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in Indigestion, Debility, General Enfeeblement and the host of ailments attendant upon these maladies.

If you suffer from any of these diseases, why not commence this most successful treatment to-day - it will save you further suffering. -That's the point.

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The result of selling fine goods, is greatly increased sales.

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The Captain of the Kansas

By LOUIS TRACY.

(Continued.)

The mast drew to its close without much further talk. The American engineer was the first to rise, but the chief steward whispered in his ear; he returned to the table.

of the superheated vapor they all heard the opening of a door at the head of the saloon stairway. The third officer appeared—his wet oilskins glistening and dripping.

CHAPTER III

When the Captain Reappears.

The fierce hissing of the continuous escape of steam excited alarm in those not accustomed to machinery. Men and women share the unreasoning panic of animals when an unknown force reveals its pent-up fury.

Mrs. Baring's acquaintance with the chief features of the South American coast-line had seemingly improved. To all appearance, she alone among the passengers, now that Christobal was gone, realized vaguely the perilous plight of the Kansas.

"Brick's Tasteless"

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is an extract of fresh cod livers, containing all the virtues of fresh cod liver oil without the nauseous grease, the compound syrup of hypophosphites, nutritious extract of malt and the fluid extract of wild cherry bark.

purifies the blood.

makes the weak strong

is a specific in sore throat and lung diseases.

is so prepared that it can be assimilated without the least digestive effort.

is sold under the positive guarantee that a decided improvement will be felt after taking one bottle, or your money will be refunded by the druggist from whom you purchased it.

Can we be fairer?

Two Sizes—8 ounce bottle 50c; 20 ounce bottle \$1.00

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



FUR AND FEATHERS TRIM VELVET CHAPEAUX.

Sailor shapes are general favorites in the winter's millinery. Brims are slightly narrower than those of summer shapes, and crowns while about the same height, are somewhat smaller. Trimmings too are different.

For once pride was helpful—it saved her from hysteria.

The curious sense of waiting, they knew not for what, dulled the thoughts and stilled the tongues of the small company at the table, soon communicated itself to the stewards.

The Gomez thus appealed to was the Englishman's second-in-command; he acted as interpreter when anything out of the common was required.

The noise of the steam exhaust ceased as abruptly as it began. The ship was riding easily in spite of the heavy sea.

It was the American. He judged that the sweet voice which unconsciously led the singing of the hymn must be skilled in other music.

She looked up at him, her eyes shining. "Sing! Do you think it possible?" she asked.

"Yes. You can do a brave thing. I guess, and that would be brave."

It was a nerve-racking moment. He demanded the leadership of a strong man, and there were few gatherings in England and there were few gatherings in America which cannot produce a Caesar when required.

"I have never before heard a fog-horn sounded so continuously," said the missionary's wife, a Mrs. Somerville. "Don't you think they are whistling for assistance?"

Isobel seemed to have a premonition of evil, and she paid no heed to the effect her words might have on the others. Although the saloon was warm—almost uncomfortably hot, owing to the closing of the main air passages—she shivered.

Mr. Somerville drew a book from his pocket. "If that be so, he said gently, 'may I suggest that we seek aid from One who is all-powerful? We are few, and of different religions, but in this hour we can surely worship at a common altar.'"

"Right!" said the taciturn Englishman, varying his adjective for once. The missionary offered up a short heartfelt prayer.

They certainly were a surprised lot of doctors out Tyneside way. They had been treating Mrs. Harris for years. Gave her about everything that was ever heard of for Rheumatism—and then told her the disease was chronic.

A friend told Mrs. Harris about GIN PILLS. Just to oblige her friend, Mrs. Harris took a box. When that was gone, she consulted the doctor and bought another box of GIN PILLS. By the time these were gone, she was so much better that she bought the third box and laughed every time she saw a doctor.

Tyneside P. O., Aug. 6, 1907. I received your sample box of GIN PILLS but as there was only enough for a trial I got a box from our druggist, and now I am taking the medicine. My rheumatism has almost entirely gone, and I am better than I have been for years. I was a great sufferer from rheumatism, but it has all left me. Mrs. T. HARRIS.

The doctors can't explain it. They don't try to. They said Mrs. Harris could not be cured. GIN PILLS cured her. Proof best explanation all to pieces. Do YOU want proof? Write, mentioning this paper, for a free sample of GIN PILLS. Then you will see what GIN PILLS will do for YOU. Write now to the Bole Drug Co., Winnipeg, for a free sample.

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THE HUNTING TIME.

And now Br's Rabbit wily scoots As through the woods the hunter hoots, And all around the shrubgun shoots, 'Tis hunting time.

At home o'er books of cooking lore The hunter brings 'em—from the store— 'Tis hunting time.

Don't Spend One Dollar Until You See Our Prices.

During the month of December we will give some very enticing bargains. It will pay you to see our ad. every day, as we intend making this month a record breaker, and to do this we will be obliged to lose sight of profits Bargains for Ladies.

- LADIES' \$30.00 COATS, Black or Blue Beaver Sateen lined, Fashionable Cut. Sale price, \$20.00
LADIES' 25.00 COATS, Black or Blue, Beaver Sateen lined, Fashionable Cut. Sale price, 15.95
LADIES' 15.00 COATS, Black or Blue Beaver Sateen lined, Fashionable Cut. Sale price, 10.98
LADIES' 23.00 COATS, Newest Styles in Fancy Scotch Plaids, Sale price, 17.00
LADIES' 19.00 COATS, Fancy Plaids. Sale price, 13.98
LADIES' 15.00 COATS, Fancy Plaids. Sale price, 9.98
LADIES' 12.00 COATS, Mixed Tweeds. Sale price, 7.48
LADIES' 10.50 COATS, Mixed Tweeds. Sale price, 5.98
LADIES' 20.00 COSTUMES, Fancy, Grey and Mixed Plaids. Sale price, 12.98
LADIES' 18.00 COSTUMES, Fancy, Grey and Mixed Plaids. Sale price, 10.48
LADIES' 14.00 COSTUMES, Fancy, Grey and Mixed Plaids. Sale price, 9.00
LADIES' 12.00 COSTUMES, Fashionable Stripes. Sale price, 7.98

Ladies' Fashionable Furs, all Marked in Plain Figures. Stoles, Muffs and Throwovers, less 10 per cent. Discount.

\$5,000 Worth of Jewelry. A choice lot of Christmas Gifts, suitable for any member of a family, 20 per cent, less than the regular price.

- LADIES' 10.00 SILK WAISTS, all desirable Shades. Sale price, 6.98
LADIES' 6.00 SILK WAISTS, all desirable Shades. Sale price, 4.48
LADIES' 4.80 SILK WAISTS, all desirable shades. Sale price, 3.28
LADIES' 3.75 SILK WAISTS, all desirable shades. Sale price, 2.98
LADIES' 6.00 SILK UNDERSKIRTS. Sale price, 4.48
LADIES' 5.00 SILK UNDERSKIRTS. Sale price, 3.78
LADIES' 2.00 SATEN UNDERSKIRTS, Black, Blue and Brown, Sale price, 1.58
LADIES' 1.50 SATEN UNDERSKIRTS, Black Blue and Brown, Sale price, 1.10
LADIES' 1.00 SATEN UNDERSKIRTS, Black, Blue and Brown. Sale price, .88
LADIES' \$1.25 D AND A OR P C CORSETS. Sale price .95c.
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LADIES' 75c. D AND A OR P C CORSETS. Sale price 58c.
LADIES' 50c. D AND A OR P C CORSETS. Sale price 38c.
30c. ALL WOOL TOQUES. Sale price 28c.
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\$2.50 ALL WOOL CLOUDS. Sale price \$1.75
1.50 ALL WOOL CLOUDS. Sale price .88c.
1.00 ALL WOOL CLOUDS. Sale price .68c.
7.00 ALL WOOL BLANKETS. Sale price \$4.98
5.50 ALL WOOL BLANKETS. Sale price 3.98
3.50 ALL WOOL BLANKETS. Sale price 2.48
1.00 SHAKER BLANKETS. Sale price 1.28
MEN'S \$1.25 MOCHA GLOVES. Sale price .98c.
MEN'S 1.75 MOCHA GLOVES. Sale price \$1.25
MEN'S 75c. WOOL GLOVES. Sale price 48c.
MEN'S \$1.00 CAPS, FUR LINED. Sale price 68c.
MEN'S 1.50 CAPS, FUR LINED. Sale price 98c.
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MEN'S 1.25 D. B. CARDIGAN JACKETS. Sale price 88c.
MEN'S 3.00 FANCY CARDIGAN JACKETS. Sale price \$2.48
MEN'S \$12.00 OVERCOATS, BLACK, BROWN OR GREY. Sale price 9.98
MEN'S \$12.00 OVERCOATS, ENGLISH MELTON. Sale price 8.48
MEN'S 18.00 OVERCOATS, ENGLISH MELTON. Sale price 11.98
MEN'S 18.00 OVERCOATS, ENGLISH MANU. TWEED AND LARGE PLAIDS. Sale price 10.00
MEN'S 16.00 SUITS ENGLISH FANCY WORSTED. Sale price 11.98
MEN'S 10.00 SUITS, GOOD CANADIAN TWEED. Sale price 6.48
MEN'S 8.00 SUITS, GOOD CANADIAN SERGE. Sale price 5.48
MEN'S 6.00 SUITS, WOOL SERGE. Sale price 3.48
MEN'S 3.50 COAT SWEATERS. Sale price 2.48
MEN'S 2.00 DOUBLE SWEATERS. Sale price 1.48
MEN'S 1.25 SWEATERS, BLACK, BLUE, GREY OR WHITE, Special price 85c.
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During the month of December we will sell the \$3.00 "King" Hat for \$2. Our \$4.50 special shoe for men, sale price \$3.48.

- 50 DOZEN MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS. At 3c each
75 DOZEN MEN'S TIES. At 10c each
100 DOZEN MEN'S POLICE AND FIREMEN'S BRACES. 10c each.

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One lot of traveller's samples of Sleigh Bells, below cost to clear.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

BUSINESS REVIVAL IS ANTICIPATED

Canada is a Better Place for Investment Than the United States.

(Victoria Colonist.)

The opinion seems to be general in banking circles that the financial situation in Canada from now on will show marked signs of improvement, although the change for the better will be gradual.

It is pointed out that nothing has occurred in this country to cause hard times. The crops are not as large as last year, but prices are better and the farmers will have more money.

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The time used is Atlantic Standard.

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Steamers. Bangor Head, 1618, Port Talbot, Dec. 3. Cascares, 1538, St. Glasgow, Dec. 3.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

No Arrivals today. Cleared today.

Sailed today. Sailed yesterday.

DOMINION PORTS. Mahone Bay, Nov 28-Ard, brig Maestri.

BRITISH PORTS. Barbados, Dec 3-Sid stmr Casares (from Para) New York.

FOREIGN PORTS. Wilmington, N.C., Dec 3-Ard, sch Scotia.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS. Portsmouth, N.H., Dec 4-Sch Andrew Pe-

ITEMS OF INTEREST. It won't happen again if you send your

THE IMPERIAL SCOTS. J. H. Hamilton with his company, the

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WEDDINGS. Matheson-Johnston. Campbellton, N. B., Dec. 3-One of the

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Men's Black Overcoats, Regular Value \$7.50, SATURDAY \$4.95.

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Men's Fancy Worsted Trousers, Regular Value, \$2.75 SATURDAY \$1.98.

Buster Brown Suit, \$2.69 to \$3.50. 2 Pair English Worst Two-fingered Gloves, 25 cents

Sweaters, Mufflers, Underwear, Gloves, Ties.

UNION CLOTHING COMPANY,

26-28 Charlotte Street. Opposite City Market.

ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

BIG DAY, TOMORROW SATURDAY

C. B. PIDGEON'S BIG SALE

NOW GOING ON

EXTRA HELP HAS BEEN ENGAGED TO WAIT on the crowds expected here tomorrow, Saturday, and we expect to be more than busy.

Men's New Black and Fancy Overcoats, Sale Price, \$4.68. Men's New Fancy Suits, Sale Price, 4.68.

Men's Fleece Underwear, Sale Price, 38c. Men's Fancy Trousers, Sale Price, 88c.

Boys' Overcoats, sizes 28 to 34, At 3.48. Children's Boots, At 23c.

COME EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH.

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The Evening Times.

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THE EVENING TIMES, THE DAILY TELEGRAPH. New Brunswick's Independent newspapers. These newspapers advocate British connection. Honesty in public life. Measures for the material progress and moral advancement of our great Dominion.

A CIVIC COMMISSION An alderman who has attended one hundred and four meetings in city hall in the last six months, many of them two and three hour sittings, has said to the Times that he would welcome the creation of a commission as suggested by Ald. Frink, if a workable scheme, with the right kind of men, could be devised.

THE CHAMBERLAIN The question of the appointment of a city chamberlain is one that calls for serious attention on the part of the aldermen. The fact that a permanent auditor has been appointed does not overcome the necessity of having a competent chamberlain.

THE WAGE QUESTION A correspondent writes to the Times:—"In your issue of last evening you stated editorially that it would be a good idea if some fifty or a hundred of the longshoremen would keep a record of their earnings from now until the first of May and in the spring present a statement showing the average receipts, that the public might be in a position to pass judgment on their earnings, and leave no room for dispute."

SOCIETY PERSONALS Mrs. Beldom and her daughter, Miss May Beldom, of London, Ontario, who have been visiting in St. John for several weeks, have returned home.

As to steamship profits, if they are too great the people who provide them by paying too high a rate of freight have a remedy. The companies carrying freight through St. John must compete with others having Portland, Boston, New York or Baltimore as their winter port.

A GOOD ADVERTISEMENT Mr. Donald Innes of the Tobique is in the city today. The fact in itself would be interesting, for Mr. Innes is an intelligent farmer who has done much in the interests of better farming in New Brunswick; but on this occasion he has with him a trophy which the people of the Tobique valley will regard with unusual satisfaction. It is the magnificent silver cup presented at the Maritime Winter Fair, at Amherst, "for the most creditable showing of seed grain for the whole exhibition."

Those interested in financial panics and that sort of thing, will read with interest the following item of news sent out from St. John on November 1st, 1888, and printed in the British Colonist:—"St. John, N. B., Nov. 21.—The financial panic still continues unabated. Notes of the Falmouth (Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island) bank have been refused today. The St. Stephen bank notes are selling at 33 per cent. discount. The chance of the bank resuming payment is considered remote."

St. John society circles have been rather less active during the past week, which is due no doubt to the fact that the large majority of people are preparing for the Christmas festivities. There have, however, been several afternoon teas and numerous thimble parties, all of which have been very bright and enjoyable.

The Millionaires' Club held a very enjoyable dinner at the Golf Club this week. After the members had partaken of a tempting repast the evening passed pleasantly with excellent music furnished by Piper Ross. Among those present were William Vassie, Cyrus Inches, Hugh McKay, J. D. Pollard Lewin, Stanley Emerson, Fred Crosby, T. McKay Stewart, Mr. Reid and others.

The members of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce were informally entertained at dinner on Thursday evening by the manager, F. B. Francis. Miss Barker was hostess at a very enjoyable sewing bee at her home, Mount Pleasant last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. Z. Earle entertained a large number of her friends at a most delightful afternoon tea at her home, Hazen street, yesterday afternoon. The Golf Club was the scene of a very delightful function on Saturday last when the members of the Knot Club held their annual dinner after a putting match on the grounds which resulted in a victory for E. A. Smith, who was the fortunate winner of the cup.

Stores open till 8 p. m. St. John, Dec. 6th. 1907. Today and Saturday 2 Big Days at the Harvey Clothing Sale.

Read large advertisement on Page 7. J. N. HARVEY, Opera House Block. OIL-TANNED SHOE PACS, Or "Larrigans," the Boys call them, are suitable for the rough everyday hard service that Men and Boys give them.

Men's Oil-Tanned Pacs, \$1.60 Boys' " " " 1.35 Youths' " " " 1.20

These would make an acceptable Christmas Gift, one that would delight both large and small boys.

FOOT LITTERS McRobbie 94 KING STREET

DIAMONDS. If you intend to give a Diamond Ring for Christmas, you will find a very handsome display here. Diamond Rings from \$10 up, and every one represents a saving. Call and examine.

W. TREMAINE GARD, JEWELER AND GOLDSMITH 77 Charlotte Street. Christmas Annuals. Boys' and Girls' Annuals, Chatterbox, Prize, Child's Own, etc.

Hundreds of other Christmas Books. Our display of Dolls and Toys is now about complete. Prices lowest at WATSON & CO.'S, Corner Charlotte and Union Streets.

Old Fashioned Hair Restorer. Restores grey and faded hair to its natural color. Dr. Gibson's Hair Restorer per bottle 50c. Wholesale 50c.

CHAS. R. WASSON, 100 King St. SUCCESSOR TO C. P. CLARKE. Delicious Fruit Cake. We use nothing but the best in making our Fruit Cake. A trial will convince you it is superior to all others.

THE SCOTCH DIETETIC BAKERY, 109 MAIN STREET. J. R. IZZARD, Prop. THE WHITE DAIRY, 38 Sydney St. JUST RECEIVED: 3 TONS CHOICE DAIRY BUTTER, in Tubs. Also 1 lb. Prints, Fresh Made Creamery daily. HENNERLY EGGS.

SUSSEX MILK AND CREAM CO., Limited. Phone 422, corner Water and 50-51.

We Are Prepared to supply our customers with turnips, Carrots, Turnips, Beets and Parsnips Vegetables of all kinds, Potatoes Also Winter Apples of all kinds. W. D. BASKIN, 267 King St., West

Store closes at 9 p. m. Friday, Dec. 6, 1907. We have a felt boot laced with a nice Dongola foxing toe cap, felt inner-sole. Just the thing for a gentleman to wear inside an overshoe, or all right for a cold floor. \$1.75.

PERCY J. STEEL, Foot Furisher. 519-521 MAIN STREET SUCCESSOR TO WM. YOUNG

Christmas is Drawing Near. Come and look over our Stock of FANCY GOODS too numerous to mention. All sorts of pretty goods for old and young. A. B. WETMORE, STORE OPEN EVENINGS. 59 Garden St.

OTTAWA SOCIETY NOTES. Mrs. J. de St. Denis Lemoine was the hostess at a very delightful luncheon today. The guests included Mrs. Reginald Beckett, Mrs. Robert Gill, Mrs. Crombie, Mrs. D'Arcy MacLachlan, Mrs. Leslie Macoun, Mrs. D. A. Shirres, Mrs. Drury, of Halifax; Miss Tudor Montzambert, Miss Fielding, Miss Grace Fitchie, Mrs. Barrett Dewar, Miss Dunlop of Montreal.

Mrs. John Gilmore was the hostess today at a delightful luncheon when the guests included Lady Taschereau, Mrs. F. W. E. Wilson, Niagara; Lady Fitzpatrick, Lady Grant, Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. Montzambert, Mrs. Collingwood Schreiber, Mrs. George H. Perley, Mrs. Martin Griffin, Mrs. J. G. Foster, Mrs. David Pottinger, Mrs. Hanbury Williams, Mrs. Fred W. Powell, Mrs. David Gilmore.—Citizen Tuesday, Dec. 3rd.

MY KINGDOM Down by a shallow water well I found a very little dell. No higher than my head. The hostler and the dove about in summer bloom were coming out. Some yellow and some red. I called the little pool a sea; The little hills were big to me. For I am very small I own, I made a boat, I made a town. I searched the caverns up and down, And named them one and all. And all about was mine, I said, The little sparrows overhead. The little minnows in the stream, This was the world and I was king; For me the bees came by to sting, For me the swallows flew. I played there were no deeper seas Nor any wider plains than these, Nor other kings than me. At last I heard my mother call Out from the house, at evening, To call me home to tea. And I must rise and leave my dell, And leave my duple water well, And leave my heather blooms, And all as my home I neared, How very big my nurse appeared, How great and cold she seemed. —Robert Louis Stevenson.

IN LIGHTER VEIN UNCLE EBEN'S PHILOSOPHY. "Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "um folks gets tired o' guesin' 'bout de honesty of candidates an' jes' turns in foan de one dat seems de bes' natured."—Washington Star. JUST AS DANGEROUS. New England Lady (correcting waitress)—"You should not eat with your knife. You might cut your mouth." Waitress—"Waal, I'd as lief cut my mouth with a knife as jab it with a fork."—Judge.

A STRONG SUPPORT. Three-year-old George was being carried home on an icy winter evening. Suddenly, his uncle, who was carrying him, slipped, and by a superhuman effort, managed to save himself from going down with his burden. George regarded his porter with a patronizing air, he remarked, complacently, "that you would have gone down then if you hadn't had time to hold on to."—Harpur's Weekly.

A PROTEST. A brave ship was wallowing in the waves that threatened to engulf her at any moment. Hastily the captain ordered a box of rockets and flares brought to the rail, and with his own hands ignited a number of them in the hope that they would be seen and the passengers and crew rescued. "Mid the rockets' red glare, a tall, thin, austere individual found his way with difficulty to the rail and spoke to the captain. "Captain," said he, "I must protest against this daredevilishness. We are now facing death. This is no time for a celebration."—Success Magazine.

INGRATITUDE. It was midnight, and a drizzle was falling steadily. A man shuffled along Oxford street, Manchester, England, hugging the walls for shelter. Presently he spoke to a passer-by: "Could you give me a copper, sir, to ward me out of this, or I shall lose my twopenny." "Twopenny, sir; and if I had another twopenny—"

"You can get a comfortable bed in a warm room at the Salvation Army shelter in Shapstone street for twopenny." "Salvation Army?" this was a decided snuff. "Thank you, sir, I haven't come to that yet!" It was an experience which recalls General Booth's story of the drunken woman who was carried into the Salvation Army shelter. When she recovered consciousness and was told where she was, she exclaimed in horror-stricken tones: "Salvation Army! Goodness gracious, I must get out of this, or I shall lose my reputation."—Illustrated Sunday Times.

PEOPLE OF NOTE Charles N. Haskell, the Democrat who has been chosen as the first executive to rule over the destinies of the new state of Oklahoma, is one of the strongest characters in the Southwest. While not extremely wealthy he has been successful in his business ventures and has the confidence of the business element generally. He beat his republican opponent, Frank Frantz, by a big majority.

STANFIELD'S MAJORITY Declaration Day in Colchester County Shows That Conservative Candidate Was 223 Votes Ahead. Halifax, Dec. 5.—This was declaration day in Colchester. John Stanfield's majority, as announced by the sheriff, was 223.

Stanfield and Hill both made speeches. The successful candidate left en route for Ottawa today but will not take his seat for six days.

If others have failed to give you better vision, consult me. I have given many in St. John better sight and greater comfort than they had hitherto thought it possible to obtain. I can probably do the same for you. D. ROYANER, Sclerotic Optician, 38 Dock St.

China and Glassware. Japanese China Cups and Saucers, 15c. to \$1.50 each; Plates, 15c. to \$1.00; Bone-China, 15c. to \$1.50; Berry Sets, Teapots, Chocolate Pots, etc. Special 40-piece Carlsbad China Tea Set, new shape and decoration, only \$1.95 set. New Glass Water Sets in Ruby, hite and Green, at 85c., \$1.10 and \$1.50. Special value in Rich Cut Glass. Mustel Xmas Trees, \$2.50 each. Revolving Mustel Xmas Tree Stands, \$2.50 and \$3.00 each.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE 85-86 Charlotte street. Tel. 176.

Xmas Furniture JUST RECEIVED.

We have just received a beautiful stock of useful Xmas Furniture which cannot be duplicated again. It comprises early English Furniture, China Closets, Buffets, Parlor and Music Cabinets, Ladies' Secretaries, Book-cases, etc. Select your Xmas Gifts early while our assortment is complete.

AMLAND BROS. LTD., Furniture and Carpet Dealers 19 WATERLOO STREET.

Specialty Rubbers.

We have had the Merchants' Rubber Co. to make us the following specialties, which are a great boon to the wearer. MEN'S RUBBERS, ROLLED EDGE and TOE CAP, \$1.15 BOYS' RUBBERS, ROLLED EDGE and TOE CAP, .90c. YOUTH'S RUBBERS, ROLLED EDGE and TOE CAP, .75c. MISSES' RUBBERS, ROLLED EDGE and TOE CAP, .70c. CHILD'S RUBBERS, ROLLED EDGE and TOE CAP, .60c. MEN'S RUBBERS, PROTECTED HEEL, \$1.10 WOMEN'S RUBBERS, PROTECTED HEEL, .75c.

EXTRA LIGHT RUBBERS MEN'S RUBBERS, fastening to sole of boot "Stayon", .11c. MEN'S RUBBERS, One strap clog, .75c. WOMEN'S RUBBERS, One strap clog, .75c.

The St. John Creamery, 92 King St. Apples. Choice varieties of WINTER FRUIT Arriving Daily. GANDY & ALLISON 18 North Wharf Telephone 264

FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 10 King Street.

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In High-Grade Goods, to suit all conditions and means. A great variety of different lines. All at moderate prices.

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Gauliflower, Brussel Sprouts, Artichokes, Sweet Potatoes Red Cabbage, Squash, Cranberries, Crisp Celery, Lettuce, Radishes, Parsley, Fresh from our Greenhouses every day. J. E. QUINN, City Market, Telephone 636.

Painless Dentistry ASSURED.

The Best Dentistry under the sun. Fees lower than the lowest.

Full Set of Teeth, \$4.00 Better than any \$5.00 set elsewhere.

THE KING DENTAL PARLORS, Cor. Charlotte and South Market Streets. DR. EDSON M. WILSON, Prop.

Are You Overcoated?

O chilly man, be wise! Let not grim rheumatism or wicked pneumonia claim you. This is overcoat weather. Are you overcoated? Are you prepared to grapple with winter's wrathful weather? "Delays have dangerous ends." We invite you to come to this store—to look—to buy—to bring back any garment that isn't just what you want or expected it to be.

See the black cheviot and melton overcoats at \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$22—gray and fancy cheviot, modest effects, \$12 to \$25. Blue Melton and Beaver, choice, \$22.

Note:—Last evening we advertised Prince Albert Coats and Vests at \$22; this is an error, the price is \$20.

A. GILMOUR, 68 King Street Tailoring and Clothing.

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Pieced Persian Lamb Jackets, Mink Collars and Reverses, Only \$90

These jackets look as well and wear as well, as full skinned jackets at double the price. Ladies' Fur-lined Coats, Alaska Sable Collars and Reverses, \$52.50 and \$75.00.

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TOYS AND DOLLS IN GREAT VARIETY.

We have an exceptionally well-assorted stock of CHRISTMAS GOODS: Games, Dressing Cases, Bibles, Prayer Books, Annuals, Leather Goods and Novelties of all kinds. A beautiful line of Christmas Post-Cards and Post-Card Albums. Presents for everybody can be procured here.

Lowest prices, greatest assortment at D. McARTHUR'S, 84 King Street.

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Desires to show you his Christmas Stock of TOILET SETS AND FANCY CASES AT 23 CHARLOTTE STREET.

Cold Days Will Soon Be Here,

and you will be in need of a heating stove, why not prepare for it by buying your stove now. We have in stock a large assortment that has been but a short time in use consisting of Silver Moon, Tidy, Hot Blast, Prize Heaters and others too numerous to mention; we also have on hand some good ranges in first-class order. If in need of any such goods you can save money by buying from

W. J. NAGLE & SON

Furniture, Stoves, Carpets, 148 to 154 Charlotte Street (Cor. Duke).

PUMPS.

Standard, Duplex, Outside Packed, Plunger, Automatic Feed Pumps and Receivers, Independent Jet Condensers and Air Pumps, Side Section, Belt Driven Centrifugal Pumps, Steam and Oil Separators. E. S. STEPHENSON & CO., 11-13 Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

Fire and Marine Insurance, Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., Boston Insurance Company.

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Coughs Coughing is the worst thing you can do to your throat. It inflames the tonsils and aggravates the air passages. Gray's Syrup stops a cough at once. It soothes the irritated parts and strengthens the throat and lungs. At all dealers, 25c and 50c a bottle.

Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum

Relieves Colds—Hoarseness—Cold in the Head—Coughs—Bronchitis—Asthma—Pain in the Chest—Dry Night Coughs—and permits Restful Sleep.

Christmas Supplies, Lowest Prices.

We deliver to all parts of the city. Telephone for our prices on anything needed for the Christmas Season.

- 23 Pounds Best Granulated Sugar, for \$1.00
Extra Good Potatoes per Barrel, 1.60
Seeded Raisins, 2 Pounds for, 25c
Cleaned Currants, 3 Pounds for, 25c
Pulverized Sugar per Pound, 7c., 25c
Four Pounds for, 25c
Cranberries, 3 Quarts for, 25c
Extracts, 3 Bottles for, 25c
Best Malaga Grapes per Pound, 15c
Mixed Peel per Pound, 20c
Jamaica Oranges (sweet) per doz., 20c

We have a full line of table supplies at proportionately low prices for cash. We can positively save you money and furnish satisfactory goods. Telephone 541-11.

ROBERTSON & CO., 562 and 564 Main Street. St. John, N. B.

YESTERDAY IN PARLIAMENT

Cost of Life Insurance Inquiry Presented---Total Cost Was \$100,000 of Which Mr. Shepley Got \$25,000 for His Work---Division on Amendment to Address Shows Government Majority of 39.

Ottawa, Dec. 5.—When the house met this afternoon Hon. Frank Oliver introduced two bills, one to amend the Dominion lands act in regard to surveys, and another to amend the irrigation act. W. F. MacLean is again forward with his bill providing for a two-cent railway rate and placing sleeping car companies and telegraph and telephones under the railway commission. A batch of questions were put and answered. Mr. Foster was informed that the insurance commission cost \$85,442. This did not include \$9,500 paid for printing 6,000 copies of the report. Mr. Shepley, K. C., received \$25,000 and \$1,350 traveling and living expenses; the chairman, D. B. McTavish, was paid \$4,600 with \$247 traveling and living expenses; Commissioner Kent, \$4,200, with \$1,057 traveling and living expenses; Commissioner Langmuir, \$4,470 with \$708 living and traveling expenses; Dawson, the New York expert, \$5,330 with \$1,118 living and traveling expenses.

Answering Mr. Smith, of Wentworth, Mr. Fisher said that under the act of last session three new coal storage plants were started and made applications for assistance under the act. They were the New Brunswick Storage Company, the Edmonson Company and the Morrisburg Company. Dr. Pugsley said that \$97,027 was paid on the pier at Victoria Beach, Annapolis (N. S.). Mr. Lewis, of West Huron, resumed the debate on the address. He dealt with a variety of subjects. He suggested that the criminal code should be changed in a number of instances. The death penalty should also be provided for men who went to the woods in the shooting season and shot each other. As a means of preventing railway accidents he wanted to see railway double tracking. As to the money stringency, he said that it was a little harder to get but there were no hard times from where he came. The banks of Canada were sound. While the New York banks were tumbling down the Canadian banks stood solid as the British square. He was opposed to the present immigration. Too many people were brought here and there was nothing to do for them. Some of them would not do anything if they were got it. They were brought here free and

they expected we should provide for them. In conclusion, he gave notice of a motion that he intended moving, namely: That at the next general election a referendum should be taken as to whether the senate should be abolished or be elected by the provinces. Mr. Clarke (Essex) spoke on the hog and tobacco trade in his and surrounding counties. He supported the meat inspection regulations. Dr. Chisholm (South Huron) said that it was satisfactory to have Canada negotiated in more ways than one. If the treaty was good the ministers would get the benefit and if bad they would have to take the responsibility. He proposed to show by quoting a number of items that the French treaty would be of no use to Canada. It would take some \$30 to get a horse or an ox into France under the minimum tariff. This was prohibitive. Wheat was the same as before. The result of the iron duties would be that the French people would get advantage of our bounties in securing their iron cheap. Mr. Roche (Halifax) strongly opposed the amendment. The time for a government to economize its resources was not when the country was threatened with a money stringency. That was the time for government expenditure. Mr. Lator (Haldimand) made an attack on the policy of the government generally. Referring to Dr. Pugsley, he said that the minister of public works was evidently on the inside of the deal in 1904, because he pretended to know all about it. Mr. Eison (Middlesex) wanted a non-partisan senate and rural delivery. The house divided on Mr. Cook's amendment, which was lost by 56 voting for and 95 against, a government majority of 39.

A. F. McLean, of Lunenburg, has given notice of his intention to introduce a bill seeking amendments to the shipping act. One amendment is to enlarge the present defined limits of coasting trade in Canada. Another amendment is for the purpose of increasing slightly the tonnage of vessels in which certificated masters are not required. It is said that a bill to originate in the marine department with a view of decreasing the tonnage in this respect. If such a measure is procured it will be in direct opposition to Mr. McLean's amendment. The proposed amendment contained in MacLean's bill is to abolish pilotage fees in pilotage districts when a vessel enters a harbor for refuge only.

COTTON COMPANIES DOING BIG BUSINESS

Sharp Advances in Price of Raw Material Will Not Effect Volume of Trade.

MONTRÉAL, Dec. 5.—The report received yesterday from the cotton companies of this city announcing a sharp increase in the price of raw cotton has in no way caused any anxiety among the manufacturers. The market for raw cotton continues to advance rapidly, New York prices for spot cotton today being \$2.49 against \$10.00 on Nov. 10, a difference of 13.10 cents per pound, or equal to \$8.50 per bale. On inquiry among cotton dealers here it was learned that the advance would do no harm, and would help them to continue to do a profitable business. The stocks at the mill and in customers' hands being small, prices are very firm in Canada, and more likely to advance than decline. It looks as though the cotton companies are in much better shape financially than at any time for years. This is proved by the fact that the reports for this season will show in every instance a substantial gain, with a rapidly increasing demand for both raw and manufactured goods.

NOVEMBER FAILURES UNUSUALLY HEAVY

Number About Same As In 1906, But Defaulted Indebtedness Has Doubled.

(Montreal Herald.) Insolvencies in the Dominion of Canada for the month of November were almost identical with those of the same month last year—35 in number, 143, comparing with 142, but the amount of defaulted indebtedness more than doubled, \$2,064,025, comparing with \$987,007 in November, 1906.

Two years ago there were 118 failures for \$728,415, and in 1904 the number of failures was 90 and the amount involved \$849,757. The increase was almost wholly in the manufacturing class, where 49 failures supplied debts of \$1,161,031, against 39 last year, involving \$338,023, and in November 1905, there were 30 manufacturing failures with liabilities of \$340,485. Trading failures were 88 in number and \$840,314 in amount, against 100 last year with liabilities of \$570,299, and 84 defaults in 1903 for \$370,433. In addition there were six other commercial failures with liabilities of \$359,969, against only four similar defaults last year involving only \$4,775.

The following table shows at a glance the record of failures and amounts since 1901 for November:

Table with columns: Failures, Amount. Rows: November, 1907 (143, \$2,069,023); November, 1906 (142, 987,007); November, 1905 (118, 728,415); November, 1904 (90, 849,757); November, 1903 (84, 370,433); November, 1902 (74, 280,000); November, 1901 (60, 180,000).

BRIDGETOWN NEWS

BRIDGETOWN, N. S., Dec. 2.—A heavy snowstorm came last night; today it is still snowing. Mrs. Hector McLean, who recently sold her farm, is now preparing to visit friends in Philadelphia. From there she will go to Florida, where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Dennison, of this town, left last week for southern California. Misses Hoskin and Muleany of the Via Company, spent a few days in town. GRAND TRUNK GAIN \$23,608. Grand Trunk Railway system traffic earnings from November 21st to 30th: 1901, \$1,164,440; 1900, 1,111,832; 1900, 1,111,832; Increase, \$52,608.

"Don't Neglect a Cough or Cold."

It can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the medicine you need. It is without an equal as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Pain in the Chest, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup and all affections of the Throat and Lungs.

A single dose of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will stop the cough, soothe the throat, and if the cough or cold has become settled on the lungs, the healing properties of the Norway Pine Tree will proclaim its great virtues by promptly eradicating the bad effects, and a persistent use of the remedy cannot fail to bring about a complete cure.

Do not be humbugged into buying so-called Norway Pine Syrup, but be sure and insist on having Dr. Wood's. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark and price 25 cents. CHERONIO BRONCHITIS. Mr. Wm. O'Hara, Souris, Man., writes: "Having suffered for a long time with a severe attack of Chronic Bronchitis, which could not get cured, I eventually tried your Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and I am glad to state it has given me a complete cure."

AMOS WALDRON DEAD IN BANGOR

He Was a Native of P. E. Island and Formerly Worked in St. John.

Chief of Police Clark yesterday received a telegram from Felix Quinn, overseer of the poor at Bangor (Me.), telling of the death of Amos Waldron at that town. In his pockets were found receipts dated at St. John and signed by William Baxter and Mrs. John Tait. The police learned that Waldron did not belong in St. John and that he had no relatives here but that he worked here during the summer on D. R. Jack's new building in Union Street.

William Baxter, grocer, of 71 Pitt street, was found to be the man who signed the receipts found on Waldron. He said he had rented the latter a small room and given him the key and did not know where he had gone. He understood Waldron intended starting a shoe repairing shop. Chief Clark said Waldron was rather eccentric. He said he hailed from P. E. Island. The Bangor authorities were informed that the dead man had no relatives here.

OBITUARY

Robert H. Buchanan Holyoke, Dec. 5.—Robert H. Buchanan, aged 38 years, died at the City Hospital late today as the result of taking a dose of corrosive sublimate at his home a week ago. Mr. Buchanan had suffered from melancholia but it was denied that he took the poison with suicidal intent. He was a prominent jeweler of the city and had lived here many years, coming from St. John (N. B.). He was prominent in the Masonic and Caledonian. He leaves a widow and three children, who reside at 59 Suffolk street.

Robert H. Buchanan left St. John eight or nine years ago. He had been employed in W. Tremaine Gault jewelry store in St. John. Mr. Gault speaks of him as a good workman. About eight years ago he went to Fredericton and there established himself in business and did well for a time. Prosperity not continuing, he left for the States. While in St. John his wife died, leaving him with one daughter. After some years in Fredericton he married there, two children being born of this union.

Mr. J. T. Haldenwood, of West End, is a cousin of Mr. Buchanan. George J. Worden

Queens county today mourns the loss of one of its most prominent men in the death of George J. Worden, which took place at his residence in Wickham at 1 o'clock Thursday. Mr. Worden had been suffering from internal trouble for some months and his death was not unexpected. He had attained the age of eighty-six years and his faculties were undimmed till the last.

Born in Wickham, of Loyalist descent, Mr. Worden was the leading figure in the community and his place will be hard to fill. As parish court commissioner he settled the disputes of the people and he was always a staunch Conservative. He numbered many friends in this city and elsewhere, who will hear of his death with keen regret. Mr. Worden is survived by a number of brothers and a sister in California, and three sons—R. T. and G. F. Worden, of this city, and C. H., at home. The funeral will be held on Sunday morning at the Wickham Baptist church.

C. P. R. EARNINGS

Canadian Pacific for the last nine days of November made an excellent showing, as follows: 1907, \$2,064,000; 1906, 1,770,000; Increase, \$294,000. A comparison of the gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific for the past four months is far reported with the corresponding period of a year ago shows that while the increase amounted to 17.4 per cent for July, the increase steadily grew smaller month by month until in October an increase of but 1.7 per cent was made, viz:

Table with columns: Month, 1907, 1906, Inc. Rows: July, \$7,008,374 vs \$5,967,928 (18.4%); August, 7,010,177 vs 6,175,443 (13.5%); September, 7,071,917 vs 6,348,405 (11.2%); October, 7,071,917 vs 6,948,405 (1.7%); Total, \$27,812,365 vs \$26,186,223 (6.4%).

The Canadian Pacific announces that its mileage is now 5,220, including "Soo" and Duluth the mileage is now 12,160.

SILVER WEDDING

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus MacFarlane, 312 Brussels street, was the scene of a very happy event last evening, the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. Some forty guests assembled, and presented to the surprised couple five handsome pieces of silver. The presentation was made by the Rev. T. F. Fotheringham, who officiated at their marriage twenty-five years ago. After the presentation there was another ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. MacFarlane asking Dr. Fotheringham to baptize their three youngest children. When lunch had been done justice to, all enjoyed music and dancing, the music for the Scotch dances being played by Piper Hayter on the bagpipes. At a late hour a good-bye was said after singing Auld Lang Syne.

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WILCOX BROS., Dock Street and Market Square.

Fur Lined Caps SPECIAL SALE We have secured about 400 travellers' samples of Fur Lined Caps of latest shapes. Were 50c. to \$1.25. Now 38c. to 69c. Hatty, Laflod & Hatty, 282 Brussels St.

Jewelry Gift Pieces. Choosing a gift is a difficult task. Call and let us suggest some appropriate jewelry tokens. We have an elaborate showing of everything suitable for the Holiday Buyer. Beautiful things in endless variety and design. FRANK S. ROGERS, JEWELER, Opposite Dufferin Hotel.

Special Bible Sale

We have received for immediate sale a fine edition of the

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Profusely Embellished with Full Page Illustrations LARGE PRINT EDITION Size 9 1/4 by 6 inches Full Morocco Flexible Cover with Red UNDER GOLD EDGES.

Special Price for Christmas Buyers

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This is one-half the regular price. Names can be embossed on cover in gold leaf at a small additional cost.

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Pianos FOR THE CHRISTMAS TRADE

We are making arrangements for a large December sale of pianos and organs, for the Xmas trade; and will sell our incomparable stock at special prices and terms for the occasion. Anyone wanting a piano or organ should give their order without delay, either to be delivered now or a little later. Do not fail to write or call. We also have the Victor, Edison, Columbia and Clarion phonographs and talking machines, and records; also violins and other small musical instruments.

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The general committee of the common council last evening took up the consideration of the new assessment act. The sections relating to the poll tax and the taxation of females were discussed but no action taken.

Dog's Cold Nose

is a sign of health, but warm nose means sick dog. Doctors judge a dog by his nose and a man by his hands. Folks with cold hands need

Scott's Emulsion

Cold hands often mean thin blood, low vitality and poor feeding. SCOTT'S EMULSION has warmth and vitality and feeding power in it. In consumption and other wasting diseases it feeds the blood and gives the power to produce flesh. All Druggists: 50c. and \$1.00.

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St. John, Dec. 6th, 1907.

TODAY AND SATURDAY TWO MORE BIG DAYS AT THE HARVEY CLOTHING SALE

We have decided to make Today and Saturday two days long to be remembered by Clothing Buyers who take advantage of the BARGAINS OFFERED HERE.

READ A FEW OF THE PRICES FOR TODAY AND SATURDAY'S SELLING:

Table with 3 columns: Men's Overcoats, Men's Suits, Boys' Overcoats. Lists various items and their sale prices.

Men's Pants, regular \$1.50 to \$4.00. Sale Prices: 98c., \$1.49, 1.98, 2.49

REMEMBER, THESE PRICES ARE FOR TODAY AND SATURDAY ONLY.

J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and Furnishings. 199 to 207 Union Street

NEIGHBORS TELL DANGEROUS STORIES ABOUT G. A. HORSMAN

Apparently There is Much in the Steeves Mountain Case Which Must Be Cleared Up in Court-- Prisoner Strongly Declares His Innocence.

(St. John Telegraph.) Christopher Horsman, arrested on a charge of wife murder, was arraigned before Magistrate Kay in Moncton yesterday and held without bail for examination tomorrow.

did you notice her make any movement? "No, her tongue was out and there was blood and frothy water round her mouth and nose. Her eyes were shut. Mr. Thomas Johnston, another neighbor, arrived next. He suggested she should be put on the lounge, and the two men lifted her. A pillow was put under her head and two quilts over her. Then Mr. Johnston went out to the well and Horsman got down on his knees alongside the lounge and put his hand on her throat and his arm on her stomach. He kept opening and shutting the hand on her throat. Her tongue came out and her face was purple.

collected and stood quietly leaning on Magistrate Kay's desk while the information was read over to him, when he resumed his seat. To friends Horsman said any suspicion directed against him was absurd.

HAS A WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB Winnipeg Follows the Example of Montreal in This Important Matter.

The organization of the Women's Canadian Club in this city, yesterday afternoon, is of interest and moment to this community, to Western Canada and to the whole Dominion.

Henry Boker's PRIDE A Favored Design. Curved Runner of Extra Fine Quality Welded and Tempered Steel.

T. McAvity & Sons 13 to 17 King Street. CHEAPEST STOVE STORE IN THE CITY.

HAD A STAB-LIKE PAIN THROUGH THE HEART. MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS CURED HER AND SAVED HER LIFE.

There is no one, we imagine, sets about deliberately to do injury to the heart, yet in the excitement and excesses of present-day living, the nervous system is done so intimately bound up with another, disorganization of the one means disease and disorder of the other.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS At a largely attended meeting of St. John Council, 807, K. of C., last evening, Dr. S. H. McDonald, grand knight.

People of Sedentary Habits are firm friends of Abbey's Effer-Salt. When the system gets run down, stomach upset or bowels irregular--they know that a morning glass of Abbey's Salt quickly puts them in their best vein.

Smith's Weekly Reminder. Tomorrow will be Saturday, and we'll have those delicious STEAK PIES as usual.

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HOTELS ROYAL HOTEL, 41, 43 and 45 King Street, St. John, N. B.

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Scotch Ell Soft Coal \$6.75 per Ton. Put in bin on ground floor.

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DOWLING BROS., The largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and House Wares in the Maritime Provinces.

We Are Splitting the Prices of some lines of Dress Goods and Coat Cloth for Holiday Shoppers. Fancy Tweed Suiting, 40 inches wide. Colors Greys, Browns, Navy and Myrtle, regular value, 67c. yard, now 39c. yard. Ladies' Cloth Suiting, 50 inches wide.

Unspottable Finish. Colors, Browns, Greys, Wine, Myrtle, Light Navy and Dark Navy regular value, 85c., this lot 45c. yard. New Plaid Coat Cloth, 56 inches wide, All-wool, Grey and Black Plaid, extra value at \$1.35, now selling at 98c. yard. Fancy Herring-bone Stripe Coat Cloth, Bronze and Grey Mixed, 56 inches wide, All-wool, \$1.65 value, now \$1.15 yard.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street.

"MEDICO,"

\$3.50 a Pair.

Men's Heavy Box Calf-skin Blucher Cut Laced Boots, Seamless Quarters, Viscolized Soles and Heels, Goodyear Welt, made on a splendid fitting, easy feeling last at

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Waterbury & Rising KING ST UNION ST.

Shirt Waists.

We have just placed on sale a group of the prettiest waists we've ever shown. All choice materials and patterns. Serviceable and beautiful goods. Come in and see them, as the prices will convince you THEY ARE REAL BARGAINS.

FLANNELLETTIE WAISTS, 50c., 70c., 90c., and \$1.00. FANCY COLORED WAISTS, 95c., to \$1.75. CREAM LUSTRE WAISTS, 95c., \$1.10, \$1.50, \$1.85. BLACK SATIN WAISTS, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.85. BLACK LUSTRE WAISTS, \$1.10, \$1.35, \$1.85.

Wrappers.

Wine-wrappers made of extra good flannellette, light or dark colors, well finished and neatly trimmed. \$1.10, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75.

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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1907.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. Harkins Company in "Wicked London," at the Opera House. Annual meeting of Portland Lodge, Sons of England, in their room, Simonds street. Motion pictures, illustrated songs and orchestral music at the Nickel.

LATE LOCALS

St. John Badminton Club Courts will be open for play tomorrow afternoon. Premier Robinson will preside this evening at the meeting of the Free Kindergarten workers in the High School building. Meeting of the young people of Waterloo street United Baptist church at eight o'clock.

The Cedar Moving Picture Theatre. Meeting of the Treasury Board, Johnston Lodge, L. O. B. A. fancy sale in Orange Hall, Germain street.

Donaldson line S. S. Tritonia sailed this morning for Glasgow with a large general cargo. She did not get away last night as reported.

Manifests for 20 cars of United States products were received at the customs house today to be shipped in winterport steamers.

Steamship Manchester Shipper arrived at Halifax this morning from Massachusetts and is expected to leave there tonight for this port.

The A. O. H. Cadets are requested to meet tonight at 7 o'clock in the drill shed St. Malachi's Hall. Business of importance to come before the meeting.

A special train was made up at the Union station today for St. John Point for the Allan liner Victorian for the convenience of intending passengers who had arrived in the city the last few days.

Donaldson line steamship Kestalia is due now any moment from Glasgow. She passed Cape Race three days ago, but has not yet been detained by the heavy snow storm yesterday off the Nova Scotia coast.

In aid of the Free Kindergarten there will be a children's bazaar and 5 o'clock tea held in the Church of England Institute rooms on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 7th, from 3 to 7 o'clock. Admittance 10 cents.

J. S. Climo had an encounter with a bull dog this morning at the Valley church. The animal followed him to the corner of Paradise Row and could hardly be driven off. Mr. Climo says he was told the dog was one of several owned by Mr. Cole, and in his opinion it should be muzzled.

Royal mail Allan steamship Victorian, left port one o'clock today to anchor outside of Partridge Island to await the arrival of some of her passengers from Montreal coming over the C. P. R. The C. P. R. tug Crusier will take them down to her when they arrive. The Victorian will then steam for Liverpool via Halifax.

Peter Petropolis charges two men with assaulting him in his pool room, King St. on Monday last and the case came up in the police court this morning. It appears that one man was endeavoring to teach the other defendant how to play camp dice on the floor of the pool room and Petropolis didn't like the idea. A scuffle followed and an effort was made to put the pair out. The evidence is strongest against the second defendant who seems to think Petropolis keeps a gambling house. The matter stands till 9:30 tomorrow morning.

ROYAL BLACK KNIGHTS The Royal Black Preceptory at McAdam has elected the following officers for the year: F. E. Moore, W. P. D. Boone, D. P. A. R. Mowatt, chaplain; G. T. Boone, registrar; F. N. Nason, treasurer; W. H. Rogers, lecturer; S. S. Tracey, second; J. Miller, lecturer; Wm. Christie, second; D. Stewart, J. B. Johnston, standard bearers; Geo. Pressey, purveyor; C. Hodgson, Tyler; A. R. Mowatt, D. S. Boone, J. B. Johnston, S. L. Tracey, F. N. Nason, L. Hodgson and D. Stewart, committee.

The officers were installed by D. Hipwell, P. G., and addresses were made by the new officers and Sir Knights Appleton and Hipwell. The preceptory is in excellent condition and looks forward to a prosperous year.

EVERY DAY CLUB The Every Day Club singing class meets this evening at seven o'clock.

The debate in the Senate last night on the relative importance of farmer and mechanic to a nation was heard by a large audience and was lively from start to finish. The farmer's champions were Messrs. Cother, Tait, Sheppard, Campbell and Berrie, opposed by Messrs. Withien, McLaughlin, Seward, McAvour and Belding. The three judges Messrs. Morrell, Thomas and a visitor decided that the mechanic had the best of it. Next Thursday evening the subject will be the relative merits of a tidy but cross wife and a slovenly but good-natured one, and some new debaters will enter the lists.

YORK L. O. L. OFFICERS At the annual meeting of York L. O. L. No. 3, in the Orange Hall, Germain street, last evening there was a large attendance and reports of a gratifying nature were presented. The officers elected were: Isaac Mercer, W. M.; Chas. M. Langley, M. M.; George Oldford, Chap.; F. Durfield, R. S.; George A. Earle, F. S.; Chas. Beers, Treas.; George H. Gordon, D. of G.; Thomas Nash, Lect.; E. H. McIntyre, Dept. Lec.; John Cook Tyler; Jas. Donnelly, foreman of committee; E. S. Hennigar, A. E. McGinley, N. J. Morrison, committeemen.

TRINITY CHURCH TEA The Young Women's Guild of Trinity church held a successful tea and sale in the vestry last evening. Those in charge were: Fancy table—Miss Patton, Miss Seale, Candy table—Miss Holt, Miss Dodge, Miss Ludgate. Chinese laundry—Miss Bonnie Knight, Miss Kathleen Gillis. Tea table—Mrs. W. B. Stewart, Mrs. Robinson. The room was prettily decorated. The large number who attended enjoyed a pleasant evening.

CASSANDRA CHARTERED MONTECAL, Dec. 5 (Special)—To meet the exceptional demand for second cabin accommodation by those desiring to visit England for Christmas the Canadian Pacific Railway has today secured the modern twin screw steamship Cassandra to sail from St. John, N. B., for London direct, on December 14th. The Cassandra was built in 1906, is a modern and up-to-date steamship in every respect, and the latest addition to the fleet of steamers operating between Canada and Europe.

WHITE CANDY CO. IN ANOTHER CASE

Frank Boone Fined \$2 For Encumbering Union Street White Putting Coal Into the White Candy Factory.

In the police court this morning Frank Boone, who on information of W. V. Hatfield, was reported for throwing coal on the sidewalk in front of the White Candy Co's factory, in Union street, on Nov. 26th, was found guilty and fined \$2 or four days in jail. Boone had been employed to assist Mr. Quinn in putting in coal for the White people on the day in question, and according to statements made by Mr. Hatfield, had the sidewalk so blocked that it was necessary to clear a space in order to let him pass.

Homer Forbes, who was acting for Mr. Hatfield, announced that Thomas F. White, manager of the White Candy Co., was in court and that under the by-law he could be held liable for allowing the coal to remain on the sidewalk longer than was actually necessary.

Mr. Quinn, who put in the coal for the White Company, on the day in question, stated that Frank Boone was helping him, and he (Quinn) saw him carry the coal in the shovel across—or part way across—the sidewalk and throw it in the window. In the course of his evidence Mr. Quinn said he had seen Mr. Hatfield pass along the street on the day in question and thought his eyes gave evidence of brain storm or insanity. Mr. Quinn's evidence aroused considerable amusement.

Mr. White said that everything possible as far as he knew had been done to keep the sidewalk clear while coal was being put in, and as he would have to get an act of parliament to bring it through the old burial ground to the back of the factory, and could not put it in by any other way than the one at present employed, he did not know what else to do.

Mr. White stated also that he thought Mr. Hatfield had reported him through spite, as a resident of Union street had put a whole load of coal on the sidewalk and Mr. Hatfield had not reported him.

His honor said that Mr. Hatfield seemed to be the spokesman for a number of Union street people who had also complained about the sidewalk in front of the White Candy Co's factory being obstructed by coal.

The case was allowed to stand for a week to ascertain if Mr. White can make a better arrangement for putting in his coal, which had to be done two or three times each week.

Archibald Neil was fined \$4 or ten days for drunkenness and Timothy Burke and Wm. Duffy were remanded on similar charges.

TURKEYS TO BE MUCH CHEAPER

Chances Are That Christmas Turkeys Will Be Lower In Price This Year Than Last.

"There is plenty of everything and the supply is better than last week." This is what a country market stall keeper said when asked by the Times regarding tomorrow's supply.

It was also learned that there will be a good stock of Christmas turkeys, and judging from present indications, prices will be easier than they were last year, when they were quoted at 25c. a pound, as an extreme outside figure, whereas 18 to 22 cents is the prevailing figure today.

On general market supplies retail prices are as follows: Beef 8 to 9 1/2c, mutton 7 to 14, lamb 10 to 16c, veal 8 to 16c, turkey, 18 to 22, ducks \$1.25 to \$1.50, geese \$1.25 to \$1.50, chickens 25c, potatoes 10c, peck, turnips 10c, peck, parsnips 30c, peck, red cabbage 10 to 12c, white cabbage 6 to 10c, squash 3c, lb., celery 6 to 10c. Creamery butter 31 to 34, dairy lard 28 to 30 and tub butter 25 to 27c.

WANT POWER FROM NEPISQUIT RIVER

John J. Drummond, of Londonderry, a member of the Drummond Mining Co., which has acquired the extensive iron ore deposits at Bathurst, Gloucester Co., was in the city yesterday on his way from Fredericton where he was interviewing the local government in the matter of taking power from the Grand Falls of the Nepisquit river for conducting their mining operations and for sufficient land actually necessary for their buildings. The government assured the company that anything in reason will be done to assist the enterprise.

Mr. Drummond says about 250 to 300 men will be employed when the mine is in full operation, and two years from now 100,000 to 150,000 tons of ore will be produced annually. Diamond drills will be put on the property this winter and operations will be commenced early in the spring.

PUT OUT THE FIRE

A red-hot stove, held together with wire, Chief Kerr and the chemical engine, Patrolmen Sullivan and McNamee and two badly frightened Chinamen figured prominently in a lively scene in Hum Wing's laundry in Brussels street last night. About nine o'clock, William H. Patterson, owner of the property, called the attention of Patrolman Sullivan to a stove fire in the rear of the premises, which he regarded as dangerous.

The police went in and found the Chiniks drying clothes by a feeble old stove, held together by wire, and red-hot. The patrolmen expostulated with the Chinamen, but to no purpose, and finally it was found necessary to summon Chief Kerr, who brought along the chemical engine, and the fire was soon put out. The sudden onslaught struck terror to the hearts of the Chinamen, one of whom hurriedly sought his bunk from which he was dragged by a guardian of the peace.

CAN HAVE THE BUILDINGS

All uncertainty as to whether the exhibition buildings would be available for the fair of 1908 has been removed by a letter received from the minister of public works by A. O. Skinner, president of the association. The letter, which was a brief one, assured Mr. Skinner that the buildings would not be disturbed until after next fall, anyway.

Mr. Skinner said yesterday that the situation with regard to the buildings was now the same as in any other year and that the preparations for the big fair were being pushed forward.

BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings for the week ending Dec. 5, 1907 were \$1,249,864, and for the corresponding week last year, \$1,349,321.

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Fancy Hats for Children, \$6.50. In White Felt, White Velvet, Tam Crown; white taffeta ribbon rosettes and accordion-pleated lace facing.

Children's Fancy Hats, \$3.00. Shirred Silk Crown, white satin rosettes, Eiderdown brim.

Napoleon Bearskin Hats. Another novelty for the little ones. Fancy silk shirring and satin bows.

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