

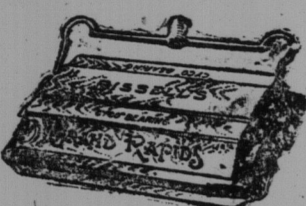
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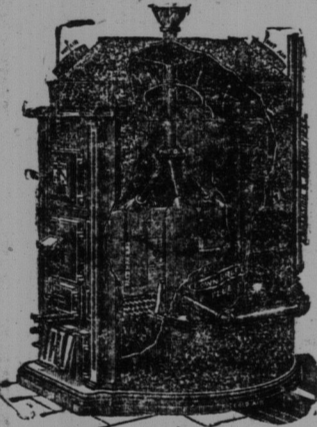


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MOOSE INVADE ST. JOHN CITY.

Three Big Ones Came in This Morning.

One Made Himself Perfectly at Home—It Came in Response to An Invitation.

The small boy in his blue today. A moose—a big, black, good-natured brute—came into town about six o'clock this morning. Starting at indignant, it rambled about until it reached Lower Cove, followed by retinue of small boys. A moose on the streets of St. John is an unusual sight, and the present case aroused keen interest. People did not hesitate a moment to go two or three blocks out their way to see the strange animal. But the small boy was the most interested spectator. From the time he first caught sight of the big, ungainly creature not once did he lose sight of it, and in all probability if the moose remains in town until tomorrow, the small boy will bear him company through the weary hours of the night. The moose itself manifests perfect fearlessness of the boys—in fact, it seems to take delight in their presence. It allows them to approach him and accepts dainties from their hands. It will certainly not want for a dinner while it remains in St. John. Probably the first man to encounter the moose was Geo. W. Mullin, of 641 Main street. At dusk this morning, while Mr. Mullin was riding up Main street on his bicycle, he heard a noise behind him. He hardly had time to turn his head when the big animal rushed past, barely escaping the wheel. Mr. Mullin's hair stood up. The next man to see the moose was James T. Carpenter, of North End. Since then it has been seen by nearly everyone in town. The moose made its way through Paradise row, into Winter street and up Summer street. There it was seen shortly before seven o'clock in Conductor James Millican's field of vision. It was not long before a crowd had assembled. After remaining in that vicinity for about an hour the moose cut through to Spring street and thence made its way to the foot of Mecklenburg street, where it was last seen reclining, surrounded by a group of boys. The boys were feeding it and giving it water, and it which it accepted with evident gratefulness. Two other moose were seen swimming across the bay this morning. One of them swam across the bow of the ferry. They landed on the Carleton side and headed for the woods. John Hiddington and friend, while driving out the Sandy Point road, near Howe's Lake, a few moose, including a bull and cow moose. Different people report meeting moose near the city. Some believe that the big animal which rambled about the streets today must be conscious that this is the season and that he is, therefore, immune from molestation. No other reason can be imagined for his bold entrance into the habitation of humans. About two o'clock the bewildered animal was captured and carried out to the woods near the park, where it was released. WHY IT CAME W. E. Raymond, of the Royal Hotel, was much troubled by a man this morning. Mr. Raymond has a reputation for the Atlantic to the Pacific of taking the best of care of his guests, and to his friends today he told of his deep regret at not being at home when a visitor called whom he had invited. The fact urged to call on him while away in June last. According to Mr. Raymond one beautiful June day in company with C. D. Jones, they were strolling in the vicinity of the club house at Koopeknickook when they met two moose, a male and female. They invited the moose to come to St. John and impressed upon them the tercentenary celebration, but promised to come later. They had at first some doubts as to their safety, but Mr. Raymond explained the game laws, which were being towed out by the tug Merid. Both were considerably amused. "And now," said Mr. Raymond, "that trusting moose called and we were not on hand to receive it. Undoubtedly it first started to find Mr. Jones, who lives on Wright street, but was misled and got into summer street. Later on visiting Dorchester street it found my house locked up. A mean welcome after all we promised to do. It is certainly too bad, too bad." Then of a sudden his face brightened and he asked this question that staggered the reporter: "Why, didn't the blame thing telephone?" Every dollar is a servant—and should be kept busy, else the servants become the masters. Works for dollars can be found through the want ads, as readily as work for men. THE GOVERNMENT'S CONSTANCE COLLIDED in the harbour this afternoon with the scho. Ruth Robinson, which was being towed out by the tug Merid. Both were considerably damaged. Schoner Genevieve, Capt. Butler, arrived in port this morning from Stanford, Conn., in ballast. The public schools open a fortnight from next Monday. DEATHS WEATHERHEAD—On the 6th inst., Mrs. Weatherhead, wife of John Weatherhead, in her 90th year, after a short illness. Funeral tomorrow (Wednesday) at 3 o'clock.

RECENT JAP VICTORY WAS GREATEST OF WAR.

The Rout of the Russians Was Complete—Russians Claim Japs Have Lost 23,000 at Port Arthur.

GENERAL KUROKI'S HEADQUARTERS IN THE FIELD, via Seoul, Aug. 1.—(Delayed in transmission).—Yesterday's battle was the most important which General Kuroki's army has fought since crossing the Yalu. Many more Russians were engaged than in any former battle. They occupied an equally strong position and had much more artillery and were better acquainted with the country, having for a long time occupied the area over which the Japanese manoeuvred. The Japanese victory on this occasion is not more important than that of the Yalu, was won against greater odds and was consequently a better test of the mettle of their troops and more creditable to their valor. The result was that the Japanese gained ten miles or more on their advance toward Liao Yang. How far the Russians have retreated is not known yet, but only one strong strategic and defensive position intervenes between General Kuroki's army and Liao Yang. That position, situated eight miles south of that of the Yalu, was won against greater odds and was consequently a better test of the mettle of their troops and more creditable to their valor. The result was that the Japanese gained ten miles or more on their advance toward Liao Yang.

PROSPEROUS ODDFELLOWS. Reports of Grand Officers Show Encouraging Increase in Membership and Finances.

PRELIMINARY REPORT. Aug. 8.—The 4th annual session of the Grand Encampment of the I. O. O. F. for the Maritime Provinces, convened this morning at Oddfellows' Hall, Grand Patriarch Grant was in the chair. The grand patriarch delivered his annual address. He spoke of the encouraging state of the order and said he was pleased to report a gain both in membership and in vested funds. He referred to the new encampments formed during the year and visitations Grand Scribe McKean's report was lengthy as well as interesting. There had been an increase in membership of 74. He referred feelingly to those who had passed away, mentioning in this connection M. A. Rose, M. M. Mabou, Stephen Stuart, Robt. Keith, Jos. Key and C. B. Nichols. There are six grand encampments in membership of 1,615.81; expenditures \$1,813.31. The amount of funds invested by subordinate encampments is \$3,757.48. Grand Treasurer Sampson also submitted his report, being crowded to the which is contained in that of the grand scribe.

PHYTHIAN KNIGHTS AT MONCTON. Grand Lodge Meets Under Favorable Circumstances—Fashionable Wedding in Moncton.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 8.—The Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, met at eleven o'clock this morning. The first session was devoted to conferring Grand Lodge degrees. A parade and competitive drill takes place this afternoon. The weather is delightful and there is a large attendance of Knights. Flags are flying in all parts of the town in honor of the visitors. The social event of the afternoon took place this morning, when Miss Wilhelm, the youngest daughter of Senator McCreaney, was united in marriage to Dr. A. R. Myers, one of Moncton's leading physicians. St. Bernard's church, in which the ceremony was performed, being crowded to the doors. Mr. and Mrs. Myers leave on the Ocean Limited on an extended wedding trip to the upper provinces.

WILL SELL FOR \$25,000. Carleton Electric Light Co. Make City an Offer.

William Bruchoff, manager of the Carleton Electric Light Company, has offered to sell the plant to the city for \$25,000. A committee appointed by the common council is looking into the matter. The plant is said to be in good working condition and in all probability the city will buy it. AFTER A FORTUNE. Milton Price's estate last night for New York. It is understood that Mr. Price is acting in the interests of the several Price families in the province who were supposed to have fallen heirs to an immense fortune left by a gentleman who died two or three years ago. The fortune is in property in Baltimore, and is represented as being worth about sixty-six millions.

JEFFRIES-MUNRO FIGHT AUG. 20. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 8.—The final instalments on the forfeit of \$15,000 have been posted for the Jeffries-Munro contest, the date of which is set for August 20th next. Jeffries has paid in \$5,000, Munro \$5,000, and the Yosemite Club, under whose auspices the battle will be fought, \$5,000.

LIVELY DAY IN POLICE COURT.

Some Old Offenders Come Up Again.

A Heavy Sentence for Mag Sullivan—Phil Bushfan in Trouble Again—Minor Cases.

When His Honor Police Magistrate Ritchie sentenced Phil Bushfan, Jr., to two months in jail this morning, Phil asked if there was not the option of a fine, and the answer was to the effect that men who beat their wives and fathers and acted in such a manner as even their mothers give them in charge, would not get a chance to get out by paying a fine. He advised Bushfan that if he wanted to get out to communicate with the minister of justice. Bushfan was given in charge last night by his wife, a strapping dusky lady, who this morning swore that he was some drunk last night and "slapped her mouth." She also informed the court that he behaved badly when under the influence of liquor, and was on a fair way to give the family history when told to step down from the witness box. Charles Cain was accused of creating a disturbance in his mother's house on Richmond street. Cain this morning denied the charge, and his mother, who gave him in charge, seemed very loath to tell what had happened. By degrees his honor managed to arrive at some of the facts. It seems that the prisoner and his brother William had a row Saturday night, and that last night Charles was inclined to continue the affair and called William a liar. According to Mrs. Cain Charles does not pay any board and does not work very steadily. He was remanded. One common drunk paid four dollars, and one forfeited a deposit of eight dollars. An old man named Kelley, a peddler, was fined four dollars. He was arrested by Officer McNamee near the depot, being asleep on the street. Kelly wanted to address the court at length, but his honor shut him up and the old man sat down protesting that he was only tired and had just sat down for a rest. The officer swore that he had to cart Kelley to the station he was so drunk. Joseph Harris says that he belongs to Sherbrook and is on his way to Toronto, where he understands his father died some months ago. He is a one-legged man and good looking. He was arrested yesterday for begging on Mill and Dock street. On his person were found some lace and a number of cards asking for help. Harris stated that he was not begging, but was selling the shoe laces. He pleaded he would be allowed to go, but was sentenced to two months with hard labor. The Star performer was Margaret Sullivan, and she has gone in for five months, unless she can raise \$2. Margaret got drunk yesterday and refused to move away from King Square when Officer Lee requested her to do so. He undertook to lock her up, and was successful in getting her along about twenty feet when the trouble began. Three other officers came to his assistance and fighting and swearing, Margaret followed by a big crowd, was locked up. When asked this morning if she had anything to say, she tossed her head, curled her lip and said, referring to the officer on the stand, "Lee is beneath my notice. I was drunk yesterday, today I am sober."

THE WEATHER. ADD WEATHER 884m Forecasts—Fresh northwest winds, becoming light and variable; fine and cool today and Wednesday. Synopsis—Rain has fallen generally but the outlook now is fine. Winds to American port, fresh northwest, becoming light and variable, and to Banks fresh to strong west to north-west. The temperature at noon today was 65 above.

TIDE TABLE. High water today, 9.35 a. m., 10.03 p. m.; tomorrow, 10.22 a. m., 10.57 p. m.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. William McGeigan was held this afternoon from her late residence, Westworth street. The remains were taken to the church of St. John the Baptist, where Very Rev. W. F. Chapman, V. O., read the service. Interment was made in the New Catholic cemetery.

There has been quite an advance in the price of oats in the west during the last few days.

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We have received a couple of new Midsummer shapes in Men's Derbys.

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The average daily circulation of the Star for July was 6,074.

A MISSING ELECTION SIGN.

If the government contemplates an election this fall it is remarkable that it has yet done not a single stroke of work to convince the people of the eastern provinces of the genuineness of its expressed intention to complete the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific at the same time as the west.

On the prairie division from Winnipeg west, which is to be built by the company itself, work is rapidly progressing. On the middle section from Winnipeg to the eastern end of Lake Superior, which section, it is stated, the company wants to be connecting the line between the producing west and its old line to Portland, hundreds of men are at work surveying. But on the eastern division over which, according to optimistic Liberals, the trans-continental traffic of the new line is to be carried to Canadian ports, not a chain has been stretched, nor a stake set.

Over a year ago parliament voted money for this very work, and time and again since then, members of the opposition have questioned the government concerning the reasons for the delay. On July 12 last Mr. Lennart asked in the house if any surveying parties had been sent out by the government. If none had been sent he wanted to know why. To the first question Mr. Emmerson returned a short negative; the second he practically ignored. The only statement that he would make was that "arrangements were not ripe."

If things are allowed to go along this way much longer the inevitable result will be that the western and middle sections will be completed years before the eastern, which will mean that the traffic which should come our way will be diverted by way of the old Grand Trunk to Portland. And once it gets to running that way, all the eastern sections we can build will stop it. It is more than possible that matters on this one of the lines have been neglected enough already to ensure this result, but whether they have or not it is impossible that the government would dare to bring on the election without at least making a bluff at beginning the work.

A BLOW FOR EMMERSON.

The Liberal Globe is again compelled to take issue with the Liberal government. This time the cause of the agreement is the purchase of the Canada Eastern, hailed by the machine papers as Mr. Emmerson's crowning triumph. The whole deal, and indirectly its originator, is unmercifully scored in a convincing article in last night's issue of the only independent Liberal paper in the Maritime Provinces.

The first objection raised is based on the contention that having bought this "alleged feeder" of the I. C. R., the country is committed to the purchase of all the non-paying lines that may be placed under that class. This, it declares, is against the expressed policy of the administration which has placed itself on record as in favor of government ownership of canals, but against government ownership of railways.

Financially also the Globe is opposed to the scheme. While the actual purchase price is only \$800,000, it says that \$500,000 additional will be necessary to put the road in condition outside the necessary expenditure for rolling stock. It also discredits Mr. Emmerson's statement that under the new conditions the I. C. R. will get freight that used to go on the C. P. R.

The final arrangement is as follows: "Naturally" those persons in St. John who have given the matter close consideration do not look upon the action with favor. They will, of course, admit that it is of much advantage to have the road improved. But the carrying out of a scheme to divert trade from the St. John River to the Miramichi cannot be of any advantage to this seaport, and it seems incredible that anyone can assume that western freight can be profitably carried from Fredericton or its neighborhood to Chatham, thence to Quebec or Montreal, and, perhaps, thence to Boston, as appears to be contemplated.

Considering that the Globe managed, with fair complacency, to swallow the G. T. P. deal, its summary rejection of Mr. Emmerson's chef-d'oeuvre is significant.

A NECESSITY.

One of the chief desires of those who are moving for the passage of a Peatory Act is a provision against the employment of children under the age of fourteen years, except under circumstances that make such children their own or their families' breadwinners. Such a provision is highly desirable.

under conditions. It is not well that those who will be the backbone of the country in a few years should have their strength drained out of them by hard work and close confinement just at the time they need fresh air and out-door exercise the most. But neither is it well that boys and girls at the dangerous age should be turned loose on the street with nothing to do. While the factory may hurt their health the alternative will ruin them morally. For the law against the employment of child labor to be of good effect it should be accompanied by a compulsory education law. Not one boy or girl in a dozen is barred from mill and workshop will voluntarily go to school, and that parental authority is inadequate in too many cases any school teacher can easily prove. In almost every community a compulsory education act would prove of great benefit. In St. John, under such conditions as the reformers hope to bring about, it will be a necessity.

AUGUST. The bees grow drowsy in their hum o'er freighted flowers, honey laden; In hammock they are lulled to sleep, and to and fro, and the dreaming maiden; The skies are blue and earth is green, and in the sunlight and the shade The joyousness of life is seen, the link between the producing west and its old line to Portland, hundreds of men are at work surveying. But on the eastern division over which, according to optimistic Liberals, the trans-continental traffic of the new line is to be carried to Canadian ports, not a chain has been stretched, nor a stake set.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—The commons have enough business to keep it going until Wednesday. Railway subsidies were taken up today and occupied the bulk of the morning and afternoon sittings. Hon. Mr. Paterson in reply to Henderson, said the increase in the bacco duties collected for the year ending June 30th, 1904, on account of the higher tariff imposed in 1897, was \$18,394. The total collections in the last fiscal year were \$604,553.2. The inland revenue returns for tobacco and opium amounted to \$1,738,740, an increase of \$1,587,234.04 on account of the new tariff of 1897.

The house then went into committee on Emmerson's railway subsidies. A general regulation was made which, by \$3,000 a mile shall be paid and a further subsidy of fifty per cent. of the cost of a railway above \$100 a mile, the additional grant not to exceed the amount in the former case. The first grant was to the Brasbridge and Trading Lake Railway Co. for a line from Brasbridge to Brasville, a distance of fifteen miles. The Bruce and Ontario Railway Co. received grants for three branches, twenty-one miles in all. W. F. MacLean announced that the information was given as to the personal of the concern. He stated with the C. P. R. Emmerson said that as far as he knew it was not. "Can't the hon. gentleman tell me," he asked, "beside him," demanded Fowler warmly. Sir Wilfrid explained that the present and past subsidies to railway companies without investigating their standing. There was a safeguard in the fact that the money was not paid until it was earned.

Railway subsidies were discussed most of the afternoon. Mr. MacLean, Mr. Hughes in discussing the dumping clause of Fielding's tariff argued that it would put every Canadian wholesale dealer out of business, as American goods could be put into Canada from England at rates that could not be met.

Fielding had no fear of this line of work, but he recognized the danger of American opening competition banks in Canada.

Borden, Fisher, and Cartwright are prohibited all military and naval work in the Dundonald demonstration at Ottawa, as fast as possible. Col. Cartwright has declined from the Canadian Regiment of Musketry at the rifle range here two corporals of the 13th Regiment, two sergeants and a sergeant of the latter corps, all on technical charges of breach of discipline.

Sergeant Blakeney explains the real offence was in paying a deserved honor to Lord Dundonald on his departure from the capital.

A HORRIBLE DEATH. Henry W. Murdoch Crushed in Fly Wheel at Dominion Mill in Sydney.

HALIFAX, Aug. 8.—Henry W. Murdoch, sixty years old, was instantly killed at the Dominion Iron and Steel Company's blooming mill, Sydney, this morning. He was an engineer employed around a big air compressor, which had been stopped for a few minutes to effect minor repairs. While in the act of reaching through the spokes of a fly wheel to secure a pin, which had dropped from the valve steam, some one accidentally started the engine, causing the wheel to make a half turn. Murdoch was not quick enough to escape from his position and his head was crushed in and his left arm torn off by being caught between the spokes of the fly wheel and the frame of the compressor. Death was instantaneous. He came here from Ferrons, Pictou Co., three years ago and has worked at the steel plant ever since. He leaves a wife and family of four.

THE PROSPEROUS C. P. R. At a meeting of the directors of the C. P. R. held in Montreal yesterday, the financial status of the company for the year was made known. The gross earnings for the year ending June 30th were \$46,462,132. The working expenses were \$22,264,607, leaving the net earnings \$24,197,525. Income from other sources makes the total income for the year \$26,000,000. A dividend of two per cent. on the preference stock was struck yesterday.

LOCAL NEWS.

There will be a meeting of the Junior Liberal-Conservative Association at 8 o'clock tonight in room No. 11, Ritchie's Building, Princess street. As a sufficient number of the school trustees were not present last evening to form a quorum, no meeting was held.

While Supt. of Fire Alarm Leonard was on his way to Carleton yesterday with driver "Jed" Jones, the horse stumbled and fell on Water street, breaking the shafts. The trip to Carleton was deferred and the wagon sent to the repair shop.

Three very fine steam yachts from one of the clubs in the vicinity of New York arrived in the harbor shortly after three yesterday afternoon. A party came from one soon after anchoring to see friends in the city. After an hour's stay one proceeded up river. The executive of the school trustees is anxious that parents who intend applying for permits for their children to attend school should not put this off till the last minute. As about 1,500 permits are issued, there is a great rush if they have to be dealt with in a few days.

At the meeting of No. 8 Bearer Co. in the Odd Fellows Hall, very little was done except to find out who there were desirous of joining the class about to be formed. Next Monday night at 8 o'clock there will be a general meeting for the purpose of electing the officers of this club. The executive of the horse show for exhibition week met last evening and discussed the proposed prize list. Considerable progress was made and the committee will meet again this evening at 8 o'clock. Inquiries are already beginning to come in from horse owners all over the maritime provinces evincing the greatest interest in the show.

A close and interesting game of quoits was played at Market Square, West End, last evening, between the Carleton and Newman Brook teams. Only one game was played, the score being 21-19 in favor of Carleton.

THE LEAGUE IS ENDED. Standing to Date is Cancelled and a New Series of Games Will Be Arranged.

A meeting of the local league executive was held on the Victoria grounds last evening. Representatives from all the teams composing the league were present with the exception of the Portlands. Owing to the short evenings it was decided to play no further games until the postponed games have yet to be played in regard to finishing the regular schedule and the opinion was expressed that it could not be accomplished without playing into October, which was found to be inadvisable. The reason why so many postponed games have yet to be played is found in the poor weather conditions prevailing most all summer.

Important Change in Sailings. EASTERN STEAMSHIP COY. (INTERNATIONAL DIVISION.) Time Table in Effect August 8, 1904. STEAMERS LEAVE ST. JOHN. MONDAY—St. Croix, 8 a. m., Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. WEDNESDAY—Calvin Austin, 8 a. m., Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. FRIDAY—St. Croix, 8 a. m., Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. SATURDAY—Calvin Austin, 6.30 p. m., Boston direct.

STEAMERS LEAVE BOSTON. MONDAY—Calvin Austin, 9 a. m., Portland, Eastport, Lubec and St. John. WEDNESDAY—St. Croix, 9 a. m., Portland, Eastport, Lubec and St. John. FRIDAY—Calvin Austin, 9 a. m., direct to Eastport, Lubec and St. John. SATURDAY—St. Croix, 6.30 p. m., direct to St. John. W. G. LEE, Agent, St. John, N.B.

PULP MILL FOR SALE. Property and works of The St. John Sulphite Pulp Company, Limited (in liquidation), situated at Miram, Saint John County, New Brunswick.

THE DECADENCE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE. (From the Kansas City Independent.) A lecturer, who had a very fine lecture on "The Decadence of Pure English," gave his address before a woman's club.

At the close of the talk, a very much over-dressed woman of the "fuss and feathers" type came up to him and said: "I did enjoy your talk ever and ever so much, and I agree with you that the English language is decaying awfully. Hardly no one talks proper nowadays, and the land only knows what the next generation will talk like if nothing ain't done about it."

MORE PAY FOR POLICEMEN. If the safety board accept the recommendation of a sub-committee and the council approve, the policemen will receive an increase in pay. They have worked hard for this. They have been ably supported by the chief and have had the sympathy of the general public. In addition to receiving additional pay, it is proposed to change the rate of increasing the pay. Now an officer starts at \$1.40 and cannot receive an increase till he has served three years. This time will be shortened.

Just what increase has been recommended is not known.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S LINIMENT to keep their muscles limber and supple in trim.

MONTREAL MAN DROWNED. MONTREAL, Aug. 8.—D. A. McPherson, a prominent produce exporter, was drowned in the Coteau Rapids this afternoon. He had been ill at his summer home, Stanley Island, and was returning to Montreal accompanied by his physician. It is not known whether he jumped or fell overboard. No one saw him go in the water.

PANPEPTASE. A desideratum to the Physician in daily practice. Explanatory Circular giving suggestive combinations mailed to Physicians. C. K. Short, St. John, N.B.



Eclipse

DOWLING'S MATCHLESS

—SALE OF— Blouse Waists.

Our annual Clearance Sale, the great overshadowing event in the retail Shirt Waist Selling. It's a memorable event. The values we have given in previous Waist Sales are still fresh in the minds of our customers, and this sale beats previous records at almost every point. What more can be said? What more need be said?

The Prices, 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and a few hundred at higher prices.

Many of those at 50c. were \$1.00, those at \$1.00 were \$2.00, and those at \$1.50 were \$3.00, and all the better qualities have been greatly reduced in price.

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.

All Goods Selling at Cost Prices. Great Bargains Being Offered in Dry Goods.

SELLING OFF THE WHOLE STOCK. BOY'S BATHING TRUNKS, only 15c. each. Gigantic sale of DRESS GOODS during this sale the prices are cut in two in order to make them sell quickly. LADIES' CORSETS at your own prices while they last. All the leading makes and styles at 35c., 45c., 55c. pair. MEN'S SUMMER SHIRTS AND DRAWERS at cost. The 75c. quality now 45c. each, or 50c. per suit. Sale of WHITE SKIRTS, Black Sateen Skirts and Cloth Skirts. Call early and see them.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN JOTS AND SHOES

still have a few of these big values in Men's Working Boots, tap soles, standard screw-nailed, at \$1.35 pair. -Women's Dong. Kid Bal. \$1.25—Dongola Kid Oxford, self tip. Good medium soles. Stylish, easy fitting last. Makes a nice shoe for everyday wear \$1.20. \$1.50—Extra Fine Dongola Kid Bal., patent toe caps, good solid soles, whole foxing. A very stylish boot and a bargain at our price. \$1.65 pair. ALL NEW GOODS. NO OLD STOCK.

Sanborn's Shoe Store, 339 MAIN STREET, North End.

TAKE NOTICE.

Removal Sale Is Now Going On at E. Marcus's, No. 35 Dock Street.

I will remove to my new quarters, (No. 30 Dock St.) on or about the middle of Sept. My stock must be sold before moving, at any cost, so as to save expense. Parlor Suits, regular price \$30.00; sale price \$19.75. Bedroom Suits, regular price \$15.00; sale price \$10.50. Lounges, regular price \$8.50; sale price \$4.15. All our stock is reduced below cost for removal sale. Now is your golden opportunity—it may not occur again for a long time. I have also a better line of all kinds of furniture that will be sold below cost. Goods sold on easy terms as usual.

E. MARCUS, 35 Dock Street.

TWO ST. JOHN BOYS.

Sick in the Same Hospital in Winnipeg. Two St. John boys seem to have run up against a streak of hard luck in the west. Duncan Robertson, son of George Robertson, M. P. E., has been in Winnipeg for some years. He is now suffering from appendicitis and about a week or ten days ago was operated on at the Davenport private hospital in that city. Word recently received was to the effect that the operation resulted most satisfactorily and Mr. Robertson was coming along nicely, though still unable to leave his bed.

In the room adjoining Mr. Robertson's in the hospital, Kenneth Haley, who went to Winnipeg in March or April, has been battling against an attack of typhoid fever. He is said to have been a pretty sick boy for a time, but is now convalescent, and at last accounts was able to pay a visit to his next door neighbor, Mr. Robertson. The latter is improving so that he hopes to return the call if Mr. Haley does not leave the hospital too soon.

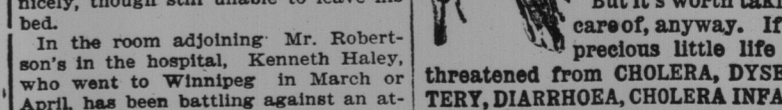
ST. STEPHEN MAN KILLED. CALAIS, Me., Aug. 8.—George B. Sands, 76 years of age, a retired dry goods merchant of St. Stephen, N. B., received injuries by a fall from the steamer Henry Eaton, at Newport tonight, which resulted in his death before boat reached Calais.

HOW MUCH IS BABY WORTH? NOBODY KNOWS!

But it's worth talking care of, anyway. If it's precious little life it's threatened from CHOLERA, DYSENTERY, DIARRHOEA, CHOLERA INFANTUM or BOWEL COMPLAINTS of any kind give it

DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY, NATURE'S OWN SPECIFIC.

A household remedy for nearly sixty years. Pleasant, Harmless, Reliable, and Effective. Every mother should have it in the house. PRICE 25c.



ST. JOHN STAR, TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1904.

Clean-Up Sale. Cutting the Life Out of Prices

Our Clean-Up Sale is a boon to the man who is going vacationing and wants to save wear and tear on his best clothes. \$15, \$16 and \$17 Blue Suits and \$12 and \$15 Tweed and Worsteds Suits for \$7.50.

NOORNA WINS

MONTREAL, Aug. 8.—Noorna this afternoon on Lake St. Louis captured the third race for the Seawanhauk cup and the score now stands two to one in favor of the Canadian defender.

A DARING ESCAPE

Chip Bealey, of Halifax, Gt. Out of Dorchester and is still free.

NEW YORK COMES NEXT

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The advisory board of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers' Workers Union of North America at a meeting tonight decided to order a strike in New York and vicinity, between 1,000 and 4,000 men will be called out.

BARGAIN SALE, Commencing - Monday - Morning.

All Summer Goods to be Closed Out Regardless of Cost. Dress Serge, (Fawn only) double fold, 30c. goods now 15c.; 37c. goods now 20c.

Big Bargains in Tan Boots.

Ladies' Tan Lace Boots, \$2.25 Boots now \$1.50, \$2.00 Boots now \$1.66.

E. O. PARSONS, West End.

Sporting News.

BASEBALL. There was no regular league game last evening, but the Franklins and Clippers played an exhibition match on the Victoria grounds, which resulted in a win for the Donalds and boys.

Table with columns for team names and scores. Includes Franklins, Clippers, and various individual player statistics.

DETROIT, Aug. 8.—Kilian pitched the best game of the year on the home grounds. Sebach was the only man to hit home runs when Boston appeared to have a chance.

At Cleveland, Aug. 8.—R.H.E. Cleveland... 3-0-0-0-0-0-0-11-0. New York... 0-1-0-0-0-0-0-8-8-6.

At St. Louis, Aug. 8.—R.H.E. St. Louis... 0-0-0-1-1-0-0-3-3-5. New York... 0-0-0-0-0-2-1-4-0-3.

At New Haven—Springfield, 4; New Haven, 2. At Bridgeport—Bridgeport, 9; Holyoke, 0.

At Hartford—First game, Hartford, 8; Norwich, 2. Second game called in first inning, rain.

At New Bedford—Lowell, 5; New Bedford, 1. At Fall River—Nashua, 9; Fall River, 2.

At Jersey City—Jersey City, 4; Newark, 1. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 4; Montreal, 2.

At St. John's—St. John's, 4; St. John's, 1. At St. John's—St. John's, 4; St. John's, 1.

WOMAN RUN OVER. About half-past two yesterday on Union street, Mrs. McShay was knocked down by a team belonging to Joe Marcus.

AT THE "LONDON HOUSE." Tuesday, Aug. 9th.

GREAT BARGAINS.

Women's Wear, Children's Dresses, Men's Shirts, And Cotton Goods.

AUGUST Clearance Sale!

BEST SUMMER COTTONS AND SUITINGS GOING AT SMALL PRICES. 36 inch Ecru linen suiting reduced to 19c.

BEAUTIFUL SWISS AND LAWN SHIRT WAISTS AT HALF-PRICE AND LESS. \$3.50 Lawn and insertion waists for 1.50.

LAWN DRESSING SACQUES—PRICES UP TO \$2.00, NOW FOR 98c. EACH. Pretty lawn dressing and bedroom jackets, white and colored, Regular \$1.20, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.60.

CHILDREN'S SUMMER SUITS REDUCED TO CLEAR—SIZES 2 TO 5 YEARS. \$1.95 Boys' linen suit, with white leather belt, now \$1.29.

MISSSES' LINEN SEASIDE SUITS—REDUCED. \$1.95 Misses' linen dresses reduced to 1.29.

GREAT REDUCTIONS IN BEST QUALITY LAWN UNDERSKIRTS—HALF AND LESS. \$4.90 White skirts, insertion flounce, \$1.98.

LADIES' SHIRT WAIST SUITS AND MUSLIN DRESSES—BARGAINS—REDUCED TO \$3.98 EACH. \$8.50 American linen suits, 32 to 38, now \$3.98.

Men's Regatta Shirt Sale.

Men's and Boys' Regatta Shirts—soft fronts and stiff fronts—three lots. Reduced to 59c., 69c., 98c.

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

SIDEBOARDS Give The Right Look



to a dining room. Such a piece of furniture is the housekeeper's pride. People know how much a dining room lacks that is without them.

Business Opportunities. Classified Advertisements.

Advertisements under this head Half a cent a word. 6 insertions charged as 1. No less charge than 20 cents.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE. WANTED—Immediately, a girl for general housework needed at Westfield for about six weeks, afterwards for city residence. Apply at 114 Pitt street.

HOUSES TO LET. TO LET—A self contained house, containing parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, with modern improvements. Apply to MRS. C. E. MAGEE, 6 Summer street.

ROOMS TO LET. FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET IN THE MOUNT HOUSE, Chemp by day or week, 10 Charlotte street.

FOR SALE. PROPERTY on Simonds Street, North End, for Sale. The Leasehold Lot with Two Houses thereon, situated at 18 and 17 Simonds street, containing 5 tenants. Can be seen at any time. Apply to SARAH M. SMITH, on the premises.

HELP WANTED, MALE. WANTED—A boy to do general chores. Age between 14 and 18 years. Apply to DR. ROBERTS, cor. Main street and Douglas avenue.

WANTED. WANTED—Position as office clerk by young man, with several years' experience. Capable stenographer and typist. References furnished. Apply to W. A. B., Star office.

GOOD NEWS. Miltown Mills Will Hereafter Run Steadily. ST. STEPHEN, Aug. 8.—After a shut down of two weeks at different times for the past two months, the cotton mill at Miltown started up this morning and it is officially stated that the mill will run steadily hereafter.

BACK FROM THE FAIR. W. S. Fisher returned on Saturday from Winnipeg, where he had been attending the exhibition. Mr. Fisher does not claim to be an expert on exhibitions, but his opinion is that the fair is a good one in every respect. He was impressed with the evident advantage of having all the attractions in the exhibition grounds instead of like St. John, having the "race track in one place and the exhibits elsewhere.

FOREST FIRES. CHIPMAN, Aug. 8.—Forest fires have been raging in this vicinity for some days. The village has had several narrow escapes and once only the sudden shifting of the wind saved its entire destruction.

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Advertisement for Dykeman's White Shirt Waists. Features 'Extraordinary Selling of White Shirt Waists' and 'F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. 59 CHARLOTTE STREET.' Includes an image of a shirt waist.

Advertisement for Thorne Brothers' hats. 'How about a Straw Hat, Soft Hat, Stiff Hat for Summer Wear?' and 'Made To Fit Clothes!'

Advertisement for F.R. Patterson & Co. 'The Daylight Store' featuring 'Our Loss Is Your Gain' and 'White Lawn Shirt Waists, 50c. NOW'.

Advertisement for Dr. A. H. Merrill, Dentist, and Robinson's Good Bread.

LOCAL NEWS. TO ADVERTISERS. Owing to the Star going to press early on Saturdays during the summer months, advertisers are asked to send all changes to the office on Friday afternoon.

JACK McLEAN A FIGHTER. Has Bested Kid McCoy and May Have a Try at Jeffries—May Be Champion. That St. Louis is now the home of the man who may some day wrest the title of the world's championship pugilist, says that John McLean, the young fighter from St. Louis Republic.

PICNIC TODAY. St. Peter's and Holy Trinity Have a Great Day for Their Annual Outing. The annual joint-picnic of St. Peter's and Holy Trinity churches is being held today on the Cathedral grounds at Torryburn.

THORNE BROTHERS. How about a Straw Hat, Soft Hat, Stiff Hat for Summer Wear? As you stroll along 'neath one of THORNE'S HATS you are assured of the latest and best.

PERSONALS. Mrs. Parker, of St. John, has been spending a few weeks with Mrs. John Harding and other friends at Maudersville. Miss Christopher and Miss Marshall of St. John west are visiting Mrs. C. W. Shields at Maudersville.

MRS. JOHN WEATHERHEAD'S DEATH. John Weatherhead, livery stable keeper, Union street, has the sympathy of his many friends in the death of his wife, which occurred this morning, after an illness of weeks.

TRUBLE ON BAY CHALEUR. There is trouble on the New Brunswick side of the Bay Chaleur and the fishery guardians are not having a particularly pleasant time. Dr. Daniel M. P. for this city, brought the matter to the attention of parliament on Saturday, and the matter was followed up by George Fowler yesterday.

Advertisement for Francis & Vaughan, 'Another Lot of Our Big Seller. Men's and Boys' Dongola Double Sole Laced Boots, at \$1.50'.

Advertisement for Morrell & Sutherland. 'HOW QUICKLY REMNANTS ACCUMULATE.' 'When a roll of goods gets sold down to a designated number of yards it is removed from the regular shelves to a fixture set apart for short lengths.'

Advertisement for Morrell & Sutherland. 'Pay Us Only \$3.50' and 'Our Ethan Allen is the Best Men's Shoe in the World for the money.'

Advertisement for Robertson & Co., '10 lbs. Onions, 25c. Perfection Flour, \$5.25. Cucumbers, 15c. per dozen. Fresh Eggs, 16c. per dozen.'

Advertisement for Francis & Vaughan, 'Another Lot of Our Big Seller. Men's and Boys' Dongola Double Sole Laced Boots, at \$1.50'.

Advertisement for Boston Dental Parlor. 'BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED. We make the best \$5.00 Gold Crown in this city without pain.'

FOREIGN NEWS OF INTEREST. BERLIN, Aug. 6.—The report now is that England, France and Germany are trying to come to an understanding. The Anglo-German treaty, it is said, was intended as a forerunner of an Anglo-Franco-German rapprochement.