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St. Mary's Departmental Store.

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

For TUESDAY Nov. 14

Will be the best bargain day yet. Last Tuesday was a record day for attendance. The offerings for this coming week are especially conducive to large attendance. Come early. Small quantities sell out quickly in some lines.

BIG COSY COMFORTABLES.

One for every bed is needed at this time of year—warmth, lightness, appearance their strong points.

Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
Down, \$7.50,	\$6.29,	\$1.90,	\$1.39
" 6.00,	4.59,	2.35,	1.89
" 1.50,	1.09,	3.50,	2.89

LADIES' SKIRTS.

Good assortment, up-to-date goods, latest makes.

Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
\$8.00,	\$6.29,	\$3.50,	\$2.59
7.50,	6.09,	3.00,	2.39
6.50,	5.29,	2.50,	2.09
5.50,	4.29,	2.35,	1.89
4.50,	3.69,	1.50,	1.19
4.25,	3.49,		

WRAPPERETTE.

The balance of our stock—a good assortment.

Reg.	Tues.
15c	12c
10c	8c
8c	7c

DRESS GOODS.

An up-to-date stock, latest goods, regular prices always low.

A few Hawsen all wool tweeds in dress lengths.

Reg.	Tues.
\$1.35	\$1.95
1.50	1.19

Colors are light medium and dark grey, brown, blue, green and black.

BEAVER.

Another fortunate purchase makes the offer possible. Good value at \$1.40.

Reg.	Tues.
\$1.15,	93c.

WAISTINGS.

Just a few pieces left.

Reg.	Tues.
55c.	42c.

CHIFFON BROAD CLOTH.

In blue, brown and black.

Reg.	Tues.
\$1.50,	\$1.19.

MIXED TWEEDS.

Suitable for ladies' wear, 44 in. wide.

Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
90c.	67c.		
75c.	57c.		

ALL WOOL BLANKETS.

Reg.	Tues.	Reg.	Tues.
\$3.50,	\$2.79,	\$3.00,	\$2.39
4.50,	3.89,	2.50,	1.89
3.75,	2.99,		

McCALL'S N. Y. PATTERNS.

St. Mary's Departmental Store

ST. MARY'S, N. B.

Chestnut says

You wouldn't use bad butter, neither should you take foul-tasting mixtures called Cough Cures. Children all like my White Pine Cough Syrup.

308 QUEEN ST.

Our stock for this

XMAS

Will exceed that of any previous year. In all the different lines of goods you will have a great variety to choose from. We are now busy getting the goods marked and placed for the Xmas trade.

F. E. BLACKMER,

JEWELER,

Short distance below Post Office, opposite Officers' Quarters.

DISASTROUS ALBANY FIRE.

Myers Company Whose Building Collapsed Last Summer Have Their Stock Consumed.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 15.—(Special)

Fire totally destroyed the stock of one of the two temporary stores of the John G. Myers Company, which they occupied after the collapse of their building last August, when thirteen persons were killed and upwards of thirty injured. The Myers people say their loss will exceed \$250,000.

The building was owned by Estate A. B. Vangasbeck, and is practically a total loss, upwards of \$30,000.

The fire, early threatened the entire block, and called out the whole fire department, but it was practically confined to the building in which it started. The fire began in the sub-cellar, from some cause not ascertained.

The Myers Co., have a second store on South Pearl street, but its heaviest stock was in the store burned last night. Their special Christmas supplies were not yet in hand, but the fire is a heavy blow to the company, through the loss of the holiday trade.

STATION AGENT DEAD.

Arthur Atkinson of the I. C. R. Service, Succumbed to Pneumonia.

Moncton, Nov. 15.—(Special)—Mr. Arthur Atkinson, I. C. R. operator and station agent, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Wm. Atkinson, at Shediac, last night, after an illness of a few days from pneumonia.

Deceased was night agent at Calhoun's for some time, but recently had been promoted to day agent at

Evans. He worked only one day in his new position when he was taken ill.

Deceased was a brother of Wm. Atkinson, I. C. R. driver of Sydney, also of Fred Atkinson, drug clerk, formerly with A. E. Holstead, Moncton. Two other brothers survive. He was thirty-three years old, unmarried, and a son of the late Captain Wm. Atkinson of Shediac.

CRIMINAL AUTOMOBILISTS.

Clergyman Uses Strong Language in Denouncing Them.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—(Special)—Rev. Father P. J. McDonnell of St. Helen's, Roman Catholic church, ended a most stringent action against "Automobile Criminals," made at the West Park board yesterday in declaring that a man would be justified in killing a "Criminal Autoist," who crushes out his life.

Father McDonnell's appeal was made to a delegation of church mem-

bers, property owners and aldermen, who appeared before the Park board and presented a petition which asked that radical action be taken against autoists.

"That is strong doctrine to preach, but radical action is needed in dealing with these criminals," said Fr. McDonnell. "We say there is a power in this community which is not now used, therefore it is lawful for a man to act in self defence."

THE INSURANCE FRAUDS.

New York, Nov. 15.—James Hazer Hyde, former first vice-president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, whose resignation followed the sensational disclosures last spring, which led to the investigation of the company, was the witness yesterday.

Mr. Hyde's attitude on the stand was one of composure and deliberation and his replies to questions from counsel was calm, deliberate and quick, and cleared up many points that have been in the dark.

Mr. Hyde was called to the stand shortly after the session opened yesterday morning and he was under examination all day until a few minutes before adjournment was taken. In anticipation of his presence as a witness there was a greater crowd than has attended the sessions of the committee for some time and extra police were stationed in the corridors without the committee room.

Sensational testimony was given by Mr. Hyde concerning former Governor O'Dell and Mr. Harriman, relative to the settlement of Mr. O'Dell's suit against the Mercantile Trust company's hands held by him.

Mr. Hyde said that Mr. Harriman called him and advised the settlement of O'Dell's suit, as he feared that otherwise powerful influence would be invoked in retaliatory measures. Mr. Harriman suggested that the revocation of the charter of the Mercantile Trust Co. might be one of measures. Mr. Hyde knew of no actual steps that were taken nor any bill that was introduced, but he was beset with rumors on the subject. The Equitable, he said, was not implicated beyond the connection he had with the trust company.

Mr. Hyde said the suit was settled by paying Mr. O'Dell about \$75,000.

Charges of conspiracy to get him out of the country were made by Mr. Hyde against Henry Frick and E. H. Harriman in connection with the reported aspirations of Mr. Hyde to become ambassador of France. He said Mr. Frick inspired the idea. Mr. Hyde said he took it as a joke at first, but when Mr. Frick brought it up later he was flattered and both Mr. Harriman and Mr. Frick promised to use their influence to secure the appointment. Again, Mr. Hyde grew bitter in his explanation of the extraordinary interest these gentle-

men had in his absence from the country.

Mr. Hyde charged Mr. Frick with breach of faith in leading him to believe that the Frick investigating committee was "friendly" to him and was doing all he could to dissuade him from selling his stock at the same time, as Mr. Hyde said, "doing everything he could to knife me and destroy the value of that stock."

Mr. Hyde was excused until tomorrow, when his examination will be resumed.

Mr. Hyde was the next witness. He testified that he was twenty-nine years old and became second vice-president of the Equitable one month after graduating from Harvard. He had always been brought up to believe that his life work was to be the legitimate successor of his father, the founder of the equitable. He had travelled and studied with that object in view. His father had instilled into him his views on life insurance. He was a director of the company two years before he graduated. From his earliest youth he had lived in a life insurance atmosphere and had expected to make it his life work.

During his father's illness James Alexander turned over to him little by little matters of detail. He did not receive a salary upon his first connection with the company. He was offered a salary, but declined. The president and various members of the executive committee then suggested that as he had qualified himself by two years' work he should have a salary, and President Alexander in 1900 fixed it at thirty thousand dollars. Mr. Alexander asked if this was agreeable to him (Hyde). In 1902 General Louis Fitzgerald resigned as chairman of the finance committee, and Mr. Hyde was appointed to the chairmanship. For the added responsibilities falling on Mr. Hyde his salary was advanced to seventy-five thousand dollars. His duties constantly increased in the various departments, and in 1903 his salary was made one hundred thousand dollars, at which it remained until his resignation last spring. The witness never spoke to any of the officers or members of the executive committee or in any way suggested an increase in his salary.

INJURED HUSBAND'S REVENGE.

Put Two Bullets Into the Man Who Had Ruined His Home.

Seattle, Nov. 14.—George Beede,

bartender in the Hotel Seattle bar, son of the late Geo. K. Beede, and descendant of a pioneer family, last night shot and dangerously wounded Roy E. McDonald, proprietor of the cigar stand at the entrance of the Lumber exchange building, because McDonald, he alleged, had ruined his home by inducing Mrs. Beede to be untrue to her husband. With the smoking revolver still in his hand, Beede surrendered himself to Police-man Humes and was placed under arrest. Mrs. Beede, who was in McDonald's company when he was shot, was also taken into custody. She was taken to the home of the police matron and her husband was locked up in the city jail. This morning Beede was removed to the county jail.

McDonald, the wounded man, was hurried to the Providence hospital, where Dr. Buckley found he had been shot twice, both times in the back. One bullet passed through the liver and went clear through the body.

Beede shows no regret for the crime committed. He frankly admits his crime. When told that his victim would probably die, Beede showed no concern. He was cool all the time. He had the appearance of one who thought he had committed a good act. That Beede deliberately planned to kill McDonald seems to be well established. It is further known that Mrs. Beede was aware that her lover and her husband would meet, although she did not expect a shooting affray.

The intimate friends of the parties concerned in the tragedy have known for a long time that Mrs. Beede and McDonald have been meeting secretly. In fact, their meetings were so often that it came to be common talk. Beede loved his wife devotedly. A few days ago Beede was made familiar with the real facts of the case. He unbraided his wife, and weepingly she confessed her sin to him and promised to do better in the future. Mrs. Beede and McDonald had a

previous engagement to meet last night. She asked her husband what she should do. She said if she did not keep the engagement that she feared McDonald would do her bodily harm. Beede advised his wife to keep the appointment, and then planned the meeting where he would be able to get revenge he had sought. Beede did not tell his wife that he would kill McDonald, and said that he would waylay them when they passed the Western hotel and Third Avenue, and there give McDonald the choice of leaving town or fighting to the death.

Mrs. Beede kept her word. At 9.30 o'clock, after leaving her brother, an elevator boy in the Alaska building, she met McDonald on Second Avenue. They went in a roundabout way to the New Western hotel. Beede went another way and started towards the New Western hotel. He waited until they had passed him fifteen steps, when he jumped to the middle of the sidewalk and, without uttering a word, pulled a revolver and fired at McDonald three times in quick succession. "My God, I'm shot," McDonald cried as he fell.

Beede rushed up to him and placed the muzzle of the revolver close to his head. Witnesses say they thought he was going to shoot again.

Mrs. Beede grabbed her husband's arm. "George, I told you not to do that. Why did you? You have killed him."

As she said this, Patrolman Hume arrived and placed Beede under arrest.

Ray McDonald is a son of Deputy County Clerk McDonald, a brother of Homer C. McDonald, paying teller at the Seattle National bank, and Delos McDonald, collection teller in the same institution. All are members of one of the oldest and best known families in Seattle.

ASLEEP FOR FOUR WEEKS.

Remarkable Condition of a Lady Patient at Toronto Hospital.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Curtis, a patient in the Toronto General hospital, has been asleep for over four weeks. She was brought to the hospital by a country doctor about a week ago, and Prof. Allan Baines, who has charge of the patient, has diagnosed the case as one of hysteria.

The hands and limbs are perfectly plastic, and for an hour at a time will remain in the position in which they are placed.

The eyes are always closed, and the breathing is regular.

Fluid nourishment is supplied by means of a stomach tube.

That the patient is partly conscious is shown by the fact that a hand or arm placed in a certain position will resume its normal position in a much shorter time when she is left alone than when persons remain in the room.

The woman is English, and is 25 years of age. She was married three years ago, but her husband has been living in the United States for the last two years.

Last year she suffered from sunstroke, from which she fully recovered, but for the last two months she would fall asleep while sitting in a chair, and have to be awakened.

She would also take fits of crying, continuing sometimes for two hours. Prof. Baines says she will emerge from the cataleptic state.

A reporter who visited the hospital learned from a leading member of the medical profession that there are three very important points in connection with the case, as follows: There is a very neurotic family history, marked nervous disorders being found in many of her near relatives. She has evidently been worrying a great deal, and she is very poorly nourished, which may be the result of her mental condition, or may have been a contributory cause of the condition.

She is in a very low state of vitality at present, but the effort of the nourishment being given is now becoming apparent, for yesterday morning the patient moved a little and showed slight signs of voluntary effort. The same physician stated that the case was a very rare one, being in fact, the first he had ever seen.

The medical men of the city and students have been greatly interested in the case, and have done a great deal of reading and study, and a number of clinics have been held for the benefit of the students.

DR. WARDEN DYING.

Agent of Presbyterian Church a Victim of Cancer.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—Rev. Dr. Warden, general agent of the Presbyterian church, is slowly sinking from cancer, and death seems only a question as to how long his strength will last.

Lieut. Governor Clark, chairman of the board of management, has received an intimation that Dr. Warden had donated ten thousand dollars to Knox College.

Rev. Dr. Warden was born in Dundee, Scotland, Jan. 4, 1841, and was graduated from St. Andrew's College in 1866. He was ordained and inducted at Bothwell, Ont., the same year. Dr. Warden remained there eight years and in 1874 accepted the agency of Knox College. In 1875 he proceeded to Montreal, as agent of the church. He became

secretary of the French evangelistic work and treasurer of the Montreal Presbyterian College, from which institution he received the degree of D. D. in 1888.

In addition to the above he was appointed secretary of the Home Missions Committee, Secretary of the augmentation fund and governing director of the Presbyterian Ladies College at Ottawa. For some years he was editor of the Presbyterian Record. In 1895 he was elected general agent of the Presbyterian church in Canada, succeeding Rev. Dr. Wm. Reid. He is a director of the Royal Victoria Life Insurance Co., and vice-president of the Westminster Publishing Co. Dr. Warden is also president of the Metropolitan Bank.