

ST. JOHN STAR, MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1904.

Men's Lounging Coats For the House. HOUSE COATS AND SMOKING JACKETS.

Perhaps "comfort" coats would be a better name, for they are the most comfortable change a man can make when he returns from his business at night, and yet be dressed well enough to see his friends.

Prices: \$2.00 to \$10, greatest number priced \$3.50 to \$5.00. Other suitable Christmas Gifts are:—Fancy Washable Vests, \$1.75 to \$4.50; Full Dress Suits at \$20, regular \$25; Overcoats, Sack Suits, Trousers, Suit Hangers, two for \$25—indispensable to every man's wardrobe.

A. GILMOUR,

Fine Tailoring and Clothing, 68 KING STREET.

Come in and See Our Decorations.

In the form of low prices. Dairy Butter in crocks, rolls and tubs, at from 10c to 50c; Fresh Eggs, 25c per doz.; Lard, 12c per lb.; Ham, 15c per lb.; Bacon, 14c per lb.; Sausages, 13c; best grade Flour, \$3.50; Kent Mills, \$4.00; Corn Meal, \$2.15; Yellow Buckwheat Meal, \$2.20 per cwt.; Western Grey, \$2.00 per cwt.; Potatoes, best quality, \$2.00 per bbl.; Onions, 4c per lb.; 3 lbs. Seedling Raisins, 25c; 3 lbs. Cleaned Currants, 25c; Cranberries, 6c per qt.

R. H. OOTHER, 24 WATERLOO ST.

Watches! Watches!

The following list gives you prices on some of the leading lines of cheaper WATCHES. We have also an excellent assortment of the finer grades of movements and cases.

Ladies' Watches. 14k Solid Gold, with Elgin movement, \$20.00; Gold Filled (guaranteed 25 years) Waltham or Elgin, \$12.50; Gold Filled (guaranteed 25 years) with 15 Jeweled, Waltham or Elgin, \$15.00.

Gentlemen's Watches. P. S. Bartlett, in 20 year Gold Filled Cases, \$15.00; 15 Jeweled Waltham, 20 year Gold Filled Case, \$12.50; 7 Jeweled Waltham, in 20 year Gold Filled Case, \$10.00.

L. L. Sharpe, 25 King St.

DO your Christmas baking with SLIPP & FLEWELLING'S kettle rendered PURE LEAF LARD. DO IT NOW.

ASK your grocer to secure you a SLIPP & FLEWELLING sugar cured HAM for Christmas. YOU know whose SAUSAGE to order.

SLIPP & FLEWELLING, PORK PACKERS, 240 MAIN ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Agents Who Sell the Saint John "Star."

Table with columns: NAME, ADDRESS. Lists agents for the Saint John Star across various regions like Canada, New Brunswick, and the United States.

ST. DAVID'S RE-OPENED.

First Sermon in Enlarged and Remodeled Church Preached by Professor Magill Yesterday.

St. David's church was re-opened yesterday. Prof. Magill, of Halifax, occupied the pulpit and preached from Matthew, 13:55, to a large congregation.

The western gable wall has been removed and sixteen feet added to the main building. This additional room in the auditorium has been filled by six pews in the main aisle and four on each side, making in all 175 more seating.

There has also been an extension of sixteen feet on the end of the building, which provides room for the organ and choir. The platform space is larger than formerly, the choir loft, which is immediately behind the pulpit, being 25 feet by 15 feet.

In the church, the gallery which formerly extended the whole length, has been cut off and the seats have been placed on the platform and in front of the pulpit and is finished in mahogany shape, exposing one additional window on each side of the auditorium.

The extensions were designed and the work supervised by F. Nall Brodie, and the contractors were: Masonry, John Burley; carpentry, James Doyle; plumbing, John S. Coughlan; painting, A. G. Staples; carving, John Rogerson. The building committees are James Shaw, William Hunter, T. J. McPherson, T. H. Somerville, R. B. Patterson, Francis Roden and John Rogerson.

There is still more work to be done. It is the intention to have the new organ has been ordered but not yet ready. It will be placed on the side of the choir loft, while dummy pipes will be placed opposite to balance the effect. The organ will cost \$5,000.

The stock of dry goods in the store of Joseph Corkery, which is situated in the Melick building, facing the square, was almost entirely ruined by the fire, which was directly under the store.

Mr. Melick has the building insured as follows: \$2,000 in the Sun, with T. James & Co.; \$4,000 in the Globe; \$1,000 in the Commercial Union; \$1,000 in the London Assurance Corporation; \$1,000 in the West-Union Assurance Company.

Why Not, Indeed? (By Maurice Smiley). If more than one house was called houses.

Why don't we speak of the needles we played. Or tell of the pieces we piled? A fish that we catch isn't catfish. And the roof that we thatch isn't thatch.

Why don't we speak of a thought that was hatched. Or hear of an egg that was hatched? If a picture that's hung isn't haunted. But the man who is hanged isn't hanged.

Why isn't the song that we sing sang. Or any old thing ever thought? —Collier's for December 17.

More Baby Farms. J. B. Jones, registrar of births, found on Saturday afternoon, two more houses which make a business of boarding babies.

Large Messerschum and Brier Pipes for presentation purposes, also companion pipes, two in a case, at Louis Green's.

Chatham News. CHATHAM, Dec. 11.—The yelping sound of the pulp mill whistle is once more heard in our town, and though the number of hands employed is comparatively small, our people are hopeful for an early start in manufacturing.

Use For Luxuries. Mother—"Harold, darling, where is my next of kin?" Harold—"You mean the million-dollar case, mamma? I lent them to the poor little girl next door to skip rope with."

York Theatre. Tonight the Myrtle-Harder Stock Co. will commence their second week's management with the four-act melodrama "The Tides of Fortune," with the full cast, special scenery and mechanical effects.

French Brier Pipes, in cases, with a 3-inch amber stem, \$5c, at Louis Green's.

He—What can I do to prove my love for you, dearest? She—Well, I don't know whether there is anything in it or not, but I have heard that an absence makes the heart go home.—Chicago News.

WILCOX BROS. BURNED OUT.

Bad Fire on the Corner of Market Square and Dock St.—Loss About \$14,000.

St. John was again visited by fire Saturday night, when for two hours the fire department fought to save the four story Melick building, on the corner of Dock street and Market square, and the stock which it contained.

The fire, which broke out at a quarter of eight, was not brought under control until it had seriously damaged the building and almost completely ruined the large stock of dry goods and ladies' and gentlemen's furnishings.

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MONCTON NEWS.

MONCTON, Dec. 18.—The police at last appear to have been aroused to a sense of their duty in connection with the growing evil of saloons in which gambling is carried on.

Trouble is brewing in connection with the fire department. The fire chief and chairman of the fire committee recently sent letters to the various fire companies cautioning them against tampering with tappers or gauges in their firetrucks, or otherwise interfering with the alarm.

Referring to the Tammany mayor of New York, Collier's for December 17 says: "The old Tammany machine is given an attitude administration. They have shown ability and they have been canny in their management of things, that a good reputation might cover some large inequities."

THE LARGEST LOCOMOTIVE. The largest locomotive ever constructed was on exhibition at St. Louis, it was built by the American Locomotive Company at Schenectady, New York.

THE GOVERNOR'S WIFE. "Two men in Bala," says ex-Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, "recently had a heated argument over the question whether the wife of a governor of a state had an official title. One man contended that she should be addressed as Mrs. Governor So-and-So, while the other contended that she should be addressed as Mrs. Blank, wife of Governor Blank."

NO REASON. Claude (after a wait): "Do you know I could be waiting?" Maude (out of breath): "Perhaps you could; but that is no reason why you should expect others to do with you!"

AT THE WHITE HOUSE. "What is the matter? Why have we been kept waiting here so long?" "The doorkeeper is announcing the name of a Russian diplomat."

WATCHES. There are two kinds of WATCHES—the watch for show and the watch for use. The wise man looks for a good movement. Cases don't matter so much. A reliable movement will keep good time in a good case, but a poor movement in a little actual use even if it is in gold set with diamonds, might as well get empty cases as cases filled with an unreliable movement.

A. POYAS, Watchmaker & Jeweller, 645-647 MAIN ST.

Think It Over

by all means, before you decide where to buy your Holiday Presents.

We have many pretty pieces suitable for Xmas Gifts.

For the Older Folks: Fancy Cabinets, Secretaries, Centre Tables, Dressing Tables, Shaving Stands, Rockers, Morris Easy Chairs, Etc.

For the Children: Toy Sets, Carriages, Go Carts, Rockers, Rocking Horses, Bureaus, Sideboards, Etc.

GEO. E. SMITH, 18 King St.

IMPERIAL CROWN AUSTRIAN CHINA

In this season's very rich decorations.

The centres are faithful reproductions of the famous old English Hunting and Opaching Scenes, bordered by wreaths of Holly.

The most appropriate Christmas Gift in China.

O. H. WARWICK CO., (LIMITED), 78 to 82 KING STREET.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

Advertisements under this head, 20 words or less, 20 cents. One week, 25 cents.

WANTED—A young lady to keep books (English system) and wait on general household duties. Address: Mrs. J. A. LIPBERT, corner Brunswick and Union streets.

WANTED—A good capable girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply to MRS. D. MAGEE, 144 Elliott Row.

WANTED—Responsible man to manage an office and distributing depot for large manufacturing concern. Salary \$100 per month and commission. Applicant must have good references and \$2,000 Capital secured. Address: Supl., 223 West 13th St., Chicago.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family of two. References required. Apply 145 Princeps street.

WANTED—A man on our wagon to call on the smaller stores in St. John for biscuit and confectionery firm. One with connection preferred. Must be a good references. Address: Box, Star Office.

WANTED—Assistant bookkeeper wanted. Must be quick and accurate in ordinary office work. State salary. Address "STOCK," care of Star Office.

WANTED—An upstairs girl at the UNION HOTEL, 124 Union street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family of three. Apply to MRS. TAPLEY, 159 Charlotte street.

WANTED—Telegraph boy for general housework in small family. No wages. References required. Apply at 123 King street.

WANTED—General girl, cooks, housemaids can always get best places. Highest wages, by applying to MISS HANSON, Women's Exchange, 159 Charlotte street.

MISCELLANEOUS. VISIT QUEEN LILLA, world famous scientist Palmist and Clairvoyant. One visit will convince you she is all she claims to be. 73 Princeps street.

MRS. H. D. EVERETT, 87 Brunswick street, will continue her sale until Christmas of hand-worked Centre-pieces, D'Oyles, etc. Painted work and Christmas novelties.

SKATE SHARPENING—Fifty years experience. R. WOTTRICH, 254 Union street.

SKATE SHARPENING.—Manufacturer of Tubular, Rading and Hockey skates. R. D. COLE, 191 Charlotte street.

ART WORK SALE. Mrs. J. G. Armstrong, 125 St. James street announces an opening of art work to continue until Christmas. The sale will include decorative painting in china, oils and water colors. A choice collection of Japanese embroidery will also be shown.

LOST. LOST—One grey horse blanket on German street, between Britain and city market. Finder kindly return to 25 St. Andrews street.

MILLINERY. UNTRIMMED FELT HATS, \$5c. to \$10c. Trimmed Felt Hats, \$5c. to \$10c. Imported Veil Hats, \$2.00. MISS FYN, 67 Broad street.

BOARDING. COMFORTABLE ROOMS with board, MRS. SHANES, 153 King St., near Carmichael.

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WANTED—Work on machine or by hand by an experienced sewer. Address L. S. Star office.

WANTED—An educated young man seeks employment. Knowledgeable in bookkeeping and typewriting. Address N. P. Star office.

WANTED—A pair of strong holdalls, such as used by boys for coasting. Apply at STAR OFFICE.

WANTED—Pool players at Real Estate Pool Parlor, 145 2nd street. Come pass the door. A 5c. purchase gives you a chance for the prize given away New Year's Day. S. R. FENDELTON, proprietor.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Two houses in Lunenburg, near Presbyterian church. Terms easy. Apply W. E. DYKEMAN, 111 Elliott Row.

FOR SALE—New Home, Domestic and Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machines. Needles and repairs. W. K. CLAWFORD, 105 Princeps street.

FOR SALE—Doherty Organ, brand new, polished oak piano case, WM. H. BUSTIN, Lansdowne House, King Square.

FOR SALE—Edison Phonograph, \$10. Records, \$5c. Wm. Crawford, 155 Princeps street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a two seated sleigh, one single seat and a delivery pup. Address E. S. DIBBLEE, 20 Pond street.

FOR SALE—Ho-se, harness and gloves. Enquire 3 Ann street.

FOR SALE—1 1/2 inch auger, 1 1/4 inch auger, 1 steel square. Apply at Star office.

FOR SALE—Black Minerva Sewing Machine. JAMES W. BARBER, Torreyhouse.

TO LET. TO LET—Flat to let, unfurnished, 14 Exmouth street. New house, never occupied, eight rooms, bath room, hot and cold water, electric light. Apply SLOUCM & FERRIS, City Market.

TO LET—Flat to let, unfurnished, until next May, very cheap, at 40 Exmouth street. Self contained, hot and cold water. Apply SLOUCM & FERRIS, City Market.

TO LET—A two story building for work shop or warehouse, near 118 Princeps street. Apply to H. J. MCGOWAN, Princess street.

ROOMS TO LET. Advertisements under this head, 20 words or less, 20 cents. One week, 25 cents.

TO LET—Furnished rooms. Steam heat and electric light, from \$2.00 per week up. TURKISH BATH BUILDING, Cor. Union and Princeps streets.

FOUND. FOUND—On Charlotte street, a small sum of money. Owner can have by applying to MRS. WM. THOMPSON, 114 Brunswick street.

FOUND—The person who lost a sum of money in Robinson's store, can have the same by applying at 173 Union street and giving correct particulars and paying 50c.