

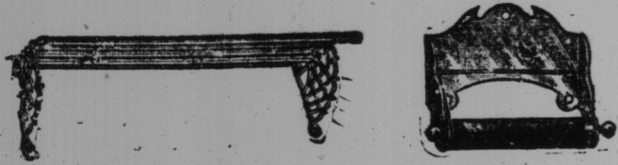
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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1904.

ONE CENT

Bath Room Fixtures.



Brass Nickel Plated Soap Dishes, Towel Racks, Paper Holders, Brush Holders, Etc.

These goods are all new, bright stock and will be found a great addition to any bathroom.

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For Boys and Girls. The Good Kind. Send or Bring The Children To Us. WATERBURY & RISING. KING STREET. UNION STREET.

Children's Tams

We have the largest assortment of Children's Cloth Tams in the City. Prices, 25 to 75 Cents.

F. S. THOMAS, 555 Main Street, North End.

IN THE CHURCHES.

Centenary church pulpit was occupied by both services yesterday by Rev. T. Marshall. At each service a large congregation heard him. Rev. Aquila Webb, Ph. D., of Middleton, N. Y., preached in the Congregational church yesterday. In the morning he took his text from Acts 5: 15. The subject of his sermon was the reality of seeming trifles.

SCHOOL SUITS NOW.

Nearly everybody knows of the wonderful rapid growth of this business and there has been no branch that has added to its popularity more than the BOYS' TWO AND THREE PIECE SUITS. Our new fall stock is now in and a better assortment of BOYS' SUITS at very moderate prices would be hard to find.

Boys' 2-Piece Suits, \$1.10 to \$5.00 Boys' 3-Piece Suits, \$2.50 to \$6.75

J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and Tailoring 199 and 201 Union St.

THEY WERE FROZEN OUT.

Four Members of the St. Joseph's Base Ball Team Complain of Unfair Treatment—Were Not Allowed to Play Against Moncton Saturday.

"It was all a bunco game," said Dan Britt this morning in speaking of the All Moncton versus All St. John game Saturday afternoon on the Victoria grounds. The name of the team that had upheld the honor of St. John in former games this season was published as the one which would meet Moncton last Saturday and this fact had a considerable influence in drawing the crowd to the grounds.

On Friday night the team was a suspicion that all was not square in the deal, for one of the All St. John players threatened to publish in the morning papers that the representative team was not going to be selected to meet Moncton. H. C. Coombs, who brought the Monctons to this city assured him that the regular All St. John team would be chosen.

IN THE COURTS.

Two Criminal Cases for the County Court Tomorrow.

Equity Court Chambers. Judgment on the notice of appeal in the case of Paivastee, Lajala and Robertson was delivered Saturday by Judge Barker. His honor decided to allow the appeal and set aside the judgment on the equity court. He discussed with regard to the title of the case.

The case is of interest to lawyers, as it settles a point which is apt to crop up in practice at any time. The supreme court is sitting on an appeal from the equity court is called the supreme court in equity. As the name indicates that is not in all cases an appellate court but hears an appeal from the equity court in the same manner as the supreme court on the law side hears an appeal from the decision of a judge sitting at nisi prius without a jury. Therefore, in the absence of any established practice it is not necessary, though it may be better to change the name of the case and call the parties respectively appellants and respondents. On a writ of error it is customary to change the name of the case when it is brought into an appellate court but that is not the case here.

The case will now go to the Privy Council where the plaintiff may ask a preliminary point that the appeal be quashed on the ground of irregularity. No appeal from this decision of Judge Barker to the supreme court of N. B. would be allowed.

DEATH OF FREDERICKTON MAN.

The death took place in Fredericton on Saturday, the 20th of August, of Moses Brewer, a well known and respected citizen of that place. Besides a sorrowing widow deceased is survived by six daughters, two of whom, Miss Rhoda and Miss Lillian are at home. The others are Mrs. Samuel Cook, of Oshawa, Ont., Mrs. James A. Edmonds, of Hopewell Cape, and Mrs. Walter E. Wiggins and Mrs. J. Nelson Parlee, of this city. The funeral will be held today from his late residence Campbell street, Intervent in the Church of England cemetery at Keswick, N. B.

PRIEST KILLED IN QUEBEC.

(Special to the Star.) MONTREAL, Aug. 22.—Rev. Father Braut, parish priest of St. Vincent de Paul, was killed this morning at Mile End by the C. P. R. Quebec train. He was crossing from one car to another while the train was in motion and fell beneath the wheels and was crushed. He was 42 years of age.

COAL STEAMER ASHORE.

(Special to the Star.) MONTREAL, Aug. 21.—The Black Diamond liner Catalina, chartered by the Dominion Coal Co. from Sydney, C. B., to Montreal, went ashore yesterday near Longueuil. The accident was caused by trouble with the steering gear. The damage is slight.

FUNERAL SERVICES TODAY.

The funeral of Samuel R. MacCauley, the infant son of William MacCauley, was held this afternoon from his parents' residence 88 Portland street. High mass of requiem was celebrated this morning by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan at the church of the Assumption, Carleton, for the repose of the soul of the late Andrew Munro, being the month's memory.

HANGING IN THE BALANCE.

Tremendous Conflict Now Raging at Port Arthur--Furious Japanese Charges Drive Russians from Their Forts--The Stronghold Stubbornly Defended.

CHE FOO, Aug. 23, noon.—The Chinese just arrived who bring the latest information from Port Arthur, were employed by the Russian authorities in carrying the dead of the field and also ammunition, which they say is plentiful, confirm the statement that the Laita promontory was not assailed for the reason that it is impracticable from the sea and the Japanese are unable to move on it from the north.

The Japanese main attack has been the heaviest against the Russian centre and right, particularly against the centre fronting which the Japanese have taken up a strong position at Shu Sheyen. Pigeon Bay had been the scene of several days before the general assault had begun, the Japanese never being able to hold for long any territory they might gain. Their attacks were made mostly at night, during foggy days and misty mornings. The Japanese believe that their superior physical condition will win the battle for them by wearing out the Russian garrison, which is constituted of less hardened material, down to the point of exhaustion by the persistence of their attack and their refusal to accept a repulse. The temperance of the Russian garrison is dogged and determined. Gen. Stessel rides care of his charges, which are showing the strain upon them, although the general changes his mounts frequently.

Both officers and soldiers have grown indifferent to the shells which enter the town frequently. Recently the Chinese theatre was hit and a score of people were killed and wounded. One shell exploded in the corner of a Chinese house, who told the story, killing five donkeys.

Civilians are allowed to leave the bomb-proofs during the lulls in artillery fire, but these intermissions are rare and everybody is under arms in the trenches. An unusually large proportion of young company officers have been killed, which is particularly owing to the duties and particularly reckless daring.

While the Russians apparently believe they will hold the Japanese in check, their confidence in their successful resistance is not absolute. Three large ships and two gunboats in warehouses and are then hurried on the outskirts of the town, quicklime being used freely to prevent infection. These large ships and two gunboats are being repaired in the dockyard and bean, the other ships being hurriedly repaired. The junks now depart from Liao Tie Lighthouse.

A TREMENDOUS CONFLICT.

CHE FOO, Aug. 22.—(Noon).—The first detailed news of the general attack on Port Arthur indicates that a tremendous conflict is raging and that victory is hanging in the balance. Chinese who held Port Arthur and argued here today say that the Japanese are making desperate charges which were reinforced by artillery fire from the north into Pigeon Bay territory and drove the Russians back from the main forts.

The ground being comparatively flat in this vicinity, the Japanese were unable to hold it in face of the Russian artillery fire and they returned north an eighth of a mile beyond the zone of fire. The Chinese declare that the Japanese captured one important fort on the Ithan hills, midway between the western coast and the railway, and were drawn up approximately from a point midway between Pigeon and Louisa bays. The fighting resulted in a capture of this fort was very severe. The position was first subjected to a bombardment for forty-eight hours. Then the Japanese infantry assaulted it and compelled the Russians to retire. The Russian artillery then directed a heavy fire on the spot, compelling the Japanese in turn to retire.

UP THE LIAO RIVER.

LIAO YANG, Aug. 21.—The Japanese column which is advancing up the Liao River is understood to have reached a point near Shabotou, where the Taitse river joins the inner Liao river. Just west of the Liao Yang Russian batteries meet the Japanese cavalry at Shabotou and it is known that the Japanese infantry are near the cavalry. It is further understood that the Japanese are using boats and are advancing along the main and outer Liao river in the direction of Simunlin. They are unopposed on account of the impassable condition of the roads.

Since the fighting on July 21, the Japanese have assembled six divisions in the vicinity of Kuchiatou. Otherwise they are inactive in the east, merely patrolling the road to Peninsula and in the direction of Mukden. The period of Japanese inactivity in the north is expected to last until the fate of Port Arthur is decided, when the Japanese regiments which were detached from the forces on the south coast after the battle of Tachekiao and sent to Port Arthur will return, probably with the main body of the Port Arthur army.

DIXON SENT UP FOR TRIAL.

On a Charge of Stealing From Wm. Cohan.

Magistrate Ritchie Says Hackmen Must Not Solicit Passengers Till They Leave the Steamer

In the police court this morning, the preliminary examination of Robert Dixon, who was arrested by Officer Sample on August 11th on suspicion of having stolen four dollars and seventy cents from the house of Wm. Cohan, was continued. The evidence of two more witnesses, Thomas Dolan and George Golding, was taken, the prisoner cross-examined each. The prisoner asked Golding if he had ever known him to steal. Golding said that he would not care to answer that question while under oath. The magistrate considered the evidence sufficiently incriminating to commit Dixon for trial, whose case will come before the grand jury at the county court, which opens tomorrow.

Charles Beakwith Accidentally Shot Himself at Duck Lake. (Special to the Star.) DUCK LAKE, N. W. T., Aug. 22.—Chas. Beakwith, a Northwest mountaineer, was shot accidentally while on a party on the coast of the Yukon. He was accompanied by a party of hunters. He was shot while on a party on the coast of the Yukon.

CAMP ENDS TOMORROW.

The senior captain of Co. No. 5, The Montague detachment that arrived Friday night, became unwell soon after arrival at Port Dufferin and was unable to direct his company's drill on Saturday. A quiet rest on Saturday and an extra effort yesterday has enabled him to recover from his indisposition. He will no doubt be able to proceed with his duties today. His competitive will be fired today and this will probably be the last of the shooting.

Smoked Shoulders 95c per lb.

Best Cheese, 10c. per pound. A Regular 40c. Tea for 25c. pound. 8 Bars of Soap for 25c. pound. Bananas, 10c. per doz. And hundreds of other bargains. .... AT ...

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Tuesday's Issue, for Particulars of Big Stock Reduction Sale .....

DRY GOODS,

..... AT ..... 335 Main St., North End.

SHARP & McMACKIN

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts—Moderate variable winds; fair and warm. Tuesday fresh to strong south and southwest winds; partly fair and warm, but some showers and local thunderstorms. Synopses—Since Saturday morning exceptionally heavy rain fall has occurred in the maritime provinces but fair weather now prevails there. Winds are light to moderate variable. To Banks fresh west to north winds; to American ports fresh to authority to southwesterly winds. The temperature at noon today was 62 above.

TIDE TABLE.

High water today at 5.45 p. m.; tomorrow at 9.45 a. m. and 9.45 p. m.

Outing

Hats and Caps.

WHITE FELT and DUCK HATS. WHITE DUCK CAPS. NEW STYLES in AUTO and GOLF CAPS.

ANDERSON'S

17 Charlotte Street.

UMBRELLAS RECOVERED

DUVAL'S UMBRELLA SHOP. Charms returned—Cane, Spilt and Perforated at DUVAL'S Chair Seat Shop. Perforated Seats, Shaped, Squared, Light and Dark, at DUVAL'S 17 Waterloo Street.

WATCHES.

Now is the time to select a good watch. We have received a new stock and can give you a good Swiss or American watch in gold, gold filled, silver or gun metal, and guarantee good satisfaction in every way. Come and see our stock. FERGUSON & PAGE 41 King St.

CLARK'S BAKED BEANS.

Plain or with Tomato Sauce. Can be used Hot or Cold. Thereby saving the time and fuel in cooking. We always have them ready for you. CHAS. A. CLARK, 49 Charlotte St., Market Building, Telephone 803.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST.—On Sunday, between Adelaide and Sheriff streets, a gold brooch. Finder will confer a favor by leaving it at 440 Main street.

FURNITURE!

At Residence by Auction. I will sell, at No. 17 Simonds St., North End, on TUESDAY Morning, Aug. 23rd, at 10 o'clock, contents of flat, consisting of Parlor, Dining, Kitchen and Bedroom Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Etc. No reserve, as party is going away. WALTER S. POTTS.

STAR WANT ADS.

BRING GOOD SATURDAY. TRY THEM.

Royal Foot Ease Cures Sore and Tired Feet. The largest home sale of all Foot Powders. Price, 10c. AT THE ROYAL PHARMACY, KING STREET.

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BEST SET TEETH, S. CO. THE POPULAR MICHIGAN...

Guarantee Dental Rooms, DR. F. H. DICKI, Proprietor.

Broad Cove Coal, \$7.00 a Chaldron. D. RILEY, 24 City Road.

CITY FUEL CO., 77 Smythe Street, Telephone, 1011.

HARD COAL. To arrive, daily expected—Nuts and Chestnut sizes. Leave your order at...

WATER. Do not drink lake water from the bay. SAXON SPRING WATER and HIGHLAND SPRING WATER...

J. H. RYAN, M.D., M.E. SPECIAL and Electrical Treatment, X-ray, Etc. 36 Sydney Street, St. John. OFFICE HOURS: 2 to 6.

Frank P. Vaughan ELECTRICAL ENGINEER AND CONTRACTOR, 5 Mill St., St. John, N. B.

YORKSHIRE BAR. No and 4C tankard. Highest Award Colonial and Indian Exhibitions, London, England, 1886. J. RHEA, 20 Mill Street.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP COY. (INTERNATIONAL DIVISION). Time Table in Effect August 8, 1904.

COME ONE! COME ALL! TO THE Grocers' Association Mammoth Picnic! At WATERS' LANDING, On WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31st.

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The average daily circulation of the Star for July was 4,078. The average daily circulation of the Star for the week ending August 18 was 4,142.

UNITED STATES INTERVENTION.

At the time of writing, particulars of the American intervention between the Japanese torpedo boat and the Askold at Shanghai indicate that the interference is in the interest of all neutral countries. It will be necessary for the powers to take some action at the Poo and other Chinese ports...

THE NOVIK.

By the destruction of the Novik Russia has lost an exceedingly useful ship. She was rated as a cruiser, though sometimes spoken of as a destroyer. The Novik, with 15 knots speed and 3,000 tons displacement...

DILIGENT HARMONY.

The Toronto Globe expresses its satisfaction that the Grand Trunk Pacific company and the government are working so amicably together. It is a delicious. The Grand Trunk promoters are having their own way at every stage...

WHAT DOES HE MEAN?

In his letter of acceptance Judge Parker declared in favor of "preparing the people of the Philippines as rapidly as possible for self-government and giving them the assurance...

that it will come as soon as they are "prepared for it." This expression, which seems to be intentionally ambiguous, is interpreted by some to mean that the islands will eventually become states of the union. Others think that some form of local colonial government is intended...

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SKIRT BARGAINS

We have over soon in DRESS SKIRTS, WALKING SKIRTS and OUTING SKIRTS.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street

Advertisement for D. A. KENNEDY, 32-36 King Square, St. John, N. B. "Think of the Saving You Make." Clearing the Whole Stock at Quick Selling Prices. Two hundred yards of UNBLEACHED SHEETING, two yards wide, only 20c. yard. This sheeting is worth 25c. yard.

Ladies' New Waterproof Coats in 3/4 and Full Length.

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Shirt Waists

Prices Lower than ever—39c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 & \$1.50. This is a final aggressive effort to clear them out, and they are going at from 50 per cent. to 75 per cent. off.

A Few Shirt Waist Suits AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

The balance of our stock of LADIES' COSTUMES will be sold at a sweeping reduction, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10 for Costumes that were \$15, \$20 and \$25.

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DR. BAYARD'S BIRTHDAY.

Dr. William Bayard celebrated his 81st birthday yesterday. All day long the aged physician received callers, and last evening a number of his intimate friends took dinner and spent the evening with him. Those present were Dr. Inches, deWolfe Spurr, J. Gardner Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Coster.

During the day Dr. Bayard received several beautiful bouquets of flowers. Congratulations and control of fish hatcheries on the Fraser river.

In pursuance of orders given by the minister of marine and fisheries, the light-houses on the lower St. Lawrence are being painted red, so, at least, states a tourist who has just returned to the province from a trip to the seaside. The pretext is that in the late fall and early spring fogs are unable to distinguish the light towers in order to avoid collisions with the rocks.

Still another sign of the near approach of the elections is the appointment of Judge Langille to inquire into the long standing claims of laborers and mechanics for work and material supplied in the construction of the St. Lawrence railway.

PULP MILL FOR SALE.

Property and works of The St. John Sulphite Pulp Company, Limited (in liquidation), situate at Mispice, Saint John County, New Brunswick.

The Mill Property of the Company comprises over three hundred acres. Works are situated on the Mispice River, a quarter of a mile from the sea and six miles from the city of St. John. The wharf accommodation is ample. Works are new and substantially built of pressed brick, fitted with modern and up to date appliances, including electric plant and are capable of producing two hundred tons of pulp per week.

There is room in the present building for additional plant, which when installed would double the output. The mill dam is substantially built of stone and is about fifty feet high. The water is taken by the turbine wheels in an iron flume five feet in diameter, which gives ample supply for driving machinery and pulp making.

Tenders for purchase of above described property will be received by the undersigned up to October first, 1904, the highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Further information will be supplied on application.

EZEKIEL B. KETCHUM, JOSEPH A. LIKELY, Liquidators. St. John, N. B., July 27th, 1904.

FOR SALE.

The following property of The St. John Sulphite Pulp Company, Limited (in liquidation): Steamer "Frederick A." seven years old, tonnage 115, length 57 feet. 3 screws 60 feet long by 22 feet wide by 7 feet deep. 1 decked scow 31 feet long and 12 feet wide. 1 piling scow 32 feet long by 15 feet wide with conveyer chain. 1 piling scow, with sheer legs, 35 feet 6 inches long by 15 feet broad. 1 ton barge, about 15 feet long. 5 tons wrought iron scrap, about 5 tons cast iron scrap, about 200 tons slack coal, about 1 large safe, 4 dump carts. 1 double sloven.

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RATES FROM ST. JOHN, N. B.: \$20.55 Going August 30th to September 8th, 1904. \$16.50 Going September 1st and 6th, 1904.

All tickets good to leave Toronto not later than Sept. 13, 1904. For Tickets, Sleeping Car Berths, etc., call on Nearest Can. Pac. Agent or write to C. B. FOSTER, D. P. A., C. P. R., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Clean Up Sale

A TESTIMONIAL.

"All the St. John people thought and know as much as I do about the...

SMALL MEN'S SUITS—Size 34 and 35. \$10, \$11, \$14, \$15 Suits; now \$5, \$4, \$7 and \$7.50.

A. GILMOUR,

Fine Tailoring and Clothing, 68 KING STREET.

Sporting News.

BASE BALL.

Portlands 17; Tartars, 6. The North End boys administered a crushing defeat to the Tartars...

George pitched for the Portlands and did good work, holding the Tartars down to eight hits...

McKie started in to pitch for the victors, but got his bumps and retired in the fifth inning...

McEachern pitched fine ball for the All-St. Johns and their victory was largely due to his work...

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Chicago won out in today's game by a timely batting rally in the seventh inning...

INSANE WOMAN'S ACT. Drowned Her Babe in a Brook Because She Feared It Would Starve.

KENTVILLE, N. S., Aug. 21.—Walker Brook, that pretty stream that waters the meadows...

IN THE PROBATE COURT. Letters of administration were granted Saturday in the matter of the estate of the late Ellen Campbell...

AQUATIC. HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 21.—The annual aquatic championships of the Maritime Provinces Amateur Athletic Association were held on the North West Arm on Saturday afternoon...

Right Price Furniture At the NEW FURNITURE STORE, 15 Mill Street.

All you want and much you never thought of in designs of comfort, style and durability.

N. A. Hornbrook & Co., 27--29 Charlotte St., Opp. Y. M. C. A.

Morrell & Sutherland

The Great Dress Goods Sale

announced in Saturday's papers will begin tomorrow, promptly, at 8 a. m., and continue until the store closes Saturday, at 1 o'clock.

School Opens Next Monday.

Not much time left to prepare the "little women." What about materials for her school dresses?

Please Remember

That the materials are this season's newest weaves and colorings, and that the time to come for the best bargains is when they're first advertised.

60c Canvas Cloth, 39c. A good material for Children's Dresses and Women's Waists, 48 in. wide.

55c. Poplin, 39c. Fine Wool Poplin, 48 inches wide, in Black, Navy Blue, Brown and Cardinal.

Wool Satin Cloth, 39c. A highly finished material, 40 inches wide, in shades of Navy Blue, Brown, Cardinal and Black.

Spot Lustré, 39c. A splendid material for separate waists here in Black and White, Navy and White, Navy and Red, Cream and Black, Sky and Black.

55c. Striped Tweed, at 39c. Navy Blue and White, and Brown and White Striped Tweed, 48 in. wide.

55c. Fenrietta for 39c. In good shades for girls school dresses and ladies' house dresses, separate waists and party dresses.

Black Materials, 39c. Everybody's Bargain. Black Broad Cloth (48 ins. wide) 39c.

On Sale Tuesday, 8 a. m.

MORRELL & SUTHERLAND,

27--29 Charlotte St., Opp. Y. M. C. A.

THINK HE IS A FAKER.

Police and Relatives Do Not Believe George Brigham Jumped From Steamer Calvin Austin.

George H. Brigham, of Worcester, Mass., is believed to have drowned himself by jumping from the steamer Calvin Austin, about half-past four Saturday morning...

"Captain Will you kindly see that my wife gets this letter and this case. I am a broken hearted man, a fugitive from the law which I did not mean to be. I have ended it all: By death from your boat. May God have pity on me. I can not live."

No home, no friends and a criminal. By other acts that broke up my home inside. They have kept my wife away; and gave her advice against me—she is not to blame.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Winthrop police decline to believe that George Brigham jumped from the Calvin Austin. They consider the letter a scheme to make his relatives think him dead.

Spot Cheviot, 39c. 40 inches, all-wool material with spot or small figure; in colors of Black and White, Navy and White, Cardinal and White, Green and White, Blue and White.

55c. Granite Cloth, 39c. An all-wool material in a very desirable weave, 48 in. Colors: Garnet, Cardinal and Green.

55c. Suiting, 39c. 42 inch Tweed Suiting, with colored spot, in six combinations of colorings, including Fawn, Brown, Green, etc. Excellent value at 55c.

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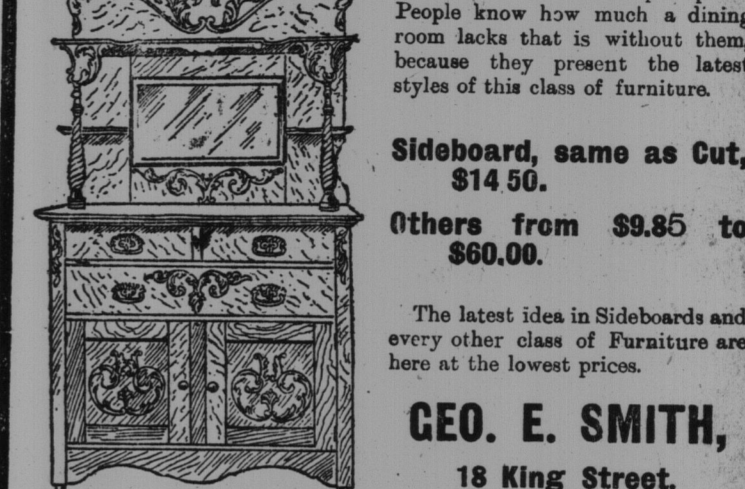
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to a dining room. Such a piece of furniture is the housekeeper's pride.



Sideboard, same as Cut, \$14.50. Others from \$9.85 to \$60.00.

Business Opportunities.

Classified Advertisements. Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. 6 insertions charged as 1. No less charge than 25 cents.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE. WANTED—A girl, no washing or ironing. References required. Apply 86 Waterloo street.

HELP WANTED—MALE. WANTED—A competent job compositor. Apply to SUN PRINTING COMPANY.

HOUSES TO LET. TO LET—A self-contained house, 62 Summer street, containing parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, with modern improvements.

TO LET—The self-contained house, No. 40 Paddock street, near Waterloo, has all modern improvements; just been thoroughly renovated.

FLATS TO LET. TO LET—Furnished flat, 137, Leinster street. Apply on Premises.

STOLEN. STOLEN—A dog and two pups stolen from the barn of H. W. deForest, last week. Anyone found harboring dog will be prosecuted.

SEWING MACHINES. Special Bargains in good second-hand Machines: Wheeler & Wilson, \$15.00; Domestic, \$3.00; New Home, \$10.00; Singer Improved, oak, \$12.00.

17th SEPTEMBER

International Exhibition

ST. JOHN, N. B. (17th to 24th September, 1904.)

Just about THREE WEEKS now. Prospects could not possibly be brighter. Never was any similar event so eagerly and generally anticipated.

AMUSEMENTS. The Amusement secured under unnecessary a visit to Conroy Island, Atlantic City or any other great amusement centre.

FIREWORKS. On a Magnificent Scale. THE BOMBARDMENT OF PORT ARTHUR, the most realistic firework effect ever produced, etc.

MUSIC. Five Bands Engaged. Including the full band of the 5th Royal Garrison Regiment, 35 Bandsmen, VETERANS. Also the MEISTER GLEE CLUB, the finest vocal aggregation in the world.

Cheap Fares From Everywhere. R. B. EMERSON, President, St. John, N. B. W. W. HUBBARD, Managing Director, St. John, N. B.

DYKEMAN'S

Two Special Lines Of WHITEWEAR

TO BE PUT ON SALE ON Tuesday Morning.

The first is White Undershirts, and we have three prices to offer you in these and a large variety of styles among them.
The \$1.00 Skirts have been reduced to 75c. Three styles at this price, one has a deep lawn frill trimmed with lace insertion. A very pretty and serviceable style of skirt. Another has a full of fine nine-inch hemstitch with a good wearing and washing edge. The third style is daintily trimmed with lace. These skirts are all full and very neatly made.
At 95c.—These are the \$1.15 Skirts, and were considered good value at that price. The bottom is finished with three hemstitched lawn frills which have the effect of keeping the outside skirt well distended.
\$1.00 is the next special lot and these were made to retail at \$1.25, but as we will want the space for fall goods we are going to put a clearing price on them. Two styles at this price, one hemstitch and the other lace trimmed.
GOWNS—Three special prices in white night gowns, 50c, 70c, and \$1.00. These have all come in under the fall clearing prices. Three pretty and new designs are shown in these gowns, and the best of materials have been used.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 59 CHARLOTTE STREET.

BELOW COST!

Our Entire Stock of Summer Shirts. Sale Prices, 35c., 40c., 50c., 70c., 80c. and 98c. Former Prices, 60c., 75c., 85c. \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. These are all fresh stock this season and every one at a bargain.

C. B. PIDGEON, Corner Main and Bridge Sts., ST. JOHN, North End. THORNE BROTHERS

How about a Straw Hat, Soft Hat, Stiff Hat for Summer Wear? As you stroll along "neath one of THORNE'S HATS you are assured of the latest and best. We can interest you in Children's Straws, Linen Hats and Caps. A special lot at half price.

THORNE BROS., Hatters, 93 King Street.

LOST AN EYE. (Special to the Star.) HALIFAX, Aug. 22.—Bert Morrison, 29, of the proprietor of the Berkeley House, had an eye shot out Saturday at Dartmouth. Members of the Boy's Brigade were having a sham fight and an attack was made by the bicycle brigade on St. Paul's Brigade camp when the boys became a little excited and discharged their rifles at close quarters. Morrison received the contents of a blank cartridge in the face, disfiguring him and destroying the sight of one eye. Dr. Paul Faber, shore surgeon of the C. P. R., arrived in the city today on the noon express from Montreal. Miss M. E. McHugh, of the C. P. R. general office staff, has gone to Montreal and Quebec for a holiday trip. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., leaves St. Andrews to-night for Montreal.

Rev. W. C. Kierstead, of Rockford, Illinois, who preached the convention sermon at Truro is much pleased with his visit to Truro. He was delighted with the associations formed with the Baptist delegates. On Saturday Mr. Kierstead will be married in the Free Baptist church, Carlton, to Miss Gertrude Seely, daughter of Capt. George Seely. Immediately after the ceremony they will take the Calvin Austin for Boston. After visiting Niagara, Toronto and Chicago, Dr. Kierstead expects to resume his pastoral work at Rockford early in October.

No. 4 Company of the Charlottetown Engineers finished their work at Fort Dufferin and returned to the Island on the P. de Chene train this morning. There were twenty-two officers and men.

THE STEAMER "MAGGIE MILLER." Will leave Millidgeville for Summerville, Kennebocasset Island and Bayswater, daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 6.45, 8.30 a. m., 2, 4 and 5 p. m. Returning from Bayswater at 6, 7.30, 10.30 a. m., 2.45 and 5.15 p. m. SATURDAY leaves Millidgeville at 8.15 and 8.30 a. m., and 3, 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 8.30, 7, 10.30 a. m., and 3.45 and 7.45 p. m. SUNDAY leaves Millidgeville at 9 and 10.30 a. m., 2.30 and 4.15 p. m. Returning at 9.45 and 11.15 a. m., and 5 and 7 p. m.

Dr. A. H. Merrill, DENTIST, 109 King and Charlotte Street. Entrance: 75 Charlotte Street. Phone 1691.

ROBINSON'S Good Bread, Cakes, Pastries, Confectionery, Ice Cream, Soda Water. 173 LUNCHEONS, TEA, ETC., 173 King Street.

F. R. PATTERSON & CO. THE DAYLIGHT STORE.

Hem Stitched Linen Collars For Ladies, 15c and 18c each. ALL SIZES IN STOCK. Dr. Duke and Charlotte Sts. Store Open Evenings.

YORK THEATRE R. J. ARMSTRONG, Mgr. WEDNESDAY, AUG. 24th Midsummer Musicale BY THE MISSES Furlong & White. Will be repeated under the auspices of "Home for Incurables." Entire change of programme. Reserve Tickets, 3.00 and 5.00. Seats now reserved at Box Office.

LOCAL NEWS.

TO ADVERTISERS. Owing to the Star going to press early on Saturdays during the summer months, advertisers are asked to please send all changes to the office on Friday afternoon. The Star cannot guarantee to change advertisements received any later.

First class board at Ottawa Hotel, King square, at reasonable rates.

Good heavy soft wood, \$1.50. Broad Cove coal, \$1.50 per load. Waiter's, Walker's Wharf. Phone 412.

The Battle Line steamer Ulmora, Capt. Lockhart, arrived today at South Bay, Javis, from Shanghai, to load for Fort Sault for orders.

The enquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of the late Michael Daley will begin this evening at half-past seven o'clock in the court house.

William McMullin, who was a member of G. Co. 1st Canadian contingent, is visiting in the city. Mr. McMullin, who had the honor of blowing the "sea lion" at the Home for Incurables, is now engaged in the insurance business at Winnipeg.

The Misses Furlong and White, who gave such an enjoyable concert in the York Theatre on Thursday evening last, will repeat the entertainment in the York on Wednesday for the benefit of the funds of the Home for Incurables.

A number of local colored people will hold a moonlight drive to Loch Lomond and Willow Grove on Wednesday night. That promise to be an enjoyable outing. Great preparations are being made and it is expected a big crowd will go out.

The grocers' annual picnic that is to be held at Waiter's Landing on Wednesday, August 31st, promises to be as big a success as any registered at the Royal today. They will stay a few days and then proceed to Halifax.

A large party of American tourists will arrive tomorrow on the Digby boat and will stay in St. John Tuesday night and leave on the boat for Fredericton Wednesday morning. Over a score are registered at the Royal today. They will stay a few days and then proceed to Halifax.

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Mr. Shaw has invented many useful electrical appliances several of which are of particular benefit to the deaf. He has also invented a shorthand system and is now putting it to the test. He will probably go to Cape Breton, where he will visit Prof. Alexander Graham Bell. He is also in possession of a letter from Dr. Bell, in which he says: "It affords me pleasure to know that you are following in the footsteps of my great-grandfather, and to the best of my knowledge you are the first deaf person to pursue such a course. You are indeed to be commended, and I trust your efforts will avail most gratifying results both for yourself and the deaf."

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The boats are six feet, and five and a half feet long respectively, and their design and construction will I think, be pleasing to Mr. Harned. One is named the "Grayling," and the other the "Quail." They are being built substantially so that they may be let out with sails set in all weathers in the summer season.

The Association accept these boats, I would suggest that they be anchored toward the lower end of Lily Lake. I hope they will be ready for delivery in a few days.

Yours very truly, J. R. ARMSTRONG.

BAPTIST CONVENTION. Over Three Hundred Delegates Present at Truro.

TRURO, August 20. The convention opened this morning at 10, with President Rupert G. Haley in the chair. The attendance was over 300 and a keen interest manifested. Following the opening exercises the provisional programme was read and the nominating committee appointed.

The names of the following officers were reported by the nominating committee and by vote of the convention: President, Wm. Cummings, Truro, N. S.; vice president, Rev. W. F. Goucher, St. Stephen, N. B.; secretary, Rev. W. R. Robinson, Gibson, N. B.; assistant secretary, H. C. Creed, Fredericton, N. B.; treasurer, J. C. B. Olive, Truro, N. S.

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PERSONALS.

Fred Dorman, of Brooklyn, arrived on the S. S. Calvin Austin on a visit to his grandaunt, Christopher Dorman, Charlottetown.

Walter S. Wiggins and Mrs. J. Nelson Parisse went to Fredericton on Saturday to attend the funeral of the late Moses Brewer.

The many friends of Mrs. Hazen Brown, Sr., will learn with pleasure that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. Gilbert Odell, her son and Miss Brown, are spending a few days with friends along the river.

Master H. F. Bennett, who recently won the Parker silver medal at the U. N. B. matriculation, is the second son of J. H. Bennett, employer of the Jas. Robertson Co., Ltd., this city.

Mrs. Stone Wiggins spent yesterday in the city with her sister, Mrs. Brown, City Road, en route for her home in Ottawa. Mrs. Wiggins is accompanied by her two nieces, the Misses Nyholm and Louise Wiggins, daughters of J. M. Wiggins, of Lakeside House, Queens Co., N. B.

The St. John Star's correspondence writes under Saturday's date: William Lorimer, Mrs. Lorimer and child from Montreal, arrived at the conclusion of their summer outing at St. John, for their home, Houlton, Me. J. B. Magee, Miss Marjorie Magee, Monday, are registered at Kennedy's. Capt. Obediah Clarke arrived today by C. P. R., on a flying visit to his home. He intends to leave on Monday for Gardiner, Me., where his schooner, T. W. H. White, owned in Portland, is loading lumber for New York.

Mrs. S. E. O'Reilly and niece of Boston, who have been spending a few weeks with Capt. Harper of Lunenburg, left Saturday evening for the Calvin Austin.

J. A. Bruce of Campbellton, will leave for St. John today where he will be joined by Mrs. Bruce, who is visiting friends in Fredericton.

Miss Grace Logan left Saturday evening on a two weeks' visit to Fredericton.

Miss Jean P. Kings of Millstream, is the guest of Miss Beatrice Macaulay, Erin street.

Mr. Lewis is spending a week in Chipman, and the neighboring country. Miss Mabel Finn, who has been visiting Miss Kate Lynch in Fredericton, returned to St. John on Saturday.

Miss Elsie Crockett, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Bailey, returned to Fredericton Saturday. Miss M. B. Nuttings and Miss May Colwell of Lowell, Mass., will leave this morning for Lunenburg Island. Miss Nutting and Miss Colwell have been spending some time in St. John, and will make a tour of the Maritime provinces before returning home. Miss Smith of Halifax, who has been with the party, will remain in St. John for a few days.

Mrs. John Akery and child, who have been visiting friends in Gibson the past four weeks, returned to St. John on Saturday.

John C. Miles, A. R. C. A., who has been at Chatham Harbour, has returned to city. He brought with him some pleasing sketches of that locality.

Miss Margaret McDonald left for Montreal Saturday to spend two weeks.

Mrs. R. R. Allen left Saturday morning by str. Prince Rupert for Halifax, where she will reside, having accepted the position of matron of the Halifax Ladies' College.

Mrs. H. P. Wood returned Saturday to her home in Summerside after a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. A. Vette, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Marshall, Curran street.

Miss Grace Palmer of Fredericton, arrived in the city on Saturday to visit friends.

Miss Winnifred McNell of St. John, who has been visiting in Fredericton, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wyler and their son, Dr. Jesse S. Wyler of Cincinnati, O., who have been at Grand Trunk Road, returned to St. John on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Calhoun of Savannah arrived in the city Saturday on a visit.

C. L. Drury returned Saturday from Montreal.

E. J. Seely left for Fredericton this morning after attending the annual meeting of the Metropolitan Insurance Co.

Roy Morrison, of Fredericton, passed through the city today on his way to Halifax. Homer Forbes, who has been in Montreal for the past two months undergoing an operation, returned home today. The operation was very successful. H. L. Jordan, C. E., arrived in the city today from Montreal.

A Great Sale of New Autumn DRESS MATERIALS

At 39c.

To Begin Tomorrow promptly at 8 a. m.

See particulars in large ad. Page 3.

Morrell & Sutherland, 27-29 Charlotte St. Oppo. Y. M. C. A.

Oxfords For The Girls.

M. L. SAVAGE Fine American and Canadian Footwear.

We find ourselves overstocked with a line of fine Oxfords and Slippers in Misses' and Children's sizes—just such footwear as many a young lady wants right now. Right now is the time to buy, and right here the place, for we have all at one price—only 75c. Former prices were \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75. Your choice, this week, at only 75 cents.

- QUICK CLEAN—Selling price 25c, now only 5c, or 6 for 35c. NOVA, an extra cleaning and washing soap, selling price 10c., now 3 cakes for 5c. BEE STARCH—Selling price 10c., now 5 for 35c. RUBBER STARCH—Selling price 10c., now 5 for 35c. NIKSIS SILVER MOONLIGHT STOVING POLISH—Selling price 10c., now 5 or 6 for 25c. DIAMOND STOVING POLISH—5 cakes for 10c. CROWN STOVING POLISH—A liquid in bottles, 3 for 10c. The best Parlor Matches, was 10c., now 5c. IMPERIAL PARLOR MATCHES, was 5c., now 4c. FLAKED PEAS, selling price 35c., now only 5c. CREST SOAP, was 5c., now 4c., or 3 for 10c. CAN MUSTARD, 10c., now only 5c.

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Boys' School Suits

Now is the time to buy a suit for the boy who goes to school. A new assortment just arrived. New patterns, new styles, at prices lower than can be bought elsewhere in the city.

- Boys' 2-Piece Suits from ..... \$1.25 to \$3.50
Russian Suits from ..... 2.50 to 3.00
Russian Sailors from ..... 2.50 to 3.50
Sailor Suits from ..... .80 to 1.75
3-Piece Suits from ..... .25 to 5.50
Knee Pants, 4 to 10 years ..... .35 to 1.50
" " 11 to 17 " ..... .45 to 1.50

Montreal Clothing Store, (Opera House Block), 207 UNION ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Save Money AT OUR 10 PER CENT. CASH DISCOUNT SALE OF NEW GOODS.

Prices already low. Less 10 per cent. on every dollar spent. No difference what you buy, one-tenth off. This is an opportunity seldom given to St. John people.

FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 19 KING STREET.

BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED. We make the best \$5.00 Gold Crowns in this city. Teeth without pain \$1.00. Gold fillings from ..... \$1.00. Silver and other fillings ..... 50c. Teeth extracted without pain, 15c. CONSULTATION, The Famous Gold Method, FREE.