

FRIDAY and SATURDAY OPPORTUNITY

We have decided to repeat our 98c SPECIALS as enumerated last week.

This is a chance to secure a lot of Dry Goods for Little Money. On account of the number of letter orders and requests to have almost every line kept until Saturday. We have decided to put no goods aside and in order to secure them it will be necessary to call and make your own selection.

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Blue Banner Flour \$7.10 bbl.
Blue Banner Flour \$3.45 bag
Quaker Flour \$3.45 bag

FEED.

Cornmeal \$1.75 bag
Cracked Corn \$1.75 bag
Middlings \$1.45 bag

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Napels at 19c., 30c., 35c. doz.
Grape Fruit 3 for 25c.
Large Lemons 25c. doz.

TEA

Try Blue Banner at 35c., 3 lbs. \$1.00.

FRESH HERRING 18c. dozen

ATTRACTIVE QUARTER DOLLAR TRADES.

6 lbs Baking Soda 25c	3 lbs Tapioca 25c
3 lbs Soda Biscuits 25c	3 pkgs. Corn Starch 25c
2 cans Table Syrup 25c	3 lbs. Laundry Starch 25c
2 cans Good Salmon 25c	4 Marguerite Cigars 25c
6 lbs Rolled Oats 25c	10 Stogie Cigars 25c
3 pkgs Corn Flakes 25c	16 California Oranges 25c
7 cakes Yerca's Soap 25c	1 lb. Best Ginger 25c
6 cakes Sunlight Soap 25c	1 lb. Best Mustard 25c

Don't Forget Our Money-Saving Prices on Patent Medicines.

Yerca's

WAS ENDORSED BY COL. FOWLER M. P. For Kings Was Anxious That Colby Secure a Contract From the Govt.

Information extracted from the Minister of Public Works in the Legislature on Thursday shows that Colonel George W. Fowler, M.P., used his influence with the Government to secure contracts for the Concrete Construction Company. It seems that Col. Fowler at the time held stock to the amount of \$5,000 in the company, which cost him nothing.

Mr. Pelletier's query and the minister's reply thereto were as follows:

Hon. Mr. Morrissey, in reply to Mr. Pelletier's inquiry:

1. When E. C. Colby was negotiating with the Department of Public Works for a contract for Concrete Construction Co., Ltd., to clean and paint steel bridges in New Brunswick, did he present a letter from any Federal member of parliament in connection with himself or his company? Or was any such letter received by the Government or any member of it from any Federal member representing a New Brunswick constituency?

Answer—Yes.

2. If such a letter was received, how was it worded?

Answer—Following is a copy of letter received from G. W. Fowler, Esq., M.P.:

Ottawa, May 28, 1913.
Hon. John Morrissey, Minister of Public Works, Fredericton, N. B.

Dear Mr. Morrissey—The bearer of this, Mr. E. C. Colby, is a gentleman well known to me and I would recommend him to you, bespeaking for him the best of possible treatment. Mr. Colby is managing director of the Concrete Construction, Limited, a corporation which is at the top of the tree in its particular line, and as I understand you are considering the expenditure of a small portion of public money looking toward the preservation of some of the bridges of the country, you cannot do better than to give Mr. Colby and his processes a trial. I am satisfied that the result will be more than gratifying to you and extremely beneficial to the public service.

As Mr. Colby is a personal friend of mine, any kindness along this line which you can extend to him will be appreciated by me.

Very truly yours,
(Sgd.) Geo. W. Fowler.

3. Was the Government or the Department of Public Works aware that George W. Fowler, M.P., held \$5,000 worth of stock in Concrete Construction, Ltd., when the contract referred to was entered into with the New Brunswick Government?

Answer—No.

4. Was the Government aware that G. Howard Ferguson, an M. P. P. in the Ontario Legislature and now Minister of Lands and Mines in that province, was at the same time a stockholder for \$5,000 in Concrete Construction, Ltd.?

Answer—No.

MAJOR W. H. BELYEA KILLED IN ACTION

Ottawa, March 24.—The casualty list issued at midnight announces St. John, second in command of the 20th Battalion, who was killed in action.

Other Maritime Province men in the list are:

Seventeenth Battalion.

Dangerously Wounded—Lieut. Hugh J. C. Geldart, Halifax, N.S.

Twenty-fifth Battalion.

Wounded—Major Duncan S. Bauld, Halifax, N.S.; Daniel C. McMaster, Sydney, C.B.

K. OF P. GRAND OFFICERS VISIT MARYSVILLE LODGE

Hugh H. McLellan, Grand Chancellor of the Maritime Province; R. B. Wallace, Grand Inner Guard, and James S. Inch, Grand Trustee, visited Marysville Lodge, No. 18, Knights of Pythias, at the regular session last night and were officially received by the members of that lodge, a large number of whom were present. Messrs. Walter McKay and Amos Wilson of Fredericton, accompanied the grand officers, all of whom were given a hearty welcome. With excellent speeches from the Grand Officers the visitors and some of the Marysville members, a very pleasant meeting was held, after which an oyster supper was served in the banquet hall, when a social hour was much enjoyed by all present. The speeches of the Grand Officers were very interesting, instructive and beneficial, showing that the K.P.s are in a healthy condition throughout the provinces.

Mr. F. B. Carvell, M.P., arrived from Ottawa at noon today and is a guest at the Queen.

DOMINION ALLIANCE COMPLETING ORGANIZATION

Meeting to be Held in Sussex Next Monday—Organizations Joining.

A meeting of the Advisory Committee of the New Brunswick Branch of the Dominion Alliance was held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms here yesterday afternoon. The field secretary, Rev. W. D. Wilson, reported on his work and on his visits to Moncton, St. John, Sussex and St. Stephen.

The work of organizing the temperance forces of the province is proceeding along satisfactory lines. The field secretary is visiting the various parts of this province and is meeting with a very hearty welcome and the earnest co-operation of the Christian and temperance people of the places visited.

Since the annual meeting of the Alliance, in addition to those societies represented at the convention, the following bodies have affiliated with the Alliance in its work:

The W.C.T.U.'s of St. John and Fredericton, the Town Improvement Society of Newcastle, the Good Government Association of Fredericton, the City of Moncton Branch of the Alliance and the Westmorland County Branch of the Alliance.

A meeting of the workers in Kinbs county is to be held at Sussex on Monday March 27th, at two p.m. for the purpose of organizing Kings county. The work of securing pledges of the electors in the different counties is steadily going on and is meeting with considerable success. The outlook is most encouraging.

Steamer Sicilian Arrives At St. John

St. John, March 24.—The steamer Sicilian arrived this afternoon after a rough passage. In addition to returned soldiers she also brought 130 British naval men.

BOARD OF TRADE

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a bill similar to that promoted by the City of St. John, under the provisions of which unsanitary buildings may be closed or removed.

STOCK MARKET

(Quotations by J. M. Robinson & Sons, Bankers and Brokers, Queen St.)

New York

Smelters	101 1/4
Tobacco	194
Crucible	88 1/2
Erie	38 3/4
Ken Copper	56 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	107
Pennsylvania	56 1/2
Studebaker	144 1/2
St. Paul	95
Union	134 1/4
U. S. Steel	85 1/2
Westinghouse	66
Wool	51 1/2

Montreal.

Ames pfd.	71 3/4
Cedars	75 1/4
Cement	54
Dom. Iron	45 1/4

GOVERNOR'S DINNER.

His Honor the Lieut. Governor gave a dinner for members of the Legislature at the Queen Hotel last night. McKnight's Orchestra furnished music during the evening. Those present were His Honor the Lieut. Governor, Mr. Donald Munro, M.P.P., Mr. B. F. Smith, M.P.P.; Dr. H. I. Taylor, M.P.P.; Mr. R. W. Grimmer, M.P.P.; Dr. Bourque, M.P.P.; Mr. George B. Jones, M.P.P.; Mr. W. R. Allain, M.P.P.; Mr. F. D. Swim, M.P.P.; Mr. H. W. Woods, M.P.P.; Mr. A. R. Slipp, M.P.P.; Mr. D. A. Stewart, M.P.P.; Capt. L. P. D. Tilley, M.P.P.; Mr. C. B. Lockhart, M.P.P.; Mr. P. Grannan, M.P.P.; Mr. W. F. Humphrey, M.P.P.; Mr. T. B. Carson, M.P.P.; (Mr. T. J. Carter, M.P.P.; Mr. P. G. Mahoney, M.P.P.; Mr. J. K. Finner, M.P.P.; Dr. O. E. Morehouse, M.P.P.; Capt. H. P. Osborne, A.D.C.; Lieut. F. deL. Clements, A.D.C.; Mr. J. B. Dickson, P.S.

THE BIG FIGHT WILL START ABOUT 9.30 P. M.

New York, March 24.—If the State Boxing Commission adheres to its announced plan of requiring the promoters to put on at least three four-round bouts and one six-round contest before the big fight Saturday evening, the management has stated that it will stage the opening contest at 6.30 p.m. This plan will bring Jim Savage and Battling Levinsky into the ring for the semi-final of ten rounds about 8.30 p.m. and the main bout one hour later.

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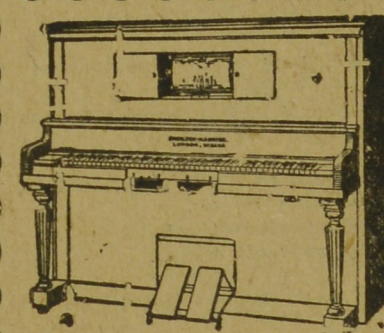
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HAVRE, France, March 23.—The Norwegian steamer Koinig has been torpedoed without warning in the Channel, according to a report received here. The crew was saved. Available shipping records show no steamer Koinig.