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St. Mary's Departmental Store.

S. Herbert Logan, Manager, - St. Mary's, N. B.

XMAS, 1905 Useful Gifts

Selecting gifts for Christmas is always more or less of a puzzle. This Store will solve many questions. Besides our usual lines we have a large variety of fancy goods, also toys, games and books for the children.

Tuesday, Dec. 4th.

FOR MOTHER OR GRAND-MOTHER.

A nice heavy shawl or traveling rug.			
Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
\$1.40	\$1.09	\$2.75	\$2.29
1.75	1.39	4.25	3.79
2.00	1.59	4.50	3.89
2.25	1.89	4.75	3.99
2.50	1.99	5.00	4.39

TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS.

Five only assorted colors and sizes.	
Reg.	Tues.
\$1.50	\$1.19
1.25	.99
Two sizes, 6x4; three sizes, 8x4.	

ALL WOOL BLANKETS.

A bargain at regular price and a large assortment to choose from.			
Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
\$2.50	\$1.89	\$4.50	\$3.89
3.00	2.39	3.50	2.79
3.75	2.99		
Full size and weight.			

SHAKER BLANKETS.

One dozen only white and grey, 10 by 4 and 11 by 4, will be offered at a very low price. Positively only one dozen on sale.

CARRIAGE ROBES.

A nice heavy robe for this time of year. Only a few at these prices. Reg. \$1.25; Tues. \$.89. Reg. 1.35; Tues. 1.09.

HANGING LAMPS.

Two only Ruby Hall lamps	
Reg.	Tues.
\$2.60	\$1.79
Two only White Hall lamps	
Reg.	Tues.
\$2.25	\$1.59

SILK WAISTS.

The newest out. Two only each of Brown, Blue, Black and White. Reg. \$3.00; Tues. \$2.39. Reg. \$3.50; Tues. \$2.89.

DRESS GOODS.

A fortunate purchase has put us in possession of a splendid range of dress goods in fancy Lustres, Voiles and Satings. These were bought at a price which enables us to sell them below the price which other dealers paid for them. Look for them on Tuesday.

LADIES' WRAPPERS.

Kennebunk Wrappers in all sizes and newest makes.			
Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
\$.95	\$.69	\$1.95	\$1.29
1.40	.99	2.25	1.69
1.50	1.09		

BIG COSY COMFORTABLES.

One for every bed is needed at this time of year.			
Down-Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
\$7.50	\$6.29	\$1.50	\$1.09
6.00	4.59	1.90	1.39
		2.35	1.99
		3.50	2.89

RUGS AND MATS.

A large assortment of Rugs and Door Mats, including all the different makes at prices it will pay you to investigate. Space does not permit of prices.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Men's Kid Goodyear Welt Bala, wool lined and felt soles, reg \$4.00. Tues \$3.35. Men's Felt Boots, reg \$2.50, Tues \$1.99. Ladies' Felt Bala, reg, \$1.65, Tues \$1.33. Ladies' High Felt Bala, reg \$2.00 Tues \$1.43. A large assortment of felt and cloth slippers for ladies and children. 15c., 20c., 30c. and 65c.

Anything and Everything at
St. Mary's Departmental Store
ST. MARY'S, N. B.

Xmas Perfumes

Some in fancy bottles. Some in bulk sold by the ounce. Some the old stand-by known the world over.

C. FRED. CHESTNUT,
APOTHECARY,
Fredericton, - N. B.

OPERA GLASSES.

We have a beautiful assortment of the above goods for the Holiday Trade in White, Oriental and Smoked Pearl, also some good quality of Field Glasses.

Prices from \$4.00 to \$17.00.

F. E. BLACKMER,

JEWELER,
290 Queen Street.

Short distance below Post Office, opposite Officers' Quarters.

A POLITICAL OVERTURN.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman Summoned to London to Form a Liberal Government.

BALFOUR EXPECTED TO RESIGN THE PREMIERSHIP THIS AFTERNOON.

Some of the Prospective Ministers.

London, Dec. 4.—(Special).—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the prospective Liberal premier, arrived in town today from Scotland, and Liberal statesmen are hurriedly summoned from all parts of the kingdom to confer with him, presumably on the composition of the new cabinet. John Morley, James Bryce, Herbert Asquith, Sir Edward Grey, Herbert Gladstone, all of whom are believed to be slated for secretaryships, were closeted with Sir Henry.

The expectation is that Mr. Balfour will have resigned and Sir Henry will have been invited to form a cabinet before King Edward leaves town this afternoon.

A BLOODY AFFRAY.

Seventy Men Killed and Three Hundred Wounded in Clash Between Mutineers and Loyal Russian Soldiers.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—(Special).—A despatch to Lokal Anzeiger, from Kiev via Podwoloczysk, Dec. 3, noon, says the company from Ponton battalion mutinied today, and fully armed, marched through the streets trying to persuade other troops to join in. Only an engineer corps did so.

The mutineers, then 2,000 strong, continued their march and two hundred cossacks were sent to prevent their advance but General Drake, to prevent bloodshed, subsequently withdrew the cossacks and permitted the mutineers to pass.

General Drake made repeated and kindly efforts to persuade the mutineers to abandon their foolhardy course and part of them had complied when Governor General Suchomiloff telephoned an order for energetic measures to be taken against the mutineers and that they be fired upon at the first opportunity.

The mutineers halted before the barracks of the Azoff regiment, which was called upon to join the marchers.

During the demonstration at Barracks several mutineers fired, wound-

ing an officer and two or three soldiers. The troops then fired upon the mutineers, who returned the fire and fled, after several more volleys from the troops.

The casualties on both sides were about 70 dead and 300 wounded. Two hundred mutineers surrendered. Warsaw, Dec. 4.—A meeting of the league of leagues is expected to be held today at St. Petersburg where a project for a constitutional assembly will be adopted and a demand for acceptance will be made on Premier Witte.

The league will wait for an answer until Wednesday, and in case the government refuses to grant the demand it is understood the league is resolved to act independently in accordance with what it declares to be the wishes of the people.

The Jews of Warsaw today are mourning for the victims of the massacres. Shops are closed and services are being held in the synagogues.

According to official information, massacres of Jews occurred in one hundred and thirty localities of Russia.

UNIVERSITY OF N. B.

The University, Dec. 4th. Our Christian Association meeting on Sunday afternoon was not very largely attended, nevertheless Mr. Girdwood's address was very good.

The first trial for the intercollegiate debating team will be held in the college library this evening at 7.30 before Dr. McDonald, Mr. J. D. Phinney and Mr. R. B. Hanson. There will be twelve speakers, of whom the six best will be chosen and at a later date they will debate before the same judges and the three best will be chosen as the regular debating team for this year, while the other three will be the opposition team in all contests previous to the debate which will take place with Acadia University in March.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Dec. 4.—(Special).—The stock market quotations today were as follows:

Dominion Coal, 77½, 77½, 77½.
Dominion Iron & Steel, 20½, 20, 20.
Dominion Iron & Steel preferred, 68.
Nova Scotia Steel, 68, 68, 68½.
C. P. R., 173½, 172, 172½.
Twin City, 114, 114, 114.
Montreal Power, 89½, 88½, 88½.
Rich. & Ont., Nov., 68½.

AFTER SOCK'S SCALP.

Mr. J. W. Gerow, livery stable keeper, has instituted proceedings against Stephen Sockbasin, an Indian, charging him with perjury. Mr. Gerow claims that Sock's gin story, which he related in the police court a few days ago, was calculated to injure his (Gerow's) reputation and character. It is understood that the case will be tried before Squire Peters, Col. Marsh will deliver judgment in the Indian liquor case tomorrow morning.

AN OCEAN TRAGEDY.

Barge and Six Men Lost Off the Nova Scotia Coast.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 4.—The Dominion Coal Company's tug D. H. Thomas, Captain Cann, arrived in port about 10 o'clock Saturday night from Louisburg and reported that she left the Cape Breton port for Halifax on Tuesday last with the big barge Rembrandt and that during a terrific gale early Wednesday morning 25 miles off Liscombe, the barge became disabled and soon after the big thirteen inch hawser, with which the barge was being towed, snapped and the Rembrandt disappeared from view.

When morning broke there was no sign of the helpless barge and the tug cruised about for some time in the hope of finding her, finally putting into Isaacs Harbor for some slight repairs, after which she came to Halifax to report her loss.

The tug went to sea again yesterday to continue the search and the company's steamer Coban, from Yarmouth for Louisburg, was intercepted off the harbor yesterday by pilots and given instructions to also search for the barge.

It is feared that being unmanageable and drifting on a lee shore, the barge could stand but little chance and was doubtless dashed to pieces somewhere on the coast and that all on board perished.

The Rembrandt was in charge of Capt. Aker and the others on board were Mate Boudret, Steward James Fongelle, Seamen V. Landry, W. Stone and McDonald. She is 1,413 tons register, was built at Kennebunk, Me., in 1876. She had on board a full cargo of coal.

Capt. Carlon, Lister and Nagle are among the permanent force officers writing in the promotion examinations at Kingston.

THE ST. JOHN SENSATION.

Said that Miss Clarke Made Ante-Mortem Declaration.

INQUEST OPENS THIS EVENING.

It is believed that a leading feature of the inquest into Edith P. Clark's death, in connection with which case Dr. E. A. Preston is under arrest at St. John, on suspicion of malpractice and Howard D. Camp on suspicion of counselling such, will be an ante-mortem statement made by Miss Clark, in which, it is reported, appears the name of Dr. Preston. The statement, it is understood, was made in the presence of Dr. J. H. Scammell and Dr. W. F. Roberts, and Misses Maxwell and Muir, Victorian Order nurses.

The inquest will be opened at 7 o'clock this evening by Coroner D. E. Berryman, and the sessions will be open to the public. Solicitor General Jones will be on hand from Woodstock to represent the crown.

The funeral of Miss Clark was held at 10.30 o'clock on Saturday morning from her late home, Adelaide street. Rev. R. P. McKim officiated, and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery. There were very many present.

Thomas Burns, secretary of the board of health, said last night that as yet the board had not been furnished with a certificate of death, but

that permission for burial had been given through the fact that Coroner Berryman had furnished the board with his warrant. Secretary Burns added that the board would be made acquainted with the cause of Miss Clark's death after the holding of the inquest.

It is understood that the body of Miss Jennings, whose death as being caused by septicaemia was certified to by Dr. Preston will likely not be disinterred for the reason that not sufficient evidence is at hand and there is a feeling that, unless the parents request it, there should be no disinterment. On the other hand however, there are those who hold that this should be done. It is not likely, though, that the case of Miss Jennings will be followed further at present, if at all.

In reference to the statement reported to have been made by Miss Clark, it has been reported this was taken down in writing. Besides this feature of the inquest there will likely be evidence of the doctors, nurses, Mr. and Mrs. Clark and others. Probably two or more sessions of the inquest will be necessary.

ONTARIO TORY SPOILSMEN.

Toronto License Inspectors Received Only Twenty-four Hours Notice of Dismissal.

OTHER LIBERAL HEADS TO FALL INTO THE BASKET.

Toronto Globe.—Mr. Thos. A. Hastings received yesterday the official notification of his dismissal as chief and that of Messrs. J. J. McConvey and A. E. Hacker as assistant license inspectors for the city of Toronto.

The order goes into effect today, Mr. Hastings, who has served for twenty years in the position, and his assistants, thus being dismissed on twenty-four hours' notice. The notice instructs Mr. Hastings to hand over to Mr. W. L. Purvis, the new chief inspector, the books, papers and keys of the office.

Accompanying the notification was a copy of the order in Council making the changes and fixing the salaries of the new men at the same rate as those of their predecessors, namely, \$2,000 per year for the chief and \$1,400 for the assistant inspectors. No reasons are given, either in the notification or the order, for the changes.

HON. MR. HANNA EXPLAINS.

Hon. Mr. Hanna, the Provincial Secretary, who is responsible for the administration of the license branch, made the following statement yesterday in regard to the dismissal of the Toronto license inspectors and the subsequent developments relating thereto:

"Since my return from New York today at noon I have not had opportunity to run through much of what has appeared in the papers for two or three days with regard to the removal of the inspectors. It occurs to me, however, that when the commissioners were giving their statement to the press they omitted some very material facts. I think it is very material to an understanding of their motive in resigning to state that their resignation was signed and sent in to the Government by the old inspectors were removed or their successors were appointed or their names known to the commissioners. The resignation followed immediately upon a personal communication from me to the Chairman of the commission indicating to him what the Government intended to do. This communication did not name the new inspectors. If the letter of resignation had been given to the press in full it would have shown to the public at once what I have intimated above. Following is the letter in full:—

"Toronto, Nov. 27, 1905.
Hon. W. J. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, Parliament buildings, city.

"Dear Mr. Hanna.—The Chairman of the Board of License Commissioners has submitted to us as a board your letter of the 25th, and we view with deep regret the course which you advise us the Government has decided upon taking. We are unanimous in our judgment that the proposed action at this time is a direct reflection on the work of the commissioners, and they are compelled to discontinue to act as commissioners when they have lost the support of the Government in the impartial and non-partisan administration of the law. Yours faithfully, (Signed) J. W. Flavell, J. I. Davidson, J. A. Murray."

LICENSE DEPARTMENT CLERK DISMISSED.

It was announced yesterday that Mr. Robert Mahood, a clerk in the license department's office at the Parliament buildings, had been dismissed on the ground of active partisanship. The official statement is to the effect that Mr. Mahood entered the civil service as a guard at the Central Prison in April, 1898, in March or April of 1902 he resigned, and on July 15 of the same year was appointed a clerk in the license branch. The evidence of responsible men, it is said, is to the effect that Mr. Mahood took an active part in the Provincial elections of 1898 and 1902, and in the Dominion elections of 1904. In the latter campaign the evidence was that he was an active worker in West Peterboro' on behalf of the Reform candidate.

Mr. Mahood's own statement is that he was discharged on allegations that he took part in the last Provincial general elections. This he denies. He says he never left Toronto during the campaign and was so busy with his official duties on polling day that he had no time to vote.

MORE HEADS TO FALL.

The factory inspectors and several Osgoode Hall appointments are said to be the next positions to be thrown to the office-hunters of the city. The two female factory inspectors are said to be especially marked for slaughter, and five positions at Osgoode Hall are also alleged to be on the list of appointments to be rendered vacant almost immediately. There are going to be fierce fights for important positions at the Parliament buildings, and the only way in which Mr. Whitney has been able to hold some of the office-hunters at bay has been by calling in the rural members, who are strongly protesting against Toronto having all the so-called fat appointments which are said to be about to be vacated.

ENGINEER BARBOUR

Will Explain Sewerage Plans to City Council This Evening.

Engineer Frank A. Barbour of Boston, who was engaged by the city council some time ago to prepare plans and specifications for a complete system of sewerage, arrived here by the noon train today and is a guest at the Queen. He announces that his task has been completed and that he has the plans and specifications with him, and will lay them before the city council at a committee meeting this evening. Mayor McNally states that if Engineer Barbour's plans are satisfactory, the city council will at once invite the tenders for the installation of a sewerage system. His Worship expects to sign a contract for the work before his term of office expires next March.