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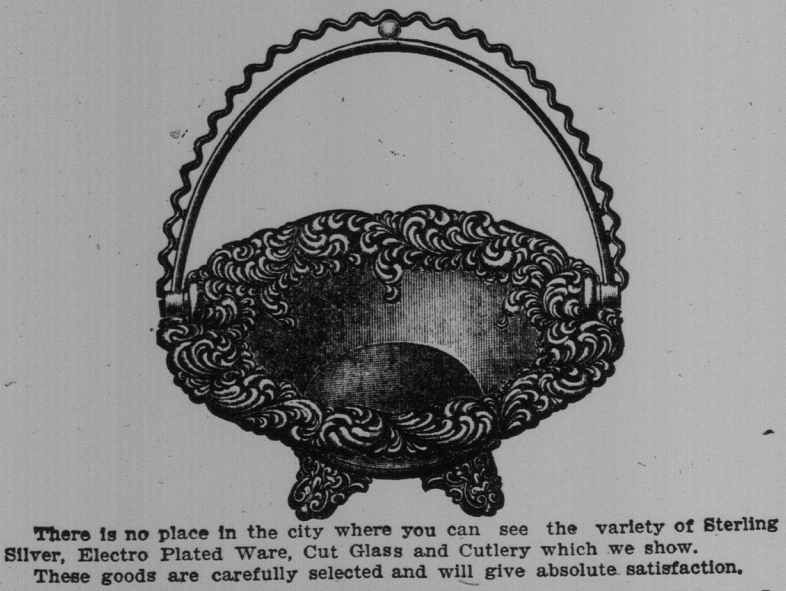
ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1905.

EIGHT PAGES ONE CENT

You haven't read the paper until you have scanned all of the Want Ads in it.

Weather: Until Saturday evening moderate, variable winds; fine and warm.

Wedding Presents.



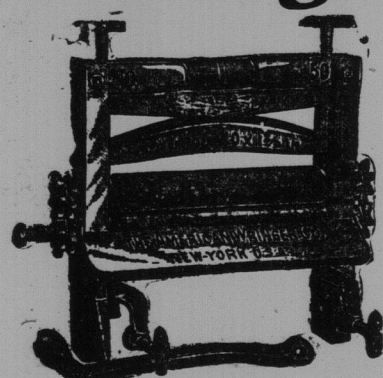
There is no place in the city where you can see the variety of Sterling Silver, Electro Plated Ware, Cut Glass and Cutlery which we show. These goods are carefully selected and will give absolute satisfaction.

W. H. THORNE & CO., Limited, MARKET SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B.

HUTCHINGS & CO.

Are Showing some New Styles in White Enamelled Iron Bedsteads. Mattress and Bedding Warerooms, 101 to 107 GERMAIN STREET

Wringers.



15 different Patterns in Wood and Steel Frames.

The modern wringer has ball bearings like a bicycle. The work can be done with one-half the usual labor. Our wringers are high grade and guaranteed for one or more years, therefore if by chance a roll wears out, we will replace it free of charge. It will pay to see these high grade wringers as they cost no more than the old time ordinary kind.

Emerson & Fisher, Ltd. 25 GERMAIN STREET.

We Sell

Watches, Diamonds, Silverware, Jewelry of all kinds, Clocks, Etc.

Only the highest quality of goods fully warranted, at lower prices than we should. We open an account with you and allow you to test our goods before paying for them.

Rogers' 1847 Teas, \$2.75 Dozen,

D. VIS BROS., 56 Prince William Street (under Bank of Montreal)

S. ROMANOFF,

Successor to B. Myers, 695 Main Street.

August sale continued with everything right up to the mark as advertised. Reality of offerings, ample quantities, and great values continued day after day keep up interest that makes this sale an event without an equal. 75 Ladies silk skirts, all sizes for this week only \$1.95, former price \$3.00. 45 silk cheviot skirts all sizes, finest make, former price \$3.75, this week only \$2.65. Don't forget this week only do these sale prices continue. Ladies' trimmed and untrimmed hats at equally low prices.

S. ROMANOFF, 695 Main St.

Men's Chocolate Kid Low Cut Shoe!

WERE \$2.50 NOW \$1.50

Men's Chocolate Kid Oxford Ties, double soles; Stitched Extension Edges, made on a roomy comfortable last, and would be really cheap at \$2.00, but we want room for full goods. Hence the cut in price. SAMPLES IN WINDOWS.

Waterbury & Rising, King St. Union St.

\$10 Suits.

Our ten dollar suits have more solid wear, style and value, and give greater satisfaction than any \$10 suits on the market. They are smart in appearance perfect in fit and up to date in every particular. You will find them equal in every way to those being sold at \$12 and \$13.00 at the other stores.

Try one of Harvey's special \$10 SUITS.

J. N. HARVEY, Men's and Boys' Clothier, 109 and 201 Union St.

YELLOW FEVER SCARE.

Laborer in a Brooklyn, N. Y., Hospital Supposed to be Suffering From the Dread Disease.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The Tribune says what is believed to be a case of yellow fever was found yesterday by Dr. Livingston, of the Norwegian Hospital, Brooklyn. Dr. Livingston was summoned to a house in Brooklyn and there found John G. Murphy, a laborer, violently ill. In a lucid moment he said he came from Panama a few weeks ago. In the hospital the other physicians agreed with Dr. Livingston that Murphy had a mild case of yellow fever. The health department was notified and Murphy was placed in an isolated ward. An effort will be made to find out what steamer he came on.

LOOMIS TO RETIRE.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Aug. 16.—Francis B. Loomis, assistant secretary of State, was today shown the report from Lenox, Mass., that Col. W. C. Sanger was to be made assistant Secretary of State when Mr. Root assumes the portfolio.

Mr. Loomis made a statement in which he for the first time indicates his intention to resign from the State Department. He also said that upon leaving his present position he expects to be given a diplomatic post and that at present he has no idea to what country he is to be assigned.

WALTER SCOTT CHOSEN AS LEADER.

(Special to the Star.) REGINA, Aug. 17.—Walter Scott, M. P., was yesterday made the unanimous choice of the Liberal convention in Saskatchewan as leader of the party for the new province. Hon. Mr. Bulyea in a speech asked to be relieved of the responsibility of leading the party in the forthcoming contest. This strengthens the belief that Bulyea will be given the lieutenant governorship of the new province.

PURSE AND ADDRESS FOR FR. CARLETON.

This evening in St. Malachi's hall, the president of the Young Men's Society of Saint Joseph, P. G. Condon, will, on behalf of the members, read an address and present a handsome purse to the society's chaplain, Rev. Father C. P. J. Carleton, who tomorrow leaves to take charge of the parish of Paterfamilias. Father Carleton has been untiring in his efforts to promote the interests of this excellent society, and he will be much missed by the three hundred young men to whom he has given special attention during his stay in St. John.

A CHANCE TO EARN A THOUSAND.

Chief Clerk has received notice from Leonard Dunning, chief of police, of Liverpool, England, who is offering from \$1,000 to anyone trading the value of \$2,320 (\$16,800) and offering a reward of \$1,000 to anyone trading the notes. This especially applies to bankers and money changers. The numbers and values of the notes are as follows: 6 of \$100 Nov. 6-2 16183-8 2 of \$100 Nov. 11-7 63183-4 1 of \$100 Nov. 20-8 63287-2 1 of \$100 Nov. 20-8 28674 3 of \$100 Nov. 19-7 24654-6 6 of \$100 Nov. 7-1 26752-8

FOREST FIRES.

News comes in that forest fires are raging pretty nearly all round the country. J. Willard Smith told the Star this morning that although the atmosphere at Westfield was impregnated with smoke, so far no actual fires themselves had been observed in that district. He doubted whether there was anything there to burn, seeing that the big forest fire there a year or two back had cleared the timber pretty well out. Yesterday it was raining all round, but there was hardly enough to put any fire out. A message from Penobscot states that forest fires are raging fiercely there on both sides of the main road.

S. S. Eretira of the Battle Line came into port this morning.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

WANTED—A young man to act as porter. Apply at OTTAWA HOTEL, King Square.

WANTED—To hire, a small steam launch. Send full particulars. Address STEAM LAUNCH, Star Office.

WANTED—A cook. Write MISS PETERS, 188 Germain street, City, or apply E. PETERS, of C. H. Peters' Sons, Peter's Wharf.

John Hannah, manufacturer and dealer in woven wire mattresses, 257 City road.

John Matthews, stair builder, newels, rails, balusters, City road.

Excelsior Plant, Coldbrook, formerly Hazeburn's foundry, comprising two acres land, three houses, excelsior factory, with machinery complete. Apply J. Mayer, 724 Main street.

BOARDING—A few gentlemen can be accommodated with pleasant front rooms and board at reasonable terms by applying to 301 Union street. Ring right hand bell.

BOARDING—For young men a number of rooms with board in the most pleasant part of the city. All modern improvements. Fine view of harbor. J. G. Hayes, 7 St. James street.

WANTED—Two capable girls as cook and housemaid. Mrs. M. G. Todd, 151 Charlotte street.

STILL FIVE ARTICLES TO BE CONSIDERED

When the Jap and Russian Peace Envoys Met This Morning—What Was Accomplished Yesterday.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 17.—Five articles of the possible "treaty of Washington" remained to be considered when the peace plenipotentiaries resumed their session at the navy yard this morning. Sakhalin, upon which it had been impossible to agree and which had been passed over, indemnity limitation upon Russia's sea power, the surrender of the interned warships and the grant of fishing rights on the littoral of the maritime provinces. Remuneration for the cost of the war is believed, in number one, the first article to come up today. How far it will be threshed out until it is "passed over" is problematical. Fishing rights, Russia will yield there only remain limitations upon Russia's sea power and the surrender of the interned warships. The final struggle is close at hand and preparations are being made for it. When the remaining points of possible agreement are demonstrated then an adjournment will be taken probably until Monday, when the plenipotentiaries will show their last cards. The Japanese are in closest touch with their government. They are keeping Tokio advised of every development of the proceedings. It was six o'clock this morning when last night's stream of cables to Japan was completed.

PARIS, Aug. 17.—The Matin states that M. Witte has informed its Portsmouth correspondent that he expected to leave on Aug. 21st, that he did not understand why the Japanese wished to continue the discussion after the delivery of the Russian reply last Saturday rejecting the two most important clauses of the terms, namely, reimbursement of every development of the war and the cession of Sakhalin, clauses which the Japanese themselves declare to be irrevocable. The Matin's correspondent was informed by M. Matunoto, a Japanese deputy, who accompanied the mission unofficially, that it was difficult to see how the terms could be arranged within a few days, he said, the plenipotentiaries will have eight clauses, accepted and four clauses rejected.

PROSPECTS OF PEACE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 16.—

DID A WOMAN KNEE NAVES?

Police Satisfied They Have a Good Clew—Neighbors Heard a Womens Voice—Naves Still Won't Talk.

The police have been very busily engaged trying to elucidate the mystery of the stabbing of James Naves on Mount Pleasant last Monday evening. Sergeant Caples has had the matter in hand, but so far no arrest has been made. It is known, however, that Naves has still sticks to his story that he has not the slightest idea who it was that stabbed him eight times. The police are not inclined to place much credence in his professed ignorance, and think it Naves cared to say he never cleared the matter up. The police know of at least two people who heard the cries for "mercy" on Monday evening, viz. M. E. Agar and Miss Stockton, both of whom reside in the immediate vicinity of where the affray took place. Mr. Agar, on going out in response to the cry, was just in time to see a "dark figure" disappearing into the woods, whilst Miss Stockton thought she heard a woman scream. It is just possible that the injuries were inflicted by a woman, the reason for her so doing being so far a secret. It is known, however, that Naves has been a source of annoyance to a certain lady by his persistent attentions to her, even to following her about the city, and it is possible that she has very strong ideas as to who Naves' assailant is, and the arrest of the person in question, despite Naves' professed ignorance, may occur any moment.

MISS ROOSEVELT WON'T RETURN WITH SEC. TAFT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Advice received by the liner Mongolia and corroborated by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company state that Miss Alice Roosevelt will not return here with Sec. of War Taft and party, scheduled to return on the Korea about Oct. 1. Miss Roosevelt, it is said, has been invited to visit the family of U. S. Minister W. W. Rockhill at Pekin, and will leave the Taft party upon her return to Japan from Manila. Accompanied by her companions, Miss McMillan and Miss Boardman, she will proceed to Pekin, later returning to Japan or Shanghai, where she will board the steamer Mongolia, arriving here on Nov. 3.

Between 8 and 9 last evening Officer Thorne was called into the Boston Restaurant to check two men who were creating a disturbance there.

WILL GET BETTER TREATMENT

Jewish Representatives Who Had Conference With M. Witte Hope For Much.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Adolph Kraus returned to Chicago yesterday well satisfied with the result of the conference of Jewish representatives with M. Witte in Portsmouth Monday night. "There is no doubt," he said, "from present indications that the Russian assembly when called will take up seriously the question of settling the Jewish rights. I notice in some papers the statement that the interview was prompted by Russia's need for money. This is unwarranted, for while unquestionably great financiers were present at that meeting, such a statement is unjust to M. Witte and to the other men present. There was not the slightest reference made to finances."

ALL ABOUT A RING

Michael Hillen Denies Mrs. Nairns Statement That He Stole Her Jewelry.

Thursday being civil court day, the police court proceedings are always very brief, and Magistrate Ritchie not arriving till past ten o'clock, it only took him about two minutes to fine two drunks \$4 or ten days each and remand Michael Hillen on a charge of stealing a ring from Mrs. John Nairn of Erin street, until tomorrow morning.

The story goes that Michael, who has been in trouble quite a lot recently, but who on the last occasion promised his honor to keep the pledge for two years, felt especially well yesterday morning, and thought that instead of working at his business as a shoemaker he would have a day visiting his friends. His first call was on Mrs. Nairn, who, after excusing her appearance, invited Michael in for a quiet chat. Time flew—as it always does—when spent in pleasant company, and luncheon was mentioned. What more natural than Mrs. Nairn should invite her guest to stay? The invitation was accepted, Michael gallantly offering to find the refreshment. The meal was a great success, and over the walnuts more refreshment was discussed. Michael having run short at the moment, the lady came to his assistance with a ring, which it was suggested should be pawned for the purpose of providing the wherewithal to continue the merriment. Of Michael went, and after several efforts managed to sell the ring to William Webber, on Mill street, for twenty-five cents. Back he returned to his hostess, who was so enraged at his only being able to raise twenty-five cents that she gave him into custody on a charge of stealing the affair. Mrs. Nairn will give her the affair. Mrs. Nairn will give her the affair. Mrs. Nairn will give her the affair.

THE 20th CENTURY LIMITED WRECK.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 16.—Coroner Siegelstein of this city, today rendered a verdict in connection with the wrecking of the Twentieth Century Limited on the Lake Shore R. R., at Mentor, Ohio, on the night of June 23 in which nineteen lives were lost. The Coroner holds that Walter F. Minor, the telegraph operator at Mentor, opened the switch which caused the accident, but whether of his own volition or by telegraphic orders of a superior officer he is not prepared to say.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS.

Are on a Visit to Fernhill Cemetery This Afternoon—Banquet at the Park Hotel Tonight.

Yesterday afternoon's session of the Funeral Directors' Association meeting was taken up by another interesting lecture by Prof. Eckles. The routine business was transacted. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, John Snow of Hallowell; Vice-president for New Brunswick, Geo. Chamberlain. Vice-president for P. E. I., D. L. McKinnon, Ontario. P. E. I., Recording secretary, F. W. Wallace, Sussex. Financial secretary-treasurer, F. M. Brown, Pughwash, N. S. Sergeant-at-arms, J. A. Logan, Shubenacadie, N. S. Editor of the official organ, F. W. Wallace. Chaplain, J. C. B. Olive, Truro, N. S. Managing director of Bulletin, J. B. B. Olive.

RUSSIAN NATAL OFFICERS RETIRED

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 17.—By Imperial ukase, Vice-Admiral Krueger has been placed on the retired list. Commander Gusevitch, of the battleship Georgi Pobiedensetz, and the commander of the transport Prout, on both of which vessels mutinies occurred recently, have also been retired.

Suitable Shirts.

Some Shirts are suitable to all men, all Shirts are suitable to some men but all Shirts are not suitable to all men. Bring yourself in here and be suited with suitable Shirts that suit you.

Men's Soft Bosom Shirts, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 each. Men's Stiff Bosom Shirts, 65c, 75c, \$1, 1.25 each. Men's Top Shirts, 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 65c, 75c each. Boys' Colored Shirts, 50c, 60c, 75c each.

S. W. McMACKIN, Successor to SHARP & McMAOKIN, 335 Main St., North End.

DECORATE SAILORS GRAVES.

Seamans Mission Society Pay Their Annual Visit to Fernhill Cemetery—Generous Contribution of Flowers.

This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock began the ceremony of the decoration of the graves in the marine lots at Fernhill by members of the Seaman's Mission and its friends. A barouch loaded with flowers which have been sent in by citizens left the old Chipman house and proceeded to Fernhill via Westmorland Road.

The marine lot at Fernhill is a splendid one—an acre in size—provided by the imperial government. In it there are 600 graves. The bank facing the avenue is to be especially decorated. A big anchor will be made of flowers on a pattern marked out by Supt. Clayton and above it S. M. S. and below St. John.

Much interest has been manifested by citizens and the seamen in port, a number of whom were at hand this afternoon, are also taking great interest and are very much pleased by the treatment which they are receiving from the hands of St. John people. The services at Fernhill opened with the singing of two resurrection hymns—"Low in the Grave He Lay" and "Because I Live Ye Shall Live Also."

TO-DAY'S YACHT RACE.

CHARLOTTE, N. Y., Aug. 17.—Today's yacht race was sailed over a windward and leeward course, four miles to leg, twice around, yesterday's having been called off for lack of wind.

The weather today is described as ideal racing weather. The heavy seas of yesterday have receded and a five mile breeze is blowing from the north-west with prospects of freshening to possibly 7 or 8 miles before long. Start was made at 11 o'clock with a 5 1/2 hours time limit.

CHARLOTTE, Aug. 17.—By 11:45 Iroquois, having enjoyed a little breeze which never reached the challenger, started up well and made a good gain. At 11:45:30 Wedd went in stays and for the first time in the race today went on the port tack. Mabbett at 11:47:20, with the Iroquois, went about on the same tack. The lead of the Iroquois was more apparent with the yachts now broadside on.

Fall Hats.

The latest American shapes in Soft and Derby Hats.

Hawes \$3.00 Hats Sphinx \$2.50 Hats

The above makes are considered the very best values in American made Hats.

James Anderson, 17 Charlotte St.

CRETANS RESIST THE GZAR'S RULE.

Trouble May Involve the Powers of Europe.

Cretans Say They Had More Liberty Under Turks—Object to Being Controlled by a Prince of Greece.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The Express says the opinion of certain members of the International Consular Corps at Crete at the outbreak of the revolution last March, which was to the effect that the movement was "merely a local one," has proved incorrect. The situation is one that may at any moment lead to trouble among the powers of Europe. It might be thought that the Cretans have no cause to be troublesome. They have been freed from the bondage of the Turk, a prince of Greece, with full local powers has been placed in authority over them, and the necessary "sinecures" placed at his and the island's disposal. Therefore, the action might appear to savor of ingratitude. Yet this is not wholly the case. In placing a Greek prince over them, Europe washed her hands of the whole affair. There are consuls at Crete whose business was to watch over Prince George's administration, but this they have most obviously omitted to do. Prince George has ruled the island in much the same manner as his cousin, the czar, rules Russia.

It is true that the prince placed Greeks from the mainland in all the leading posts, but this the Cretans admitted in their modesty to be only right at the commencement. But soon Prince George withdrew one privilege of liberty after another. Anyone daring to remonstrate was persecuted and even imprisoned; deputations of the most influential islanders were abused by the prince as if they were naughty schoolboys, and he himself superintended the elections. The result was that the parliament became a farce, the councillors nothing but the prince's creatures, and every man who dared to remonstrate was branded as a traitor to his country. Privileges such as the right of the villagers to elect their headmen or mayors, enjoyed even under Turkish rule, were withdrawn. The loan made to the island by the powers was frittered away, and today there are still no roads in the entire island, except one of a few miles in length. Where a rocky barren country like Montenegro has mastered the Turks through most of the land and every village possesses a telegraph station and a school, Crete enjoys none of these, and what is more, they are not even contemplated.

Towards the end it was a common remark of the islanders that they enjoyed more liberty under the Turks than under Prince George's autocratic rule. As all remonstrance failed signally, since elections were "cooked" and popular feeling roused, a few "traitors" gathered together and talked matters over. Venizelos, a noted lawyer, and late leader of the obfuscated Opposition, was, and is still, the brain of the movement. A Greek patriot and nobleman named Manos (a Ballou, Oxford man, too, by the way) joined and placed funds at his disposal, and very soon an influential committee was formed. With great secrecy their plans grew to maturity, though the discontent was widely known; and one evening several hundred men mobilized in the mountains behind Crete. It was there, at Theriso, that the leaders busily organized their men, constructed a provisional government, and drew up many pertinent proclamations. Some very half-hearted attempts were made to dislodge them by the local authorities, which, however, only resulted in the death of a few unhappy gendarmes. The international troops were called out, and marched in an aimless manner to and fro, to the intense amusement of the "insurgents" and very much to their own disgust. The "traitors" were surrounded, isolated and threatened, but still they managed to live heartily and were, as it would appear, as still—the masters of the situation. There are probably only two solutions to this little problem: Prince George's removal—for the talk of annexation to Greece is really a mere mask—or the winter—that great pacemaker of Near Eastern Europe.

20,000 MEN ARE AT PANAMA.

Previous Mistakes Are Now Being Rectified.

Chairman Says a Two Track Railroad Is Neither Practicable Nor Desirable at This Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Chairman Shonts of the Panama Canal Commission arrived on the steamer Mexico on Monday from Colon. He was accompanied by Col. Oswald E. Ernst, also of the canal commission. Chairman Shonts said:

"We went to Colon with Mr. Stevens, the chief engineer, to see what would be done. We found the first thing of importance to be the housing and supplying of 20,000 men. When our government first took hold of the canal every effort was directed toward making the dirt fly. I think this was a mistake. Time should have been given toward preparing for the task by making arrangements to care for the employees. It is true also that the laborers were not promptly paid and that matters were becoming congested on the railways and steamers. With the large addition to the population caused by the influx of the canal laborers, the supplies for living were exhausted. This caused the prices to rise and soon the laboring class were not earning enough to support themselves. To offset this, the commissary stations were established to feed the laborers. I made an arrangement with the president of Panama that until prices became normal on the isthmus to continue this system of supplying the laborers. In order to keep up the supply system a train runs out of Colon every morning taking supplies to every laborer's camp.

"Of course I found the freight congestion causing considerable trouble, but soon found that by applying those practical up-to-date railroad methods of the United States that in thirty days the trouble would be eliminated. The question of double tracking the railroad is much misunderstood in this country. The fact is it is simple more than handle the entire business now, provided the proper methods are enforced. This railroad is managed by a man who has been sixteen years in charge and understands the road thoroughly but his experience is all on this road and therefore not up to our modern railroad methods. Mr. Stevens besides being an engineer, is an experienced railroad man.

"As to double tracking the road that cannot be done at present, even if necessary, but as the work of getting out the dirt progresses we can easily keep up with the work with extra trackage. We have supplied refrigerating cars for the road.

"There are about 10,000 employees on the isthmus now. This number includes the laborers. I have other things to say later on after the report to the president.

FIRST 100 MILE SECTION OF LAKE SUPERIOR BRANCH.

Specifications Have Been Completed—Work Will Go On Rapidly.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—The specifications for the first hundred mile section of the Lake Superior branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific have been completed and are now ready for the inspection of the contractors, who will have until Sept. 15 to figure on the work, after which they will be invited to tender for the construction. The engineers have named the point where the branch joins the main line Lake Superior Junction. It is 200 miles from Lake Superior Junction to Port William. Work will also be begun on the first 100 miles out from Fort William, and the remaining 150 miles will be ready for work as soon as the first contract has been awarded. The location of the government road from Lake Superior Junction to Winnipeg, a distance of 1,000 miles, has been completed, and tenders will, it is expected, shortly be invited for its construction by the commission, so that the work on the whole line from Winnipeg to Lake Superior will likely be proceeded with simultaneously.

Advertisement for Ogilvie's "Royal Household" Flour. The ad features a large illustration of a flour barrel with a coat of arms on top. The text reads: "What is the Meaning of 'Well Balanced' Flour. A perfectly 'balanced' flour is one which contains the greatest amount of nutriment in its most easily digestible form. No single variety of wheat will produce 'well balanced' flour. It requires the careful selection of different kinds. The makers of ROYAL HOUSEHOLD FLOUR have more than a hundred elevators, scattered throughout the greatest wheat growing country in the world, which enables them to secure the very pick of the wheat that will yield perfectly, balanced flour— The kind of flour that produces the best, the largest and the strongest loaf— The loaf which contains the greatest amount of bone, muscle and brain-making protein and the lowest percentage of waste. ROYAL HOUSEHOLD makes bread which reduces the labor of digestion—and gives greatest nutrition for least stomach effort. It's the 'balance' in flour that makes bread easier to digest and gives it many other qualities which are usually attributed to other causes. Ogilvie's 'Royal Household' Flour."

NOT OVER 3,000 WANT SEWERAGE ON STRAIT SHORE ROAD.

Persons Reported by Board of Health Say They Cannot Observe Regulations.

The necessity for public sewerage on the Strait Shore road was clearly shown in the board of health cases from that vicinity. Yesterday a score of householders were in court to answer for conditions menacing health. The majority were from the Strait Shore road, and included Miller & Co., Mrs. Sarah Brayley, Patrick Conlogue, James McKenna, J. W. Best, J. Rodgers, Mrs. Anna Spence, West, H. Reed and Geo. H. Kierstead. While all promised to remedy conditions as much as possible, the fact that a number testified that they could not use the open fields as the drainage went into the streets, and that they were therefore forced to keep the disagreeable and menacing odors near their houses, is proof that the city should step in.

The master of the Col. Armstrong expressed themselves in favor of the nature of the land interfered with private drainage, and it was extremely difficult for the householders to meet board of health conditions. The part of the road requiring a sewer is from Bentley street up along the shore to within 600 or 800 feet of the suspension bridge. It is very possible that pipe would have to be laid all the way, as an engineer could take advantage of the lay of the land to reduce expenditure. The property holders in the vicinity are a unit in favor of a sewer, and claim they can do nothing until the city steps in. There are forty-five families on the street, so the revenue derived would be considerable.

NEWCASTLE OBJECTS TO INCREASED RATES.

The Newcastle Advocate gives an account of the creditable manner in which a fire in the Robinson Carriage Factory at that place was handled by the department last week, and adds: "Mr. Drury, the insurance appraiser of St. John, was here on Saturday and expressed himself freely. He said many nice things of the firemen and the Newcastle fire protection service which he should tell to his chief of the New Brunswick fire-writers. Among other things he stated from his observation of other towns he was convinced that Newcastle had the best system of any town in New Brunswick. For the benefit of the underwriters the Advocate can add that with three powerful streams of water on the fire and the pump running at a low speed, the reservoir was full when the hydrants were turned off. Yet the N. B. Underwriters are endeavoring to oblige our citizens to pay an advanced rate after Sept. 1 unless this reservoir is enlarged. We think it is time to rebel and if necessary get insured in sound non-tariff companies which are offering a fair rate."

APPOINTMENT NOT ENDORSED BY BAR.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 15.—Charles Norway has been appointed prothonotary and clerk of the county court for Cape Breton in place of W. E. Peters, deceased. The appointment is not generally endorsed by the bar inasmuch as the Barristers' Society passed a resolution Friday recommending the appointment of George D. Muggah, who has been deputy prothonotary for the past few years.

DR. MARCH FORMS A NEW COMPANY TO HANDLE THE GAS PRODUCING ENGINE HE HAS INVENTED.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 16.—This week's Gazette contains the following: Gloucester—J. P. Byrne to be judge of probate pro hac vice in reference to the estate of Helen Davidson, deceased. Rev. H. J. Fraser, Loggieville, Northumberland, is registered to solemnize marriages. Gurney R. Jones, John S. Maceo, Daniel McQuig, Geo. McSwaney, E. Albert Reilly, all of Moncton, apply for incorporation as the Electrical Supply Company, to carry on a general electrical business; capital of \$30,000, divided into 30,000 shares. John E. March, Chas. J. Coster, Cecil S. March, John P. Carrille, Alban F. Emery, St. John; Frederick V. Wedderburn and Ralph A. March, Hampton, seek for letters patent as The Power Company. The object is to manufacture and sell gas producers and engines and generally to carry on such business. The capital is \$24,000, divided into 240 shares; chief place of business, Hampton. Notice of incorporation is also given by Clinton C. Campbell, Wm. B. Campbell, Geo. R. Campbell, George Campbell, Mary Campbell and Alice Campbell, all of Middle Sackville, as George Campbell & Sons, Ltd., to take over and carry on the business of George Campbell. Capital, \$24,000, divided into 240 shares. Certificates of partnership are published by Moses Schaffer and Adolph Holdengraber, Blackville, and Sylvain Landry and Louis Baray, Gloucester. Notice of the assignment is given of Joseph Goldenberg, Dalhousie, to the sheriff of Restigouche, and a meeting of the creditors is called at the latter's office for August 23rd. Sealed tenders, marked "Tender for Fredericton bridge," will be received at the public works department until August 21st, for building three masonry piers according to plan and specifications.

WILL ASK SUPREME COUNCIL TO REScind ITS RECENT ACTION.

Grand Council of Royal Arcanum Passes Resolution—Closing Session and Election of Officers. CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 16.—After being in session for six days, the grand council of the Royal Arcanum, for the maritime provinces, closed early this morning. The following resolution was unanimously adopted last night: "Whereas, widespread dissatisfaction has been caused particularly in the case of the older members, a dissatisfaction which has already had a disruptive effect and threatened to disrupt the order, which many of the older members have been largely instrumental in building up; "Resolved, That the supreme council be asked at its special session to be held shortly, to consider and rescind its action and adopt a scale effect in accordance with option on ages assessed, and not attached from 21 to 24, or as near this scale as found by competent actuaries and the supreme council to be sufficient."

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QUARRYMEN KILLED BY SLIDING LIMESTONES.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 16.—A mass of limestone weighing thousands of tons slid from a side of the quarry of Mill A of the Portland Cement Co. at Ormsrod at noon today, just five minutes before the men quit work. Twenty-seven men were at work in the quarry, which is 1,000 feet long, 150 feet across and 100 feet deep. The heavy rains of the past two days had softened the earth and caused the slide of rock. Only nine of the men got away safely. The remaining 18 were huddled in a space ten feet square. Twelve of them were killed and six injured. Two of the latter may die. All of the men are Alleghenians.

PRETTY WEDDING AT WOLFFVILLE, N.S. WILL BE BIG GUY NEXT WINTER.

Miss Evelyn Keirstead and J. W. DeB. Farris Estimate of Operations on Upper St. John.

WOLFFVILLE, N. S., Aug. 16.—A brilliant social event of much interest to a large circle of friends, took place, in the Wolfville Baptist church this evening, when one of Wolfville's fairest daughters, Miss Evelyn Fenwick Keirstead, a graduate of Acadia in the class of '98, eldest daughter of Rev. E. M. Keirstead, D. D., formerly professor of English at Acadia University, and now of McMaster University, was united in marriage to J. Wallace DeB. Farris, Acadia, '98, barrister at Vancouver, B. C., son of the Hon. L. P. Farris of White's Cove, N. B.

At eight o'clock the church was filled with the many friends of the family, and the guests, which included the faculty of Acadia and their families, the immediate relatives and the intimate friends of the bride and groom. The bride, who looked very handsome in an exquisite white satin gown with train, with veil, carrying a bouquet of white sweet peas, entered the church, which was artistically decorated with a great profusion of fragrant sweet peas, on the arm of her father, and to the strains of Loherengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Lillian Strong, passed up the aisle and took her place beside the groom. She was preceded by her class mate, Miss Carrie W. Blair, Acadia, '98, of this town, in a pretty gown of white tulle, with white hat, as maid of honor, and her young sister, Miss Francis Parker Keirstead, in a dainty dress of soft, white silk. She was accompanied by her brother, Hugh A. Farris, the ushers were Charles F. Crandall of St. John, St. John, Acadia, '98, a class mate of the groom; Frank Chipman, Acadia, '98, a class mate of the bride; Bruce M. Farris and Wendell B. Farris, brothers of the groom. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Dr. Keirstead, assisted by the Rev. L. D. Morse, pastor of the church. The wedding party left the church to the glad strains of Mendelssohn's professional march and remained at the residence of Dr. Keirstead on Acadia street, where a brilliant reception was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Farris, who received the congratulations of their friends. Among the guests were Hon. L. P. Farris and Mrs. Farris, Col. H. H. McLean and Mrs. McLean, St. John; Dr. Hay, Chipman, N. B.; George H. Sharp, Boston, and Miss Bertie McLeod of St. John. After a pleasant social hour, dainty refreshments were served by young lady friends of the bride, Miss Edith Rand, Acadia, '03; Miss Hilda Tufts of Wolfville; Mrs. Alice Strong and Mrs. Lina Kirkpatrick, assisted by the ushers. The happy couple were then driven to a neighboring town, where they took the morning train for St. John, and will spend a few weeks at the home of the Hon. L. P. Farris, White's Cove, after which they will proceed to their home on Dairs street, Vancouver, B. C.

The bride's going-away gown was a blue silk shirt waist suit with hat to match. Many handsome and valuable presents were received, including checks from members of the family and several pieces of valuable jewelry. The bride's present to her maids were a pearl pin to Miss Blair and an opal ring to Miss Keirstead. The groom presented pearl pins to the ushers. The bride's present from the groom was an exquisite brooch of pearls and opals.

The Masters excursion party consisting of some sixty ladies and gentlemen from the United States, arrived here by the Victoria this afternoon and put up at the Queen. They returned to St. John by this evening's train. The preliminary examination of Harry McCatherine, charged with assaulting Rev. Mr. Hartley, was completed this morning. In answer to the court the prisoner stated he had no statement to make. Judge Marsh then delivered judgment to the effect that McCatherine be sent up to be tried by a higher court and the case will come before the county court, which meets the second Tuesday of October. In the meantime the accused was admitted to bail, the ball being the name as previously given.

Dr. Don Coburn of Canterbury Station, has purchased for \$2,000 the residence of Ald. W. H. McGill on Charlotte street. Miss Millie Tibbitts, daughter of the deputy provincial secretary, has returned from Boston, where she has been taking a course in nursing. The death occurred at Newkwaik yesterday, of Alex. G. son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Staples, after a lingering illness.

WILL HAVE BEEN MARRIED ON RETURN.

HALIFAX, Aug. 16.—The cable steamer Minia, which arrived today from England, reports that on Aug. 2, while off the Lizard, Charles Tibbaut, a native of River Bourgeois, C. B., fell overboard and was drowned. Boats were lowered, but all search proved unavailing, as a heavy sea was running at the time. Tibbaut was to have been married on his return. He was about thirty years old.

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Advertisement for McClary's Pandora Range. The ad features an illustration of a Pandora Thermometer. The text reads: "The Pandora Thermometer. The thermometer on the Pandora range oven means precisely in accuracy to the cook what the square and compass mean to the draftsman. Without the square and compass the draftsman would have to work entirely by guess, just as you do without an accurate and reliable thermometer on your oven. The Pandora thermometer reduces cooking to an exact science. You know precisely how much heat you have and what it will do in a given time. It is one of the small things which makes the Pandora so much different and better than common ranges. McClary's Pandora Range. Warehouses and Factories: London, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver, St. John, N.B., Hamilton."

Advertisement for "Wishing of All Employments Is The Worst" and "WANT" AD. The ad features a large illustration of a star. The text reads: "Wishing of All Employments Is The Worst" and "WANT" AD. WILL CURE YOU OF THE Wishing Habit."

ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1905.

20th Century Brand Suits

AT 20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

The assortment we feature includes tweed and worsted suits, the very fabrics the economical man likes to buy, for they are durable and easily kept clean. The values we are offering are remarkable at the prices, the styles are new and the brand represents the most progressive wholesale tailoring. We furnish them to your measure.

Prices, \$10 to \$23.50, less one-fifth.

A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING AND CLOTHING
58 King Street.

Fresh Lamb, Green Peas, Beans, Cucumbers, Celery, at H. R. COLEMAN, Cor. Spring & Winter Sts. Phone 470.

SUMMER SALE OF Dolls and Toys AT SPECIAL PRICES.

JAS. A. TUFTS & SON, Cor. GERMAIN & CHURCH ST.

A New England Dinner. Green Corn, Carrots, Beets, Turnips, New Potatoes, Green Peas and Beans, Chickens.

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

Puffed Rice Requires no Cooking. Light and easy to digest. Come and sample it.

FRED BURRIDGE, 255 King Street, West St. John. Phone 449-0.

The Hardman Piano 55,000 IN USE. FLOOD PIANO AND ORGAN CO., Ltd. E. H. & FLOOD, Manager.

Real Estate Dining Rooms. 145 MILL STREET.

Are now serving the BEST 25c. DINNER in the city. Give you a good Meal or Lunch from 10c. to 25c. Make up Lunches, etc., for picnics at short notice. Supply ICE CREAM in large or small quantities. Keep always on hand choice Oysters and Clams, and cater to the wants of patrons promptly and in an up-to-date manner.

Bargain Sale OF Boots AND Shoes

In order to make room for our new fall stock, (now on the way), we intend giving Special Bargains during balance of this month, sale now on. School Boots for Boys and Girls, Ladies' Fine Kid Lace Boots, Ladies' Oxford Shoes and Slippers, Men's Fine Lace Boots, Men's Working Boots, Men's Fine Oxford Shoes, Etc.

Tan goods at special bargain prices. Now is the time to buy good footwear cheap, as you positively save from fifteen to twenty-five per cent. on every purchase. Follow The Crowd. Cut Prices positively for Cash only. E.O. PARSONS, Cor. King and Ludlow Sts., West End.

A CHANCE! Everything in Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls' Footwear—including Tan, Chocolate, Red, White and Grey are being closed out at prices that will tickle the purchaser. See samples in our Show Windows—either store. 44 Brussels St. and 457 Main St. Reverdy Steeves.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

If the finder is honest a STAR Want Ad. will bring back to you whatever you have lost—and nine out of every ten people are honest in such circumstances. Rate, 1-2 a cent a word, six insertions for price of four. No adv't less than 25c.

MONEY TO LOAN. SITUATIONS VACANT-FEMALE. SITUATIONS VACANT-MALE. WANTED-Young lady assistant at once. Good references. Apply PEN-OBSQUIS NATURAL SULPHUR SPRING CO., 24 Waterloo street.

BOARDING. BOARDING-Three boarders can be accommodated in private family in North End. Address B. B. care Star Office. A FEW Boarders can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and good board, central locality, reasonable terms. Apply at No. 1 Elliott Row.

MISCELLANEOUS. Mrs. Stott, Ladies' Sick Nurse, 25 St. Paul street, St. John. CARRIAGE AND SLEIGH PAINTING and general repairing. C. McDADE, Marsh Bridge. J. S. Frost, 35 Smythe street; goods received, carefully stored, and delivered.

WANTED. WANTED-Room for light house-keeping, unfurnished and central. Address K. care Star Office. WANTED-To buy a retail licensed liquor business. Give all particulars in full. Address BOSTONIAN, care Star Office.

SUMMER BOARDING. SUMMER BOARDING-A few gentlemen can be taken in private family at Millidgeville. Address "PYRAMID," care Star Office. FOR SUMMER BOARDERS-At Oak Hill House, pleasantly situated on the St. John River, about thirty miles from St. John. Comfortable rooms and good board. All steamers stop at wharf on premises. For terms apply to J. R. Shaw, Wickham, Queens Co.

LOST. LOST-Monday, 14th August—a ten-penny commutation ticket to Ingleside. Finder please leave at Star Office. LOST-Pair eye glasses, gold rimmed. In case, in M. R. A., Ltd., or King street to Market Building. Finder will be rewarded. Leave at this office.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. GET THE OPINION OF THE BEST PIANIST YOU KNOW. Invite your musical friends to come here with you. Let them play on a Heintzman Piano and then give you a frank opinion of it. We want you to be sure of it before you buy it. This piano has tone qualities that have stood the test for half a century. It is today the favorite of many of the world's greatest artists. Will you come and look and listen.

Bell's Piano Store 79 Germain St. Good Milk and Cream are delightfully Cooling and Refreshing in Hot Weather. Healthful and nutritious, too, and very cheap considering their high food value. But they must be good, and above suspicion. Hygienic methods strictly observed in our Dairy. SUSSEX MILK AND CREAM CO., 158 POND STREET, R. W. WIGMORE, Mgr., Phone 622.

August Furniture Sale!

These Prices Prevail During the Coming Month. Extension Tables, golden finish, 5 legs, \$5.50. Sideboard, golden finish, 142x beveled mirror, \$9.75. Dining Chairs, golden finish, 55c. Roll Top Office Desks, from \$14.00 up to \$25.00. Parlor Suites, walnut frames, 5 pieces, at \$25.00.

Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths. Everything reduced in price during this August clearing sale. George E. Smith, 18 King St. Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths. Close Saturdays at 1 p. m. during July and August.

PERSONALS. Dr. and Mrs. Gates left last night en route to Charlottetown to attend the Baptist convention. Misses Lotta and Norma Smith of Yarmouth are visiting Mrs. R. E. Plimpton, 215 King street east. R. N. Venning, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Venning arrived in the city yesterday and will cross the bay in the steamer Prince Rupert today.

Receiving Each Boat From Boston: Pineapples, Plums, Apricots, Bananas, Melons, Cucumbers, Cabbage, Beans, Peas, Tomatoes, Strawberries, etc. WALTER S. POTTS, Auctioneer and Fruit Broker, North Market Street. Phone 291.

The Scenic Route. Stmr. Maggie Miller leaves Millidgeville for Summerville, Kennabeccasis Island and Baywater daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 6.45 and 9.30 a. m. and 2, 4 and 6 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 6, 7.30 and 10.30 a. m. and 3.45 and 5.15 p. m. SATURDAY. Leaves Millidgeville at 6.15 and 9.30 a. m. and 4, 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 5.30, 7.30 and 10.30 a. m. and 3.45, 5.45 and 7.45 p. m. SUNDAY. Leaves Millidgeville at 9 and 10.30 a. m. and 2.30 and 6.15 p. m. Returning at 9.45 and 11.15 a. m. and 5 and 7 p. m. JOHN McGOULDRIK.

TO LET. TO LET-Shop, Lower Cove Shp. 22x40, one story, suitable for workshop or warehouse. Rent low. Apply to STIRLING & PATRIQUIN, Brass Founders, 38 Water St. TO LET OR SELL-Established meat and fish business, with portable refrigerator, horse, harness, wagon, etc. Must sell, leaving town. 17 Winslow street, Carleton.

HYGIENIC BREAD SURE TO PLEASE. Ask Your Grocer for it. Hygienic Bakery E. J. HIEATT, Proprietor. 134 MILL STREET, Phone 1167. Branch-231 Brussels St.

A Big Auction Sale Tonight At WEBBER BROS. STORE, 32 Mill Street. 15 Cases goods arrived yesterday, consisting of Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Jewelry, Boots and Shoes and a lot of other things which we cannot mention here which will be sold at Auction tonight at 7.30 p. m. Come one. Come all.

Just Think Men, For \$1 A line of Men's Lace Boots, Heavy Soles, at \$1.00. Men's Dongola Low Shoes, Heavy Soles, at \$1.00. Central Shoe Store, 122 Mill St., next to C. R. Depot.

BUTTER. As every one knows Tub Butter is of uncertain quality. Much Print Butter comes first in the tub. Where it is made, how many hands it has passed through since leaving the dairy, is something the buyers don't know. With our butter all doubt is ended. Made in the cleanest creameries in Canada, then packed. SUSSEX MILK & CREAM CO., 158 POND STREET, Telephone 622.

NEWS OF SPORT.

Lieut. Smith Secures First Money in Provincial Rifle Match—Wind Died Out Yesterday and Yacht Race Called Off.

BASEBALL.

The Provincial Championships. Much interest is already being taken in the games which will be played on Friday and Saturday on the Victoria grounds between the Trojans of Moncton, and the St. John's, as these games decide who will be the champions of New Brunswick. The visitors will have with them Embree, who has been doing great work in Moncton and the local men are going in with the intention of winning, good games may be looked for.

North End League. The North End Church League will meet at 8:30 sharp this evening. Only officers and members will be present.

That Challenge.

The St. Luke's baseball team wish to state that they are willing to play the Franklins on the Shamrock grounds. They refuse, however, to play at Low-have already played there twice—once with the Franklins another time with a picked team, including some of the Franklins' best players. They also say that they will not play for money.

Had Good Time.

While Brown's baseball team of this city, managed to win the first contest at St. John, N. B., last Friday by a score of 11 to 4, they were not so successful on the second meeting next day, when the score was 9 to 4 in favor of the dominion players. The Eastport ball players report a fine time on the four day's trip over the line—Eastport despatch to the Bangor News.

National League.

At Pittsburgh—Second game, Pittsburgh; 6 Brooklyn.

Connecticut League.

At New London—New London, 3; Springfield, 5.

All other games postponed, rain.

American League.

At Washington—Cleveland, 7; Washington, 1.

At New York—Detroit-New York game postponed, wet grounds.

At Philadelphia—St. Louis, 4; Philadelphia, 6.

Eastern League.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 8; Rochester, 6.

At Montreal—Montreal, 4; Toronto, 1.

At Newark—Jersey City-Newark game postponed, rain.

THE TURF.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 16.—In the steeplechase race here today Jockey Callahan, who rode Malden, the odds-on favorite, was seriously injured by a fall and was taken to the Saratoga hospital in an unconscious condition. He sustained a concussion of the brain and may not recover. The accident happened at the fence before the water jump. Malden, running second to Belmont, stumbled in taking the jump and threw Callahan, who landed on his head, the horse rolling completely over him.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 16.—The grand circuit races were again postponed today on account of rain. The four days' programme will now be run in three days, four races each day, weather permitting.

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 16.—Trotting postponed, rain.

THE RING.

John L. Sullivan has cast his pro-George Jim McCormack, admit. The big fellow was riled because the Texan caused him to get the laugh from the sporting people. He has advised McCormack to quit the ring and go to work.

Mike ("Twin") Sullivan's wish for a match with Joe Gans may be granted by Gans' manager, Al Herford. The latter is to hold a show at Baltimore next month, and is figuring on having Sullivan and Gans for the feature bout. Sullivan may also get a match on with Tommy Burns at Los Angeles. No account has yet been received of the Sullivan-O'Brien go at Dawson last week.

THE RIFLE.

The weather at Sussex yesterday was dull for the second day's shooting. The St. John Rifle Club won the Hazen cup from seven clubs competing. The individual scores of the first three teams were:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Capt. Manning... 78, Lieut. E. K. McKee... 73, Sergt. J. G. Sullivan... 71, etc.

The tie for the Donville cup was shot off this morning at the conclusion of the Prince of Wales match. Each of the three competitors had three shots at 600 yards.

Capt. S. B. Wetmore, 7th Regt., won the cup and 112, scoring 13 points out of a possible 15; Sergt. J. G. Sullivan, A. S. C., St. John, second place and 10, securing 12 points, and Capt. G. F. Thompson, B. L., St. John, got third and 88 with 11 points.

In the afternoon's shooting the scores were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Lieut. S. B. Smith, 3rd R. C. A., St. John... 47, Capt. W. E. Forbes, 7th Regt... 45, J. P. Wier, Moncton R. A... 45, F. A. Duxan, St. Stephen R. A... 45, Sgt. L. Campbell, 7th... 45.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Maj. J. T. Hart, R. O., St. John... 45, Gunner Dickson, 3rd R. C. A... 44, Sgt. H. A. Chandler, 7th... 44, A. Langstroth, St. John Rifle Ass... 43, H. H. Bartlett, St. Andrews R. C... 43, Capt. J. S. Frost, 62nd Fusiliers... 43, Gunner S. Woods, 3rd R. C. A... 43, N. J. Morrison, St. John R. C... 42, A. R. McFarlane, Moncton R. A... 42, Capt. H. Parley, 62nd Fusiliers... 42, W. Balmain, Woodstock R. A... 42, S. W. Smith, Mount Pleasant, Carleton County... 41, Maj. J. E. McRobbie, 8th Hussars... 41, Maj. F. H. Hart, 62nd Fusiliers... 41, J. W. McFarlane, Moncton R. C... 41, H. H. Hagerman, Moncton R. C... 41, Capt. R. H. Arnold, 8th Hussars... 41, A. S. McFarlane, Fredericton R. C... 40, -St. V. Dole, 7th... 40, Lieut. McGowan, 3rd R. C. A., counted out.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Pugsley. Maj. O. W. Wetmore, 7th... 43, Capt. J. Manning, R. O. St. John... 43, W. Dole, 7th... 42, W. Dole, 7th... 42, Pte. J. H. Daigle, 7th... 42, Corp. J. Downey, 62nd Rgt... 42, Lieut. E. K. McKee, 8th Hussars... 41, H. H. Bartlett, St. Andrews... 40, H. H. McAdair, St. Stephen... 40, Sgt. H. A. Chandler, 7th... 40, A. Langstroth, St. John R. A... 39, Capt. R. H. Arnold, 8th Hussars... 39, Pte. E. S. Farren, 62nd Rgt... 39, Capt. J. S. Frost, 62nd Rgt... 38, A. R. Jardine, Moncton R. C... 38, Sgt. J. G. Sullivan, O. S. C... 37, Dr. E. A. Smith, Shediac... 37, Sgt. Chandler, 7th... 37, Capt. H. Parley, 62nd Rgt... 37, G. A. Keith, Woodstock R. C... 36, Med. J. M. Kinnear, R. O... 36, Capt. S. B. Wetmore, 7th... 36, Capt. H. E. Golding, 7th... 35, Sgt. E. S. Wetmore, 62nd... 35, A. S. McFarlane, Fredericton... 35.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. YACHTING. NO RACE YESTERDAY. The fourth race for the Canada cup was called off yesterday, because shortly after the start both yachts became becalmed. Quota.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. QUITS. POSEY LANES WIN. In an interesting match in Carleton last evening the Posey Lanes defeated the Blue Rock Stars two games, 21 to 14 and 21 to 18.

MAN'S HAND TERRIBLY INJURED BY SAW. Joseph Black Was Working in O'Neill's Mill at St. Martin's.

ST. MARTIN'S, Aug. 16.—While working this morning on the boiler of the lath machine in O'Neill's mill, Jos. Black had the fingers and half of his right hand cut off.

The mill had just nicely begun work when the accident happened. A bolt lying on the table fell across the saw, carrying the unfortunate man's hand with it. This circumstance probably saved somebody's life, for from the position in which the man stood, had the bolt come off the saw it could not have escaped all of them.

VIOLENT DEATH OF MONTREAL MAN. Wholesale Druggists of Montreal Are Skeptical About Drug Comb—Say It Will Fail.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—John Wasm, 50 years of age, whose home was at the corner of Hyde and Charlevoix streets, met a violent death while he was at work in the Grand Trunk railway shop today. The victim by some means got caught in a steam hammer, and before the machinery could be stopped nearly every bone in his body was fractured. The injured man was taken from the workshop of the railway to the Y. M. C. A. building, and a telephone message was sent to the General Hospital for an ambulance and a doctor. The ambulance made a quick run, and in a few minutes the dying man was on his way to the institution. Notwithstanding his terrible injuries he lived a couple of hours after being admitted, and retained consciousness until the very last.

When enquired about the wholesale druggists of Montreal, it was stated that while there had been some talk of the amalgamation of the wholesale drug houses of the dominion, nothing had come out of it, and as for the present proposal, they know nothing concerning it. W. S. Kerry, of Kerry, Watson & Co., stated today that his firm had been approached many months ago on the subject, but nothing ever came of it, and since that time he had not been informed of any further developments.

Henry Mills, Leeming, Mills & Co. also said that he had heard nothing of alleged amalgamation. A prominent wholesale druggist in discussing the situation, stated that present status of the wholesale drug trade in Canada was very unsatisfactory indeed and he was of the opinion that the average wholesaler, great or small, was making very little money. Travelers of the various houses were covering the same territory selling goods at a large expense and often cutting the price to secure trade. An amalgamation would be an excellent thing, but he doubted very much if the various elements would assimilate. It has been tried before and had failed.

AT "THE LONDON HOUSE." Thursday, August 17th. Just to Think of School Dresses Now. Most attractive Fancy Tweed Suitings For Girls.

We have just received a shipment of English tweed suitings in pretty greys and fancy brown or green mixtures that are especially suitable. Prices, 50c, 68c, 78c, 85c Yd.

SALE OF Fine Ostrich Neck Boas. Both grey and black real French ostrich boas. Prices one-third to one-half less than regular.

Choice Bargains in Ready-Made Dept. A Clean Up of Odd Lines At any Price Goods Will Bring. \$30.00 Ladies' Silk Suit for \$9.00. Navy blue taffeta silk suits, beautifully made and trimmed with black insertion, size 38 in. Regular \$26.50. Bargain price, \$9.00.

Other Bargains. Odd Shirt Waists. Odd Children's Dresses. Odd Dress Skirts. Odd Underskirts.

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

WOMEN'S BAPTIST MISSIONARY UNION Interesting Sessions at Fredericton Yesterday.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 16.—The first session of the Women's Baptist Missionary Convention was held this forenoon. Mrs. N. C. Scott of St. John, conducted the devotional exercises. The president, Mrs. J. W. Manning, declared the convention open for the transaction of business and read the rules of the order. Miss Emma Hume of Dartmouth, N. S., presented the report of the provincial secretary for Nova Scotia. It was an admirable presentation of the year's work in that province. There are 167 aid societies which raised \$7,698.05. New societies were organized at Barrington, Port Lorne, Sydney, Miramichi, West Hill, Hillside, South Rawden and Caledonia, Queens Co. Among the 47 active members who had passed to their reward last year, was Mrs. A. M. Whitman, of Canoe, who was a member of the first women's missionary aid society to be founded in Canada.

The president appointed Mrs. M. A. Chubbick of Amherst, and Mrs. David Hutchinson of St. John a committee on resolutions. The committee nominated as composed of Mrs. Gunn of Bonaventure, Mrs. N. C. Scott of St. John, Miss Waldman of Charlottetown, Mrs. P. R. Foster of Hervey, and Mrs. C. P. Wilson of Doaktown. An important departure which has previously received the consideration of the executive was brought before the body, namely, the launching of a new missionary paper. Hitherto four journals ministered to the works of the societies. The Link, published in Toronto, gave an account of the Canadian work in general; mission hand leaflets furnished lessons for the children; a small paper called Tidings arranged aid society programmes and kept in personal touch with missionaries on the field; while the Messenger and Visitor devoted space to women's work. The resolution which was discussed and adopted today proposes after six months to consolidate all these publications in one monthly magazine, called Tidings, which will conserve all the interests of aid societies and mission hands. The name of Mrs. M. A. Chubbick has been named in connection with the editorship. Her literary qualities and thorough knowledge of the work admirably fit her for that office.

At the session this afternoon a most interesting address was delivered by the president, Mrs. Manning of St. John. The treasurer, Miss Smith, and the secretary, Mrs. Chubbick, presented their reports, after which Miss Beverly, on behalf of the Missionary Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, and Mrs. F. P. Thompson for the same body of the Methodists extended fraternal greetings. These were replied to in a most pleasing manner by Mrs. J. N. Golding, St. John. Mrs. A. F. Randolph delivered an address of welcome to the visitors, and the afternoon proceedings were brought to a close with a few remarks from Miss Archibald, a returned missionary. This evening a missionary meeting was held in the church, which was largely attended. Forcible and eloquent addresses on missionary work were made by Miss Archibald of Truro, Miss Laura Peck of Wolfville and Mrs. D. Hutchinson, St. John.

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DEATH OF JOHN ALSTON. The death occurred in this city this morning of John Alston, an old and esteemed resident of this city. Deceased, who has been ill since February last, was in the 70th year of his age. He was a native of Yorkshire, England, and came to St. John when very young. For years Mr. Alston was identified with the dry goods business in St. John, occupying important positions at different times with John Armstrong, Thos. R. Jones and Vassie & Co. A widow, one son and three daughters survive. The son, William, is employed in the I. C. R. Two daughters reside in Norwood, Mass., one being Mrs. A. M. Betts. One daughter is at home.

QUAIL-EATING MATCH. Down in Raleigh, N. C., a man started out to eat a quail a day for 90 days, but had to give it up on account of the disagreeable attention he attracted. Every time he went out of the house all the pointer dogs along the street pointed him and all the settlers set him.—New York Press. TWO TABLETS. Johnny—Paw, did Moses have the dyspepsia, like what you've got? Father—How on earth do I know? What makes you ask such a question? Johnny—Why, our Sunday school teacher says the Lord gave Moses two tablets.—Medical Standard.

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ST. JOHN STAR, THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1903

SIR HENRY MORGAN, BUCCANEER

By CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY. Author of "The Southerners," "For Love of Country," "The Grip of Honor," Etc.

SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS CHAPTERS

Sir Henry Morgan, a notorious buccaner, who had been knighted by King Charles II. and made vice-governor of Jamaica, was deposed by King James and ordered under arrest. Morgan admitted the two officers who came to take him, slew them and made his escape. With the help of one Benjamin Harrigold, a former assistant in his piracy, he collected a gang of a hundred cut-throats in Port Royal and another hundred in the bay of St. John. He then sailed for the coast of Caracac.

ences to address her a few words in farewell, which she received with listless indifference. The final preparations were soon over. Don Felipe lifted Donna Mercedes to the saddle of her Spanish jennet; some of the other gentlemen assisted the Senora Agapida to the back of the sure footed mule which she had elected as her mount; Alvarado alighted and sprang to the back of his mettlesome barb, and followed by a half dozen troopers who constituted the escort, the rear being followed by servants with pack animals carrying the personal baggage of the two ladies, the little cavalcade moved off, the gentlemen in the viceroys' suit standing bareheaded in the doorway as they disappeared under the trees and began the ascent toward the pass.

Alvarado, whose white, haggard face showed that he had passed a sleepless night, rode at the head of the column. Some distance in front of him rode a trooper, for there were even then thieves, wandering bands of masterless men who leaved bloody toll on traders from the capital whenever they got opportunity. Next to the captain came the sergeant of the little guard, then the two women, followed closely by two more of the soldiers, after that the little pack train, which he had ordered to close up and keep in touch after they left the city, and last of all, the two remaining soldiers to bring up the rear.

When Mercedes had met Alvarado early in the morning she had acknowledged his profound salutation with the curtest and coldest of nods. She was furiously and bitterly angry with him, for between duty, honor, friendship and her love, he had not chosen her. She knew that he loved her. She had known it a long time, and, if she had the slightest doubt, the sincerity with which he had spoken the night before, the fierce, passionate fervor of the kisses that he had pressed upon her lips, his utter abandonment to his passion, had more than satisfied her. Yet when she had offered to throw everything to the winds—love, duty, obedience—his reply had been to let her go, and he had refused her!

CHAPTER XVII. They set forth early in the morning. There was a cool freshness in the air from the storm of the day before, and if they wished to avoid the necessity of traveling in the heat of the day early departure was necessary. Although the season was summer in a tropical land not far from the equator, the altitude of Caracac lowered the ordinary temperature to an agreeable degree, but after they crossed the pass of La Veta and began the descent toward La Guayra they would be within the confines of one of the hottest localities on the face of the globe.

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She had not slept the entire night, either, thinking these things, yet it had not all been pain. How nobly he had tried to save her—he to whom a lie was worse than death! He had tried to assume dishonor for her sake. He loved her—yes, there was no doubt of it. She closed her eyes with the thought, his eyes, her cold demeanor, but his face when he was alone, his smile, his voice, his eyes, her cold demeanor, but his face when he was alone, his smile, his voice, his eyes, her cold demeanor, but his face when he was alone, his smile, his voice.

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ing closed up and in order, by further places she could mark with exultation the pallor that had taken the place of the ruddy hue on the fair cheek of her lover. She could even note the black circles under the blue eyes beneath the sunny hair, so different from her own midnight crown.

And indeed his thoughts were bitter. What must she think of him? He had been a fool. Happiness had been his for the taking, and he had thrown it away. Why had he not brushed De Tobar out of his path, silenced the wretched wretch by death, by blinding him fast—and then taken the woman he loved and who loved him, for she had proved it by her utter abandonment of herself to him? These old soldiers who had served him for many years would have followed him wherever he led. The viceroys' arm was long, but they could have found a haven where they were not to be seen. God had made them for each other, and he had refused. He had turned her aside. He had pushed the cup of happiness from his own lips with his own hand.

He wished it was all to do over again. Now it was too late. To the chains of duty, honor, gratitude, had been added that of his plighted word. Knowing his love, De Tobar, his friend, had never where to turn. The viceroys' love, the viceroys' had also trusted him. He was locked with fetters, bound and sealed, helpless. And yet the temptation grew with each hour. He had hoped, that Mercedes loved him; now he was sure of it. Oh, what happiness might have been his!

What was this mystery about his birth? He had been picked up by a baby in a deserted village outside of Panama. He had been found by the Count de Lara, who had led his troops to the scene of the tragedy, which unfortunately he had reached only after the buccaners had departed. Search had been made for his parents, but without success. The viceroys' friend, none to claim the bright faced baby, had given him a name and had caused him to be brought up in his own household. There was nothing in his appearance to distinguish him as the exquisite fineness and richness of the material. Thrown around his neck had been a curious wrought silver crucifix on a silver chain, and that crucifix he had worn ever since. It lay upon his breast beneath his clothing now. It was the sole object which connected him with his past.

What was this reached man's estate he had thought of these things often and had prayed that in some way, at some time, the mystery might be solved. The crucifix.

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STILL STRUGGLING WITH PAVING QUESTION. Moncton Citizens Are Anxious to Have Streets Improved Without Further Delay.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 16.—Moncton is still wrestling with the street paving question. The delegation from the city council that recently went to New York, seemed to be most favorably impressed by the Hastings asphalt block and representatives of the Hastings and Warren bituminous appeared before the board of trade last night to press their respective claims. Each claimed to have the best pavement, of course, and the board took no action in the direction of advising the city council. The Warren and the Hastings pavements are both practically of the same material, but the Hastings is laid in blocks and the Warren in sheets. A plant costing \$15,000 or \$18,000 would be required by the city to lay the sheet pavement, and keep it in repair, while it is claimed the blocks can be put down and kept in repair without such a plant. The only point on which the citizens seem to be agreed is that something should be done at once to put the principal business street in condition, as wooden blocks have not been satisfactory.

Miss Florence Woodman, who holds a good position as stenographer in Chicago, left yesterday on her return to the west, after spending her vacation with her parents here and with friends in P. E. Island. She took the steamer

at Summerdale for Montreal en route. Mrs. (Capt.) F. J. Robinson and daughter, who have been spending some weeks with old friends in Moncton and Buctouche, left last night for their home in Alameda, California. Capt. Robinson, who is an Albert Co. man, is master of a steamer plying between the Pacific coast and China and Japan.

MADE FAST TIME ON A LATE TRAIN. The Boston train was an hour late in arriving at the Union depot last night owing to a delay at Fredericton Junction. The Fredericton branch train left Fredericton on time with a car full of the Masters' tourist party, which had gone up river yesterday for a trip to the capital. About half way between the junction and Fredericton the engine broke down, and it was almost two hours before they got to the junction. Their car was attached to the Boston train, and Conductor Johnson put on speed. The forty-four miles from Fredericton Junction to St. John including time for two stops, were run under one hour. In spots the train was going a sixty mile clip, and when Conductor Johnson entered the tourist car after Fairville was left there was a unanimous cry, "Say, Mr. Johnson, are you going to put the whip lash on again?"

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A Unique Story Appropriate to St. Patrick's Day; A Man Who Became the Tempter of His Warm Friend

The Fate of the Serpent

By JOHN FITZGERALD

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It will be admitted that a man who is to play the part of a serpent might select a better day than March 17 for such a performance. In the case of Harvey Millers, however, the decision was not made in advance, but upon the impulse of the moment. Circumstances, he would claim, and not deliberate choice, put him into the role of tempter of his friend.

He was an Englishman in a national guard regiment whose roster shows a clear majority of good old Irish names. According to its custom, this regiment paraded on St. Patrick's day in an east wind which for penetrating chill was unmatched in the memory of any soldier or civilian in the procession.

After the parade and the resumption of his ordinary attire Miller came out upon the steps of the armory, and the first gust that struck him made his teeth chatter. Immediately he became aware of a shivering, childish voice which said:

"A note for you, lieutenant. It came to the house after you'd left." Miller beheld a blue visaged boy named Michael Healy, whose mother was landlady at the house where the guardsman boarded. Michael was a worshiper of the military, and Miller had cleverly made a slave of him by teaching him odds and ends of tactics. For the privilege of being ordered about in soldierly fashion Mike would run more errands for Miller than for any boarder who paid for such services in nickels and dimes.

Miller took the note from the boy's hand, ordered him to "report" to his mother and dismissed him with flattering formalities. Then as he walked along the street the lieutenant opened and read the communication, which disclosed to him the fact that he would not have the pleasure of escorting Miss Florence Lantry to the masked ball to be given that evening. The young lady, who had been visiting her cousin, Miss Kate Mahan, had been called suddenly home by the illness of her mother.

For certain reasons the reading of this note set up such a confusion of thought in Miller's brain that he forgot to continue walking, but the extraordinary chill of the afternoon struck to his vitals as soon as he stopped. At that moment a door opened opportunely just beside him, and he walked into the ornate cafe of a hotel.

The warmth of the place affected him with a childish sense of gratitude. The armory had been as cold as a barn—the most unendurable, in fact—after five

hours out of doors on that raw day. He had thought that he should freeze while changing from his lieutenant's uniform to his civilian clothes, and his vitals still quivered with the chill. A temptation to have something to drink assailed him, and he moved toward the bar, but turned aside and stood irresolute in a corner. He was not a total

been concerned with the note from Miss Lantry, and only a small fraction of his attention had been given to his surroundings. Now he was recalled to complete self-consciousness by the assault of his friend. His face flushed. He thrust the note into a pocket of his overcoat and walked hastily to the door.

"Come in, boys," he said. "Here's where we all save our lives after that march today. Larry, you're the color of a drowned corpse. You ought to see yourself in a looking glass."

"He took a step or two forward and laid a hand on Larry Donovan's arm. Some one else immediately seized the other arm, and Donovan was marched into the cafe at double quick. The whole party was soon seated around a table in a corner.

"Nothing strong for me," declared Donovan. "I've been on the water wagon for a year, and I'm going to stay there. I know when I'm safe."

"One of the men on the other side of the table looked across at Miller with a shake of his head. He was aware, as Miller was also, that Donovan had not more serious tone, "are going to escort Miss Mahan and her cousin from out of town, Miss Lantry. Did you see about the carriage, Harvey?"

Miller nodded, while two or three of the other men secretly exchanged glances. It was more than suspected among their intimates that both Miller and Donovan were seriously smitten with sweet Kitty Mahan and that Mil-

lerton had been the less successful rival for her gracious notice. There had been gossip that he had not taken his defeat with a good grace, and as he had the heavy tenacity of purpose characteristic of many men of English blood it was regarded as surprising that he should be found playing the part of servicable friend and escort to the country cousin.

Now, the truth is that this was more surprising to Miller than it could possibly be to anybody else. His pride gnawed his vitals whenever he realized the position into which he had been drifting during the last few months and especially since Miss Lantry had come to the city. He cared nothing at all for that estimable young lady. Her presence gave him an opportunity for seeing more of Kitty Mahan, particularly for seeing her and Lawrence Donovan together—for spying upon them in order to discover whether there existed between them anything that could be called an understanding. This observation had filled his heart with bitterness, for it had revealed to him the very many ways in which Donovan excelled him as a cavalier, and yet it had satisfied him that Kitty was still heart free, so far as she herself knew.

If Donovan could be removed from the scene for awhile, if he should suffer some reverse in this sentimental battle, if he should cease to be so amusing to Kitty, with his songs and

"No," he replied, "but we shall soon see. Here's her health with all my heart. She is a very charming girl."

He touched his glass to Larry's, and the trick was done. Larry did not quite the strength to decline the toast, and so he raised the glass to his lips. Five minutes later every glass was empty and every one on the way.

When Miller was upon the street again it was half past 3 o'clock. He had been in the cafe less than an hour and had not drunk very much, and yet the clock on the railroad station opposite seemed to have acquired three or four extra faces, which lurched and gyrated and melted into one another so mystically that it was amazingly difficult to tell the time. He realized his condition and knew that all the other men were as bad, except Larry Donovan, who was worse. Exhausted by the marching and by the cold and practically unaided since morning, they were easy prey for John Harleyeown.

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Miller steeled himself against an iron fence, and for one of those intervals which flash by and yet are long enough for extended reflection he thought with horror of what he had done. Then the evil side of his nature asserted itself, the vanity, jealousy and selfishness. He told himself that he had been very shrewd in this matter; he had seized upon an opportunity. With Larry out of the way he could present himself at Kitty Mahan's house in the handsome costume which he had bought for this festive occasion. It would be informed that Miss Lantry had gone, and he would exhibit surprise, an appropriate sympathy, too, because of the bad weather, and her mother, her note to him must have been mislaid at the boarding house. The girl who tended the door was so miserably careless! She probably was carrying it in her pocket.

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"Be at my house between 6 o'clock and half past 8," said this obliging gentleman, "and I'll let you have as much as you want."

So that was all settled, and Miller went home with a light heart and a lighter head. Upon the stairway he met his youthful admirer.

"Mike," said he, sitting down without intending to do so, "can you tell time by a clock?"

"Sure," responded the boy. "I'm feeling a little under the weather, and I'm going to turn in. Understand?"

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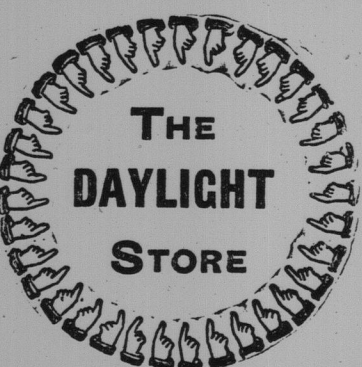
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THE WEATHER.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Robert Maxwell, M. P. P., is having extensive alterations made in his residence, Union street.

H. Lilley, the West End butcher, has purchased a business in Springhill, N. S., and is advertising his Carleton business for sale.

Men have been at work for the last week on the north side of the depot, preparing for the additional track which is to be constructed.

The San Toy Co. arrived this morning by special train from Moncton, reaching the city shortly before twelve. The train consisted of six cars.

Train No. 10, leaving St. John at 11:25 for Halifax, will make all intermediate stops on Friday to allow the suburbanites to attend the performance at the Opera House.

The band of the Irish Guards, under C. H. Hassell, bandmaster, will embark at Liverpool for Quebec today to play at the Toronto Exhibition and elsewhere in Canada during the season.

A business meeting of the Fortnightly Club will be held at the club at four o'clock in W. H. Trueman's office in the Walker building.

Yesterday afternoon in the hearing of the charge of aggravated assault on Charles Hamilton, Frank McDermott was sent up for trial before the county court of Tuesday next.

Messrs. McArthur & McVey, the waterworks contractor and Ferguson on it, and of late several new gangs of men have been added to the crowd.

Peters street will shortly be attended by the addition of three new dwellings, all of them large modern houses. In various parts of that section new houses are filling in many of the gaps left by fire.

The death occurred this morning of Ethel Victoria, daughter of John and the late Mary Spine. Deceased was twenty-one years of age. The funeral will take place from her father's residence, 35 Pitt street on Saturday at 2:30 o'clock.

The prospects for tomorrow's fish market are good, fresh fish being mackerel, 20 cents, haddock, 5 cents lb., cod, 5 cents lb. and salmon, 16, 20, 24 cents per lb. Smoking fish, haddock, 7 cents lb., and blisters, 24 cents per dozen.

The concert at Rothesay in the Presbyterian hall on Wednesday evening, by not only the regular residents but also by the summer visitors. The late train was held for the city folk and a large number took advantage of the arrangement. A splendid programme was carried out.

W. H. Smith of Douglas Avenue has returned from a pleasant trip to Upper Canada, embracing a visit to the larger cities, into new Ontario and through historic Quebec. He left home some time ago in company with his son, Rev. W. Hilyard Smith, who has an Anglican charge in Ontario, and who was visiting at home for a short time.

Dr. Macfarland was called in yesterday to extract a fish hook from the ankle of Mrs. Arthur Fair, of Fairville, Mr. Fair, who recently returned after a fishing trip, left several fishing flies on a chair and one of them fastened her ankle, causing considerable pain. It was firmly embedded in the flesh and had to be cut out.

The Foresters' excursion and blueberry picnic to Wolford is being held this morning, and they are having one of the finest days of the season for the occasion. Two cars were attached to the 9:25 train and were well filled. The larger crowd, however, came in the cars attached to 1:10 suburban. The City Cornet band paraded from their rooms to the train.

The Sons of England local lodges will fraternize at Foresters hall, Charlotte street, on Wednesday evening, 23rd inst., at 8 o'clock. Portland lodge will pay Marlborough lodge a fraternal visit, and together they will celebrate their anniversary. A large gathering of both lodges will make it an enjoyable affair. Lots of entertainment will be provided and then refreshments will be served.

John Wilde was thrown out of a rig at the corner of Waterloo and Union streets yesterday afternoon, and he was rendered unconscious by striking against a telegraph post. He was carried into E. Clinton Brown's drug store, and after a time was sufficiently recovered to be sent home. The accident was said to be due to the horse which he was driving taking fright at an automobile.

The steamer Fishing was chartered yesterday by a local party to be fitted up for a party of four, two Canadians and two well known Americans who will make a ten days' pleasure trip around the Nova Scotia coast. The steamer is now being repaired to pass official inspection. The party will sail Saturday night and will call at Liverpool and Halifax on her way to Bras d'Or Lake, C. B. They will return to Halifax for the yacht races.

The new Dean of the U. N. B. R. Engineering school is Samuel W. Perrott, bachelor of arts and bachelor of engineering of Trinity College, Dublin, and an associate member of the Institute of civil engineers. His appointment is based upon numerous testimonials. Since 1901 Mr. Perrott has been engaged as contractor's engineer to Smith Sons and senior in charge of the construction of Victoria street station, Manchester. He is expected in Fredericton about the middle of next month.

IN THE COURTS.

The last will of the late William Hazelhurst was this morning admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted to his son, Joseph W. Hazelhurst. The estate values at \$200 real and \$200 personal, Barnhill, Ewing and Sandford proctors.

In the hearing and passing of the accounts of the estate of the late Hiram T. Finney an interesting question arose as to the right of the city to claim payment of taxes against personal property of a deceased person when the estate is insolvent. It was contended by the recorder that the taxes were a public debt and therefore took priority over other debts and should be paid in full. E. R. Chapman, who appeared for the creditors, contended that the taxes could not even rank as a debt, if a debt the city could only receive dividends along with other creditors. The judge is considering the matter.

In equity cases in the case of Gault Brothers vs. Morrill and Sutherland et al, M. G. Teed moved to have the names of defendants struck out on the ground that they had no interest in their assets did not equal their liabilities. Order granted accordingly. J. B. M. Baxter contra.

DECLARES REMAINS THOSE OF A ST. JOHN MAN.

Confirming the already accepted belief that the remains of a man found near Alberta (N. W. T.), last April are those of N. B. Cottle Colwell, of this city, son of Geo. W. Colwell, the report of the coroner's inquest has been received by Mr. Colwell in the Alberta Advocate of Aug. 4, which says: "An inquest was held on Friday last, July 23, in the post office block, Red Deer, to take evidence respecting the death of N. B. Cottle Colwell, who it will be remembered disappeared August 27, 1903. The unfortunate young man was engaged, together with Messrs. Cottle and Ferguson, in taking a raft down the Red Deer river, and when between this town and Tall Creek, the raft ran aground on a bank. An attempt was made to lighten the raft, and while this was being done the raft suddenly floated away with Messrs. Cottle and Ferguson on it, Messrs. Colwell on the bank. His companions on the raft reported his position at the earliest moment, but when searches reached the spot where he was last seen he had disappeared. "No trace of him was found until last April, when remains were found in various portions of skull with a tooth, etc., led to the belief that they were the remains of the missing man. "Horace Meares was foreman of the jury and after having all the evidence procurable the following verdict was returned: 'That the remains found are those of N. B. Cottle Colwell, and that he came to his death by drowning, the result of an accident,' with the rider 'that neither of the persons on the raft is in any way to blame.' "The deceased, we understand, was a South African hero, and came out west from St. John (N. B.)."

SALMON FISHING STOPPED.

Fishing salmon in the St. John river with a fly or net is all finished for this season. Yesterday a number of sportsmen were at Springhill again, and Douglas and Chas. Morgan of St. Marys. They are paid \$1.50 per day—Fredericton Gleaser.

MONSTROUS TROUT.

In the window of the Dinege Scribner place, King square, are several handsome trout, caught and mounted by Mr. Sinibaldi, the taxidermist. One of the fish is over six pounds in weight, and was caught with rod and reel in Treadwell's Lake. Another is over seven pounds, but unlike the first mentioned, is a Lake Superior species, not native. This trout also was captured with a rod. Mr. Sinibaldi is very proud of his catch, and the work he has put them in, preserving the shape and color, is perfect.

TOURISTS HELD UP IN THE YOSEMITE VALLEY.

FRESNO, Calif., Aug. 15.—Mearge details of the daring robbery by a highway man of the Yosemite Valley stages, running between Raymond and Watona, have reached here. The stages were held up one at a time about three and a half miles below Ahwahnee, a few miles above Grub Gulch. All the passengers were relieved of their money. Among them was the Austrian consul at Milwaukee.

CANADA EASTERN CONTRACT.

Gilmour Brown came to this city last evening, and he will probably sign the contract for the work on the Central railway shortly.

The lawyers who are drawing out the agreement are A. P. Barnhill and H. A. McKeown. They were to have had a conference this morning, and the contract would probably have been drawn up, but Mr. Barnhill did not turn up, and nothing was done.

BIG REFERENDUM VOTE.

CHRISTINA, Norway, Aug. 12.—Complete returns from last Sunday's referendum on the question of the separation of Norway from Sweden show that 298,200 votes were cast for dissolution and 184 against it. The size of the vote is very gratifying to the leaders of the Storting, and has aroused intense interest. At the last general election for members of the Storting only 236,641 votes were cast.

THIS EVENING.

San Toy at the Opera House.
Special meeting of Young Men's Society of St. Joseph.
Meeting of committees re Labor Day parade in Sutherland's hall.

LATE PERSONALS

George Ross of Ottawa, chief superintendent of post offices, is in the city making the regular inspection of the St. John post office.

Mrs. George Dibble of Norton, Kings Co., accompanied by her sister, Miss Nellie Ewing of Calais, Maine, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dibble of 49 Erin street.

Miss Mabel Hatfield and Miss Flossie Smith have gone to spend their vacation at Brown's Flats.

Miss Alice M. Toole returned home on the Calvin Austin Tuesday, after spending several enjoyable weeks with relatives in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brock have returned from Fredericton, where they have been spending a few days. Miss Lillie Brock has returned from Rothesay, where she has been visiting Mrs. (Dr.) MacDonald.

Mrs. Wm. McKean and two children have returned from Dalhousie.

W. Howe-Browne left on the Maritime last night for Montreal, where he sails on the "Dominion" for England.

Miss Millie Brokenshire, of Halifax, who has been visiting Miss Emma Gray of Paradise Row, returned home today by the Prince Rupert, accompanied by Mrs. Gray and her daughter Hazel.

Mrs. Daniel Jackson has returned home from St. Martins after spending a pleasant two weeks visit with Mrs. Benjamin, of Gardiner Creek.

Geo. Titus, who has been spending a few days with his people, leaves today for Owen Sound, where he resumes his duties as minister of the Christian church of that place.

Miss Magee of D. Magee Sons, has returned from the Weldon House, Shediac, where she spent a short vacation.

Bishop Handy left this morning for Hamilton, Ont., where he will attend the Ontario conference of the A. M. E. Church which gathers shortly.

Miss Grace Fisher left for Sackville this morning.

B. C. Rayworth of Sackville returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Smlat arrived on the Atlantic this morning on a visit to Mrs. Smlat's sisters, the Misses Furlong.

Canon Richardson arrived this morning from Fredericton.

R. J. Robertson left for Sackville this morning.

Wetmore Merritt arrived home this morning on the Atlantic express.

Roy Whelpley of Moncton went home at noon to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer returned home this morning on the Boston.

E. C. Hayes of Ottawa formerly of St. John, passed through the city this morning on his way to Shesha.

Mrs. Beat Wynn and son of Montreal arrived today by C. P. R. express and are the guests of Mrs. W. H. Purdy.

Miss Mabel Finn, who has been visiting Miss Mary Lynch, at Nelson, returned home this week.

Mrs. R. B. Porter of Somerville, Mass., is in the city, the guest of Miss E. M. Wheaton of the North End.

Ladies' and Gents' Fall and Winter Top Coats Now Ready.

Early purchasers can find a most up-to-date stock to select from at

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Ah, There!

If you wear poor fitting shoes you're to blame. Just the distance to this store is all that lies between you and shoe satisfaction. We are ready for you, and our "ready" means that we have the season's best in Footwear. All the latest styles on all the newest lasts, at such prices as will please you exceedingly. We have Shoes at \$2.00 and \$2.50 that equal and excel many sold at higher prices by other stores.

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A Large Assortment of GLASSWARE which we will Sell at Very Low Prices.

Tumblers from 25c. a dozen up
Lamps from 25c. up
Bon-bon dishes 5c.
Glass Sets 55c.
Glas Pitchers 15c
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Before purchasing elsewhere examine our line of Tin Ware and Enamel Ware on the second floor at

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Omega Watches!

There's no better value in the market than the three lines of Omega Watches we are showing.

7 Jeweled in Metal Case, \$ 5.00
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Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

We make the best \$5.00 set of teeth in this city.
We make the best \$5.00 gold crown in this city.
Gold filling from \$1.00. Silver and other filling from 60c.; plates repaired, from 50c.

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Silk Emb'd Cashmere Fall Socks, 4 Pairs for \$1.00

RELIABLE ENGLISH MAKES, with rich but not flashy silk embroidering. A little heavier than summer socks, and somewhat lighter in weight than what are worn in winter. We have received two special lots, which are to be sold, commencing with this announcement, at 4 pairs for \$1.00 and 3 pairs for \$1.00. Fresh stock—sizes 10 to 11. MEN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.

CARPET SALE STILL ON.

ALTHOUGH A TRIFLE EARLY for housecleaning, this sale is attracting many thrifty housewives, who realize that in a couple of weeks or so they will be in the midst of fall renovating work, when a fresh item of floor covering will be needed here and there in the home. This marked-down sale is dismissing all the worry in that direction. Carpets and Rugs, also Squares, and a few nice lines of Mattings.
Carpets, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c Yd
GERMAIN STREET.

Shirtwaist Samples.

A FINAL DISPOSAL of every summer Waist under our roof. These are the very last—the samples that have done such good service during the season. A little soiled, but that's a small consideration in view of the giving-away prices. About 100 White Lawn ones and a few sensible Colored Blouses. Neatly and fashionably trimmed.
White—35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00.
Colored—35c and 50c.
SILK ROOM.

Fall Gloves—Dents'.

THE MANNISH GLOVE has come to stay, the ladies say. We have a large supply of Dents' famous English make in all sizes. Popular colors.
\$1.00 to \$1.40 Pair.
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