whose life is sought by Nihilists.

Antonius was, take immediate measures to counteract the effect of his statements.

Prince Meshchersky, editor of Grassydan, denounces the sermon as the most dangerous utterance of the century and pictures the inevitable impression produced on the ignorant religious minded peasants of a damnation from the altar of the "intellectuals" as being the foes of Russia, bloody wolves and followers of the anti-Christ of the west, who would destroy holy temples, place sacred bones in anatomical museums and wear the people from their chance of entering the kingdom of Heaven.

Monestchikoff, the famous Russian author, declares that to call on the faithful to fight with the cross to the last drop of their blood for the salvation of Russia as the home of Christ and to cut off the rotten branches, is nothing short of a toxin for a religious uprising in appeal to the most fanatical and the most uncontrollable of human passions. "The fire once started," he adds, "would produce a world of historic conflagrations which neither the government nor the intellectuals can stop." In effect, he affirms that Antonius' address was an appeal to the peasants to tear out from Russia all European culture and put the country back to the state in which it was in the middle ages, and from that standpoint, it was more radical than the doctrines of the most radical revolutionaries.

VICTORIAN NOT IN YET.

Distinguished Party Awaiting Her in Halifax

—Allan Line People Confident of Raising the Parisan.

(Special to the Star.)

HALIFAX, N. S., March 29.—This morning at seven o'clock a special train from Montreal arrived with a party of twenty or more, including the minister of marine and fisheries, and leading members of the Allan line, who will meet the Victorian and go around in her to St. John.

During the forenoon the party paid a visit to the deep water terminal, where the Parisan is lying with her bow aground and the water over the deck at the stern. Pumps are going at full blast and the company are confident that the ship will be raised. At noon the Victorian had not been signalled.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST—Between St. Peter's church and Waterloo street, a gold pin set with pearls. Finder please leave at the Star Office.

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WANTED—Girls wanted. Apply to D. F. BROWN PAPER BOX CO., Cambridge street.

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MORE RESIGNATIONS FROM LEAGUE TICKET.

J. N. Harvey and F. H. Flewelling follow

B. R. Macaulay's Example---W. D. Baskin May Follow---Candidates Interviewed.

The Citizens' League is shy two more candidates. J. N. Harvey, of Wellington ward and F. H. Flewelling, of Lorne ward, have followed the lead of B. R. Macaulay and have asked that their names be withdrawn from the ticket. Their resignations were handed in to the executive last night and will be presented to the League at its next meeting. W. D. Baskin is undecided and may also decline to run.

This leaves on the ticket only two men who have not been adherents, R. R. Patchell and James Sproul. The ticket as it stands now is as follows:—

Mayor—W. W. White.
Sydney Ward—Ald. Lewis.
Dukes Ward—Queen Ward—Ald. Bullock.
Kings Ward—J. R. Armstrong.
Wellington Ward—Prince Ward—James Sproul.
Victoria Ward—R. R. Patchell.
Dufferin Ward—Lansdowne Ward—Dr. Christie.
Lorne Ward—Stanley Ward—Ald. John McGoldrick.
Guys Ward—W. D. Baskin.
Brooks Ward—J. B. M. Baxter.
Aldermen-at-Large—W. M. Jarvis, James H. Frink.

What the League will do to replace those who have resigned is not known. It is reported an effort will be made to get Ald. Barker again to become a candidate in Dukes ward.

Mayor White has already publicly declared his independence of the League and the Star interviewed a number of the other members of the ticket who could be found this morning, with the following results:

J. N. Harvey, when seen by the Star, said he was in hearty sympathy with the reforms which the league was trying to bring about. He declined to say whether he would be a candidate or not. He had given the matter careful consideration and his decision was in the hands of the president of the league and while he was in sympathy with the decision to the public before the meeting tonight.

Ald. Bullock told the Star that he was in sympathy with the league and its aims but he did not feel himself bound to support the ticket. He would work for the best men. He believed that the citizens would elect for the best men who were before them, regardless of the league ticket. He had intended to retire this spring, but he had been persuaded to remain in the league and while he was in sympathy with the league he did not feel bound to that organization in the least.

F. H. Flewelling, when asked his attitude towards the league and reform, said he was in perfect sympathy with the league in its effort to reform civic politics, but he would not be a candidate. When first approached in

the matter he said he would be a candidate if what he considered was a proper ticket could be secured. The league had met with but little success in getting the kind of ticket he considered proper and consequently he would not be a candidate.

Col. J. R. Armstrong is in thorough accord with the league in every respect and will support the ticket, of which he is a member.

R. R. Patchell said to the Star this morning that he had been nominated by the league and intended to be a candidate. When asked whether he intended to support the ticket as a whole or not, Mr. Patchell said that as he was brought out by the league, he could hardly be expected to oppose the ticket, but he did not care to commit himself at present to any definite course of action in that regard.

Ald. McGoldrick is not a member of the Citizens' League. He has represented his ward at the council board ever since the union of the two cities and expects to do so the coming year. He has signified his intention of again becoming a candidate when the Citizens' League adopted him without any restrictions. He felt pleased that any body of good citizens should have the face of the city at heart should endorse him and so stamp their approval on the course he had followed during the many years he had been at the board.

He had many friends among the present aldermen and as he was in no way committed to the League or its candidates, he would use his own judgment as to whom he would support.

W. D. Baskin said that if he should be a candidate, which was not at all settled fact, he would be a representative of the Citizens' League. He preferred not to discuss the situation at present, but in answer to a direct question as he had not consented to be a candidate.

P. R. Macaulay remarked to the Star this morning that when he says a thing it means it and it will be useless for the executive of the League to endeavor to get him to be their candidate for Dukes, an honor he had declined year after year as he did not have any time to devote to civic politics.

Under no circumstances will Mr. Macaulay be a candidate.

At a meeting of the League last night W. H. Thorne consented to act as president for the present at least. He authoritatively denied the Telegraph's story that Mayor White had offered to contribute money to the fund of the League.

SMALLPOX COST \$17,000.

New Brunswick Paid That Much to Fight the Disease Last Year—

Some Queer Changes.

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 30.—The public accounts committee this morning first took up the public health account. The provincial account for the past year \$1,605.14, and hospitals \$9,000. These items were passed without criticism. The small pox expense amounted to \$17,067.46. Some of the bills were considered pretty high, and many of the charges criticised at some length, among those especially being those of Kent and Gloucester counties. Coach hire does not appear under this head, but the hiring of horses amounts to a neat sum.

The legislative assembly accounts were passed. This amounted to nearly \$30,400 and includes indemnity paid \$22,500 and mileage \$1,394.80. Under the head of mining, the opposition criticised the expenses in connection with the running of the diamond drill. There were no vouchers for this work, but simply receipts for money paid.

FINE AND PRISON FOR A WEALTHY WOULD-BE-SUICIDE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—Griffith J. Griffith, the Los Angeles millionaire, who three years ago attempted to take his life, must spend two years in state prison and pay the fine of \$5,000 according to the decision of the supreme court, which has affirmed the sentence of the lower court. Griffith gave a park of 3,000 acres to Los Angeles.

The man who forgets to advertise is soon forgotten.—J. Walter Thompson, N. Y.

REFORMATORY BURNED.

Prisoners Helped Firemen Fight the Blaze and Made No Effort to Escape—

Hospital Scorched.

(Special to the Star.)

ELMIRA, N. Y., March 30.—The fire at Elmira Reformatory at midnight last night totally destroyed the tailor shop, storehouse, laundry, bathroom, number one engine room, shoe shop, book-binding, upholstery, blacksmith shop, photograph gallery and broom shop and entailed a loss to the amount of \$75,000. The fire started in the clothing storehouse, but its origin is unknown. At no time were any of the inmates in danger. Sixteen of them were assigned to assist the firemen. The hospital, which is located about 40 feet from the burned building, took fire and appeared to be in danger for a time but it was saved. The patients, numbering 44, were taken to other parts of the institution without commotion. There was no effort on the part of the men to take advantage of the situation and no panic was threatened.

LEPROSY IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 30.—A patient, whose illness is diagnosed as leprosy, has been received at Bellevue Hospital. When the doctors had satisfied themselves as to the disease, the man was hurried off to an isolated ward on Blackwells Island.

This is the first case of the kind received at Bellevue in many years. The victim was a Russian who has been in America only a short time.

DEATHS.

GORMAN—In this city, on March 29, Sarah I. wife of Robert J. Gorman, and daughter of William and Bella Moore, leaving a husband and two children, and a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn.

Funeral from her late residence 128 Pond street on Friday at half past two o'clock.

ROJESTVENSKY IS SHORT OF COAL.

His Action Depends on Arrival of Fuel.

He Still Insists His Fleet Was Attacked—

Jap Flanking Movement—Powers Will Not Interfere.

PARIS, Mar. 30.—1.20 p. m.—Admiral Rojestvensky, in the course of an authorized interview with a Matin correspondent at the Island of Nossi Be, near Madagascar, March 29, said the future movements of the squadron depended on the arrival of coal and military developments, adding, "the slow arrival of coalers becomes a serious question when a fleet consists of sixty warships. If coal is abundant it may go to meet the third division."

Admiral Rojestvensky received a telegraphic summary of the verdict of the international inquiry into the North Sea incident and said: "I am glad the admirals approved of my conduct, but owing to doubts concerning the incident I shall always feel a certain measure of moral responsibility. However, torpedo boats were certainly there, my ships were endangered, I was obliged to save the flagship and I succeeded."

MOGHIELIV, Russia, Mar. 30.—Proclamations have been scattered broadcast here calling upon the people to support the war in order to escape a second Mongolian yoke, the Japanese being described as being worse than the locusts of Egypt. It is added that once they establish themselves in Asia, they will not only possess Manchuria and Korea, but will swarm over and drive out the Russians from Siberia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Mar. 30.—A telegram from Sitjaas, Manchuria, under today's date, says: "The Chinese report that a Japanese column, which is probably carrying out a flanking movement, has been seen twenty-seven miles northeast of Sipinghai (74 miles north of Tie Pass). Snow has fallen heavily here."

POWERS WON'T INTERFERE.

BERLIN, March 30.—The suggestion that an international congress might be called to arrange the Russo-Japanese terms of peace finds no favor at the foreign office here, where a full settlement between the belligerents, without the interference of other powers is much preferred. An international settlement would mean a de-arrangement of the present equilibrium of interests, because those undertaking the settlement of peace would seek advantages for themselves as a proper brokerage on the transactions.

The strongest obstacle against peace appears to be the influence of the Russian military body, which still stands resolutely for a continuance of the war.

P. E. I. TUNNEL DELEGATION.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, Ont., March 30.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will listen to the P. E. I. land tunnel delegation tomorrow morning. Rev. Father Burke waited on the premier and assured him that the delay in the delegation's arrival was another argument in favor of reliable transit across the Straits of Northumberland.

DAMAGE IN QUEBEC BY FLOODS.

(Special to the Star.)

MONTREAL, March 30.—Reports received from the province show little damage from floods. There is little movement of the ice as yet in the St. Lawrence, but the crossings are becoming dangerous. At St. Pie, a bridge on the Yamaska has been carried away, damage about \$10,000. Nicolet river has swept away the dam at La Visitation and driven people residing on its banks to higher ground. In eastern Ontario the snow is going quietly.

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Royal Gazette Announces New Companies

Formed—Fredericton Farmer Sold—

Many New Officials Appointed.

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 30.—The Fredericton Farmer was sold at public auction today and was bid in by C. H. Allen for \$250, and book debts for \$30.

The Royal Gazette was published today. Incorporation is granted the Restigouche Wood Working Co., capital \$50,000, and the Dorchester Carriage and Woodworking Co., capital \$4,000, also the York and Sunbury Mills Company, capital \$32,000.

Supplementary letters patent have been issued increasing the capital stock of the New Brunswick Telephone Company from \$250,000 to \$600,000.

Edmund Mills, of Charlotte Co., is appointed a provincial constable. John L. Boyle, York; E. Bates, G. U. Wright, M. A. Sherwood and J. A. Williamson, of Charlotte, and J. C. Wright, Albert, are appointed justices of the peace. Daniel Robinson, W. C. Elliott, of Kings, and Hamilton Gray, of Carleton, are appointed issuers of marriage licenses.

FRENCH ANARCHIST BLOWN

UP BY HIS OWN BOMB.

PARIS, March 30.—A man suspected of being the author of the bomb outrage in the Avenue de la Republique, when members of the Republic Guard and of the police were wounded, has been arrested. His discovery was due to an accident. The man is a waiter out of employment. He was engaged yesterday in preparing a bomb which exploded, injuring him. A search of his residence resulted in the finding of anarchist documents.

The police have proof that at the time the outrage occurred, Jan. 30, he was employed in the neighborhood.

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MR. PUGSLEY'S HIGHER VIEWS.

Mr. Pugsley says that the duties of
an attorney general, as he conceives
them, are of a higher nature than the
prosecution of cases which concern the
King's peace in this province.
Mr. Pugsley should be more precise
in his choice of words. Undoubtedly he
meant "more expensive nature" and
while the word "higher," as popularly
used, possesses this meaning and so
was applicable, it also involves another
metaphorical significance which, while
absurd in this connection, might tend to
confuse the interpretation of his
speech by some.

But the admission, even allowing for
the probably unintentional slip in its
wording, is not worth very much. This
province has had large reason to
know already how expensive are Mr.
Pugsley's conceptions. The public
treasury is leaner by about ten thousand
dollars a year than if his vision
were so contracted that he could only
see his duty along the road hedged in
by his official salary. In Mr. Pugsley's
larger outlook the work the holder of
his office is supposed to do is a very
petty detail, especially since the province
is willing to pay somebody else to do
that work.

It is a great thing to be broad minded,
to be possessed of eyes that can see
past the trivialities—such as duty. A
man with just as much knowledge and
ability as Mr. Pugsley, but with conceptions
so low that they could not see
over the walls of present duty to
larger fields beyond—how inadequate
would such a one seem after Mr. Pugsley!
Of course he might look after the
peace of the province a little better
and would certainly touch the treasury
for about seven or eight thousand less
every year; but what is that in comparison
with the influence Mr. Pugsley
has in helping all of us to "higher"
conceptions of things in general, and incidentally
in assisting to free us from the
curse of too much money?

MR. FOSTER'S SPEECH.

Mr. Foster's speech yesterday was, as
might have been expected, a destructive
arrangement of the government's North-west
proposals, based on broad grounds,
without a trace of sectionalism or any
appeal to race or religious prejudice.
Not only did he prove the government's
course unconstitutional, but showed
that it was in violation of an authority
even higher than the constitution—the
will of the people.

In 1896, when the British North America
Act, as interpreted by the Imperial
Privy Council, authorized federal interference,
for remedial purposes, with the
school affairs of Manitoba, the people
forbade that interference. They
have repeated their order twice since.
But in spite of the fact that the people
declared their opposition to federal
interference in the provincial management
of schools, even when it was constitutional,
Laurier proposes today to interfere,
when it is clearly in violation of the
constitution.

That is in brief the case as presented
by Mr. Foster. How unanswerable it
was, was indicated by the answering
speech of Sir William Mulock, who followed
the old course of abusing the
plaintiff's attorney and, in lieu of argument,
raked up old slanders such as the
"moment of weakness" and the "nest
of traitors" charges and hurled them
at Mr. Foster's patient head, together
with some altogether unjust vituperation
based on the false assertion that
Mr. Foster was a political incendiary,
trying to light fires of racial and religious
discord.

The Telegraph proudly asserts this
morning that Mr. David Russell values
it and the Times at a price over \$250,000.
If this be true, the further declaration
of the Telegraph that "Hon. Mr. Emmerson's
friends have not money enough to interest their
owner" is also probably correct. The question
now is: Will Mr. Emmerson's friends try and
raise more money or will Mr. Russell's natural
pride and affection for his well-trained pet
allow him later on to appraise them at a
price which more nearly represents their
market value?

The interesting, but untruthful, Telegraph
made a nasty attack yesterday upon
Major White, whom it accused of
double dealing, because, as it declared,
he had offered to contribute to the
funds of the Citizens' League and then
had declined to endorse the League's
ticket. Last night it was authoritatively
denied that the mayor had made any
such offer. This morning the Telegraph
published in its local columns the
denial, which was made by Mr. W. H.
Thorne, and in its editorial columns repeated
the accusation.

"Yellow dogs under the Conservative
hand wagon" is the Liberal government's
opinion of Canadian Orangemen as
voiced by Sir William Mulock. It is
fortunate that Orangemen are of a forgiving
disposition or they might make it
embarrassing for the next candidate
who asks for a vote for that government.

The Telegraph calls on everybody to
support the whole league ticket, and
nothing but the ticket, yet the Telegraph
itself bitterly opposes the head
of that ticket. Another case of varying
precept and practice.

Sir William Mulock's characterization
of Orangemen as "yellow dogs" was a
pleasant addition to a speech which
was largely an accusation that somebody
on the other side of the house was
trying to stir up discord in Canada.

A MYSTERY CLEARED.

"Possibly," says the respectable but
occasionally bewildering Globe, "the
first proposals which Sir Wilfrid Laurier
submitted to parliament in respect of
the new Northwest provinces were
open in part at least to some of the
objections which were entered
against them."

The proposals referred to are the
ones which were rushed into parliament
without the knowledge or consent
of two of the most apparently
prominent cabinet ministers, which
aroused a tornado of protest from
every province in Canada save one,
which forced practically every newspaper
in Canada, liberal, conservative
and independent, to warn the government
it had made a mistake, which caused
the resignation of Mr. Sifton and the
storm almost broke that threatened
to hurl from power the miscreants
who had so greatly dared? Is it not
rather a miracle that even temporary
calm was brought about, that any of
those escaped who had the abandoned
recklessness to introduce in parliament
legislation which was possibly open to
some objection? The scoundrels!—Sun.

Now we understand why the protest,

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Hillyard's shipyard, north end, is a
very busy place just now. Besides the
city ferry boat there are a number of
other boats there undergoing repairs.
The new ferry will probably not be
launched until the end of April, as
there remains considerable work to be
done on her yet. The iron work is
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Crushed By Falling Case Of Plate Glass

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who are now doing Patterson's work
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COUPONS WORTH SAVING.

The coupons in packages of Rainbow
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saving, for they can be redeemed in valuable
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LOCAL NEWS.

The board of railway commissioners
will visit St. John next month. The
board is coming to investigate the demand
for better protection at the Canadian
Pacific crossings in Fairville and Milford.

George Lewis, the smallpox patient,
was discharged from the isolation hospital
yesterday afternoon.
The R. K. Y. C. will hold their regular
monthly smoker this evening. This
will probably be the last of these
entertainments to be held by them, as
boys this season as their energies will
now be bent to getting their boats in
shape for the coming summer and the
scene of action will be shifted to the
club house at Millidgeville.

At the close of a music recital given
by ten of the pupils of Netherwood,
Miss Margaret Walker, on behalf of
the pupils of the school, presented two
large pictures, copies of Raphael's
Sistine Madonna and Corot's Antour
de Lac, to Netherwood. After a short
programme closed by a stirring school
song, the words of which were written
by Miss Dingwall, and the music composed
by Mr. Ford.

The Rev. Canon Brock's third lecture
on the Prayer Book was given last
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A Few Special Bargains.

Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose

Fine quality Winter weight, full
fashioned, high spliced heel and toe,
seamless throughout, beautifully soft
and of the best and most reliable
manufacture. A regular 50c. hose.
We have 100 dozen of this superior
Hose, which we secured very much
under the regular price. So we pass
them along to you at 35c. pair, or 3
pair for \$1.00. They come in all sizes
8-1-2, 9, 9-1-2 and 10 inches.

Special White Wool Blankets

English make with fancy colored
borders. Size 60x90 inches; regular \$3.00
quality now \$2.50 pair. Only a few pair
left at this special price.

Ladies' Silk Neckwear Underpriced.

100 dozen Ladies' Stock Collars and Bows; goods worth up to 50c., now all
one special price—25c. each. Stock Collars with Tabs, Bows, Flowing ends,
Hem Stitched, Lace Trimmed, Corded with ruche tops, fagotting stitched,
Embroidered and silk port hole Collars; all the latest shapes; a large variety
to choose from at 25c. each.

White Cambric, Heavy English Make.

36 inches wide, regular 12c. cloth. Special 10 yards for \$1.00. At the price
cottons are selling today this is a bargain. Only a limited quantity left.

Heavy Linen Towels,

Large size 20x33 inches, all white or red, hemmed ends, 30 dozen of this
Special Towel at 15c. each or 2 for 25c.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street

The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices.
D. A. KENNEDY,
(Successor to WALTER SCOTT.)
32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B.

The Greatest Bargains Being Offered
At This Clearing Out Sale.

YOU CAN SAVE FIFTY CENTS ON EVERY DOLLAR YOU SPEND.

Lace Curtains, Floor Rugs, Door Mats.
Black Sateen Skirts, Black Sateen Waists.
Dress Goods, Table Linens and Towels.
Five Hundred Pairs of Ladies' Corsets.
If you have money to spend bring it here. All goods must be sold.

LOOK HERE!

Crutcher, Pewterware, Silverware, Lamps and Gents' Pipes
and Razors—Handles repaired.
E. P. JELICOE,
20 WATERLOO STREET.

Now is the Time

TO BUY

JEWELRY,

Watches, Silver Goods,
Cut Glass
or anything pertaining
to the Jewelry Business. Our stock
is large and we want to reduce it. You
will get GOOD VALUE. Come and
see for yourself.

FERGUSON & PAGE

41 King St.

FRANK P. VAUGHAN,

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
AND CONTRACTOR,
5 Mill St., St. John, N. B.
Telephone No. 319.
CROCKER & WHEELER
Dynamos and Motors,
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Wiring in all its Branches.

Are you ready to jump

into a pair of stylish
boots? A complete
assortment of the
latest styles and
shapes at
\$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50
pair. Most any man
can use a pair of our
Box Calf or Dongola
Kid Bats. at \$2.50, especially when they are the
kind that sell for \$3.00 elsewhere.

SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.

Men and Boys' Spring Caps.

Men's Auto Caps for 30, 40, 50 and 60c. Boys' Auto Caps at 25c.

We have just opened 60 pairs of our Famous

\$1.50 All Wool Working Pants.

Better value than ever. All sizes.

A lot of Wrapping or Baling will be sold for 2, 3 and 4c per yard.

Would be a good thing to put under Carpets or Oil Cloth.

Cor. of Waterloo and

Brussels Sts.

CARLETON'S.

Milk and Cream

Fresh Buttermilk: Choice Fresh Made Butter in slabs, 25c. lb.; Kidney
Potatoes, 35c. peck; Snowflakes, 25c. peck; Salt Shad 18c. and 20c. each; Her-
ring, 23c. doz.; Hay, Straw, Oats and Feed.

R. H. COTTER, 12 Sydney St.

Telephone 1194.

If the Iron Work or Roof

on your Building needs repairing give
us a trial. We manufacture and re-
pair Sky Lights, Gutters, Conductors
and Roofs, satisfaction guaranteed.
Estimates furnished for all kinds of Iron
Work for Buildings
John E. Wilson, 17 Sydney St.
P. S.—Stoves Taken Down and Stored.

20 Per Cent. Discount for Cash

For One Week on Parlor Lamps, Etc.

Sale commences on MONDAY, MARCH 27th, to continue for one week
only. All our stock of Parlor Lamps and Globes in great variety, also
an assortment of Glass Lamps of different sizes, in white, red and green

The St. John Auer Light Co., Ltd,

19 Market Square.

ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1905.

MEN'S OVERCOATS,

READY TO WEAR,
from \$10 Up.

Fresh Invoices of the excellent quality Spring Weight Overcoats that have been such successful sellers.

Thoroughly worthy in every particular. Reliable cloth, mohair linings, fit and hang just right. Grey chevrot and dark Oxford grey.

Also, Showerproofs of stylish, satisfactory materials, from \$8.50 to \$21.50.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING

8 King Street.

You Were Looking for Parsnips

We have them, and they are the finest I have ever seen. Price right. We also have Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Squash, Cabbage, Onions, Potatoes.

J. E. QUINN, City Market, Tel. 636

Choice Roll Butter 28cts., Sweet Oranges 20c, No. 1 Northern Spy Apples 50c a peck, No. 1 Baldwin 40c a peck. A full assortment of Lipton's Jelly. Also, fresh Cream daily.
H. R. COLEMAN, Cor. Spring & Winter Sts. Phone 479.

17 lbs. of Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.

Good Tub Butter 22cts per lb.
ROBERTSON & CO., 562 and 564 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. TELEPHONE 775A.

McArthur's Big Wall Paper Sale Continues.

SPECIAL VALUES IN ALL LINES OF WALL PAPERS
Our new designs embrace all the leading manufacturers' lines. New and elegant designs are being shown at prices that will astonish you. Remember we must reduce our very large stock and cut rates will do it. Greatest Bargains in Wall Paper ever offered in St. John. We have still a number on Window Shades, in lace and fringe, in lots of 2 and 3 each, at 25c and 35c each. Big Remnant and General Sale now on at

McARTHUR'S, 84 King Street.

NORTHWEST NIGHT.

Last night was Northwest Night in the B. Y. P. U. of the Main Street Baptist church. There was a very large attendance and interesting papers were read by Miss Iva Thorne on the importance of the work in the Northwest, both evangelic and national; by W. H. Golding on the Urgency and Encouragement of Work in the Northwest; by Miss Pearl Sprague on Work Among the Russians and Galicians in that Country. Solos were sung by Miss Hilda Hawkhurst and Dr. J. A. McIntyre. Selections from Ralph Connor's Prospector were read by Mrs. H. G. Colpitts, while Rev. H. G. Colpitts gave a short address on the work of Rev. Jeremiah Clark. The following six little girls gave a mission dialogue: Mable Elkin, Gertrude Phillips, Edna Myles, Louise W. White, Kitty Patterson and Edna McIntyre. L. E. Thorne was in the chair.

JIU JITSU FOR POLICE.

London Police Guardians to Be Trained in Japanese Art.
LONDON, March 28. — By order of Captain Nott-Bower, the whole of the members of the city of London police force are learning, in squads of sixty at a time, in the Snow Hill police station gymnasium, the Japanese method of self defence known as Jiu Jitsu.
From the police point of view, the favorite manoeuvre is that known as the wrist-and-coat grip. If an officer has a violent prisoner to deal with, he seizes the lapel of his coat with his right hand, pulls the man's left arm over his own right arm, and then with his left hand holds the man's wrist in such a way that he is absolutely powerless.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

People used to look for work by going from place to place and asking for it. It was just one of "the old ways." Nowadays the STAR want ads. do the "running about." Rate: 1-2 cent a word, six insertions for price of four. No adv. less than 25c.

FLATS TO LET.

TO LET—A small flat in central locality. Hot water heating and modern improvements. Address P. O. Box 279. 23-4-17.
TO LET—Lower flat in yard, containing five rooms, closets, etc. Two entrances. Rent \$5.00 a month. Apply at house, 45 Exmouth street. 20.3-6.
TO LET—Lower flat, 4 Wentworth. Contains double parlor and dining room, four bedrooms, bath, kitchen. Seen Wednesdays and Saturdays. Apply THOS. L. BOURKE, Walker's Wharf. 29-3-6.
TO LET—Upper and lower flats 20 Summer street, nine rooms each, modern improvements. Seen Wednesdays and Thursdays. Apply MRS. GAVIN RAINNIE, 20 Summer street. 27.4-17.
TO LET—Flat at 25 Sewell street. Apply on the premises. 25-3-6.
TO LET—From May 1st next, splendid flat (new house), 161 Queen street; moderate improvements; separate entrance; occupied by H. L. Everett, Esq.; seen Monday and Saturday afternoons between 4 and 5 o'clock. BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristers, 100 Prince street.
TO LET—The lower flat for work shop or warehouse, near 175 Princess street. Apply to H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN, Princess street.

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LEASE—Desirable building lots on Rockland road and Millidge Lane. Apply to B. V. MILLIDGE, Millidge Lane. 13.1-10.
TO LET—Store and office on west side of Smythe street, with flats on upper stories of same and adjoining building, at present in occupation of Mr. J. Sebert Frost. Electric elevator in connection. W. M. JARVIS. 25-3-6.
TO LET—Dwelling, No. 227 King street east; has all modern improvements. Also dwelling, No. 107 Princess street; can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. FRASER, FRASER & CO., 71 Gormann street. 16.3-4-17.
TO LET—Self-contained house, 35 Broad street, Steen Terrace, at present occupied by Mr. Joseph Doherty, pilot; is in first-class condition, with modern conveniences; seen Monday and Tuesday afternoons. Apply P. CAMPBELL & CO., 73 Prince William street.
Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," starting in the Star on Saturday.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE

WANTED—A strong boy. Apply at WHITE'S RESTAURANT, King street. 30.3-17.
WANTED—Manufacturer's agent calling on architects, builders, painters, retailers, etc., to handle agency of Montreal firm on commission. P. O. Box 386, St. John. 30.3-1.
WANTED—A smart boy about 16 years old, to assist in the retail shoe business. Applicants must have passed the eighth grade at school. WATERBURY & RISING, King street store.
WANTED—An experienced trunk maker. Steady work. Apply Peters Trunk Factory, Princess street. 23-3-6.
WANTED—A boy to learn the barber business. Apply to JOHN J. HOLLAND, No. 14 Haymarket square, St. John, N. B. 23.3-6.
WANTED—A brass finisher. Apply to W. H. STIRLING, Britain street. 23.3-6.
WANTED—Smart man to collect on outside route, also two men to take orders in city. COLLIER'S WEEKLY, 181 Prince William street. 27.3-6.
WANTED—A young man of good address for soliciting and collecting. Good opening for the right man. Must have good reference as to character; no experience needed, but must be reliable. Address J. Star Office. 29-3-6.
WANTED—Two boys to learn the carriage business, at EDGECOMBE'S CARRIAGE FACTORY, City road. 24.3-6.

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED—By young lady, position as trained nurse, has had 1 1/2 years training. Apply 68 Mecklenburg street.
WANTED—Daily employment, housecleaning or washing, or would assist in cooking. Address A. B., 239 Britain street, city.
WANTED—By a young lady of high school and business college training, also holding a second-class teacher's license, a position as stenographer in an office, or saleslady or cashier in a store. Best of references supplied. Willing to accept, at first, a small remuneration. Address A. B. C., care of this office.
WANTED—Situation by a young lady as bookkeeper or stenographer. Has had almost two years' experience in office work. Address "S. B.," Star office. 25.3-6.
WANTED—Daily employment. Understands cooking, or would help with an invalid. Address R. D., Star Office.
WANTED—To rent or purchase a medium sized house in city. Address J. T., Star office. 30.3-3.
WANTED—A canoe, either new or second-hand. Apply "CANOE," Star office.
WANTED—Stock saddle. Address, stating price, to "SADDLE," Star office.
WANTED—I want to buy a dog. Address, stating price, etc., to "FANCIER," Star office.
WANTED—By lady, two or three rooms. Unfurnished preferred. Address B. L., box 223 city.

It's a Go Cart

you want for the baby. They take up less room in the house than the four wheel carriage. Our new line has just been opened. The designs are the latest and prices the lowest.



\$3.50 to \$25.00

GEO. E. SMITH, 18 King St.

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.

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WANTED—Situation wanted by an experienced hardware clerk, capable of taking charge of any department. Good references. Address CLERK, Star office. 30.3-6.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN on city freehold security at low rate of interest. H. H. PICKETT, Canadian Life Building, Prince Wm. St., 6th floor. Take elevator.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

HAND WASHING done at GRAVES' HAND LAUNDRY, No. 6 Union Alley, near Opera House.
Smooth shaving at Jackson's, corner Church and Gormann street, 25-3-3 m.
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S Calling Cards, 100 for 75c. SUN OFFICE, 37 Canterbury street.

EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—a combination table vice, capital tool for either amateur or practical mechanic. A revolving piano stool or a steam-fitter's pipe cutter. Any of the above will be given in exchange for a revolving office chair. Address "CHAIR," Box 338, St. John.

BOARDING.

BOARDING—A small room suitable for a young lady, at MRS. NELSON'S, 40 Leinster street. 23-3-4.
BOARDING—Rooms with board. MRS. SHANKS, 156 King street, near Carmarthen street. 20-4-1 mo.

LOST.

LOST—This morning between Union, King and Charlotte streets, a purse containing \$250. Reward on returning to MRS. J. E. COX, 308 PRINCE ST. 23-3-4.
LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—On Sunday evening from King street (east), a black and spaniel pup, seven months old; answers to "Rabbit." Finder rewarded on returning the same to THOMAS McAVITY, 182 King street (east).
LOST—On Saturday, a bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded by returning them with A. H. HANINGTON, 27-3-17.

FOUND.

FOUND—A piece of cloth, lady's dress goods. Owner apply at Star office and pay for advt.

OUTSIDE SASHE'S.

Do you want them removed? Your shop or house remodelled? If so send a card to
A. E. HAMILTON,
Carpenter and Builder, 88 Exmouth St. Shop 209 Brussels Street.

Do You See Well?

Spectacles and Eyeglasses from 20c. up, to suit all eyes.
All kinds of Optical goods repaired.
H. GILBERT, 24 Mill Street.

KAISER HAS CANCER?

Germans Are Perturbed Over Health of Their Kaiser—His Appearance Lately Was a Shock.

BERLIN, Mar. 29. — Nothing occupies the German mind as much at the present time as the question of the Kaiser's health. The Kaiser is the victim of the dread disease which killed his father.
Ever since a Lisbon paper, some ten days ago, made the statement that the Kaiser had asked King Carlos of Portugal if he would receive him as his guest if the Kaiser should feel unable to stand the strain of travelling from there to Sicily without stopping, the ghost which is ever haunting the German people has once more arisen.
Forgotten are the disturbances in Poland, forgotten is every domestic question of importance, to give room only to the one all-important question—will the Kaiser return from his southern trip restored to perfect health, as the official statement says he will, as he is only suffering from the effects of overwork; or will it be as man who knows that his days are numbered, that he will be present at the marriage of his eldest son, who may soon be called upon to occupy his place?
WHY THE CONCEALMENT?
Why did the Kaiser conceal the fact that another operation had been performed in his throat if there was no danger? Why was it time and again stated that the only reason for the Kaiser's southern trip was his wish to accompany his convalescent son, until the truth was forced out by a statement in a foreign paper?
APPEARANCE SHOCKING.
The appearance of the Kaiser a month ago at the consecration of the Berlin cathedral was so shocking, and so pale and emaciated did he look that it was evident that only his iron will made his body respond to the demands of his official position.
The loss of the Kaiser at this moment would be a serious blow to Germany, for although there is apparently no danger of an immediate war with any power, clouds are gathering thick and fast on all sides, and the government is working feverishly to be as well prepared as possible when the storm breaks loose.

For Sale at Great Bargains.

Two 14k Solid Gold Double Chains, very latest pattern, at the price of old gold.
One 15 jewel Appleton Tracey Watch, in a Solid Gold Hunting Case.
One English Lever, in an 18k Solid Gold Hunting Case at a great bargain. These chains and watches will be sold at not much more than the price of old gold.
Money absolutely refunded if not as represented.
We will pay the highest cash prices for Ladies' and Gents' Second Hand BICYCLES, FUR CAPES, COLLARS and FUR-LINED COATS.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

THE Boston Second-Hand Store,
Cor. Dock and Union St., St. John, N. B.

ESCAPED FROM JAIL.

FREDERICKTON, March 29.—Ogden and the two Hectorors who are connected with the sensational escape from the police court this morning appeared before Judge Marsh at 5 o'clock this afternoon and were remanded for further examination. In consequence of the affair investigation in police matters will likely be held.
Devine, who is a ticket-of-leave man and comes from St. John, was arrested on suspicion of stealing an overcoat. He has been living here for some months with Melinda Hector. The woman and her brother, William, visited the police station at six o'clock in the morning, found the officer asleep, unlocked the cell door and let Devine out. Needless to say he has not been seen since.

HUTCH.

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1,030,186 VOTES LAST ELECTION.

OTTAWA, March 29.—The total vote cast in the Dominion election of November is at last officially declared. It is 1,030,186. This includes the Yukon. The vote in the previous general election of 1900 was 952,496.

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TO LET—A small flat in central locality. Hot water heating and modern improvements. Address P. O. Box 279. 23-4-17.
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TO LET—Lower flat, 4 Wentworth. Contains double parlor and dining room, four bedrooms, bath, kitchen. Seen Wednesdays and Saturdays. Apply THOS. L. BOURKE, Walker's Wharf. 29-3-6.
TO LET—Upper and lower flats 20 Summer street, nine rooms each, modern improvements. Seen Wednesdays and Thursdays. Apply MRS. GAVIN RAINNIE, 20 Summer street. 27.4-17.
TO LET—Flat at 25 Sewell street. Apply on the premises. 25-3-6.
TO LET—From May 1st next, splendid flat (new house), 161 Queen street; moderate improvements; separate entrance; occupied by H. L. Everett, Esq.; seen Monday and Saturday afternoons between 4 and 5 o'clock. BUSTIN & PORTER, Barristers, 100 Prince street.
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HOUSES TO LET.

TO LEASE—Desirable building lots on Rockland road and Millidge Lane. Apply to B. V. MILLIDGE, Millidge Lane. 13.1-10.
TO LET—Store and office on west side of Smythe street, with flats on upper stories of same and adjoining building, at present in occupation of Mr. J. Sebert Frost. Electric elevator in connection. W. M. JARVIS. 25-3-6.
TO LET—Dwelling, No. 227 King street east; has all modern improvements. Also dwelling, No. 107 Princess street; can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. FRASER, FRASER & CO., 71 Gormann street. 16.3-4-17.
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Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," starting in the Star on Saturday.

SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE

WANTED—A strong boy. Apply at WHITE'S RESTAURANT, King street. 30.3-17.
WANTED—Manufacturer's agent calling on architects, builders, painters, retailers, etc., to handle agency of Montreal firm on commission. P. O. Box 386, St. John. 30.3-1.
WANTED—A smart boy about 16 years old, to assist in the retail shoe business. Applicants must have passed the eighth grade at school. WATERBURY & RISING, King street store.
WANTED—An experienced trunk maker. Steady work. Apply Peters Trunk Factory, Princess street. 23-3-6.
WANTED—A boy to learn the barber business. Apply to JOHN J. HOLLAND, No. 14 Haymarket square, St. John, N. B. 23.3-6.
WANTED—A brass finisher. Apply to W. H. STIRLING, Britain street. 23.3-6.
WANTED—Smart man to collect on outside route, also two men to take orders in city. COLLIER'S WEEKLY, 181 Prince William street. 27.3-6.
WANTED—A young man of good address for soliciting and collecting. Good opening for the right man. Must have good reference as to character; no experience needed, but must be reliable. Address J. Star Office. 29-3-6.
WANTED—Two boys to learn the carriage business, at EDGECOMBE'S CARRIAGE FACTORY, City road. 24.3-6.

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED—By young lady, position as trained nurse, has had 1 1/2 years training. Apply 68 Mecklenburg street.
WANTED—Daily employment, housecleaning or washing, or would assist in cooking. Address A. B., 239 Britain street, city.
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WANTED—Situation by a young lady as bookkeeper or stenographer. Has had almost two years' experience in office work. Address "S. B.," Star office. 25.3-6.
WANTED—Daily employment. Understands cooking, or would help with an invalid. Address R. D., Star Office.
WANTED—To rent or purchase a medium sized house in city. Address J. T., Star office. 30.3-3.
WANTED—A canoe, either new or second-hand. Apply "CANOE," Star office.
WANTED—Stock saddle. Address, stating price, to "SADDLE," Star office.
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WANTED—By lady, two or three rooms. Unfurnished preferred. Address B. L., box 223 city.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One of the most desirable lots in Renfrew, six miles from the city, on the I. C. R. Apply to DR. G. O. HANNAH, 1 Coburg street, City. 23.3-17.
FOR SALE—A baby go-cart, drop front and throw back. Latest pattern. Apply at 61 Spring street, any forenoon.
FOR SALE—Beaver Lake Fishing Club—one share in this popular club. On application to P. O. Box 141. 27-3-6.
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I AM SOLE AGENT for Wheeler & Wilson, New Home, and Domestic Sewing Machines. I employ no agents or collectors. Needles of all kinds. Machines repaired or exchanged at 105 Princess street. WM. CRAWFORD. 29-3-6.
Business Still Continues to the Top Notch.
Both matinee and night audiences were the capacity at the York Theatre yesterday when the Sheelies-Young's Company gave their last performance of "A Working Girl's Wrong." For the balance of the week The White Slave will be the bill. The trials and tribulations of the beautiful slave, Lisa, by name, form the central theme of the play, which is replete with intensely dramatic situations, thrilling and unexpected climaxes. No stronger play was ever written.
New specialties will be given and Musical Taneans will have a new stunt or two. A matinee will be given Saturday.
SAVE THE COUPONS.
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ROOMS TO LET.

ROOMS TO LET—Private family in very central district have one large furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen. Address ROOMS, care of Star. 29-3-6.
TO LET—Business rooms to let, suitable for tailoring or other light business. Apply to C. P. CLARKE, 100 King street. 23-3-6.
TO LET—Store, corner City road and Haymarket square. Apply on premises. Top bell. 23.3-6.
TO LET—Every house in town try our House Keeper's Brand. Soft Coal, 1-2 ton will be put in your bin for \$2.50 or 1-2 ton Broad Cove in bin, \$2.75. GIBSON & CO., Smythe street and 61-2 Charlotte street. 29-3-2.
TO LEASE—A lot of land situated off Charlotte, in rear of Furlong property, suitable for barn or warehouse. For particulars enquire at 58 Sydney street. 24.3-6.
TO LET—From May 1st, two shops in basement of Ring building, corner Gormann and Church streets; suitable for storage. Rent, \$72. Apply to McLEAN & SWEENEY, 42 Princess.
TO LET—Building 263 King street (east), to be used as warehouse or barn. Apply to 108 Pitt street. 13-3-17.
TO LET—Premises 207 Charlotte street formerly occupied by Dr. Macauley, suitable for a doctor. Apply to Dr. Smith, 146 Charlotte street.

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COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPH RECORDS. Just received large stock Extra Loud, Super-hard Moulded Records—25c each. Suitable for Columbia Edison, or other Cylinder Talking Machine. BELL'S PIANO STORE, 75 Gormann street.
Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," starting in the Star on Saturday.

His Speech In Opposition To The Auto-
nomy Bill Was One Of The Strongest
Ever Heard In The Houses.

OTHER RESIGNATIONS.

There had been other resignation recent years. The minister of railways had resigned and Sir Wilfrid had been criticised for not resigning. Sir Wilfrid had met with a lot in one hand and a soporific in the other. History did not record who the trigger of the opposition was, but it had recorded the soporific had been applied and been effective. Today Sir Wilfrid reported to be facing Mr. Stirling in similar conditions. They did not know what the soporific was, but there were rumors that it would be powerful effective. Another minister had recently retired and they had to wait for him to reveal a soporific would be effective in that case. They would hope that at least one out of three would have the manliness to go out and to stay out on principle.

The Northwest members at first had been groping about blindly with their leader. They had fallen into a pit and groined and groined and groined back and gently led them to a higher and safer ground, (continue laughter). Those men were liable to bear the onus of the Northwest. If a difference or compromise in the attempt to fasten upon the Northwest the conditions concealed clause 16.

SIR Wm. MULOOCK.

Muloock made a bitter personal attack on the speaker, and declared that the speaker was a "decadent" and a "machine politician" and that the machine provinces had

THE HARKINS CO.

In His Power, one of the best Manager Harkins' big repertoire plays, drew a large and highly deluged audience to the Opera House last evening. The play was splendidly acted and thoroughly enjoyed. Tonight the company appeared in a double bill, *Chums*, and *Lost*. *Strayed or Spied*. This will afford play-goers a splendid evening's entertainment.

Friday evening *Dion Boucual's* best writing, *The Jilt*, will be given and on *Saturday Night*, *Lost New York*. *Saturday matinee*, *Brooklyn Bow*. The company of the old time audiences ere reassembled in *Opera House*. *Lost* in *New York* which will be billed for *Saturday Night*, is bound to attract a large audience for the performance exceptionally large, it would be safe to order early.

CENTENARY MISSION.

Dr. Bates' services in Central church yesterday were, as usual, largely attended. A solo by the organist, "The Lord's Prayer," with Bible reading at the clock, and a Mattins service at 11.15. The women's vice drew an unusually large assemblage of young people from the schools. The service was a very brief and very interesting one, and the Rev. Dr. Bates said to the children "The Law of the Lord."

A good congregation assembled for evening service. Dr. Bates' prayer was very effective, sermon on the "Compensation of Christ." During the service solos were rendered by Spencer and R. Morton. Smith sang large chorals and sang a number of hymns.

Today is the closing day of the mission. Services will be held at 8 o'clock at 4.15, at 7.15 and at 8.30.

The property includes about 37,000 acres of timber land.

Every ward in the Jefferson hospital is crowded at the present time with patients coming from a distance.

Fred Knight, who returned recently from British Columbia and was one of the undersmen in the M. M. hospital, is able to be out again.

HOCKEY PLAYER ACQUITTED

CORNWALLIS, March 29.—

Looney, the Maxville hockey player, has been on trial here as a character maulaughter in connection with the death of Alcide Laurin, another hockey player in a hockey match, who was killed by the jury of the character maulaughter.

Don't fail to read the great Rugby story, "A Soldier of the South," in the Sign on Saturday.

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Brindle's Spring Suit.

By W. WERNER.

The cow had a dignity which, although somewhat impaired, could not be wholly destroyed by her costume. One felt that she was not a cow to be trifled with. The large, irregular patch of white in her forehead gave her almost a sinister expression and while in her presence one refrained from laughing at her apparel, feeling instinctively that such rudeness would be promptly resented. And, indeed, she wore her somewhat tattered garments with an air that lent a certain style to them, whereas any other cow would have looked simply ridiculous.

She had been kept in the pasture through the early part of the summer, but the feed there was getting short, and she had been brought up from the obscurity of the back lot and was tethered beside the road. So this was her first public appearance, and she created quite a sensation.

Passers-by gazed at her with awe, which, when they got beyond her range of vision, turned to amusement. The man who was selling "Fly-Shy," the "Wonderful Protection for Man and Beast," warranted to keep all flies, gnats and mosquitoes at a distance of forty feet for forty hours after applying; also good for chapped hands, chilblains and an excellent hair-restorer," drove by. He stopped and looked long and earnestly at the cow, then sadly shook his head and drove on.

The tramp who was along the road, he paused and gazed at the cow respectfully. At length he took off his battered hat and made her a low bow. "It is plain to be seen by our clothing, madam, that we have both seen better days. You have my heartfelt sympathy."

The cow lifted her head and looked at him, then gave a contemptuous snort and returned to her feeding, while the tramp went on his way.

It was near noon when Eudora Lockwood came driving along with her big black horse, Lysander. When they came opposite the cow, Lysander shied out, then came to a standstill on the other side of the road, his body curved, his neck arched and his eyes glaring fixedly at the dreadful apparition.

Amasa Walcott was coming up from the corn field. He saw the situation and came out to the buggy. "Your horse seems to be afraid of my cow," he said courteously. "Let me lead him by."

"Oh, no!" cried Miss Eudora. "You can't lead him by. When Lysander takes a notion to stop you can't make him go on. You just have to wait till he gets ready to go."

It was the first time they had ever spoken to each other, though each knew the other by sight. Now they looked in each other's eyes, and their fate was sealed.

"And you submit to it?" said Amasa. "I wouldn't, I'd—"

"What would you do?" demanded Eudora. She glanced significantly at the cow. "I guess a man that'll rig up a cow in that style to keep her from being pestered by flies wouldn't do anything very desperate to a horse that happened to balk once in a while."

Amasa's face relaxed. "I-I guess I'd submit to it, too," he said. "But how long does the spell last?"

Eudora sighed. "Two hours sometimes. I can tell by his ears when he's willing to go on. I always carry some work with me to make the time pass. And she produced a tatted shuttle, drew off her gloves and set to work."

Amasa watched her active fingers in a sort of fascinated way. Finally he sighed and straightened up. "I've got some work to do," he said, "and I don't see as I can help you."

Eudora watched him as he walked briskly away. She saw him going from house to barn and from barn to hen house. Then she lost sight of him for a time.

The cow was looking expectantly toward the house and soon Amasa appeared bringing two pails of water. "Would your horse drink some, do you suppose?"

"Oh, no!" said Eudora. "Lysander never drinks at noon."

"Brindle always has two pails," he said.

He went back to the barn and soon she saw him coming with a horse's nosebag. He very calmly slipped Lysander's bridle back on his neck and fastened on the nosebag and Lysander began at once to munch oats contentedly.

Amasa returned to the house. He was gone some time, then came out with a well-filled pail and a cup and saucer.

"I'm afraid I'm not a very good cook," he said, apologetically, "but perhaps I'm a better than starving out here alone."

"Oh, thank you!" said Eudora, gratefully. "Won't you bring your dinner out this time?" She blushed after she had given the invitation.

"Certainly," said Amasa with alacrity, and he walked briskly toward the house, returning in an incredibly short time with his own plate and cup and saucer.

Eudora was still blushing, and her color deepened even more as she made room for Amasa beside her on the wide seat of the low phaeton.

"Well, now," he said in a tone of satisfaction, "this is what I call pleasant. It isn't so much fun as folks may think to eat all by yourself with no one to talk to. This seat is real comfortable, and Lysander showed good judgment by stopping in the shade."

"He is a horse of great intelligence," said Eudora, proudly.

"Well, Brindle knows a lot, too," said Amasa, gazing at her almost fondly. "Folks don't realize how much sense animals have."

Brindle was lying down now, her draperies falling in graceful folds about her. The thought came to Eudora that if occasion required Brindle would know how to manage a train with grace and dignity.

"How did you make it?" she asked in an awed voice.

A pained expression crossed Amasa's face. "I—I don't know," he said. "I used old bran sacks, that's all I can tell. He passed his hand across his forehead. "It—It was terrible," he said, brokenly. "And when it wears out, I—well, I actually don't dare to think of it!"

"I think you did real well," said Eudora, trying to be comforting. Suddenly Amasa's face brightened. "You are a dressmaker, ain't you?" he asked eagerly.

Eudora nodded. "Well, then," he cried joyfully, "I can get you to make the next one for me."

He looked so relieved that Eudora could not find it in her heart to refuse her professional services.

They lingered some time over their dinner, then Amasa put the plates and cups and saucers together and with a heavy sigh got out of the buggy and carried them to the house. He returned shortly and relieved Lysander of his nose-bag.

He started back to the house, walking more and more slowly; then stopping short he took the bag to the ground and came back to the buggy with a determined air.

"I don't know what you'll think of me," he said. There was a troubled look in his eyes. "I know it's a short acquaintance, but—I-I think we know each other pretty well already. We are both sort of alone in the world, and—"

He floundered helplessly. Eudora had turned her head aside and was looking down, giving him no assistance.

"Do you suppose—" he went on, desperately; "do you think Lysander and Brindle would get on well together?"

"I don't know why they wouldn't," Eudora said, softly, and Amasa caught her fingers joyously in his own.

Eudora saw by Lysander's ears that he was at last ready to go, but it was not for fully half an hour later that she appeared to discover his state of mind. Of course, it was a sort of deception and very improper, but then they were just engaged and naturally had many things to say to each other.

REDUCE HOURS OF STUDY.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The board of education today voted to reduce the hours of study for pupils in the first year of the elementary schools of this city from five to three and a half hours and abolish such studies as have been termed "drills and facts."

This done away during the first year with the teaching of sewing, physical training, organized games, physiology and hygiene, and to a great extent with instruction in drawing.

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

A BAD SCARE.

Excited Bull Causes Panic in New York.

NEW YORK, March 23.—A big gray bull reared wild today, left a wake of excitement and panic clear across the city from west to east on the line of Forty-second street. He sprang into public notice at Forty-second street and Eighth avenue, by knocking a bicycle rider down, and he ended his performances by jumping into the East River and swimming out to a reef south of Blackwell's Island, where he was lassoed and dragged away by some men in a row boat.

It is supposed that the animal escaped from one of the west side stock yards. He appeared at Forty-second street and Eighth avenue, from the direction of the North River, just as the matinee crowds were gathering, and there was a rush for shelter. After overturning a man on a bicycle, he dashed through Times square, scattering pedestrians left and right. Cab drivers got their vehicles tangled up in efforts to take side streets, and the entrances of theatres, hotels and restaurants facing the square were closed in a hurry.

After holding undisputed possession of the square for nearly 15 minutes, he continued the journey, first by Bryant park and then to the Grand Central station, where he knocked down a woman and a baby carriage. Then away he sped down Thirty-fifth street, where his attention was attracted by a woman attired in brilliant red. She ran for a doorway, but the animal was quickly overtaking her when a man ran to her assistance and tricked the animal into turning toward him. The rescuer then had a few busy minutes dodging around Thirty-fifth street, where his attention was attracted by a crowd of women and children near the stairs of an elevated railway station, and scattered another crowd waiting for a boat near a ferry house. He then made a dash at the gate of the slip, crashed through it and plunged into the river. In the river he swam to a ledge of rocks south of Blackwell's Island, and perched there until lassoed and hauled ashore by two men who went out to him in a row boat.

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Every 10c. package of Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco contains a coupon which is valuable for premiums.

MAY HAVE A BRANCH HERE.

George W. Parsons, who represents the Chamber-Massey firm of Toronto, manufacturers of surgical instruments, leaves this morning for Halifax. This firm intends establishing a branch in the maritime provinces, the headquarters of which will be at either Halifax or St. John. An independent company has been organized to handle the business of the maritime provinces, B. H. Newfound.

Dr. Daniel, M. P., and Dr. Emery will be interested in the new company.

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Thursday, March 35th.

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New grey veilings, very pretty new designs, 25c., 35c

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Embroidered linen banding for ladies' collars and cuffs, 28c

Creme de chene, in all shades, for making rosettes, fronts, etc.

Black lace collars, shoulder, \$1.50 and up.

Blue silk illusion for rosettes, 30c yard.

Long "shirt waist" string ties, all shades, 25c.

Men's faggot stitch collars and cuffs.

Misses' collars and cuffs.

New ribbon collars, popular, 15c.

"Hairlight" puff combs, 35c.

"Parted puff" combs, the latest, 35c.

Cream taffeta silk belts, 29c.

New finished leather belts, 40c., 75c.

"Buster Brown" belts, colors and blk, 40c.

Patent "Buster Brown" belts, 25c.

Girls' "Mannish" kid gloves, also for ladies with short fingers—splendid gloves, 75c.

Ladies' "Mannish" gloves, new makes, in browns, tans and ox blood, \$1.25

New Golf Jerseys, very pretty, \$2.75

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HIS WATERLOO.

Job had lost his patience. "How in the world did it ever happen?" gasped the multitude. "Why," thundered Job, "they put me to the test by asking me to wait my turn in a barber shop on Saturday night!"

IN THE MARKET.

Eva Richy—Oh, I really don't think the count is marrying me for my money. There seems to be a bond of sympathy between us. Edna Sinick—Then it must be a gold bond.

ON THE EAST SIDE

C. P. R. Steamers Will Discharge Local Freight.

The first C. P. R. steamer to discharge local freight on the east side is the Lake Michigan, which moved over from Sand Point yesterday afternoon and berthed at the McLeod wharf. At this season of the year there is so much freight for St. John merchants that the landing of it on this side is a great convenience. Some of the steamship lines doing business here have in the past landed their stuff on this side, but the C. P. R. boats have never before done so. They will, however, land local stuff here for the remainder of the season. The officers of the steamer are not altogether pleased with the change under conditions such as exist at present. The McLeod warehouse has been used all along by the Donaldson line, and in it now are stored some seven thousand bags of coal. This takes up a large part of the available space, and the men employed in unloading the Michigan have experienced some difficulty in finding room for the freight which is being landed from that steamer.

When all this local freight has been landed the shed will be in a congested state, and the next steamer of the Donaldson line, the Indrami, will in all probability have to discharge her stuff at the Pettengill wharf. The warehouse on this wharf is full of salt, and there will in all likelihood be further congestion there. Then the Athenia of the Donaldson line will be due this day week and will have to go to the corporation pier, where the warehouse is full of molasses. Taking it altogether there is rather a crush of freight on the east side.

ACCIDENT ON I. C. R.

Truro Trainmen Lose a Limb and Had One Hand Badly Hurt.

HALIFAX, March 23.—A bad accident occurred early this morning on the Intercolonial at Oxford Junction, by which Stanley McCulloch, a trainman belonging to Truro, will be maimed for life. He was engaged shunting, when one of his feet became fast in a split switch. The men in charge of the train in the darkness did not notice his perilous position in time to stop, and the train bore down on him, throwing him to the track, the wheels of one of the cars passing over one of his legs, crushing it in a fearful manner. One of his hands was also badly mangled. The injured leg was amputated, and he will lose a portion of his hand. Conductor James McDonald of the I. C. R. is a half brother of McCulloch.

BURNED TO DEATH.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 23.—Mrs. John Thompson of Pacific avenue, who was horribly burned by gasoline yesterday afternoon, died at midnight. Her husband was succeeded to death while attempting her rescue. Mrs. Thompson attempted to light a fire with coal oil.

SUPREME COURT CHAMBERS.

Yesterday forenoon before the chief justice sitting in equity, upon application of M. N. Cockburn, K. C., of St. Andrews, an order was made appointing Josephine Cook, the guardian of Earl Matthews, Wesley Matthews, Samuel Matthews, Lucy Matthews, Raymond Matthews, Herman Matthews, and Harmon Matthews, the infant children of Enoch Matthews, late of the parish of St. George, and also an order for the sale of the real estate of the infants for their support and education.

OTTAWA ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

OTTAWA, March 23.—The Ottawa electric light bill, giving a private company the monopoly of electric power in the capital, was passed tonight by a vote of 89 to 58. Mulock resumed the autonomy bill debate at nine o'clock.

ANOTHER DEAL.

David Russell Sells Out Once More.

MONTREAL, March 23.—David Russell has sold his controlling interest in the Montreal Trust and Deposit Company to an American syndicate represented by R. Wilson Smith on private terms. The capitalization of the trust company is \$1,000,000.

A large number of shares have been applied for by Thomas Fyvie and Merchants Bank directors, as it was generally understood that Fyvie would become president of the trust company after his retirement from the bank in June.

It appears there has been some difference between Russell and the Merchants Bank management and directors over the recent Lake of the Woods deal. This, it is stated, has brought about bad feeling.

OPPOSITION TO PREMIER.

Mr. St. Martin Chosen as Labor Candidate Against Hon. Mr. Gouin.

MONTREAL, March 23.—It is now definitely settled that the Hon. Mr. Gouin will have opposition to his re-election in St. James Division. As already stated, Albert St. Martin, official stenographer, to be the standard-bearer of the labor party in the approaching by-election. That choice was ratified by the Labor Political and Literary Club, and as Mr. St. Martin accepts the candidature, a poll will be granted at the nomination on Monday next.

The main ground set forth for the opposition to the premier is his attitude towards Mr. Parent, whose Montreal supporters blame the methods which brought on his downfall.

Mr. St. Martin will be remembered as having taken an active part in the last provincial elections, working actively against the government candidate, Mr. LeCombe, in St. Mary's division, with the result that he is no longer in charge of the stenographic writing of the Court of King's Bench. For some years past he has exposed the labor cause, and is the chief promoter in Montreal of the Esperanza movement.

The main plank of the platform of the opposition candidate will be: The appointment of a minister of public instruction, free and compulsory education, suppression of convict manufactured goods, suppression of child labor for children under fourteen, making employers responsible for accidents to employees.

RAINBOW GIVES PLEASURE.

Just as a rainbow in the heavens is a delight to the artist, so Rainbow Cut Plug Tobacco in the pipe is a delight to the smoker.

SEAMEN'S MISSION.

The Seamen's Mission Society beg to acknowledge with thanks the following donations of magazines, carpets and flowers at the Seamen's Institute during the month: Mrs. H. White, Mrs. Wm. Gwynor, Mrs. A. R. McLaren, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Mrs. A. R. Carlos, Mrs. W. Holt, Mrs. C. Johnston, Mrs. F. W. Wisdom, Mrs. G. Weldon, Mrs. S. L. Gorbell, Mrs. Thomas Fuller, Mrs. H. A. Cruikshank, Geo. McAvity, G. Boyne, I. Andrews, C. H. Hutchings, J. W. Cassidy, C. Morrison, J. H. Crockett, W. Colwell, Rev. C. Comben, Rev. W. Thompson, Mrs. LeBaron Vaughan, Mrs. D. Tennant, Mrs. S. Emerson, Mrs. G. Horton, Mrs. S. Hoyt, Mrs. P. Piper.

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Don't do tomorrow what you can do today, but leave your measure at once, as our stock of cloths is large and new. Come early and secure the best choice. Come and examine our cloths, also see window display.

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Boys' 3-Piece Suits, in Tweeds and Oxfords, worth \$4.00, now \$2.40.

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Men's Pants in abundance and variety, 75 cts. a pair to \$3.50, 75c. lower than usually sold in other stores.

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Special Sale of TIES in both Strings and Flowing Ends, - 25cts. Latest Spring Styles Men's Shirts, soft fronts, for Spring and Summer, - 50cts. to \$1.25

Save Money by Buying at the

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consisting of chambrays, gingham and novelty cotton goods in lengths from two to ten yards. A lot of waist lengths at 20c, 25c and 30c for the piece. This makes the outlay for a new spring waist very small, especially if you make it up yourself.

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There are only 500 yards in this lot, so if you wish to participate in the bargain you will need to be one of the first comers. The regular value is 15c.



This \$1.50 Corset

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At \$1.00.

It is a perfect fitter, and made from the best materials that are put in corsets. Sizes 19 to 30.

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Blueberry Pies!

DO YOU LIKE THEM? We have the Blueberries (put up in cans, but just like fresh). Will make you think it is summer time. Our price is only 1c. per tin, 6 tins for 45c. Regular price is 10c.

Apples, 25c. peck; Delaware Potatoes, 20c.; 10c. Prunes for 5c. lb.

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TENDER STEAK CUT FROM FRESH WESTERN BEEF.

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HAIR CUTTING by EXPERT Operators at Pierce Shaving Parlor, 28 Dock Street.

WALL PAPERS!

We have about 1,000 rolls Wall Paper to sell at once. 5c. papers, 6c. roll; 7c. papers, 8c. roll; 9c. papers, 10c. roll; 12c. papers, 14c. roll. These papers are bargains at our regular prices. Curtain Poles, wood or brass trimmings, 25c. each; Brass Curtain Rods, 5c. and 10c. each; Window Shades on Rollers, 15c. to 60c. each. Lace Curtains, 25c. to \$2.50 pair.

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An elegant combination in which are united the nutriment of Beef, the tonic powers of Iron, and the stimulating properties of Wine. As a nutritive tonic in the treatment of impaired nutrition, impoverishment of the blood, and in all forms of general debility, it is of great value.

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Every Purchaser, Tonight, is entitled to a pretty Calendar of 1905.

A Cotton Hosiery Sale Tonight.

Just for a starter, we place on Sale a lot of Hermsdorf Seamless Cotton Hose, good weight, sizes 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. Ladies' size.

16c. Pair,

Worth 25c.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets. Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All changes of Ads Must be in Star Office, Not Later than 10 o'clock in the Morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast—Moderate to fresh south to southwest winds; fine and very mild today. Friday, a few local showers. Synopsis—Showers are occurring in the Lake region and cooler weather prevails in the Northwest. Winds to Banks and American Ports, south to southwest becoming moderate to fresh. Highest temperature during the past 24 hours, 59; lowest temperature during the past 24 hours, 32; temperature at noon, 45.

Broad Cove \$3.40 (delivered). Gibbon & Co.

Ten large sacks Coke put in bin \$2.25. Phone 116 Gas Works.

One drunk was fined \$8 or 30 days at the police court this morning.

Albert Holm has been reported for fighting dogs on Gormann street.

William Padmore has been reported for keeping a ferocious dog unmuzzled on Murray street.

The Canadian Pacific steamer "Empress of China" left Hong Kong on Wednesday, March 23rd, for Vancouver.

Don't fail to read the great Russian story, "A Soldier of Commerce," starting in the Star on Saturday.

Hot Baked Beans—Delicious, savory, appetizing, 15c. per crock—C. O. D. Send order by postal card to Mrs. H. S. Collins, 157 Sydney street.

For sale cheap, a carload of good table and seed potatoes. Apply to E. S. Dibble, 20 Pond street. Tel. 962. 30-2

Any one finding a badge labeled "Jeff's Driver," lost yesterday, will confer a favor by returning the same to No. 1 book and ladder station, King street east.

McArthur's special sale of wall papers now on. Bargains in all departments. 20,000 rolls offered at half price. All remnants at less than half price. Bargains in odd lots of all goods. New goods now ready for inspection at McArthur's, 84 King street.

Rev. J. D. Williams, of Indianapolis, spoke at the "men only" in Union Hall, North End, Sunday, at 8 p. m., on the "Secret Confessional." This lecture was to have been given in York Theatre last Sunday, but was postponed on account of sickness.—Adv.

Last evening a horse attached to a light delivery wagon sauntered slowly down Chipman Hill, with no driver in sight. It worked its way carefully between some other wagons at the bottom of the hill, and after having had its fill of water, backed out again and proceeded to saunter as slowly up King street.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The C. P. R. steamer Montclair arrived off the island last night and docked this morning. She is from Bristol and has a large cargo. The Manchester Corporation reached the island last night and came up the harbor this morning.

The C. P. R. steamer Lake Michigan shifted yesterday from No. 3 berth to No. 1 berth, Sand Point, yesterday morning to take in cargo for Glasgow. J. E. Moore & Co. yesterday chartered the bark Cordelia to load 2000 lbs. of John for W. C. E. or E. C. Ireland at 35c. 6d.

The steamer Governor Dingy, of the Eastern Steamship line, has been placed on the Portland-Boston route. The Calvin Austin is being overhauled before being placed on the St. John route for the summer business.

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THE FISH MARKET.

Fresh Fish Plenty and Prices Fair—Salt Cod Scarce.

If the Westport III. reaches port in good time, there will be an abundance of fresh fish for town. If she does not, there will probably be plenty for all, with prices about as follows: Cod, 15c. Haddock, 15c. Halibut, 15c. Salmon, 14-20c. Mackerel, 15c. Gasperaux, each, 12c. Black bass, 15c. White fish, 12c. Blue fish, 18c. Butter fish, 15c. Pike, 10c. Herring, 15c. Smelts, 10-12c. Smoked fish as usual. Salt cod is hard to obtain and that on the market is bringing a big figure. The wholesalers are asking \$5 per hundred lbs. and the prospects are that this price will prevail, if not increase, till the new fish comes in two months hence.

STOLE PAPERS TO BUY CANDY.

Michael O'Donnell, a little boy of 12 years, was before the police magistrate this morning for stealing papers from a shop door on Main street. The youngster said he had been doing it for three or four mornings. It was a copy of one of the morning papers, and he sold it to buy candy. He seemed to have no knowledge of the gravity of the offence and told his story in a very straightforward manner. Sentence will be passed at three o'clock this afternoon.

Have a meritorious article and keep it constantly before the public.—Manager Burgess White Sewing Machine Co., Cleveland.

RIVER OPENING EARLY.

Ice Everywhere is Rotting Fast—It Will

Probably Be Out Before the Roads

Are Fit to Use.

James Erb, a farmer from Bellisle, drove to the country market today with a considerable quantity of stuff and reports that he had a particularly hard time in getting to the city, as the roads are in an awful state. The Bellisle and Kennebecasis are still frozen solid, although there is several feet of water and slush on top of the strong ice.

People driving along the main river hope for an early opening. Already considerable ice has moved in the bay and some reports say that the channel is clear as far up as Bely's Point. At Fredericton the ice is so weak that it is not safe to cross, while at several other points it is rotting fast. It is expected that when the break does come the river will clear rapidly.

Farmers, however, complain that if the river does open early they will be unable to take advantage of it, as it will be impossible for those who have to travel any distance to haul stuff over the roads for some time.

As an example of the condition of the roads in the vicinity of the city, a milk dealer told the Star this morning that the milk brought to the city each morning by him travelled the first part of the journey on a sled and the last part on wheels. This is the state of affairs all over the county.

FOUND DEAD IN THE STREET.

Adolphus Hepburn, a Milkman, Dropped

Dead While Making His Rounds

Early This Morning.

Adolphus Hepburn, milk man, living on Lombard street, was found dead on the sidewalk a short distance from his home about six o'clock this morning.

Isaac Stevens was walking along Lombard street, when he saw a man lying on the sidewalk. He hastened to him and found that he was dead and must have been dead several hours as his body was cold. Stevens did not know the man and he raised an alarm and the people who lived nearby recognized the lifeless body as that of Adolphus Hepburn. Coroner Berryman was immediately notified and he gave an order to have the remains removed to his late home.

Mr. Hepburn had a lantern with him and his clothes were burnt where he fell, but his body was not. He left his home at an early hour, about two o'clock, and as he had not gone far it is presumed that he was dead three or four hours before he was found.

Coroner D. E. Berryman said to the Star this morning that there would be no need of an inquest as Mr. Hepburn had died of heart failure.

A REFORM IN THE MARKET.

Market Clerk Makes a Much Needed Improvement.

One of the latest market improvements is the setting apart of a portion of the building for skinning calves. It is the new corporation pier to discharge the city all dressed with the exception of the removal of the skin. In the past, when a carcass was sold the skin was removed and the carcass hung, sometimes in the centre aisle, which would be crowded with purchasers, many of them ladies. This state of affairs, the clerk of the market decided, must be remedied, so the present place was arranged. One section on the south side of the building was reserved for the carcasses, affording excellent light, and it is generally a very busy spot these days, as a large number of calves are received at the market daily.

FUNERALS TODAY.

The funeral of the late William H. Bolt took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, Lancaster Heights. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Sampson and Rev. Mr. Scoville. Interment was at Cedar Hill.

The funeral of the late Elizabeth Hutchings took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of C. H. Hutchings, 73 Mecklenburg street. The service was conducted by Rev. Messrs. Marshall, Campbell and Marr. Interment was at Fernhill.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at Red Head the funeral of the late Mrs. A. M. Dewar took place from her residence. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Halney. Interment was at Fernhill.

A MONCTON SWINDLER.

A young man, supposed to be from Moncton, has lately been "working" a good many people in the various towns along the North Shore. He claimed to be representing the Police Gazette newspaper in New York, and solicited subscriptions for it, offering premiums to those who subscribed. Altogether he secured a considerable sum of money, but in Bathurst his actions aroused suspicions, though he left the town in time to escape any inconvenient investigations.

HINTS TO PIPE-SMOKERS.

The wise smoker should have at least three good pipes, and use them in turn. Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco gives the greatest satisfaction.

C. V. Wetmore and Mrs. Wetmore of Sydney, are at the Dufferin. Mr. Wetmore says that work has been continued all winter at Lepreau, where the company with which he is connected have what they believe to be extensive and valuable iron deposits. As soon as spring opens and the Shore Line gets moving once more, more men will be engaged and the drilling operations extensively prosecuted.

PERSONALS.

Henry A. Drury sailed from New York on the steamer "Kron Prinz" for Germany on 21st instant. He will reside in Hamburg and have charge of the Standard Oil Company's business in Germany. Mr. Drury's many old friends in New Brunswick will be glad to know of his promotion and success. Mrs. Drury's health is fully restored by the change in climate from St. John to Cleveland, Ohio, where they have lived for several years.

The marriage of Miss Bessie Trites, of Moncton, daughter of the late J. S. Trites, to Garfield White, son of C. T. White, of Apple River, takes place next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Hurder, 59 Murray street, were agreeably surprised the other evening when a party of friends presented them with a handsome parlor lamp, a fancy rocker, and several pieces of china, as a token of their esteem.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. S. S. Manchester Corporation, 3586, Heath, from Manchester; mds. Coastwise—Sch. Emma P. Story, 40, Gough, St. Andrews. Sch. Fin Back, 24, Ingersoll, from St. Andrews.

Cleared. British schr. Tay, 124, Sprague, for Norwalk, Conn; manu. of Canada. S. S. Manchester Merchant, 2707, White, Philadelphia; mds.

Schr. Georgia E, 88, Wasson, for New Bedford, Mass.; man.

Sch. Oriole, 124, Tower, for Salem; mds.

Coastwise—Sch. Springhill, 96, Cook, for Parrsboro.

Sch. Emma P. Story, 40, Gough, for St. Martins.

Sch. G. Walter Scott, 75, Donough, for St. Martins, N. B.

Sch. Thela Pearl, 23, Wadlin, for Beaver Harbor.

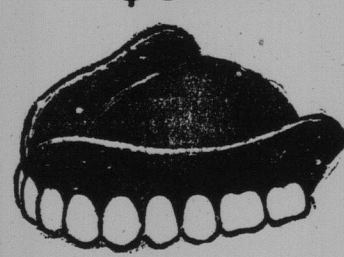
QUEER CUSTOMS RULES.

Stuff Has to Be Hauled to the Customs House to Be Appraised.

A merchant called the attention of the Star this morning to a big consignment of wire rope in coils that weighed fully three tons and which the Star's informant said would all have to be taken to the customs house for the appraisers to examine and then hauled to the vessel it was intended for.

"Say," suggested one who overheard the conversation, "what a lot of fun they would have with a big engine or boiler? These new regulations are all right for the truckmen but to my way of thinking it is easier to take the appraiser to the stuff than the stuff to the customs house. Mohammed had to go to the mountain."

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Gold filling from \$1.00; Silver and other filling from 50c.; plates repaired, from 50c.

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Our Men's Suits at \$10.00 equal any Tailor-made Suit at \$18.00.

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Wet or Dry?

If you prefer them wet—why just go without Rubbers these days. If you prefer them dry, bring your feet here and our Rubbers will give them protection.

For Men—Low cut, and Storm Rubbers, Self-Acting Rubbers, 85c, 95c and \$1.00.

For Women—Low cut, and Storm Rubbers, Croquet Rubbers and Footholds, 60c, 65c.

For Children—School Rubbers in high and low cut, 40c, 50c.

We handle no trash in Rubbers. We guarantee our kind of Rubber Footwear.

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This Week Only, We will Sell a Complete DINNER SET, 95 Pieces, For \$5.25.

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ALL PURCHASERS of Regular 40c. TEA, which we sell at 29c. a lb., will get 18 lbs. of best Cane Sugar for \$1.00. Mixed Pickles 9c a bottle, 3 for 25c; 7 one pound cans of Baked Beans for 25c; Chewing Tobacco from 25c a lb. up; Smoking Tobacco from 35c a lb. up; 8 bars of Soap for 25c; Flour, Oatmeal and Cornmeal less than wholesale prices, Bananas 15c a dozen, Bahama Oranges 15c and 25c a dozen, at

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are manufactured in Switzerland on the factory plan of American watches. They combine the fine finish of the Swiss with the time-keeping qualities of the American watch. We are showing in our window three grades of these watches at exceptionally low prices.

7 Jeweled Gilt Movements in Nickel Case \$ 5.00

15 Jeweled Gilt Movements in Silver Cases 8.00

15 Jeweled Metal Movements in Hematite Cases 10.00

L. L. SHARPE, Watchmaker & Optician, 25 King St., St. John, N.B.

Timely Advice to All Who Contemplate Buying Carpets this Spring.

By This Week's Mail from Great Britain we have received notices from all the leading carpet manufacturers of another advance in the price of carpets. Any orders placed with them after this date will be at the advanced rates. Our prices today for Brussels, Wiltons, Tournay Velvets, Saxony Velvets and Extra Wiltons are from

5c. to 20c. Per Yard Less Than They Will Be in a Very Short Time

Book Your Orders With us at Once and save the advance. We were fortunate to get our new Spring Stock in at the old prices. If you do not want your carpets delivered until May we will have them made and stored for you. All carpets in stock will be sold at the Old Prices until further notice, but all goods arriving after this date will have to be sold at the advanced figures.

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