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FLOOD THE WELDON LOT

For an Open Air Rink for the Boys and Girls

WHAT DETROIT DOES

The Aldermen of That City Set Aside \$1000 per Year to Flood and Free From Snow Ice Rinks in Vacant Spaces.

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Story of One Englishman Who Did Not Find it Easy

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MATE SUMMERS WILL SAIL FROM ST. JOHN TO BEAT HIS "HOODOO"

Mate of the Schooner William Marshall Will be Here Tonight and Will Try Again to Round Cape Cod—He Has Already Been Wrecked Three Times in Trying it.

When the turbine steamer Governor Cobb of the Eastern Steamship line arrives in St. John tonight she will have among her passengers William Summers of this city, who was mate of the schooner William Marshall on her last trip and John T. Boush, who has been steward of the vessel.

Three times has Mr. Summers tried to round the Cape and each time he was wrecked, each experience proving worse than the one before it. Now with modern stable courage he is going to try it again, and is confident that this time he can beat the "hoodoo" which has apparently followed him.

The Boston Post of yesterday contains the following: "Some of the boys think I ought to wait until warm weather before starting out again to sea by Cape Cod," said Mate Summers to the Post representative.

"I don't know whether there is a 'hoodoo' following me, but I do know that I have tried three times to get by Cape Cod and every time I have been wrecked. The first time was three years ago, when a small two-masted schooner I was in was on her beam-ends, and we were taken off after a narrow escape and landed at Peaked Hill.

ELLIS STOCK CO. HAS DISBANDED

Because of Poor Business They Broke up in Amherst—The Story of the Tour.

After a season of poor business the Ellis Stock Company which appeared in the Open House here some weeks ago, has disbanded.

The company was organized by Dr. E. C. Ellis on the 14th of June, 1906, and the particular reason for its coming into being was to tour the Maritime provinces.

The company was not as strong as the vice companies brought here under the management. Consequently business was light.

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HURRY WITH HALIFAX'S YOUR VOTES

Times Voting Contest Closes in Four Days

KILTIES STILL LEAD

Heavy Vote Polled Today—Court La Tour Pressing Hard on First Place—Race is Close and Finish Will Be Hot.

Although no change occurred in the Times voting contest today, the vote was as heavy as usual. St. Stephen's Scotch Boys' Brigade still keeps its grip on the leadership, although it is being closely pressed by Court La Tour.

Only four days now remain before the race at present shows signs of making a fight for the leadership before the week ends. The musicians have reason to be proud of the friendship which is being shown them on every island.

The Standing Today St. Stephen's Scotch B. B. ... 30496 Court La Tour, I. O. F. ... 29136 Mary's Band ... 29133 High School A. C. ... 16000 St. Rose's L. A. D. Society ... 15888 Neptune Rowing Club ... 14785

NEW FEATURE OF THE C. P. R.

Special Fast Freight Trains to be Run From Toronto to this City—Winter Port Notes.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has added another convenience for the benefit of through freight traffic via the port of St. John.

The valuation of the Donaldson line steamship Parthenia's outward cargo, now on her way to Glasgow from this port is Canadian goods, \$138,342; United States goods, \$103,000, total value, \$241,342.

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BRANDON CITY WITHOUT FUEL

Not a Pound of Coal to be Had From Dealers—The Situation Serious.

BRANDON, Man., Dec. 14 (Special)—The fuel situation in Brandon is more serious than ever, and today not a pound of coal is to be had from any dealer in the city.

A few old cars have been arriving during the last two weeks, which dealers have distributed to those most in need. This, with what wood has arrived, has kept fires burning in homes, but the supply is now exhausted and the only fuel that is secured is able.

One dealer said last night at least one thousand tons of coal were on the way to Brandon, but no particulars can be learned as to where the fuel is or when it will be here.

Fuel dealers are besieged by people who are badly in need of fuel. Many have absolutely nothing to burn, save old boards and wood they can collect about their neighborhood, and within a day or two the situation will be a desperate one unless relief comes.

Another school boy 'pote' (By a St. John School-boy) There was once a bad boy called Devine. When he went into a great big ravine, then a tiger sprang out and he turned right about and for dust his heels couldn't be seen.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

BRIDIE'S CONQUEST. The beautiful Miss Bridie McKeen went over to the west side yesterday and was shown through the Empress of B. B. Hain. She says that Capt. B. B. Hain is a young man, and that the officers of the ship generally are real sweet.

Bridie wore her new set of furs, and was charmed with everything. She perhaps no secret that several of the young officers of the Empress were quite smitten with Bridie's charms. The fun she was really expensive, but nothing is too good for Bridie. It would be no surprise to her friends if she were made the subject of marked attention on the part of the handsome young gentlemen of the Empress on the occasion of future now had 'em. I have been interested in his voice. "I have been interested in his voice."

What's that? demanded Mr. Binks. "The new reporter spelled it." "Spelled it?" said Mr. Binks. "The new reporter spelled it."

"Young man," said Mr. Binks, with a note of compassion in his voice. "I have been interested in your eye since you wrote a column about it. You explained that the feller produced on a limestone formation required iron, and this was the channel leading into the harbor needs."

"No," said the new reporter, "that is what the channel leading into the harbor needs."

DOG DAY IN POLICE COURT

Citizens Explain to Judge Ritchie Why Their Dogs are Not Licensed.

The annual dog day proceedings kept the police court busy this morning. Out of the 150 who had been called upon to appear in court, only about 200 of the number showed up. All kinds of excuses were offered and several persons were barely able to wriggle out of the payment of the dollar. Some had been disposed of them others had already procured licenses and some had even waived their dogs to obtain the necessary document, and were informed that if the court sit, a fine of \$4 could be imposed on them for delinquency until after a summons had been issued. Among those for whom summonses were issued are Geo. W. Jones, F. E. Sayer and Mr. H. O. A. York.

WILL SUE THE ALLAN LINE

Peter Ritchie was at the Grand Union Hotel this morning and was a very indignant man, and states that he will undoubtedly sue the Allan line for his hotel bill which the Grand Union, Mr. Ritchie has been employed at Gloucester for some time and came to this city yesterday en route to Liverpool. Before coming to this city he purchased a ticket, which was signed "H. A. Ritchie, agent, Sydney." On the ticket it stated that the London would sail from this city on Dec. 14th, and, having been given that incorrect information, Mr. Ritchie says that he came to this city. He states a summons had been issued, and he will bring action against the Allan line to recover the amount he will have to pay for hotel bills.

TWO BARKS READY FOR 7000 MILE RACE

(Boston Post, Dec. 13) When the weather becomes suitable for the departure of sailing vessels from the local harbor, two big square-riggers, will get away for South America and a race will undoubtedly be indulged in by both vessels.

The vessels are the British bark Calaburga, Captain K. McKenzie, and the Italian bark, Giuseppe d'Al, Captain A. Silvio. Both captains took out their clearance papers at the custom house for a voyage of nearly 7000 miles to Buenos Ayres. The Calaburga is laden with 1,137,466 feet of white pine lumber, and the Italian has a cargo of 1,245,021 feet.

The bark Calaburga sails from Maitland N. S. Captain McKenzie is well known here, and his many friends wish him a successful trip.

BEST CHRISTMAS YET

Judging from the manner in which the Victoria Rink telephone is ringing these days Santa Claus has decided to give away the usual number of season tickets for Christmas boxes; indeed he will give more than ever before. In a Ye. ticket there's a whole season crammed full of the happiest times, of good healthful eating, of innumerable hand concerts. Happy is the boy or girl who finds this necessary post-boards dangling on the tree the morning of the 25th.

The band of strolling tramps from the Empress of Britain formed the star attraction of an excellent concert given at the Seaman's Mission last night. The performers, five in number, besides the director, were gotten up in fancy costumes and were hailed with delight by the audience.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS ARRIVING DAILY.

We will undoubtedly have one of the finest Christmas Stocks in the city, as goods are pouring in our store almost hourly.

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NICE FANCY BOXES GIVEN AWAY FREE.

Buy your Christmas Gifts Here and Save Money.

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Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



CHIFFON VEVEIT, CHINCHILLA AND HANDWROUGHT LACE.

There are so many and so elaborate features in the later modes that seem to be the logical development of styles which presented themselves earlier in the season...

across the shoulders both back and front, the shirring accomplished over thick cords that make it take a share in the trimming effect. The sleeve is cleverly managed in this same line...



HAT MODER IN BLACK AND WHITE

A drowsy little hat, which would combine well with a great many costumes, is depicted in the sketch. The shape was rather small and had a bowl crown, the left side of the brim being turned sharply and held by a large silver buckle.

but was of satin felt, in white, the under brim being of black, and the trimming consisted of loops and ends of broad black velvet ribbon and a cluster of white plumes, which fitted in the back of the hat.

A NEW YEAR'S GIFT OF \$1? Orange Meat is made of the best wheat. By a special process, all the starch cells of the wheat are converted into white sugars. Analysis proves that "Orange Meat" contains over 45% of wheat sugar.

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Advertisement for 'THE EVENING TIMES POPULAR VOTING CONTEST' with a coupon for 'ONE VOTE'.

Advertisement for 'THE COUNTERSTROKE' by Ambrose Pratt, author of 'Vigoro is Daunt, Billionaire.'

Advertisement for 'THOMAS J. FLOOD'S, 60 KING STREET, Ladies' and Gents' Leather Dressing Cases'.

WEDDINGS: Miss Agnes Hann, of West St. John, and Percy Plewading, formerly of the Manawagish road, were married in Winnipeg on Sunday. RECENT DEATHS: Almer Thompson, a linotype operator, died Thursday morning at Alma (Albert county). THE CAUTION OF A KING: All night the breeze blew steadily, and Cressingham ran almost dead before it at a speed of about four or five knots.

in an open boat in consequence of a vager, but had fallen asleep and so lost his bearings. This story the captain seemed to find difficult in crediting, for he merely shrugged his shoulders and murmured something in an undertone about the mad English.

He landed safely at Trapani an hour after daylight on July 24, parting from the Alessandria without regret. Evening found him at Castellamare, and after dinner he pressed on by post horses (the mail having long gone) to Palermo, which city he reached a little before dawn on the morning of the 25th.

There he learned that a steamer was scheduled to start for Napoli that evening at eight o'clock. He booked his passage and expressed his gratitude, and was able to board the steamer eleven or a gentleman one more.

He arrived at Naples by eleven o'clock on the morning of the 26th, and driving to the Hotel d'Europe at once wrote and despatched by mounted messenger a letter to King Humbert, in which he conveyed his thanks to His Majesty of the occasion when he had made his acquaintance under the auspices of Perigord, and begged for an immediate audience.

He was received at the door of the palace by a gaily dressed officer, who gave an astonished start on learning the visitor's name, but he was very polite to Cressingham, and at once led him into an empty ante-room and begged him to wait. Cressingham took a chair beside a window that looked out on the gardens, and blithely hummed an air from "La Cigale" which he had heard a baritone organ murdering while passing through the streets of Naples on his journey to the palace.

He watched with some amusement the movements of a perky brown cock sparrow on the paved courtyard below, where a hand was laid upon his shoulder and a soft Italian voice spoke whisperingly these words: "Sir, you are my prisoner. Put your hands above your head, and do not make another movement, or you are a dead man."

Turning curiously he found the room blocked with men in uniform, and immediately before him an officer of the household guard, who held in his right hand a cocked revolver that was pointed unwaveringly at the Englishman's heart. "What is the meaning of this?" he demanded indignantly.

"The officer did not reply in words, but at a nod four men had secured Cressingham by arms, wrists and hands in such a manner that had he been a Hercules he would still have been powerless. They hurried him then with scant courtesy from the ante-room and up several flights of stairs to the top floor of the palace, where they brought him to a small room, whose one barred window looked out upon the Campanian Hills.

The officer at once closed the door and proceeded with nervous caution to search his prisoner, perhaps expecting to discover a collection of dangerous bombs. His surprise on finding the jewels were almost barren; he uttered a cry of something like fear, and dropped the glittering treasures as though they had burned his fingers, while the men gathered round staring with wide eyes at the priceless baubles.

One stooped to recover them, but the officer reproved him sharply: "Do you want to lose your life, fool!" he cried; "they are no doubt poisonous to touch, since there are no bombs or bombs or weapons to be found." (To be continued.)

OVER SEA'S MAIL ARRIVES TODAY

(C. P. R. Press).

Montreal, Dec. 13—Four Canadian Pacific passenger trains from Montreal for St. John tonight and tomorrow morning are carrying passengers to the number of 1,275, who intend sailing on the Empress of Britain tomorrow afternoon. One of these trains is the Over Seas mail, which is carrying the mails from China and Japan to the Old Country.

The Over Seas mail left Vancouver seven hours late, and not only made up the lost time but reached here four hours ahead of her running time. She was scheduled to pass outwards at 2 o'clock in the morning and should reach St. John in the afternoon.

After the Over Seas mail having made a splendid run, it is unfortunate that the Empress will lose time by calling at Halifax, and it is hoped that the Intercolonial, which runs so fast west-bound and so slow east-bound, will not cause further delay by being late this week.

TO STOP HINDOOS COMING TO CANADA

Montreal, Dec. 13—A special London cable says: Hon. John Morley, secretary for India, has been induced by his radical friends in India to take up the case of 2,000 Sikhs now more or less destitute in British Columbia. It is understood that Mr. Morley has satisfied himself that Indian labor is unneeded in Canada, and has instructed Lord Minto to make the fact widely known in India so as to prevent further emigration.

The question of whether the 2,000 already in Canada should be repatriated passes the difficulty as to who shall pay. It is contended that the steamship company should do so, unless the Canadian Pacific find the Sikhs useful for the colonization of the newly irrigated small farming lands in Bow River country or the new lands on Vancouver Island.

Fredericton, Dec. 13—Grand-Master Edwin J. Everett, accompanied by Senators Ellis, A. McNiel, Horace King, F. H. Hart, and J. Twining Hart, grand lodge officers, came up from St. John this evening and paid official visit to Hiram Lodge, F. and A. M. There was a large attendance of members, and the session was a most interesting one. The visitors were entertained to luncheon at the close.

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that will treat a cold in a satisfactory manner but is soothing—warming—loosen the cough, and contain neither opium nor morphine.

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Financial and Commercial

SECRETARY SHAW'S AID ONLY A DROP IN THE BUCKET

(New York Journal of Commerce, Wednesday) Wall street needed no further stimulus to its drooping spirits than the knowledge that Secretary Shaw had a sympathetic ear.

SHIPPING

Monetary relief measures were expected, according to Washington advice, to add the cotton crop movement to the two-month-old connection between the two.

SHIPPING

Table with columns: VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN, Steamer, Tons, From, Date.

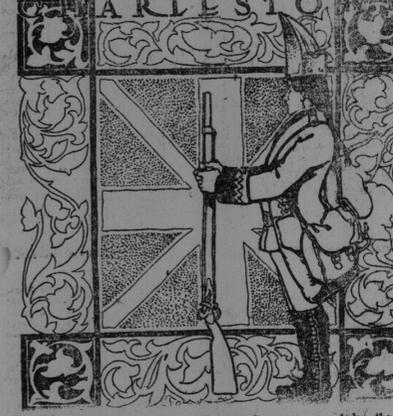
MINIATURE ALMANAC

Table with columns: 1906, 1907, Sun, Sets, High, Low.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: Yesterday's Closing, Today's Opening, Noon, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30.

TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE



December 14, 1882—One hundred and twenty-four years ago today the British evacuated Charlottetown, S. C.

Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum For Coughs and Colds.



CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns: December corn, December wheat, December oats, May wheat, January pork.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

Table with columns: Dom Bond, Dom 1 & 3 p, Dom 1 & 6 p, Montreal Power, Detroit United.

L. O. A. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Gideon L.O.L., No. 7, held their annual meeting in the Orange Hall, Germania street last evening.

THEY OPEN CHRISTMAS DAY

It is very pleasing to St. John citizens to learn that the Robinson Opera Co., who made such a big hit here last September, played a return engagement at the Opera House, opening Christmas Day.

DOMINION PORTS

Port Hawkesbury, Dec. 13—Delayed, ten scho. Divia for Harbour, Curl Leaf, Unity and Malina for New York.

BRITISH PORTS

Queenstown, Dec. 13—810, str Majestic, from Queen for New York.

FOREIGN PORTS

Harve, Dec. 13—810, str Sardinian, from London for New York.

EXPORTS

For Glasgow, per S S Partholosa, 210 tons; Chatham goods—400 bales wool, 42 bales pulp; 77,520 bushels barley, 18,741 bushels corn.

DIDN'T KNOW I HAD KIDNEY TROUBLE.

"I was out of health and run down generally, had no appetite, was dizzy and suffered with headache most of the time. I did not know that my kidneys were the cause of my trouble, but somehow I felt that I ought to try something to get me back to health, and I began taking Swamp-Root.

THE FIGHT PICTURES

The sale of seats for the Gene-Nelson fight pictures opened at the Opera House Thursday morning and many availed themselves of the change of getting first choice.

DEATHS

McLennan—At his father's residence, 19 Cedar street, on Dec. 13, Gwendolyn McLen, youngest child of L. L. and Alice McLennan.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 13—The schooner Metcalf, Capt. J. W. Metcalf, of Metcalf Island, was wrecked on the rocks near the shore of St. John's Bay.

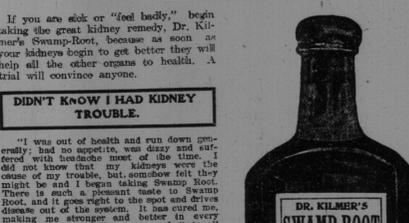
MARINE NOTES

The steamer Orro left Dartmouth on the 12th inst. for St. John and Halifax with 11,499 bags sugar, and the Orroco left same date on the 23rd inst. with 8,000 bags.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WEAK?

Thousands of Men and Women Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

To Prove What the Great Kidney Remedy, Swamp-Root, Will Do for YOU, Every Reader of St. John Evening Times May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Absolutely Free by Mail.



Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for many kinds of diseases, and if permitted to continue much suffering and many fatal results are sure to follow.

FIRE SALE

OF FURNITURE!

This is the greatest money-saving event in Furniture ever inaugurated by us. In last Friday's Fire but few pieces of furniture were badly damaged; dust and smoke have only depreciated the value of most of the goods offered.

Parlor Cabinets, Brass and Iron Beds, Sideboards, Morris Chairs, Book Cases, Chiffoniers, Card Tables, Dressing Tables, Buffets and China Closets, Fancy Parlor Pieces.

Heavy Oak Upholstered Chairs, Extension Tables, Hall Stands, Secretary Combination Desks, Extension Tables, Magazine Racks, Parlor Mirrors, Reed Cobbler Rockers, Parlor Tables, Couches in Oak and Mahogany, Handsome Oak and Mahogany Dressers.

We cordially invite you to come and look around. Everything is marked in large figures. Stroll through and see the amazing opportunities on every side. Whether you buy or not the money-doubling possibilities will interest you.

Bustin & Withers, FURNITURE DEALERS. 99 GERMAIN ST.

THE EVENING TIMES.

ST. JOHN, N. B., DEC. 14, 1906. The St. John Evening Times is published at 27 and 29 Canterbury Street, every evening (Sunday excepted) by the St. John Times Printing & Publishing Co., Ltd.

Circulation of The Times.

Table showing circulation statistics for the week ending Dec. 8th, 1906, including daily and weekly averages.

THANKS, MR. ROCHE

Why did Mr. Roche, M. P. of Halifax, ask in parliament concerning the fact that the Empress of Britain did not come up to her berth on arrival at St. John harbor on the evening of Dec. 7th?

Perhaps Mr. Roche, M. P., has done this port a service. He has directed the attention of all Canada to the fact that the entrance to the chief winter port of Canada should be dredged by the government without delay.

In the meantime, tide or no tide, fog or no fog, by bringing the mails direct to St. John, the C. P. R. can land them in Montreal at least as soon as they can reach that city via Halifax.

THE FIRST STEP

It should be a natural inference from the tenor of the speeches at the luncheon on Wednesday afternoon that steps would be taken without delay to provide for the construction of another steamship berth.

The dredge Beaver will soon have completed the dredging necessary in connection with the wharf which Mr. Clark is building, and will then begin digging at the site of the next one, for which as yet no tenders have been called.

REALIZATION

At the luncheon on Wednesday Mr. W. S. Fisher appropriately referred to the late Governor Boyd, who so long ago, in a memorable address, declared that western trade must eventually come to St. John, and who referred to this port as the coming "Liverpool of America."

OPEN AIR RINKS

The Times recently suggested that the Weldon Lot, at the corner of St. James and Wentworth streets should be converted into an open air skating rink for the children.

One of the city churches has decided to convert a vacant space in rear of the church edifice into a rink for the use of the children of the congregation.

CONTINUE THE WORK

Mr. W. H. Thorne, a member of the board of trade committee that has for a long time been giving special attention to the question of providing St. John with a complete system of docks, with all the necessary dredging and other work required, is of opinion that an expenditure of between four and five million dollars could be profitably made by the government within a few years, converting St. John into a properly equipped national port.

Some of those English women who want the power to vote continue to submit evidence of their ability to scratch the honorable gentlemen opposite, whatever they might be able to do with a ballot.

The Times Montreal correspondent intimates that as a result of the Tennyson Smith campaign there has been a marked falling off in drunkenness in the railway town.

The mayor should keep a diary. Busy merchants have something due to do at this season than to sit at city hall twiddling their thumbs and waiting for him to keep an appointment.

Western liberals have informed the government in emphatic terms that they consider the Canadian tariff high enough. They could endure it if it were lower.

President Roosevelt has abandoned simplified spelling. The St. John incident suggests that he might with profit abandon all kinds of spelling on paper.

Legislative action to prevent a tie-up of coal mines by strike or lock-out would be in the public interest.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION

The doors of the Protestant Orphan Asylum Thrown Open to Visitors Last Night.

The doors of the Protestant Orphan Asylum were thrown open to guests last night. Among those present were Mayor and Mrs. Sears, Revs. W. E. Hand, R. Mathers, David Lang and Thos. Marshall; School Inspector Carter and Mrs. Carter, Dr. and Mrs. Frank, T. S. Simms, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross, T. H. Estabrook, Rev. W. W. McMaster, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Morrison, Mrs. E. K. Smith, Mrs. Thomas Walker, Mrs. H. L. McLean and others.

In the absence of the chairman, W. S. Fisher was in the chair. The children sang an anthem, and the chairman followed with a brief address. He stated that there were sixteen boys and twenty-three girls sheltered in the asylum, and traced the history of the institution. Mr. Fisher made an earnest appeal for aid as he said that there was a deficit of nearly \$200. The chairman also stated that many orphans could not be accommodated on account of want of more rooms.

Mr. Fisher told of the good work done by Mrs. Adams in the school room, by Mrs. Frost and her sister, and also by the medical men, who give their attendance free of charge.

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1906

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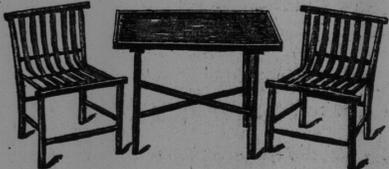
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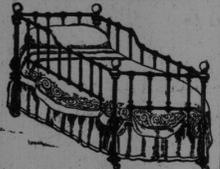
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Large stock of SLEDS, FRAMERS, ETC.
Select your CHRISTMAS GIFTS early and have them stored away until Christmas Eve.
Make the children's hearts glad by giving them something in the furniture line.



\$8.50
WHITE ENAMEL IRON CRIB, with brass knobs and spring attached, etc., now only \$8.50.

Fancy Rockers.
We have a large stock of FANCY ROCKERS, from \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.50 and upwards to \$10.00.
WILLOW ROCKERS AND CHAIRS in a large variety to select from.
MORRIS CHAIRS, from \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$5.00, up to \$21.00.

Stylish Buffets.
Our stock of STYLISH BUFFETS, from \$24.00, \$25.00, \$26.00 up to \$45.00.

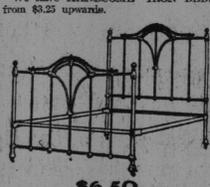
Ladies' Secretaries.
LADIES' SECRETARIES, from \$6.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$11.00 up to \$25.00.



\$19.00
A PRETTY SIDEBORD, similar to this, surface oak, golden finish, large mirror, swell top drawers, etc., a snap at \$19.00.
PRETTY SIDEBORDS, from \$13.75 upwards to \$45.00.

EXTENSION TABLES from \$6.00 up to \$38.00.
FANCY ODD PIECES for parlor, library, etc.

Handsome Iron Beds.

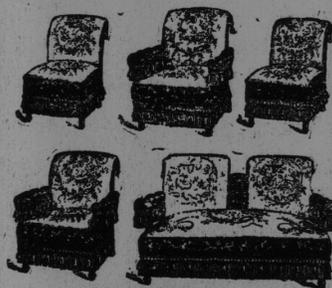


\$6.50
THIS STYLISH WHITE ENAMEL IRON BED, with brass railing and knobs, etc., only \$6.50.
Our stock of IRON BEDS is the best we ever had.
Do away with your wooden beds.

Chiffoniers.
HANDSOME CHIFFONIER, from \$9.50, \$12.50, \$13.50, \$16.50, \$18.50, up to \$22.00.

Magnificent Parlor Suites.

We have a magnificent stock of PARLOR SUITES, from \$25.00, \$30.00, \$40.00, and upwards to \$60.00.



\$50.00
A HANDSOME WILTON RUG, PARLOR SUITE like this, strongly made, five pieces, made to last a life-time, only \$50.00.

Money saved by buying early.

MAIL ORDERS.
All orders must be sent in early.

AMLAND BROS., (OPEN EVENINGS.) 19 WATERLOO STREET.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON CHURCH UNION MAKING PROGRESS

Toronto, Dec. 13.—At the general committee meeting on Church Union in the Metropolitan church this morning, the session was largely given up to correspondence from the Anglican and Baptist churches, stating their attitude on the question of organic union with the three denominations that now have it under discussion. The report of the special committee on correspondence with the above bodies was read and adopted. It provides for the appointment of several committees to confer with representatives of these two churches.
The correspondence from the Baptists of the Maritime Provinces shows that the church in the east does not think at all favorably of organic union as being practical, yet speaks favorably of federal union. The Baptists throughout the other parts of Canada appear disposed to meet the committee and consider what steps might be taken. At the last conference the Baptists appointed the strongest committee they could name, but so far no steps have been taken in the matter other

than their expressed courtesy of the invitation extended them and a willingness to confer with the committee on the subject.
The committee will also meet with the Anglicans, and though the outlook, so far as is definite regarding that body, it will show that the way is open to take preliminary steps towards the great end. If the union is effected with the Church of England, four cardinal points will have to be accepted by the other denominations; that is: That the Bible is the sole rule of faith; apostles and apostles creed the rule of doctrine; that the words "in substitution" must precede the two sacraments, and that the historical continuity of the church cannot be shaken. The church is willing to do away with its liturgies and special forms of worship, but will not yield the above points.
The report of sub-committee on church policy elicited considerable discussion. The chief objection raised to the report as submitted was that it was too indefinite. It was felt that definite, clear, business-like system of church government should be proposed, as the governing bodies of churches interested would wish to have a clear understanding of what the proposal involves. The report was, therefore, after discussion of the first two clauses, referred back to the sub-committee to prepare a more detailed statement, and report at a later stage in this conference, or at a future meeting, as may be convenient.

ROOSEVELT ABANDONS SIMPLIFIED SPELLING

United States House Decides Unanimously to Return to Old System.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Simplified spelling received a final quietus in the house today. The subject has been under discussion in the house and in committee ever since the convening of the present session of congress, but it was brought to a sudden termination by the adoption of a resolution favoring the return to the old standard of orthography, just before the house adjourned, at 5:05 p. m. day. It was understood that this action had been taken as the result of an interview with the president in which he had said that if the house should go on record as against the new system he would abandon his efforts in that direction. The house was prompt in meeting this condition and the resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.
During the morning hours in the house several resolutions were passed, one aimed at the lumber trust, and calling upon the secretary of commerce and labor to investigate the high prices now prevailing in lumber and another calling upon the sec-

WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS BATTLE WITH POLICE

Attempt to Hold Meetings in House of Commons Results in Arrests.

London, Dec. 13.—The female suffragists made another attempt this evening to hold a meeting within the precincts of the house of commons and as a result five women and one man were arrested after an exciting fight with the police.
The gathering was arranged by the women workers of Manchester and East London, who assembled in strong force. The police were taken unawares, and some women got within the entrance to the house before their object was detected. When the police finally barred the entrance, the women tried to hold their meeting in the palace yard. A force of constables was then summoned to eject them. The women fought wildly, scolding and kicking the officers, but they were eventually compelled to give way.
Those who persisted in resisting were carried screaming to the nearest police station. They were charged under the old law against attempting to hold a meeting within a mile of the house of parliament while the commons is in session.

HOW ONE CITY PLANS TO DESTROY GARBAGE

Garbage and refuse trains, hauled by electric locomotives, will be used at Dublin, Ireland, in connection with a new refuse collection and disposal system. The system was described by W. P. Goodrich of London in a paper on "Refuse Disposal" read before the Cork congress of the Royal Institute of Public Health, as follows:
"During the daytime, instead of carting all the refuse to the destructor in Stanley street, sufficient only will be carted direct there from the destructor to keep the plant in full work. The remainder of the refuse will be carted to the tramway depot at South Gloucester street and tipped into large tank tipping wagons; during the night these vehicles will be hauled by electric locomotives over the tramway track to the destructor works. Each locomotive will convey a train of tipping wagons containing from seventy-five to eighty (80) tons of refuse, so that in a single journey the whole of the refuse not carted during the day may be taken direct to the destructor works. While only one tramway depot will be used for refuse storage at first, it is intended later to equip other depots; these, with the first depot, will be used not only for storing refuse, but also for storing mud and street sweepings, which, like the refuse, will be stored in tank tipping wagons and taken by electric locomotives to the Barryrow sludge-works suitable land for reclamation, which will take 70,000 (long) tons of mud per annum for twenty years, the ultimate intention being to convert this tract of fifty-seven acres, which faces the sea, into a public park. This is a scheme of which the Dublin authorities may be justly proud. In so far as the haulage of refuse over the tramway track by electric locomotives is concerned the scheme is unique and of the highest interest, so far as I am aware, Frankfurt-on-the-Main being the only other city in Europe where a similar method of refuse haulage has been adopted."
The new destructor plant will include two four-gate Meltrum destructors of the representative back-fed type, having a guaranteed capacity of 120 long tons per 24 hours. These will supply steam to two Babcock & Wilcox boilers, each having 1741 square feet of heating surface and working at a pressure of 200 pounds per square inch. The refuse will be stored in two hoppers, each 7x22 feet by 11 1/2 feet deep, placed at the back of the boilers. An overhead railway, with eight travel-

ling tender cars, will be provided. A separate building will house a marine mill and also a tin crusting revolving screen, the latter for handling tin cans. The contractor guarantees an average temperature of 2000 degrees Fahrenheit in the combustion chamber, and a steam production of 1120 pounds per hour at a working pressure of not less than 175,000 pounds per square inch; also a labor cost per ton of refuse destroyed, taking local wage rates into account of 6 1/2-10c per long ton (11 1/2 cents per short ton).
CORNER BERRYMAN THINKS AN INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF TIMOTHY COLLINS WILL NOT BE NECESSARY.

REDUCTION IN THE PASSENGER RATES

C. P. R. Cuts Western Passenger Fares to Three Cents per Mile.
Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—The management of the C. P. R. have decided to reduce fares on a considerable portion of their western lines. The present rate is four cents, and it will be cut to three cents a mile. The district of MacLeod, Calgary and Dunmore will benefit by the reduction.

DEC. 14, 1906

Here Are the Kind of House Coats and Lounging Robes He Will Appreciate

Madam, you'll make no mistake if you select his house coat or lounging robe from our splendid stock of these garments. You'll find here only well-tailored Coats and Robes, all brand new and in the most desirable colors and patterns. These garments are made to fit comfortably, and the man who gets one will have no cause for complaint on any score. You'll be sure to please him and you'll pay less here than equally good coats and robes can be bought anywhere else.

We have customers come here and buy after having seen the stocks of other stores. Remember this and it will save you time in your shopping.

House Coats
Grey and Black Velour, \$3.50
Plain Dark Grey Cloth trimmed with red, \$3.75.
Pretty Grey, Red and Green mixtures, \$5.00.
Nest Grey and Green checks, \$6.00.
Prices continue on up to \$15.00.

Lounging Robes
Blue and Grey Cloth, bound with cord to match. Collar and pocket trimmed with neat plaid, \$6.00.
Plain Brown, Blue or Grey, collar trimmed with bright plain cord and girdle to match, \$10.00.
At \$12.00 we have a very large range from which to make your selections. In this line are some of the very nicest things we have ever seen. Other prices \$12.50, \$15.00.

Bath Robes
In Grey and Blue figured Velour, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00.

King Street, Corner German
GREATER OAK HALL
SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED
ST. JOHN, N. B.
Branch Store, 695 Main St.

HOW ABOUT THAT CHLOROFORM IDEA

Dr. Osler's Mother in Perfect Health on Her Century Birthday.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Featherstone Osler will celebrate her 100th birthday tomorrow, and a large family gathering will take place. Mrs. Osler is the widow of Canon Osler, and her children are Hon. Justice Featherstone Osler, court of appeals; B. S. Osler, Q. C. deceased; Edmund B. Osler, M. P.; Dr. William Osler, regius professor at Oxford; Mrs. Williamson, deceased; Mrs. H. C. Gwyn, of Dundas. The aged woman is in perfect health.

NEW BRUNSWICK'S CABINET OFFICIALS VISIT WASHINGTON
Washington, Dec. 13.—Premier Tweedie, Attorney-General William Pugsley, and Surveyor-General Sweeney, of New Brunswick, today called on Gifford Pinchot, chief of the United States forest survey, to discuss the new forest laws which have been proposed in New Brunswick. The delegation invited Mr. Pinchot to attend a forestry convention to be held in Fredericton (N. B.) next February.

Large Christmas Shipment Of Choice Wines and Spirits

(In Special Cases)

Just received from the world-famous house of
W. & A. GILBEY, LTD.
LONDON, ENGLAND

the largest Wine and Spirit Merchants in the world. Purveyors to H. M. the King, H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, H. M. the King of the Belgians, and Colonial Viceroys and Suites.

Great Opportunity for Connoisseurs To Stock Their Private Wine Cellars

Each case contains

- 2 Quart Bottles of Port "Invalid"
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- 2 Quart Bottles of "Strathmill" Pure Malt Scotch Whisky
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- 2 Quart Bottles of Cognac "Royal"

Priced at \$12.00 a case. Delivered free of express or freight charges at any railroad station in the province of New Brunswick.

REMEMBER--Each Bottle is Strictly Guaranteed as to PURITY, QUALITY and GENUINENESS

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W. & A. GILBEY, LIMITED

The trade supplied at special trade prices

Gilbey's "Strathmill" Scotch Whisky is for sale at the Royal Hotel, Temple Bar, Hotel Edward, and by William Baxter, John Walsh, J. P. McGuire, and all the leading hotels in the province.

McINTYRE & COMEAU, LTD., Distributors, St. John, N. B.

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1906.

Headquarters For Christmas Gifts For Gentlemen!

We are on the wrong side of King St. to attract Christmas shoppers, but it would be to their advantage to drop over and see how nicely and cheaply we can meet their wants in the way of **XMAS GIFTS FOR GENTLEMEN.** You'll not have to worry one minute over the problem: "WHAT SHALL I GIVE HIM," if you visit our stores.

Our counters and tables are heavily laden with the best of everything. Your coming has been anticipated; and we're ready to serve you.

ANY OF THE FOLLOWING WOULD MAKE A VERY ACCEPTABLE GIFT:

- Men's Overcoats**, special values at \$5.00 to \$12.00.
- Men's Suits**, at one-fifth less than regular prices.
- Men's Vests**, plain and fancy, \$1.00 to \$5.00.
- Men's Pants**, \$1.00 to \$6.00.
- Smoking Jackets**, a most acceptable gift for a gentleman, \$4.50 to \$8.00.
- Underwear** --- Penman's, Stanfield's, Wolsey's and other leading makers, 50c. to \$2.00 per garment.
- Men's Full Dress Vests**, white and fancy \$2.00 to \$5.00.

- Gloves**, lined and unlined, in Dent's, Fowne's and all leading makes, 75c. to \$3.00
- Woolen Gloves**, 35c. to \$1.00
- Mufflers**, in large variety. Something every gentleman appreciates, 25c. to \$2.50
- Sweaters and Cardigans**, just the thing to keep him warm---all prices.
- Suspenders**, plain and fancy, put up in nice fancy boxes, 50c to \$1.50
- Full Dress Shirt Protectors**, \$1.75.
- Umbrellas**, \$1.00 to \$4.50
- Fancy Armlets, Cuff Links, &c.**

THIS SEASON WE ACTUALLY HAVE
A CHRISTMAS FEAST
FOR THE PUBLIC.

- Suit Cases, Leather Bags**, something every gentleman appreciates, \$2.00 to \$12.00
- Shirts**, white and colored, soft front and stiff front, 50c to \$2.50
- Neckwear**---Every man looks for a tie on Xmas. We have them galore, and at all prices. We are showing the nicest range of Neckwear in St. John. 25c. 35c., 50c.
- Collars and Cuffs**, the newest styles and shapes---all sizes.
- Hose**, plain and fancy, 25c pair up.
- Caps**, 50c to \$1.50

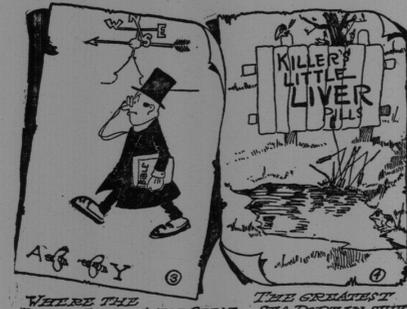
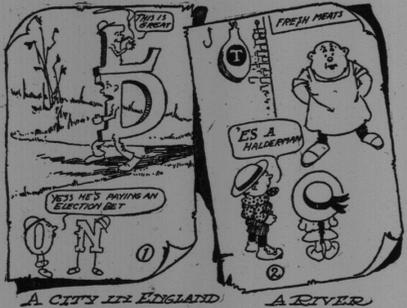
We keep the things a MAN buys for himself and appreciates most, so let us help you out in making your decision for HIM,

HENDERSON & HUNT, 40-42 King Street

BRANCH STORE, 553-555 Main Street, North End.

HURRY HARRY, DOROTHY DEAN and SPOTS in "Dear old ENGLAND" "Dah Jove"

THE SMALL PICTURES ARE PUZZLES, IF YOU SOLVE THEM, THEY WILL TELL YOU SOME INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT ENGLAND.



London, England.

Dear Cousin Charley:

Here we are in "dear old London." We landed in Liverpool on Friday afternoon after six days on the water, and I tell you it felt good to be on dry land once more. Soon after we came in sight of land a tug came out to meet us and revenue inspectors came aboard. We were all told to declare our baggage. I told him I had a suit case and a spotted dog. He asked me if the dog was full blooded and I said yes. He said full-blooded what? And I told him full-blooded dog, of course.

Say! They have the funniest engines out here and trains. The engines haven't got any cow catches on them as all the passenger coaches are all divided up into little compartments, each having a separate door. But, my, they do run some. Wasn't any time after we left Liverpool until we were in London, and there were cities and towns all the way.

London is awful big; nearly as big as New York and Philadelphia combined.

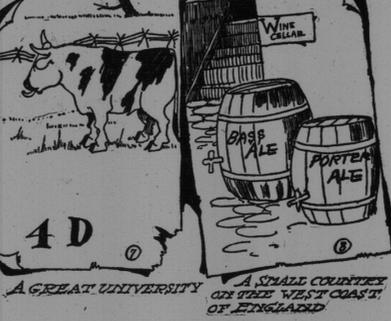
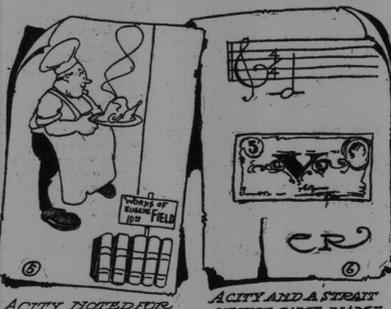
When we got out at the depot we were almost mobbed by cabbies. They were crying "Keb, sir!" "Keb, sir!" "An' som' 'n' som'!" Finally, we took a four-wheeler and were driven to our hotel. As it was pretty crowded inside they let me sit up with the driver. So I got my first view of London streets from a cab box. My, what narrow, crowded streets and funny street cars. They call them 'trams,' and you ride inside or outside, just as it suits you.

We have been to many of the show places of London, Westminster Abbey, The Tower, London Bridge and The King's Palace.

People here talk so funny---not at all like we talk, and they call policemen "bobbies." Ain't that a funny name for "cops?"

Spots was awfully glad to get on dry land again, and ran around barking at everybody till I made him shut up. Dorothy says she don't believe in American English noblemen. And I am mighty glad of it.

Yours, HARRY.



Answers:
No. 1---London.
No. 2---Thames.
No. 3---Westminster Abbey.

No. 4---Liverpool.
No. 5---Sheffield.
No. 6---Dover.

No. 7---Oxford.
No. 8---Wales.

NOME CERTAINLY HAS SOME WEATHER

NOME, Dec 13---Such cold weather as has been prevailing for 10 days past has never been experienced by the oldest miner in Alaska. Truthfully, it is so cold that the flames of fires burned outdoors have turned into beautiful red icicles and have to be wrapped in blankets to saw out.

John Hare, a fiery character of the Arctic, delivered a lecture the other night, and although he chose the most burning words his speech was a frost.

The extreme cold has in a measure proved a godsend to the suffering people. The ice is frozen so hard and dry that the friction caused in chopping it causes spontaneous combustion, and melts tons before the flames can be extinguished. This is a water supply furnished.

Equipping himself with six suits of woollen clothing and a bearskin, Edward Long went to a neighbor. Arriving, he discovered his left leg frozen stiff. The cold air had entered through a rent no larger than a pin head and had done the work.

In cooking great care must be exercised to keep the frying pan covered. There have been instances where a bedstead while cooking a nice brown underneath was frozen stiff on the exposed surface.

All the trees are laying frozen eggs, and the cows have to be milked with red-hot asbestos gloves.

WORD FROM BR'ER WILLIAMS.

De Thanksgivin' gobbler gobbles mighty fast, but de diffence 'twixt him an' de human gobbler is dat he ain't got time ter gobble all in sight.

It never does come ter de human race dat dey order be mighty thankful fer lots er de things dey don't get.

Satan go ter church mighty regular, but no man ever yit kitched him sleepin' throo' de sermon.

Keep de halleluia road, but de' holler so loud dat dey'll 'rest you in seven games.

turbin' de peace.

When you in de han' er a receiver you order make up yo' mind ter de fact dat de receiver got ter live es well es you.

Bergen, of Brooklyn, has the record of being the poorest hitter in the National League. He played in 103 games for the measly average of .161. There are others below Bergen, but they played in fewer games.

Think of Having Patti Teach You to Sing!

You can have the great Patti sing to you in your own home. She will, not only, sing once, but she will sing the same song over and over---stopping anywhere, going over and over the same bar, if you like.

Or, if you wish to play or sing like the famous masters, you can have them interpret the most difficult pieces, and tirelessly repeat, till the exact phrasing, the most delicate shading of tone is caught and learned.

Teachers and parents, who wish to bring out the best in the student, whether vocal, instrumental or elocutionary, will wisely provide one of these great helps---

Victor-Berliner Gram-o-phones

The Victor-Berliner gives anything---from grand opera to amusing anecdote. It is the only instrument for which Patti, Caruso, Kames and most of the other celebrated operatic stars will sing. It is a marvellous instrument---always ready to give out any sound, be it bird-trill or thunder---and its reproduction is absolute perfection.

Come to our place and listen to some of the 3000 new records. Ask for the booklet, anyway. It's free.

For Sale by JOHN FRODSHAM, Royal Hotel Billiard Parlors.

TO STEAM USERS

Have you heard of our **Patent Grate Bar** Suitable for any type of Boiler.

Perfect Combustion obtained with about 20 per cent. less fuel. And practically No Ashes.

QUEEN'S HOTEL. Montreal, 15th January, 1906.

Messrs. the Vulcan Smoke Consumer and Fuel Economiser Co.

Gentlemen--- We take pleasure in stating that we have equipped two of our boilers with your Patent Grate Bars, and find that they give entire satisfaction, producing complete combustion and effecting a saving of about TWENTY PER CENT. in fuel.

Yours truly, D. RAYMOND, Manager.

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The Vulcan Smoke Consumer and Fuel Economiser Co.
13 St. John Street, Montreal.
R. JARDINE, Agt. for Maritime Provinces, P.O. Box 255, St. John, N. B.

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DOWLING BROS., The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Get Her What She Wants.



It's no more trouble to buy an acceptable present than any other sort. All you have to do is to go to the place where women are accustomed to shop, where everything is bought with an eye singly to the desire of women, and there you'll see the thing she likes best.

KID GLOVES, in all the new shades, at 60c, 70c, 80c, and \$1.10 and \$1.25 pair. PRETTY HANDKERCHIEFS at 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 70c, 85c, 90c, and \$1.00 each.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street.

Dorothy Dodd



THERE is an all pervading sense of satisfaction in a well fitted "Dorothy Dodd" Shoe. And not the least of its charms is its inexpensiveness. You may have shoes in plenty without being extravagant.

Waterbury & Rising. CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.

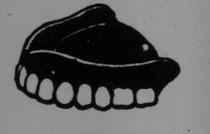
FOR THE WOMEN: Handkerchief Cases, 25c to 50c. Brush and Comb Sets, 50c. Table Mats, 25c set. Collar and Cuff Boxes, 75c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main Street, North End. SPECIALS.

This week we are showing a range of Astrachan Jackets well lined and finished. Some Specials at \$35.00 each. We have a few Cloth Coats with Fur Collars, Sateen linings, \$15.00 to \$25.00.

ANDERSON & CO 17 Charlotte Street.

ARRIVING TODAY CARLOAD Ontario Cider, 16, 20 and 30 Gal. Barrels.



Best Value Ever Offered. We make the \$5.00 Gold Crowns Best in the City. Teeth without pain. Gold fillings from \$1.00. X-ray and other dental work. Teeth Extracted Without Pain, FREE.

F. E. WILLIAMS CO., Ltd

To Advertisers.

During the week of Dec. 17, advertisers are requested to hand in advertising changes the day before. We trust that patrons will co-operate with us in handling the rush of Christmas copy.

THIS EVENING

Band and skating at Victoria Rink. St. John branch of the British Medical Association will meet in the St. John Medical Society room, Market building, at 8:30 o'clock.

THE WEATHER

Forecast—Fresh northerly winds, fair and cool. Sea very, moderate winds, fair and decidedly colder.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON.

Highest temperature during last 24 hours 21. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 10. Humidity at noon 75. Barometric pressure at noon 30.1.

WASHINGTON WEATHER REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Eastern states and northern New York.—Unsettled weather with occasional snow in northern part.

LATE LOCALS

Steamer Halifax City left Halifax for this port at seven o'clock this morning. C. P. R. steamship Empress of Britain will leave port tonight at ten o'clock.

MR. MACKAY'S CASE

D. L. MacKay, whose detention here by the U. S. immigration authorities has been occupying the attention of the public lately is still in the city.

Business Notices

Call at Jas. A. Tuttle & Son, 93 Germain street, and see the toys, china and fancy goods, the balance of their large stock which is being sacrificed to close the stores.

SHOP IN THE MORNING

M. R. A.'s announcements tonight are the latest news from St. Nicholas. They tell just what would be nice for the folks, the mothers, sisters and lady friends, not by any means forgetting the children.

SATURDAY SHOPPERS

Saturday shoppers should read the large advertisement of Ambrose Bros. Ltd., this issue, as they have on their three large floors a magnificent stock of useful Xmas gifts in the furniture line.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—(Special).—Speculative accounts in the Dominion Iron and Dominion Coal was a feature of today's stock trading.

FOUND—ON CHARLOTTE ST., A PURSE.

containing a sum of money. Owner can have same by calling on CHAS. F. COBBHAM, American Steam Laundry, proving security and paying for this ad.

FIRE IN SUSSEX THIS MORNING

Firemen Fought Flames with Mercury at 10 Below

SUSSEX, Dec. 14.—(Special).—The fire department was called out at an early hour this morning to fight a stubborn fire in the residence occupied by Thomas King, Main street. The fire had got such headway before it was noticed that the firemen had hard work to keep the flames confined to the building.

BURGLARIES AT SACKVILLE

SACKVILLE, N. B., Dec. 14.—(Special).—The stores of C. Stedman & Co., jewellers; Steward & Co., dry goods, and W. R. Rodd, druggist, were burglarized last night. Entrance was effected in Steward & Co.'s by cutting a plate glass window, and in the other places by means of cutting panes from the street door.

SCOTCH CONCERT PROGRAM

St. Stephen's Church School Room tonight. 1. Harmonics—Messrs. Houns and Bessie. 2. Vocal duet—Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McLean.

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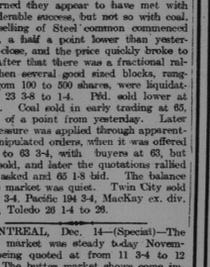
JUST A WORD

for your benefit, and in a way, for ours. Every afternoon this week the crowd of shoppers has been larger and larger.

FREE! SHOW GOING

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