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The Star

LATEST WEATHER REPORT

FAIR and MILD

ONE CENT



Casserole Dishes

A new assortment of the above dishes has just been received.

This dish has seemingly supplied a long-felt want. Heavily silver-plated frame with earthen dish.

We always carry a full assortment of electro plated goods which at present comprises an attractive line of Sandwich Plates.

W. H. THORNE & CO., Ltd.
Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Some Genuine Bargains Will Be Found

In our show window for the next few days, stock taking brought to light some goods which we have decided to offer at a big reduction. The quantity of each line is limited and the items are all goods of the highest grade.

Housekeepers and others will find this an unusual opportunity to purchase some choice goods at low prices. Each article plainly marked with both regular and special sale price.

The list embraces HANDSOME BRASS & COPPER HOT WATER KETTLES, TABLE GONGS, DISH COVERS, SETS OF CARVERS, POLISHED TRAYS, BRASS POTS, ENGLISH STEEL ENAMELLED WARE, and many other items that will interest all who want to save money.

COME EARLY.

Emerson & Fisher, Ltd.
25 Germain Street.

A Special Sale of MEN'S TROUSERS

This is a splendid opportunity to save money and add an extra pair of Trousers to your wardrobe.

\$1.50 Trousers for... \$1.20 **\$2.50 Trousers for... \$2.00**
2.00 Trousers for... 1.50 **3.00 Trousers for... 2.35**

Hundreds of pairs to choose from,
Perfect Fit Guaranteed.

American Clothing House,
11-15 Charlotte St., St. John.

WEAR THE BUCKLEY HAT,

Easy Fitting, Fast Colors, Latest Styles
Price \$2.50
The Equal of Any \$3.00 Hat Sold

F. S. THOMAS, Stores close at 7 p.m.
539 Main St.

Stores open till 6 p.m. St. John, N. B., March 4, 1910

A VERY SWELL LOT OF New Spring Shirts

NOW ON SALE

Our furnishing department has won the reputation of being the best shirt store in town, on account of the neat, dressy patterns of the shirts shown, their comfort and fit, and the low price at which we sell them. The new Spring shirts we are now showing are bound to boost the reputation still higher on all these points. You will save fully twenty-five cents on each shirt by buying them here now, and at the same time get the best shirt made in Canada, every one of which is personally guaranteed by J. N. Harvey.

New Soft Bosom Shirts 75c. \$1.00
\$1.25. \$1.50. \$1.75.

Also working shirts, white dress shirts, boys' shirts.

J. N. Harvey, Tailoring and Clothing
OPERA HOUSE BLDG. --- 109 to 207 UNION STREET

SENT UP FOR TRIAL ON MURDER CHARGE

Jockey Club Held Up by Anti-Gambling Bill

Hockey Case Dismissed—From Civil Engineer to Vagant—Verdict of Wilful Murder.

PETERBORO, Ont., March 4.—At the conclusion of the preliminary hearing yesterday, Robert Henderson was sent up for trial on the charge of the murder of Margaret Macpherson. The case is causing great interest here.

TORONTO, March 4.—The anti-gambling bill, which has been introduced before the Commons, is holding back the Ontario Jockey Club from making preparations for the spring meetings. As the bill deals largely with race track betting, it is essential that the club understand its measures before arranging for the horse meets.

BRANTFORD, March 4.—The case against hockey players for fighting and disorderly conduct during the Berlin-Brantford match has fallen through. The prosecution failed to produce any witnesses who could tell of the offence.

HAMILTON, March 4.—Charged with vagrancy, a former well known civil engineer and a graduate of Edinburgh University, was yesterday sentenced to two months in jail.

PARISY SOUND, March 4.—The coroner's jury last evening returned a verdict of wilful murder against Young in the inquest into the death of M. J. Davis at Montgomery Hotel. Young will now face prosecution for the crime.

BETTER SERVICE FOR ST. JOHN-BOSTON ROUTE

Mr. Calvin Austin Tells of Plans for Four Direct Trips Instead of Two—Will Connect With D. A. R.

An improved service on the St. John-Boston route is promised by the Eastern Steamship Co. for the coming season. Calvin Austin, president of the company arrived in the city today to complete some of the arrangements and in conversation with The Star said that there would be four direct trips a week this year, the service being supplied by the Calvin Austin and the Governor Cobb. These steamers will arrive in time to connect with the D. A. R. steamer for Digby, thus saving a day for passengers who wish to cross the bay.

Formerly they have been hampered by the fact that they had to wait for the Prince Rupert, before they could get to their berth. The added accommodation provided by the new wharf will overcome this. The E. S. Co. boats will dock at an earlier hour and possibly the D. A. R. steamer may sail a little later.

Details regarding this will be settled tomorrow in a conference with Mr. Griffiths of the Dominion Atlantic Company.

Speaking of the prospects for the coming season Mr. Austin said that they looked for even more traffic than last year. The provinces are becoming better known as a summer resort and as St. John is the gateway for the tourist travel it is only natural that the number of passengers coming will be largely increased.

CONFESSED MURDERER TO FACE COURT MARTIAL

Conflict of Civil and Military Jurisdiction May Make Case Interesting.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 3.—The aftermath of the attempt of Private James Hall to secure his release from the naval prison on the U. S. S. Southard at the Portsmouth navy yard through a "confession" that he murdered Miss Anna Schumacher at Greece, N. Y., in August last, will come within a few days in the form of a naval court martial. The court martial proceedings, arrangements for which have been completed, are likely to prove very interesting. One of the questions involved will be whether the general court martial has jurisdiction after Hall having been discharged from the service.

The apparent motive for Hall's "confession"—his release from the prison Southard—was fulfilled when he was dishonorably discharged from the navy and turned over to the authorities of Monroe County, N. Y., to be tried for the murder of the Schumacher girl. It developed, however, that Hall's story was untrue, and he was deprived of his discharge and returned to the Southard.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermit Rodgers are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

The Board of Trade has issued a new wall hanger bearing the motto, "Let Your Watchword be ST. JOHN, first, last and all the time."

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The Girls' Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, Rochester, held their annual meeting this afternoon, and on Monday the senior branch will hold their annual meeting at the rectory.

There will be an important meeting of the P. M. A. Dramatic Club this evening in St. Malachi's Hall, as matters connected with the St. Patrick's Day production will come up a full attendance is requested.

The Pythian society held weekly bridge last night at the residence of N. L. Brennan, St. James street. A very delightful evening was spent by the members at the close of which dainty refreshments were served.

PERSONAL

H. W. Prink came in on the Boston train at noon today.

Rev. Gordon Dickie returned this morning from Fredericton, where he spoke at the Masonic banquet last evening.

D. Arnold Fox returned from Fredericton this morning.

James A. Ryan has left for Boston and New York on a business trip.

PLUCKY LITTLE GIRL RESCUED HER FATHER

Little Sister Also Saved by Child's Heroism

Twelve-year-old Fought Her Way Through Flames and Smoke—Her Hair Burned Off.

NEW YORK, March 4.—While gas, paints and oils were exploding in her burning home on the ground floor of an East Side tenement today, Fannie Goldman, twelve years old, groped her way through the flames and heroically rescued her father who had fallen senseless in a blazing room, and her two-year-old sister. Fannie said it was as heroic work as she had ever seen.

A gas stove set fire to a curtain and the flames quickly reached a store room of paints and oils Goldman ran towards a rear bedroom to save the two-year-old daughter and a four-year-old son when he was knocked unconscious by an explosion. Fannie rushed in from a front room and while the flames were banging her hair from her head, she dragged her father out of the building, running back she again carried the blazing package through it and rescued her little sister. She felt unconscious and on fire as she reached the street. Her mother then dashed in to the burning place, passed through the flames and when she came out carrying her son, Mr. Goldman was on fire. The father, mother and three children were badly burned.

RUSSIA REJECTS CHINESE PROPOSALS

Alleges That China Promised Not to Build Any More Railways North of Peking Without Russia's Consent.

PEKING, March 4.—The Russian government, in a formal note submitted to the Chinese Foreign Board, has rejected the Russian proposal for the extension of the Kalgan Railroad for foreign capital to Baikal, Russia building the Siberian section. The counter proposal is as well as Russia's rejection of the Russian plan is based upon a promise which the Russian government alleges that China gave in 1888 that it would not construct any railroads north of Peking without first consulting the Russian government.

China is not to construct any railroads north of Peking without first consulting the Russian government. The agreement stipulates a proven or disproven promise and feels obliged to delay its reply to St. Petersburg until the agreement is accepted or proven or disproven.

STEAMER ABANDONED BY CREW IN MID-OCEAN

Sinking Fast When Crew Were Rescued by Anchor Liner—News of Disaster by Wireless.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The Russian steamer Korea, buffeted by storms on the north Atlantic and pounded into helplessness by heavy seas, was abandoned by her crew on March 1 and left to her fate. She was sinking fast when her men abandoned her. The Korea's crew of forty-eight men were taken to the Anchor Line steamer Caladenia, and are on their way here.

News of the disaster to the Korea was flashed here today by a wireless message from the Caladenia of Cape Race, Nfld. The rescue was effected, the wireless told, in latitude 52° 51' north, longitude 28° 19' west, or at a point about 130 miles northeast from Cape Race.

On the request of the owner, Police- man Sullivan yesterday shot a dog for Jeremiah Kennedy at 128 Brussels St.

The Rotsey Sewing Society meets at three o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Denville.

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LABOR DEPT. A WHIP FOR WORKING MEN

The Ten Dollar Hog Appears in Canada

Members of New Public Utilities Commission—Farmer Found Frozen to Death.

MONTREAL, March 4.—That the Labor Department of the Dominion Government was merely a whip to lash the labor men into line, was the statement made at the Labor Council meeting last night. The speakers claimed that while the Government did much for the farmers they did nothing for the laborers and wasted their time talking of the navy and other worthless things.

PETERBORO, Ont., March 4.—H. P. Kennedy, of this city, one of the largest live stock dealers in Ontario, sold hogs on the Montreal market this week at 10 cent five weight. Mr. Kennedy is the first man in Canada to sell hogs at this high price.

QUEBEC, March 4.—It is semi-officially stated that three members of the Public Utilities Commission just appointed by the provincial government are Col. Hildbrand and Charles Laberge of Montreal, and Sir George Garneau of Quebec. The salary of the president of the commission will be three thousand dollars per annum, while that of the other two members will be two thousand each.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., March 4.—The body of W. P. Murray, a farmer, was found yesterday afternoon lying inside a farm fence just outside of the town where he evidently had sat down to rest, fallen asleep and eventually frozen to death. From appearances the body had been there several days.

REPORT AGAINST DAM SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL

Tobacco Dam Committee of Board of Trade Strongly Oppose Proposal—Will be Taken Up on Monday.

The council of the Board of Trade met this morning with T. H. Estabrook in the chair. The meeting discussed a rather lengthy and important report submitted by the Tobacco Dam committee. The report is strongly against the dam project. Before the matter is gone into very thoroughly in the report. The council this morning will be two to three o'clock this morning when a special meeting will be held. It was ordered that the report should be given to the press. J. Hunter White, chairman of the committee, submitted the report to the meeting.

PROF. BROWN AWARDED ENGINEERING MEDAL

MONTREAL, March 4.—The Canadian Society of Civil Engineers has awarded the medal which was endowed in 1883 by the late Sir Casimir Goussier, to be presented annually to the member giving the best paper before the society during the year.

Prof. Brown of McGill University.

INSANE WOMAN ON THE STREET

Mrs. Hedwig Luke, the German woman of unsound mind who was found roaming about the streets in the early morning. A few weeks ago she left the Salvation Army Rest Home, where she was being cared for. It was about four o'clock in the morning when she boarded the steamer Yarmouth and asked for a passage to Germany. She was taken in charge by the police and remained to jail. Last Wednesday she was liberated from jail and has since been boarding at the Western House on Rodney street. About 2:30 o'clock this morning C. P. R. employees found the woman roaming about Rodney wharf and notified the police, who conducted her to her boarding house. Dr. D. E. Berryman visited the woman at central station some time ago and pronounced her of unsound mind.

COBURG STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Evangelistic services this evening at 8 o'clock, conducted by E. C. Ford. Miss Rising will sing. Everybody cordially invited.

Urie Polier of Carquet, has been appointed a provincial constable.

An interesting volleyball match will be played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium this afternoon at four o'clock, when the Dreadnoughts and Invincibles will contest for the league leadership, the teams holding first and second places respectively. The Hornets and Pirates met at 3:15 this evening.

In supreme court chambers at noon Mr. W. A. Ewing, K. C., for the plaintiff in the case of the MacAmhite Co. v. John McKane to show cause why the trial of the case should not be postponed until the June circuit. Mr. H. A. Powell, K. C., appeared for the defendant. After hearing the argument of counsel His Honor Mr. Justice McKown made an order postponing the trial until the June circuit.

TEN FOUND ALIVE IN A BURIED CAR?

Report from Scene of the Avalanche Brings Hope

No Confirmation, as Wires are Down—Rescuers are Exposed to Imminent Danger From Other Slides.

EVERETT, Wn., March 4.—The report circulated here late last night that ten persons had been found alive in a car excavated from the mass of snow-covered wreckage at Wellington has caused great excitement here, but is as yet unconfirmed. The wire to Wellington was lost during the night's storm, and it is impossible to get word direct from there. At the Great Northern office here it is said they have received no confirmation of the rumor. Persons who left Scenic late yesterday afternoon had heard nothing of the rescue of the imprisoned passengers and are inclined to doubt the story. The telegraph company expects to get the line open to Wellington today.

The storm which started last night and swept down the canyon to Scenic, changed into a drenching rain this morning, increasing the discomfort and danger of the men at work digging for bodies. The Great Northern expects to bring the first bodies out on a train scheduled to leave Scenic this afternoon. Most of the bodies will be taken to Seattle, where they will be held awaiting instructions from relatives.

BEAUTIFUL ADVENTURESS IS DYING OF POISON

Believed to be Eva Fox Strangway, Who, as Bogus Countess, Victimized Many.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Helen Drummond, said by friends here to be Eva Fox Strangway, is today believed to be dying in Bellevue Hospital from the effects of a mysterious poison taken after her arrest last night on a charge of passing a worthless check to a hotel proprietor. On the way to the police station Miss Drummond was seized with sudden illness. She declared that she had taken some powder to relieve a headache. She grew steadily worse, however, and a box of white powder found in her handbag was preserved for analysis. Before Miss Drummond gave the address of a friend, a retired clergyman, through whose wife the identification of the beautiful prisoner was established.

Helen Drummond, her friends declared, was none other than Eva Fox Strangway, who arriving in this country in 1897, was known as the "Countess of Ichester," and was soon received in the homes of New York's best known society families. Trouble soon developed, however, and after exploits here and in Philadelphia in connection with fraudulent checks she was arrested in Toronto, brought to New York and tried and sentenced to a year in the penitentiary. After her release from prison she disappeared for a long time.

BOSTON SPEAKER FOR MEN'S MASS MEETING

A mass meeting for men only will be held in St. Andrew's Church at four o'clock on Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. A telegram was received this afternoon from E. E. Martin, of the Boston University, consenting to speak at the meeting. His subject will be "Making a Life Count." The music will be of special nature and will be led by a large male choir under the direction of S. A. McCowan. The Alexander hymn books will be used. The Y. M. C. A. hope to make these meetings a continuous nature.

INCORPORATED TO SELL TYPEWRITERS

Letters patent have been issued, incorporating the New Brunswick United Typewriter Company, Ltd. The company has a capital stock of \$50,000, and will have its head office in this city. The concern will deal in typewriters' supplies, stationery, etc. The parties interested are as follows: John Joseph Setz, manager; Thomas Byrnes, bookkeeper; Albert Howard Goodson, law stationer, all of Toronto; Frederick Euret Cowgill, St. John, and William Hamshaw, Toronto.

A delivery team belonging to Unsworth's Laundry caught a wheel in the car track at the corner of Sydney street and King square about nine o'clock this morning and snapped the axle. The horse was pulled up before further damage resulted.

Three meetings will make this a busy day for the aldermen. The ferry committee meets at three o'clock, the bills and by laws committee at four o'clock and the bridge committee at eight o'clock. At the meeting of the bridge committee anyone wishing to voice their objection to the project as already outlined will be heard.

\$15,000,000 STEEL MERGER IN ONTARIO

Montreal's Secure Pitcher From Detroit Champions

Owner Bitten by Mad Dog—H. D. Chantrell Victim of Disaster—After Effects of Pasture Treatment.

HAMILTON, March 4.—It is learned that the new merger of iron and steel companies will control large interests in the province. The capital stock will be \$15,000,000. A number of valuable plants are being acquired.

MONTREAL, March 4.—Manager Ed. Barry, of the Montreal baseball team, has signed Pitcher Schiever for the season. The new man was a member of Detroit, champions of the American League. He should prove a valuable acquisition to the locals.

CHATHAM, March 4.—A colic dog went mad yesterday after severely biting its owner and a number of animals. The dog was destroyed.

VANCOUVER, March 4.—H. D. Chantrell, a well known and wealthy citizen of this place, was killed in the G. N. R. disaster at Everett.

LONDON, Ont., March 4.—After securing treatment at the Pasture Institute, Ella Wallace has returned to his home here. Mr. Wallace has lost about forty pounds in weight and is liable to suffer from paralysis.

QUEBEC, Ont., March 4.—An interesting case was settled in court here yesterday. J. Morris lost his suit to recover \$100 from G. Hamhill. The plaintiff sued on the ground that he secured Hamhill a wife.

ENCRONCHMENT ON CIVIC RIGHTS IS FEARED

Bills and By-Laws Committee Scent a Plot in Powers Asked for New Corporations.

A threatened encroachment on the rights of the citizens not only of St. John but of every municipality of the province will be the subject of discussion at a special meeting of the Bills and By-Laws Committee which is being held at City Hall this afternoon.

In the almost unlimited powers asked for in the incorporation of the Preston Land and Building Co., Ltd., and the Sterling Realty Ltd., the aldermen scent a plot to foist a couple of additional corporations on the public without regard to the rights of the communities in which they operate.

The Sterling Company asks for permission to operate a lighting plant and the Preston Co.'s application was a blanket clause covering almost any enterprise in which it was to engage. What the promoters aim at is indicated by the request for the right to enter any community and erect poles on any road, highway, street or park. These powers are subject to the assent and supervision of the various municipalities but the experience of other corporations shows that this limitation does not amount to much.

It is the general impression that the powers asked for are intended to give the opportunity for establishing a competitive telephone company.

The streets of St. John are not so encumbered with poles that the addition of any more would be regarded as an insupportable nuisance and the committee intends to cope with this phase of the matter.

A plan which has been suggested as one which should have been adopted in the first place and which possibly might yet be adopted is to have the utility companies and the poles and conduits in the city limits and lease the use of them to the companies which need them. This would prevent the unnecessary multiplication of poles on the streets.

DANGEROUS DERELICT IN STEAMERS' TRACKS

Lumber Schooner Injured in Collision and Deserted by Crew a Menace to Navigation.

NOFOLK, Va., March 2.—Right in the track of coastwise travel tonight, the four masted schooner Ashbury Fountain is floating, a dangerous derelict. Early today she was struck by the steamer Jamestown, of the Old Dominion S. Company, about 10 miles southwest of Wier Light. After 18 attempts to save the schooner Captain Johnson of the Fountain and his crew of eight men, abandoned the vessel and were brought to this port aboard the Jamestown. The revenue cutter Onondaga has gone out to search for the derelict whose cargo of lumber is keeping her afloat. The liner also was injured, two small holes being stove in her hull on the port side forward.

The Ashbury Fountain was formerly the Chas. J. Davenport and was built at Thomaston, Maine. Her gross tonnage was 1032 net 923.

A pigeon with a broken wing was being cared for in the dispatchers' room of the union station today. Doubts were expressed as to whether this kind act was dictated by humanitarian motives or by visions of pigeon pie.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. FRIDAY, MARCH 4 1910

NEWS OF SPORT

CANADIAN LEADERS ARE IN GREAT DEMAND

Tait and Kerr Among Those Who Will Take in Meets at Baltimore and New York

TORONTO, March 3.—Jack Tait, George Gouling, Bobby Kerr, and several other Canadian cricketers will compete at games in Baltimore March 12 and at New York March 15. Tait will likely run Bowling a mile and half in New York March 15. Gouling will walk in handicap events at both places. Kerr will meet the best American cricketers both at the Cyster Tavern and at New York.

MURPHY'S VICTORY OVER MORAN A SURPRISE

Rumors of a Frame-up Reach New York From the Coast—Referee's Decision Not Entirely Satisfactory.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The fact that Harlem Tommy Murphy received a decision over English Owen Moran at the end of a twenty round bout in Frisco Monday night not only caused a general feeling of surprise here yesterday but provided ground for the belief that somebody must have cleaned up handsomely by taking the short end of the betting. Moran was favorite, the price being 10 to 7, when the man entered the ring. Then a bunch of "educated money" showed on the Murphy and with so much persistency that the rumor spread through the big crowd in Dreamland rink there was something in the wind. Moran's advantage for fifteen rounds was pronounced and the verdict of Referee Eddie Smith in the local boxer's favor was received by the crowd with unmistakable displeasure, the reports say, but the bets stood as laid.

M. P. A. A. DISCUSSES AMATEURISM AT TRURO

The Suspended Ones Must Appear Before Commission and Prove Right to be Reinstated.

TRURO, N. S., March 3.—A meeting of the executive of the M. P. A. A. was held in Truro tonight and was attended by the following: President Johnson, Secretary McMillan and Mr. Gannum of Charlottetown, Treasurer Garvin, W. B. McEvoy and J. T. Lighthow, Halifax; Mr. McArthur and W. M. Ferguson, New Glasgow; Lamy of Amherst; Reid, Moncton, and C. G. Kent, Truro.

DETROIT WILL CARRY 21 PITCHERS TO SOUTH CAMP

Twenty-one men are in the party from which the Detroit Tigers' pitching staff for this year will be selected. That many pitchers are scheduled to report to Hughey Jennings at San Antonio by the second week in March. From general appearance one gets the impression that there will be a few men who will not be twirling ball the entire season of 1910—that is, they won't continue working in a Detroit uniform.

Dr. James Casey met Hughey Jennings Saturday afternoon and discussed the ability of R. A. Savidge of Berwick, Pa. According to Dr. Casey, a gentleman well acquainted with Mr. Savidge, as he managed the team of which Mr. Savidge was a member last year, the young pitcher will be his out in the race for regular assignment.

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Stamina in Men and How to Possess It

(From "Man's Maladies.") A prominent physician being asked the question: "What are the things in life a man needs most?" answered, "Physical health, strong nerves, mental efficiency, money and social success." Any man possessing these five attributes is a success.

PHILLIES ARE DENIED BASEBALL PRACTICE

SOUTHERN PINES, N. C., March 3.—Although it rained almost constantly yesterday, the Philadelphia Phillies were out in the field in the morning.

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TO-NIGHT

City League: Langlans and Newman. Commercial: MacA. Bros. and I. R. C. St. Joseph plinched three points in their game with the C. M. P. A. last evening.

BOWLING

Moore, Wilson and Lemon proved the winning combination in the St. John Bowling Club's monthly tournament held last evening on Bowlers' alleys. After eight three men teams had bowled four strings apiece they were five pins ahead of their closest competitors with a score of 1,034.

Constipation.

No one need expect to be healthy if the bowels are allowed to become clogged up. A free motion of the bowels daily should be the rule with everyone who aspires to perfect health.

Dr. Burns Woodcock, Nashua, N.H., writes: "I was troubled with constipation. I tried several physicians, but could get no relief, but after taking three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters she was completely cured and is now in good health."

COAL--American Anthracite, Old Mines Sydney Reserve. Delivered in bulk or in bags. R. P. & W. F. STARR, Ltd. 49 SMYTHE ST., 14 CHARLOTTE ST.

25c Saturday Special 25c. 9c A regular 25c. Tooth Brush for 9 cents. 9c Good Quality of Bristles and Latest Sanitary Open Backs.

Wasson's Drug Store, 24 Dock Street. J. BENSON MAHONY, Manager.

"NICKEL" Aeroplane Contests. Exciting Races in the Air at Los Angeles. Grand Historical Picture: THAT'S WHAT THEY ALL SAY "JULIUS CAESAR" "BABY'S FIRST TOOTH."

Rough-Riding "THE TRAPPERS vs. REDSKINS." Heroic Rescues. TRIP THROUGH HOLLAND | EDWARD ROBSON. Refined "THE FIRST SETTLER'S STORY" West-Drama. By Miss RAY HOPE of New York.

INDIGESTION GOES IN FIVE MINUTES. Heartburn, Gas, Dyp... Stomach Miscry Vanishes Before You Realize It.

STOMACHS FEEL FINE. If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch, Gas and Eructate sour, undigested food or have a feeling of Distress, Heartburn, Flatulency, Nausea, Bad Taste in the mouth and stomach headache--this is indigestion.

UNIQUE BURNING OF ROME. Drama. Comedy. Transformation. Repeated Fri and Sat. At the request of hundreds, "THE BURNING OF ROME" will be repeated as an extra subject, with lecture by MR. HURLEY.

MRS. TUFTS in Song.

Orpheum-Mandy Hawkins. SEE MANDY NEXT WEEK.

HOCKEY QUEEN'S RINK. REAL AMHERST RAMBLERS vs. ALL-ST. JOHN HOCKEY. Saturday March 5th. Admission 25c. Reserve Seats 10c.

OPERA HOUSE. Commencing Wednesday, March 2. MATINEE SATURDAY. The Original Production, Direct from a 25 Weeks' Run in Chicago. THE LATEST MUSICAL RAGE.

THE ROYAL CHEF. With a big cast of 40 people, including WALTER A. BOHME, Byron Bronfi, Chas. Vanhook, Lena Chaney, Walter B. Smith, Ethel Hatch, Marie Donnelly, Leona Heintzman, Dot Norrella and the famous BROTHERS.

A Sensation! The GEM TONIGHT. Pathé's Famous "MOTHERLESS" The Original Subject (Or, the Two Orphans). "The Skeleton" "Caught in His Own Trap" Other Subjects.

TWO FINE FLIGHTS ON BRAS D'OR LAKES. Baddeck No. 2 Bumps the Clouds Over Cape Breton.

ART NEGLECTED IN CANADA. What Canada needs badly is more attention to art in the high schools and colleges. Literature is fairly well studied, but art and architecture are ignored.

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TO LET—Upper flat 15 Prospect street, 6 rooms and modern bath room... TO LET—Flat 5 rooms, 70 Metcalf St. Apply to JOSHUA E. COWAN... TO LET—Lower flat 31 Bentley St., 8 rooms and bath...

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FOR SALE—The fine leasehold house, No. 115 Somerset St. Apply on premises... FOR SALE—Upright Piano in use only short time... FOR SALE—At Renforth, a commodious and well built summer cottage...

NOTICE

HUM SAM and SONG LEE have purchased the Restaurant business formerly carried on by George W. Whitaker, No. 52 Mill St. They will be pleased to meet all former customers...

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Would Often Lie in Bed for Days Scarcely Able to Turn Herself. Weak back comes from the kidneys, and when the kidneys are out of order the whole system becomes deranged...

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PETER SHEEHAN PLACES A LIFE TO HIS CREDIT

Peter Sheehan, who keeps the crossing gates where the railway tracks cross Mill street in front of the station, placed a life to his credit on Monday night...

CHAMPIONSHIP RACES POSTPONED.

Owing to the very mild weather the final races in the city championship series have been unavoidably postponed. They will be held just as early next week as possible, probably Tuesday evening.

A Plane of Improvements

The many noted and amazing improvements in the New Scale and its secret tone and action and the Harmonic Tone-prolonging Bridge... New Scale Williams Piano.

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THE STAR ST. JOHN N. B., FRIDAY, MARCH 4 1910

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 4, 1910.

P. E. ISLAND PROHIBITION.

In the Senate a day or two ago a rather interesting debate on temperance took place. It was on Mr. Scott's bill to prevent transportation companies or individuals sending liquor into Scott Act or prohibition counties. The measure in itself is an excellent one, and will materially assist in the enforcement of such laws against the sale of liquor as are in existence in Canada. The debate turned to Prince Edward Island which has a prohibitory law and of which the legislature has unanimously asked the passage of the measure under discussion. Senator Dombville and Senator McWeeney of Moncton, opposing Mr. Scott's bill, made particular reference to Prince Edward Island. Senator McWeeney was of the opinion that more and worse liquor could be had in P. E. Island, under prohibition, than anywhere else. Mr. McWeeney should qualify this. It is not correct to say that more liquor can be had in P. E. Island, but it is the truth that more can be had for a certain amount of money than in any other province. It is also true that it is worse liquor, largely because it is home manufacture. It is not whiskey, the greater part of it, but a concoction of alcohol and other drugs put up on the spur of the moment by whoever has the opportunity and is destructive of selling it. In Charlottetown a quart bottle can be bought for thirty cents, which is much cheaper than would be paid in St. John, but there is this difference, that three drinks of the Island stuff will make a man crazy, while the licensed whiskey of St. John only makes the glad come. Senator McWeeney suggested that those who wished to see the work of the prohibitory law of Prince Edward Island should watch a steamer load of hardware from that province landing at Point du Chene. No doubt the sight would be impressive; in fact, anybody going to the Island need only get on the train at Summerside and ride to Charlottetown to witness the admirable results achieved under the present law. Yet this is not the fault of the law, but rather of its lack of proper enforcement and the latter weakness is not wholly due to local conditions. The act now in operation needs to be strengthened by such bills as Mr. Scott is at present promoting and by other measures which will enable the officials on the Island to more effectively perform their duties.

A FINE SCHEME.

Here's a solution of the salary problem found in all the churches. Those country ministers who are unable to live with any degree of comfort on what they receive from their congregations, should become professional boosters. The Country Church Association of New England, in convention in Boston, advises its underpaid members to become associated with agricultural societies and devote their spare time to booming the districts in which they live. Isn't it just a great idea? And so easily applied. These country preachers who have nothing to do but count six or eight services on Sunday, visit the sick in an area of ten miles square, perform the marriages, preach at the funerals, and generally officiate at those few scores or odd other duties which fall to the lot of the rural pastor, must find time hanging heavy on their hands. Then, the munificent salaries usually paid must undoubtedly develop in these men a spirit of optimism and enthusiasm which fully qualifies them to expound the remarkable advantages and attractions of their country. The man who is supporting a family on five or six hundred a year, with as little work as is required from the average rural minister, is in every way qualified to take the stump as a booster. He knows how easy it is to make a living. Wonder the idea has never before been suggested.

A REVOLT CRUSHED.

The Nicaraguan revolution is over. General Estrada, who has been sitting quietly in Bluefields waiting for his lieutenant, Chemorra, to wipe out the government forces, has modestly confirmed the rumor that his army has been utterly defeated and that the few survivors will hereafter do whatever sniping they may be able as occasion arises. It is Estrada's intention to so conduct the remainder of the campaign that he will be able to proclaim Nicaragua still in a state of revolt and thus continue to seek United States intervention. If President Madriz is left the man he has shown himself to be since Zelaya took to the timbers he will very promptly decline Estrada and his associates' outlaws, liable to be shot on sight. It is apparent, at any rate, that the moral support of the United States, backed by money and arms, has failed to produce the desired result, principally because of the fact this aid was extended in an underserving cause.

EXILED RUSSIAN NOBLE TELLS OF PRISON FLIGHT

Sent to Siberia for Founding School—Hounded by Spies—His Wife Was Stolen.

PHILADELPHIA, March 3.—A recital of the thrilling escape of a Russian nobleman, who was exiled to the bleak Saghalien island of the Siberian coast, held the interest of a large audience in Witherspoon Hall last night. Lieutenant Colonel Alexander M. Lochwitzky, a former bureau chief in the Russian war office, was the lecturer, and the nobleman about whom the story centered. The lecture was held under the auspices of the University Extension Society.

Colonel Lochwitzky is the son of General Michael D. Lochwitzky, who was assistant to the minister of war until his death in 1902, and was descended from one of the oldest families in the Russian aristocracy.

Thirteen years ago the colonel was arrested on the charge of building a public school for the peasants who lived on his estate, 120 miles from St. Petersburg. He was incarcerated in the fortress of St. Peter and Paul, where he was cut off from the outside world for sixteen months. Then, without being given a trial, he was sentenced to four years of hard labor on the island of Saghalien, Siberia.

ESCAPED TWELVE-YEAR TERM

After serving his term he was to stay in Siberia for twelve more years as an exile, but he escaped after a year and a half, and went to Japan, thence to China, and finally arrived in this country.

Meanwhile his wife, who had been Countess Anastasia, and with whom he was not permitted to communicate during his exile, was forced to marry an old major general. According to Russian law, her first husband's banishment divorced her.

Even in this country Colonel Lochwitzky is not entirely safe. Russian spies and government agents constantly dog his footsteps, and the colonel always carries a loaded revolver. Once in San Francisco, a spy shot at him, and three attempts have been made to poison him. The colonel neither smokes nor drinks, but he is fond of a little chocolate candy that a woman once gave him who was found to have arsenic in it. After living on the Pacific coast for four years, the colonel moved to Richmond, where he has been living ever since.

Colonel Lochwitzky speaks distinguished English, with a sharp, somewhat foreign accent.

LIKES OUR GOVERNMENT

Asked what he thought of the Russian form of government and what changes he would suggest, Colonel Lochwitzky said:

"The Russian government is over-centralized. The officials in St. Petersburg, ignorant of the true conditions in the distant provinces, try to govern them from the capital. The centralized governments is a good thing, if the central government busy itself only with the affairs of national importance and let the provinces themselves attend to their local affairs. If the Poles could select their own government or legislature, and the Armenians their own, it would be much better than to have an Armenian appointed as governor of Lithuania, and a Pole as governor of Armenia. This is what I admire about the United States. While the Washington government is strong and centralized the individual states have practically supreme power in their local affairs."

"Will you visit the Russian consular in this city," he was asked.

"Well," he said, "I would like to find out where the Russian consular office is, so as to avoid that street."

SUBMARINE BELLS TO WARN VESSELS

Coasts of U. S. and Great Lakes Will be Lined With New Safety Apparatus—Many Vessels Equipped.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Submarine bell signals to warn vessels from dangerous points during fog, will be established under the supervision and direction of the Light House board, which enables them to determine their approximate location by receiving from under the water the bell signals sent from light vessels, buoys and station boats.

At the united service in Zion Methodist Church last evening there was a larger congregation than usual. Rev. Mr. McLean led the song service. Rev. Mr. Anthony preached from, "I beseech you therefore brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service." The sermon was an earnest appeal for a fuller consecration to the service of Christ. A number in the congregation took part in the service. Rev. Mr. Crisp will be the speaker this evening. Song service at 7:45.

The Royal Bank of Canada has purchased the London House corner in Charlottetown, one of the best business blocks here, on which there is a large brick and stone store and office building. They intend remodeling the interior and the exterior of the building and will have an up-to-date banking office.

The fifth of a series of meetings being given by the High School alumnae was held last evening at the residence of Miss Vallie Sandall, 223 Pitt street. The subject of the evening was the "Life and Works of Oliver Wendell Holmes." Several selections from the works of the great American author were given.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

Are you a collector? Not necessarily of stamps or birds' eggs or any of the conventional things, but just of something?

If you aren't you are missing one of the sources of happiness that life has to offer.

Did you ever see a book collector crumpling over some old folio he had recently added to his collection? Did you ever see two autograph hunters comparing notes on some new acquisition in the way of great people's hen track signatures? If you have, you have seen a simple way to get a lot of happiness.

The safest happiness, is of course that which is founded on the most interests, because then it is not entirely destroyed when two or three of them flag or fail.



I know a retired newspaper man, one of the greatest interests of whose otherwise rather simple and colorless life is the collection of autographs which he started when he began his newspaper work. All the notable personages whom he met in the course of his long career were asked to put their names in the book, and the result is a splendid collection in whose possession and enlarging he still finds continual pleasure.

A collection like this carries itself on by its own momentum. The only hard thing is to get it started, or rather to get it past that dangerous reaction that usually follows the enthusiasm of the start.

Of course, a collection doesn't need to be intrinsically valuable to be a source of happiness. Indeed, I know few better things to collect than a scrapbook full of "quoted odds, and jewels five words long. That on the stretched forefinger of all time Sparkle forever."

Why, I wonder, do so few people have the scrapbook habit nowadays? In our grandmothers' day I think every woman had a scrapbook. Most of us have one of those books still tucked away in a drawer or cupboard—dear, time-yellowed old things, filled with clippings from "The Ladies Repository" and "Every Saturday," and a pages of copyings done in the sweet old-fashioned writing that seems to exclude a faint fragrance of rose leaves and Sweet William and mignonette from its quaint slants and curves.

And on the margins are the finger marks our childish hands made when mother let us take grandmother's scrapbook of a rainy afternoon.

Tell me, pray, what are the grandchildren of this scrapbookless age going to do on rainy afternoons?

A gradual collection of sets of books is another source of much pleasure. Start your child with two or three of Scott's or Dickens' or Shakespeare's works and see what pleasure he will take in gradually completing the set.

And then the habit of collecting should be acquired for profit as well as for amusement.

For instance, there is no housewife but would do well to systematically collect all the good ideas and recipes and suggestions that she hears or reads.

There is no business or professional man who would not do well to build up a file of ideas and information regarding his business or profession.

There is doubtless some kind of collection that would profit or amuse you.

Of course, I don't know what it is but you do, so why don't you start it tomorrow? Or better still, today?

Ruth Cameron

The Lighter Side of Life

"One good way to get those 'die' of work," said Brother Williams, "is to never shoulder mo'n you kin tote." "Think anybody does dat?" "I'm sho' of it, an' den dies 'um frim kaze dey got ter leave half of it by de road side!"

SCORCHING AT MEALS. Lawrence Mott, author and autobiographer, condemned scorching at a dinner. "The scorching," he said, "is the scorching of the scorching, but I don't condemn the scorching unless it is done in a scorching manner. I don't condemn the scorching unless it is done in a scorching manner. I don't condemn the scorching unless it is done in a scorching manner."

JENNIE—EXCUSE. A Wichita child who had been absent from school brought back the following excuse when she returned: "Dear Teacher: Please excuse Jennie. She was sick and had to stay at home to do the washing and ironing."

WELL-DONE. Young Surgeon (in hospital, after having just removed a patient's leg): "Does the operation meet your approval, doctor?" Head Surgeon—Very well done, except for a slight mistake. Young Surgeon—Why, what's the matter? Head Surgeon—You've amputated the wrong leg.

WHY CHANGE? Ascum—I see there's some talk upon the question of abolishing capital punishment. Would you vote to abolish it? Leg—No, sir; capital punishment was good enough for my ancestors and it's good enough for me.

TRADE SECRET. "The milkman's hired girl is ill. I inquired after her this morning, and he said: 'Why, how?' " "I said: 'How is your milkmaid?' " And he said: "That's a trade secret."

Store open till 7 p.m. Friday, March 4, 1910

Ladies Colored Boots

With the sidewalk dry, ladies are looking around for good dressy walking boots. We have some very attractive styles.

LADIES' TAN CALF BOOTS, double sole Blucher cut, \$3, \$3.50 a pr.

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Whether you think so or not, let us tell you that you do need a good strong Tonic. The long winter months, the cold house and the heavy food compels every one to take a tonic as soon as the days get warm.

Everything you want is here.

Frank E. Porter Prescription Druggist, Cor. Union & St. Patrick Sts.

ASSOCIATION NOW FULLY ORGANIZED

At the second meeting of the Merchant Tailors' and Cutters' Association of New Brunswick, held last evening in the sample room of the Royal Hotel, the work of organizing was completed. A. R. Campbell presided at the meeting.

After the transaction of the usual routine business the by-laws were submitted to the meeting for approval and were finally adopted. The officers of the association, which were not filled at the last session, were filled at last evening's meeting. LeBaron Wilson was elected chairman of the practical work committee. The full list of officers is as follows:

President—A. R. Campbell. Vice-president—John J. McDonald. Recording secretary—H. L. Colner. Financial secretary—H. Youngblood. Treasurer—T. L. McDonald. Chairman of practical work—LeBaron Wilson.

It was decided to hold the regular meetings on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Asquith said it was intended to ask the House to pass the budget immediately after the resolutions dealing with the war were dealt with. If the Government were not in a position to secure a promise that their proposals to the Lords should pass into law they would not continue in office.

What Every Mother Knows

Every mother knows that carbolic acid is antiseptic and that Witch Hazel is soothing to all inflamed surfaces.

It is because of these qualities that we recommend

REGAL OINTMENT

The best ointment made for cuts, wounds, burns, old sores, and all skin diseases. 25c a large box.

Sent by mail on receipt of price.

E. CLINTON BROWN DRUGGIST

Qui Vive! Who Goes There?

That is the French soldier's challenge—and was to him that he does not know the password.

Our sentinels' password is "PURITY BUTTER-NUT BREAD is a favorite right bread, because it is a flavor-right bread."

Beware of imitations—25c a small box. Label.

DEATHS

VANWART—In this city, March 3, 1910, died after a lingering illness, Oswald S. Vanwart, age 46 years, leaving a wife, six children and a mother to mourn their sad loss. 191 St. John St.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HINNEY—At the Mater Misericordiae Home, on March 3rd, Ann, widow of Frederick Hinney, in the 63rd year of her age, leaving two brothers and one sister to mourn. Funeral from the Home, Saturday morning at 9:30.

WHITE—At Alameda, California, Jacob White, on Feb. 21st, leaving two sons and two brothers, Ans L. White of San Francisco, and W. H. White of Cambridge, Queens County, N. H.

FAIRWEATHER—At the residence of Chas. D. Smith, Hampton Station, March 3rd, Mrs. E. A. Fairweather, aged 85 years.

Funeral on Saturday morning at eleven o'clock.

GRAND SPRING OPENING OF Baby Carriages and Go Carts

We have just received our 1910 stock of Go Carts and Baby Carriages. They have all the latest improvements and intending buyers should select their first choice.

Prices Are Very Low

Amland Bros. Ltd., 19 WATERLOO STREET

A COLUMN FOR WOMEN

Fashions and Fads

Many of the handsome gowns are made with a chiffon or lace tulle resting to within ten inches of the floor. This gives opportunity for the exquisite soft satin of the gown to be displayed to its full glory.

The small flowers are the favorites in millinery, violets, forget-me-nots, hincets or corn-flowers, tiny old-fashioned roses, lilies of the valley and other small blossoms that can be used in masses.

Some of the stunning capes for evening wear are finished with a deep fringe. The exquisite crepe shawls from the far east, with their wealth of knotted fringe, may be, in a measure, responsible for this departure.

The dark nets, especially the brown and blue, made up into blouses over white chiffon, are very attractive. This white collar or yoke is frequently trimmed with very narrow gold or silver braid. This gives a decided tone to the garment.

Gold in combination with black is used in many of the braids to be used on the spring tailor-made gowns. There seem to be no definite widths for these effective trimmings. They range from a quarter of an inch to something over an inch.

An old and pretty neck accessory consists of an inch-wide band of colored velvet, joined by a hook and eye at the throat, where it is a trim in straight jabot effect, made of net or lace, with ends drooping below the lower edge of the velvet, finished with tassels.

Star Fashions

How to Obtain Patterns

To obtain STAR patterns of accompanying design, fill out the following coupon and send it to

PATTERN DEPARTMENT, THE STAR.

Including 10 cents for each pattern desired. Orders filled by mail. Several days usually required. When ordering patterns, write name and address, size and number of pattern, carefully.

Star Patterns (10 Cents Each)

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Amount enclosed

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Street and No.

City

Province

Household Hints

Celery can be much improved by soaking it for an hour in ice cold water in which a lemon has been squeezed.

Pans greased with butter will make the bottom crust of pies soft and flaky. To prevent them from being soggy, if bread is wrapped in paraffin paper as soon as it is taken from the oven, it will keep fresh and moist much longer.

To clean a copper kettle rub it with powdered bath brick and paraffin and polish with dry brick dust or whiting.

When finely chopped nuts are needed for cake, salad or sandwiches, the nuts should be run through the mincing machine.

Instead of using soap and water to polish painted surfaces, boil a pound of cran in a gallon of water and strain it.

To clean chambray skin so that it will be soft after the washing wring it out of the soapy water and dry without rinsing.

Before using the broiler for fish, heat it and rub over with a piece of salt pork. It will make the broiling process simple.

If you desire to serve a baked fish whole, and have it stand upright on the platter, put a carrot inside the fish before cooking, and it will remain in position.

New shoes should be allowed to stand over night in a pan in which just enough olive oil to cover the soles has been poured. They will last much longer and will never squeak.

Catarrh Germs Move Out When Hyomei Moves In

The germs of catarrh cannot exist in the same atmosphere with antiseptic Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-mei). Breathe Hyomei and relief from catarrh, coughs, sore throat or cold will come in two minutes.

Breathe Hyomei and that stomach straining hawking in the morning will quickly disappear.

Breathe Hyomei and kill the catarrh germs; heal the inflamed membrane; stop the discharge of mucous and prevent crusts forming in the nose.

Breathe Hyomei for a few minutes each day and, forever rid yourself of catarrh.

Breathe Hyomei—give it a faithful trial and then, if you are not satisfied, you can have your money back.

What is Hyomei? It is a wonderful antiseptic powder that it promptly destroys germ life, yet its action on the mucous membrane is extremely soothing and healing.

It is made chiefly of oil of eucalyptus and eucalyptol taken from the eucalyptus forests of inland Australia, and combined with antiseptic employed in the Listerian system.

In inland Australia the atmosphere is so impregnated with balsam thrown out by the eucalyptus trees that germ cannot live, and in consequence catarrh and consumption are unknown.

Breathe Hyomei and get the same pleasant germ killing air as you would get in the eucalyptus forests.

Hyomei is sold by druggists everywhere and by Chas. R. Watson, 300 King St., and 21 Dock St., for \$1.00 a complete outfit.

An outfit consisting of a bottle of Hyomei, a hard rubber pocket inhaler and full instructions for use. Get one today and rid yourself of catarrh. Mail orders filled by The R. T. Booth Co., Ltd., Fort Erie, Ont.

Ten Boys Wanted!

Highest wages. Apply at once at 30 Charlotte Street

D. Boyaner, Scientific Optician, 38 Dock St.

Store Closes 6 P. M. Saturday, 9:30 P. M.



SOME BARGAINS IN BOOTS and SHOES

The balance of the M. J. Coady & Co. stock has been removed to our Union Street Store where it will be cleared out at the Coady Sale Prices

Naturally the sizes and assortment are not complete but they are so arranged that you can speedily find out what sizes are there and you can depend on Genuine Bargains

People indebted to COADY & CO. can make payment of their accounts at either King or Union Street Stores.

Waterbury & Rising

NEW PLAID GINGHAMS, VERY PRETTY 15c YARD NEW CAMBRICS and CHAMBRAYS WHITE MUSLIN WAISTINGS, CROSSBAR 40 INCH LAWN 10c - 45 INCH APRON LAWN 12c YARD

WETMORE, Garden St. Long Cloth yd wide Soft Finish 10c yd.

BARGAINS In Ready-for-Wear Suits

One Third Off Original Prices. Come early and get the pick

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Men, and Young Men, don't buy your shoes until you see our \$3.50 Special Goodyear Welt, Box Calif, Wing Tip. Without a doubt the finest shoe for the money in the city.

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7 p.c. Preferred Stock

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Telephone Main 211 or 1628 for number of shares you wish to subscribe for.

PRETTY GIRLS ARE SENT UP FOR USURY

TORONTO, March 3.—Rhoda Higgins and Florence Nickerson, two attractive young women, were committed for trial by Magistrate Denison today for usury. They were agents for Tolman, Chicago millionaire, Edward Spratt, who was a victim of the system, told of his transactions with the girls, saying he had to sign an agreement that he never got a chance to read. Business was done in the way of buying his salary for next month, and the discount netted the lender about two hundred per cent. on the loan. He got \$17 cash and had to assign a salary of \$50 to the lenders.

DEPLORABLE INDISCRETION. He is an indiscreet man who will chide his wife for dressing too plainly.

CANON ELLEGOOD, 86 YEARS YOUNG, DETERMINES TO LIVE TO BE 120

"I Will Beat Moses Yet," Declares Venerable Pastor of St. James—Denies Any Intention of Resigning—Given Up to Die Fifty-five Years Ago.

CANON ELLEGOOD'S RECIPE FOR A LONG LIFE. Don't smoke. Don't eat meat. Eat plenty of fruits and uncooked foods. Take plenty of outdoor exercise. Live the simple life.

MONTREAL, March 3.—Declaring that he is going to live to be a hundred and twenty and that he will "beat Moses yet," Rev. Canon Ellegood laughs at the story that he is going to resign from the pastorate of St. James' Apostolic Church on account of his advanced age.

Is This Fair?

Certain Proof Will be Made That Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Cure Stomach Trouble

A TRIAL PACKAGE SENT FREE. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are made to give to the system, through the digestive tract and the stomach, the necessary chemicals not only to digest food, but to enrich the fluids of the body so that it may no longer suffer from dyspepsia, or other stomach trouble.

EXPORTS TO STATES DOUBLED IN 10 YEARS

Table showing export figures to the United States from 1904 to 1913. Total figures last year reached \$3,417,416 as compared with \$1,751,707.

WANTED!

By STANDARD CREAMERY CO., 159 Main Street

Hay's Hair Health

NEVER FAILS TO RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL COLOR AND BEAUTY. No matter how old and how long you have been gray, it will work wonders for you, keep you looking young, promote a luxuriant growth of healthy hair, stop its falling out and positively remove Dandruff.

E CLINTON BROWN

SUES FORMER FIANCEE FOR RETURN OF GEMS

Jersey Chancery Court Steps Him From Selling Jewelry—Got Out of Pawn.

TRENTON, N. J., March 3.—An order was signed by Vice Chancellor Walker in the Court of Chancery here today temporarily restraining J. Walter Phares, former freeholder and a well known business man from disposing of a dozen articles of jewelry, valued at \$2500, which he is alleged to have redeemed from a Boston pawnshop.

MR. TURCOTTE IS GUESSING

Tells House Canada Will be Independent or a Part of United States—The Maral Debate.

OTTAWA, Mar. 3.—In resuming the naval debate this afternoon in the Commons, Mr. Turcotte (Conservative) suggested that a hot air chamber might be established in the Commons to ventilate the debate and the wearisome repetition of argument was well founded.

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WAITRESS IN SOCIETY SAYS IT'S HARD WORK

Once Enough for Mary Corrigan—Low Neck Gown Too Cold—"What Will Mike Say?"

NEW YORK, March 3.—Mary Corrigan, waitress, who with two East Side working girls donned their mistresses' jewelry and mingled with her guests at a fashionable reception—just to help Mrs. Alma Webster Powell show that fine feathers make fine birds—has quit society. One night was enough.

GROUND IS CHARGED

The institution is within a block of the Cataract sub station, and experts claim that the ground for a great distance around it is so heavily charged with electricity that people in the vicinity can light their houses by attaching a wire to the water pipes.

WORKING GIRLS MORE MORAL

"I don't care," Mrs. Powell went on. "The working girls as a rule only look education and clothes. That's all there is to it. They are healthier, kinder hearted and much more moral."

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IMMIGRATION DEPT. WENT BEYOND BOUNDS

Detained Chinese and White Wife Released

Judge McKewen Says Order of Detention and Deportation Was Not Warranted—Saucer Used in Court.

His Honor Mr. Justice McKewen in the Supreme Court, Chambers this morning in the habeas corpus proceedings of Frank Brown, (Chinaman), and Margaret Brown, (white), his wife, held by Captain Gamble of the S. S. Christian under an order issued by the Immigration Department for detention on the ground that both are suspected of committing a criminal act in England, made an order discharging both from the custody of the ship.

The hearing on the return to the habeas corpus in the case of the Chinaman was resumed this morning from yesterday morning and as Mr. J. S. Ritchie obtained a writ of habeas corpus directed to Captain Gamble to produce the body of Mrs. Brown, Mr. Fred E. Taylor for the steamship company, made it return similar to the one made in the Chinaman's case, that both were held under an order for deportation issued by the Immigration authorities.

Mr. W. J. O'Hearn, of Halifax, Mr. E. S. Ritchie, of St. John, Mr. J. C. Brown, Mr. D. H. McAlpine, K. C., for the Department of Justice, opposed the discharge, and Mr. Fred E. Taylor was present to watch the interest of the steamship people.

When the court opened this morning at eleven o'clock O'Hearn read the affidavit of Frank Brown, in which he deposed that he left Raymond, Alberta, on July 31st last for Liverpool, England, and intended to return to Canada. During his absence in England on February 21st last, he married an English woman named Margaret Kelly. The couple were married by a Church of England minister. Affidavits of George H. Budd, formerly secretary treasurer of Raymond, and of Solomon Kimble, the present secretary, were read in which the deponents swore that they knew Brown and that he had a restaurant business in Raymond and owned both real and personal estate and that on July 31st last Brown announced his intention of going to Liverpool. A large photo of Brown was attached to the affidavit.

McAlpine, K. C., "Is Frank Brown his right name?"

O'Hearn—"Yes, that is his English name." Turning to Brown he asked his Chinese name to which Brown answered "Frank Brown."

Young See, formerly of McLeod, Leithbridge, and Raymond, in Alberta, not now residing in this city, was called by Mr. Ritchie.

The Court—"Will you use a saucer, or is he a Christian?"

O'Hearn—"A Christian, your honor."

See—"I'm a Methodist. I go there sometimes."

Taylor—"I think that the witness should be sworn in the usual way—that is with a saucer."

The Court—"Mr. See, what is your religion?"

Ans—"Chinese."

The Court—"Get a saucer."

A brother Chinaman was despatched for one and instructed of fifteen minutes returned with it.

The Court, handing witness the saucer and the letter holding it up—"Young See, you swear that you will tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, and if you do not tell the truth may your soul be broken as you now break that saucer?"

Witness (breaking the saucer with some difficulty)—"I do."

Examined by O'Hearn witness said that he met Brown for the first and only time about four years ago in McLeod, Alberta.

Under cross examination by McAlpine, K. C., nothing new was elicited.

O'Hearn—"May I please your lordship, it is incumbent on the other side to question him if they wish. We have satisfied the statute by filing the affidavits and my learned friends may cross-examine Brown on those affidavits."

McAlpine, K. C.—"We do not wish to call him."

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HARMONY PREVAILS IN PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Only a Few Items Under Discussion Today

And No Harsh Criticism—The Telegraph and Mr. Woods—Paying to French Papers for Transit Pass.

FRIDAY, MARCH 4.—The Public Accounts Committee met this morning before taking up the regular business. Mr. Woods rose to a question of privilege. He read the first paragraph in the report of the committee which stated in substance that it was evident that the committee had been intended to block a full enquiry. Mr. Woods thought this was most unfair as there was nothing to warrant such a statement. He thought that the present course was to show some reasons for the committee's action. He said that paragraph to hurt his feelings. The Solicitor General was present and added that the press would have to have some little fun.

The Solicitor General explained the three charges of the committee. The first was that the committee had not been intended to block a full enquiry. The second was that the committee had not been intended to block a full enquiry. The third was that the committee had not been intended to block a full enquiry.

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NEW YORK, March 3.—When Mary Pokorney, 13 years old, and Mary Skudny, 14, were arrested tonight, both carried big muffs with silk linings, and double skirts with false pockets, in which were found jewelry, furs, silks and various trinkets to an amount in excess of \$60.

Mary Pokorney told the police of meeting a woman who invited her to her flat in Harlem. There, says Mary, she gave regular instructions to a numerous class in the art of stealing in department stores. A man whom she met at the flat induced her to run away with a bill from the store for three weeks they lived in furnished rooms, she stealing to support him. He was arrested tonight and gave his name as William Erbland, 20 years old. He admitted serving two terms for theft and burglary.

ALDERMEN DEMAND CITY SOLICITOR

To Devote Entire Time to Work—Treasury Board Moves—Maps of City to be Prepared.

The Treasury Board at its regular session last evening discussed the matter of having a city solicitor, who would devote his entire time to civic affairs. The matter came up in connection with a bill from the recorder in the suit of John A. Kane against the city. The board reduced the bill from \$51.35 to \$21.95.

A telegram from the Canadian Union of Municipalities, asking that the city be represented at Ottawa when a case against the Toronto Railway Company is tried. It was decided that Secretary Lighthall, of the Municipality should represent the city.

It was decided to procure maps of St. John, showing the water works extension, vacant lots, etc.

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THE WEATHER

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LOCAL NEWS

Hasen Brown arrived in the city on the Atlantic express today.

William A. Perron has been appointed deputy sheriff for Madawaska County.

Pidgeon's Rubber Prices: Child's, 43 cts.; Girls', 48 cts.; Women's, 58 cts.; Boys', 58c.; Men's, 65c. Match us if you can. Corner Main and Bridge Sts.

Special services in the Methodist school on Portland Street, tonight, at 8 p. m. Song service at 7.45. All are welcome.

The Royal Gazette contains notice of an assignment made by Edward J. Green, of Grand Falls, to Sheriff Tibbitts.

The person who was so absent minded that he left his umbrella in the central police station can obtain it on application to the chief of police.

Manager Corbett of the Seaman's Mission acknowledges with thanks \$33.34 from Capt. Gamble of the Allan liner Corcoran and from Captain Mitchell of the Donaldson liner Cassandra, collections taken on the west-bound trips.

Miss Harriet A. Smith, St. John, N. B., president Robohk Assembly, and Miss May Essey, Charlottetown, vice-president, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKee, while in town—Westville Free Lance.

The fire department was called out at 10.30 o'clock this morning for a slight fire in the kitchen of the central Cune's restaurant in the city market. The alarm was sent in from box 27. The damage done was slight, the fire being quickly extinguished before the firemen arrived.

Many friends in St. John will hear with regret the news of the death of Miss Sadie Hall, one of the most popular young ladies in Halifax, which occurred there last night, after an illness of three weeks. She was a daughter of Port Warden Hall.

A concert under the auspices of the St. John Pipe and Drum band was held last evening at their hall, 24 Waterloo street, and proved a great success, the colored talent proving the hit of the evening. The hall was crowded to the doors, and the people being turned away. The concert given by this band are giving great satisfaction.

Mrs. E. A. Smith gave a delightful lecture on Historic London in the Centenary lecture room last evening. The lecture was illustrated with excellent pictures of Montreal, Chateau Frontenac, and other scenes of the city, and the large audience present greatly enjoyed the lecture and at the close the lecturer was tendered a vote of thanks.

The sixth lecture in the free course, given by the ladies' association of the Natural History society was delivered in their rooms, Union Hall, yesterday afternoon by Mrs. George Murray, who took for her subject, "A Month in St. Augustin." The speaker gave an entertaining and graphic description of her sojourn there, and the different scenes were illustrated by lantern views. At the close of the lecture the speaker was extended a hearty vote of thanks.

Prof. Lewis B. Paton's lecture which was to have been given this evening before the Archaeological Society has been postponed until tomorrow evening. This has been done because of Prof. Paton's inability to make the rail connections for Montreal on which he had planned. This lecture, which is to be given in the Natural History rooms, will be one of the best in the entire course.

In all probability the exhibition executive will entertain the newspaper editors of the province at lunch in the Union Club during the short stay in St. John next week. The newspaper men come here at the invitation of President T. H. Estabrooks, of the Board of Trade, to hold friendly interviews over the matter of united effort in the way of publicity and will be directed by Mr. Estabrooks. It appears therefore that the visitors of the fourth estate will have a rather festive time while in town.

Portland Street Methodist Sunday school was filled with a large congregation last evening at the special evangelistic service. Rev. Neil McLaughlin spoke on the "Prison Home of the Universe." His address was earnest and powerful. A number of persons signified their intention of leading a new life. A large choir rendered a number of pieces from the Alexander song book before the service. Miss Reynolds and Mrs. Brown sang "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling" most effectively.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of St. John will be held in St. Andrew's Church, St. John, N. B., on Tuesday, March 15th, at 10 a. m. Business: Election of officers, report of committees on standing committee, on appeals to roll, re Dr. MacTas, on home missions, augmentation, Sabbath schools, Y. P. societies, church life and work, statistics, finance, systematic giving, moral reform, also synod's remit, evangelism, election of assembly commissioners, request of Sussex, Fredericton Incorporation; moderator of assembly and any other business that may arise.

The death took place at an early hour this morning, at the residence of her father, Mr. John Robson, West End, of Mrs. L. J. Toole, after a lingering illness. The deceased was twenty-five years of age and is survived by her husband and one child, father, mother, five sisters and three brothers. The sisters are: Mrs. Wm. Morgan, of Maple Creek, Sask.; Mrs. Gordon B. Smith, West End, and the Misses Grace, Ella and Eva at home. The brothers are: Harry, Arthur and Frank, all at home. Much sympathy will be extended to Mrs. Robson as she is the third this year that death has entered the home, a brother having died in Boston and one having been killed in Winnipeg. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, service at 2.30.

MARCH OPENS WITH A RUSH OF BUSINESS

Next Week a Busy One in Shipping Circles

Many Steamers are Due With Heavy Freights and Large Passenger Lists.

Winter port traffic has reached its highest mark. The next few days will be the busiest of the season at Sand Point. The Empress of Britain will land nearly 1,500, only a small number leaving the steamer at Halifax. Morning traffic is very large and all records for March will be surpassed if the present large passenger-travel continues.

Allan liner Corcoran, in command of Captain J. T. Campbell, sails this afternoon at four o'clock from Sand Point for Liverpool. The steamer is taking a very large general cargo. Commander Edwards and a small party of marines are among the passengers. The Corcoran will carry about thirty saloon, thirty second cabin and 125 third class passengers.

The Montreal express today brought a large number of the western passengers. C. P. R. steamer Empress of Britain, from Liverpool, will dock at Halifax at 6 o'clock this evening. The steamer should reach St. John tomorrow afternoon. The Empress is bringing a valuable cargo here.

Allan liner Hesperian will reach Halifax at one o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The steamer has 400 passengers on board. She will come around to St. John on Sunday evening or Monday morning. The Hesperian is making her last trip to St. John.

Donaldson liner Athena, which sailed from Glasgow on Saturday last, has on board 127 cabin and 200 steerage passengers. Sixty-two Clyde-dals-burns are also shipped. The animals will be sent to the west. The Athena should reach port about Wednesday.

Allan liner Virginian will sail today from Liverpool for this port. There is no report from either the Allan liner Pomeranian or Donaldson liner Lakonia. The former steamer is fourteen days out from Hays, having left that port on February 18th. The Lakonia, with a large cargo, is divided into 600 shares of \$10 each. The company will consist of Edwin J. Everett, St. John, merchant; Henry L. Everett, St. John, accountant; Herbert D. Everett, St. John, furrier; A. Ernest Everett, St. John, accountant and George F. Everett, of Ottawa.

C. & E. EVERETT TO BE INCORPORATED

Application for incorporation will shortly be made by Hanington & Hanington on behalf of local parties who propose to take over and conduct the business of C. & E. Everett, dealers and manufacturers in coats, fur, hats, caps, etc. The new company will be known as the C. & E. Everett Co. Ltd. The place of business will be in this city. The capital stock of the new concern is \$80,000, divided into 800 shares of \$100 each. The company will consist of Edwin J. Everett, St. John, merchant; Henry L. Everett, St. John, accountant; Herbert D. Everett, St. John, furrier; A. Ernest Everett, St. John, accountant and George F. Everett, of Ottawa.

TENDERS ASKED FOR IMPORTANT WORKS

The department of public works is asking for tenders for three important works. Tenders for the Lester bridge will close on March 14. The structure will be rebuilt over Mill Stream at St. John's.

Tenders for the building of Malpas bridge over the Kennepesicasis will close on March 14.

Tenders are being called for the C. P. R. high and low water wharf to be erected at Kingston.

POLICE COURT

Two prisoners were in the police court this morning. Wm. McIntosh, a Scotchman, arrived in the city on last night's train and was found by the police early this morning wandering about Mill street. He was remanded to jail.

Michael Donovan of York Point was charged with drunkenness and being a nuisance. He was remanded to jail.

Stanley Walker, a colored youth, arrived yesterday from Woodstock with a consignment of potatoes. Donovan invited the youth to have a drink. They went to a bar and Donovan had four drinks, which were all paid for by Walker.

The magistrate said that Donovan had been acting badly at home and was abusive to his mother. He was sent to jail for two months on the charge of drunkenness and remained on the begging charge.

The quarterly meeting of the W. C. T. U. is being held this afternoon in Union Hall, North End. The reports from the different unions are being presented.

Frank Jones has received the contract for the electric wiring and fixtures for the J. M. Robinson building on Market Square.

Steamship Dahomey left Bermuda this morning for this port. The steamer carries a number of passengers and general merchandise.

Preparations are now being made for the annual dinner of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which will take place on the evening of March 17.

The management of the local hockey team has received no reply from the Halifax Crescents or Summerside Crystals regarding dates for matches here. The ice at the Queen's rink is in good condition for the Hibernians. St. John match tomorrow evening.

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