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St. Mary's Departmental Store.

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

We are meeting with splendid success in the running of a departmental store. The idea is new around these parts, our store being the only genuine department store in Fredericton or vicinity. Experience has taught that business can be conducted under these principles at a great saving.

In order to be in line with the metropolitan stores we conduct TUESDAY SALES which mean additional saving opportunities.

Boys' Blouses.

Linen and Duck, stripes and fancy, ages 3 to 6, broken sizes, reg 50c, spec Tues 35c, reg 60c, spec Tues 41c, reg 70c, spec Tues 49c, reg 75c, spec Tues 53c

Boys' Linen Suits

Just a few Boys' Wash Suits, ages 3 to 6, to clear Tuesday 53c, reg 75c, spec Tues 53c, reg 85c, spec Tues 59c, reg \$1.10, spec Tues 81c. These are new goods

Big Dress Goods Savings

These are all this season's goods. Our clearing policy keeps our stocks clean all the time.

Crepe Line

42 inches wide, colors, navy, brown, white, pale blue, grey, reg 55c, spec Tues 39c

Crepe de Chene

44 inches wide, colors, brown and navy, very seasonable goods, reg 60c, spec Tues 41c.

Canvas Cloth

40 inches wide, colors, navy, garnet and seal brown, reg 45c, spec Tues 31c

Straw Matting

Just a few pieces Japanese Straw Matting, reg 15c, spec Tues 9c, reg 17c, spec Tues 11c, reg 25c, spec Tues 19c

Table Linen Offerings.

Unbleached Linens 55 inches wide, reg 45c, spec Tuesday 29c. Unbleached Linens 50 in. wide, regular 35c, spec Tuesday 21c. Bleached Linens, 66 inches wide, regular 85c, special Tuesday 59c. Bleached Linens, 56 in. wide, regular 30c, spec Tuesday 21c.

Preserve Jars

Seal Preserve Jars, 1 pint size, spec Tues 5c, 1 quart size, spec Tues 7c, 2 quart size, spec Tues 9c

BUTTER CROCKS

Excellent Butter Crock 1 1/2 gal size, spec Tues 25c, 2 gal size, spec Tues 32c, 3 gal size, spec Tues 42c

New Arrivals.

In every department a continual change may be observed. New goods are being opened daily.

It is well to visit our store often, in order to keep in touch with things.

We have large departments for Crockery, Hardware, Bicycles, Sewing Machines, Paints, Wall Paper, Carpets, Blinds, Curtains, Clothing, Furnishings, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Dry Goods. If there is anything you want, and don't see, ask for it, we have it.

St. Mary's Departmental Store.

ST. MARY'S, N. B.



Vacation Days are KODAK Days

Picture taking will add immensely to the pleasure of your vacation.

KODAKS \$5 to \$108
BROWNIE CAMERAS \$1 to \$9

C. Fred. Chestnut,
Apothecary,
Queen st., - Fredericton, N. B.

Have you seen our fine display of goods suitable for

WEDDING GIFTS

Silverware, Cut Glass, Fancy China, Old Greek Ware, Clocks, etc., etc.

Large stock of Wedding and Engagement Rings

F. E. BLACKMER, 222 QUEEN ST.

SENSATION AT THE COUNTY JAIL.

Prisoner Riggs, Under Sentence to Dorchester, Made Three Attempts to End His Life.

George Riggs, who was yesterday sentenced by Judge Landry to four years' imprisonment in the Dorchester penitentiary, made three attempts to end his life in his cell at the county jail last night. The first attempt was made by swallowing poison, and being fastened in this, he made an effort to dash his brains out against the bed post, and early this morning he tried to choke himself with a handkerchief. His escapades since being sentenced to Dorchester seem to establish his guilt beyond a doubt, and have strengthened the impression that the fellow is of unsound mind and not responsible for his actions.

Shortly after six o'clock last evening, when Jailer Hawthorn visited Riggs' cell, to give him his supper, he found him lying upon his bed apparently in a stupor. He called out to him several times, but getting no response, gave him and shaking and finally succeeded in arousing him. There were signs that the prisoner had been vomiting and the jailer was not long in arriving at the conclusion that he had endeavored to poison himself. He promptly notified Sheriff Sterling, and the latter in turn, notified Dr. G. J. McNally, who was soon on the scene. He administered emetics and had the jailer take the poor fellow out into the yard for exercise. The doctor, after examining the patient and noting the symptoms, passed the opinion that he had swallowed a powder containing morphine. He seems to have taken an over dose which caused him to vomit immediately afterwards, and this circumstance, no doubt, saved his life. The antidote administered by the doctor and the walk in the open air, had a beneficial effect upon Riggs, and he was soon able to return to his cell. The doctor had scarcely more

than closed the door on him, however, when he attempted to kill himself by butting his head against the iron bed post. The attempt was not successful, and to prevent further trouble two of the other prisoners were placed in the cell to assist the jailer in watching over him.

On being searched after attempting his life, two darning needles and a sharp instrument used for bleeding horses were found on his person and confiscated by the jailer. A note containing a farewell message was found upon the window sill. It was in the handwriting of the prisoner and stated that he did not intend to trouble the world any more. The name of the young woman whom he has been annoying was mentioned several times.

Jailer Hawthorn and two of the other prisoners remained in attendance upon Riggs during the night and kept a sharp watch over him. Shortly after daylight this morning they caught him trying to choke himself with a handkerchief. As the jailer approached to take the handkerchief away the prisoner sprang up quickly and aimed a vicious blow at him with his clenched fist, but it failed to take effect. He seems to have quite recovered from the effects of the dose of poison which he swallowed last evening.

Riggs is something of a veterinary surgeon, and the powder swallowed by him was probably one originally intended for a horse. It contained morphine enough to kill two or three men. Only the vigilance shown by Jailer Hawthorn prevented the unfortunate man from ending his life.

Dr. G. J. McNally made an examination of the prisoner this morning for the penitentiary, and he will be conveyed to that institution this evening or tomorrow morning.

THE RUSSIAN MUTINY.

Sailors Making it Hot for Authorities at Odessa.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—(Special.)—A despatch filed at Odessa last evening at 7.30 o'clock and received here this morning, says that the battleship Kniaz Potemkin was then opening fire upon shore.

Six officers of the battleship boarded by mutineers, eight have been liberated and the remainder are prisoners on board.

Five hundred rioters have been killed.

Libau, June 30.—About four thousand sailors were surrounded in a small wood by infantry and reinforced by machine guns. One thousand of the mutineers have already surrendered and given up their arms.

The mutiny started Tuesday night when sailors of the first equipage, as naval units are known in Russia, revolted because the food was bad.

The were joined immediately by the sixth, ninth, thirteenth, fifteenth equipages, 5,000 blue jackets. The guards first tried to oppose them, killing and wounding seven, but

the sailors got the upper hand. They seized the guardhouse, broke open the stores, securing the arms and ammunition.

Pandemonium followed throughout the night.

They wrecked the barracks and fired volleys at them until morning.

The city was terror stricken when the troops with artillery arrived Wednesday morning.

All the entrances to the city were closed, and the sailors were driven into the woods, where they have been held since.

Much firing, mingled with the booming of machine guns, have been heard but the people are forced by the police to keep off the streets and away from the ports, some distance below the town.

Nothing definite is known, except that 1,000 mutineers have surrendered.

Revolutionary agents have seized the opportunity to distribute proclamations from house to house.

FINE FOR HOLIDAY.

The weather probs today say: Variable winds, fine and warmer today, and Saturday.

THE HOLIDAY.

Tomorrow being Dominion Day and a public holiday, there will be no issue of the Daily Herald on that day.

CRITICALLY ILL.

Mr. David Fisher, of New Maryland, a former warden of York, is critically ill at the provincial hospital, St. John, with little hope of recovery.

A YEAR ABROAD.

Miss McAdam, of the primary department of the Charlotte street school, who has obtained a year's leave of absence, will spend that period in Germany, accompanied by her niece, Miss May McAdam, who will study music at Leipzig, and by Miss Brown of Halifax, and Miss Huntington of Wolfville.

MARRIED AT BOLESTOWN.

Mr. Jeremiah Kirby, of Cross Creek, and Miss Sarah Hickey, of Bolestown, were married at the Roman Catholic church at Bolestown on Wednesday, Rev. Father McRory performing the ceremony in the presence of a large number of friends of the contracting parties. After the ceremony the happy couple came to this city en route to St. John and other points. On their return they will reside at Bolestown.

HOPE YOUNG CONFESSES

To the Murder of the Ward Child at Plympton.

SHE COMPLETELY EXONERATES MELANSON AND YOUNG.

Digby, N. S., June 30.—(Special.)—Hope Young, confined to jail here and committed for trial for the murder of the Ward child at Plympton, has confessed to the murder.

She said the child died of cramps Friday morning.

She was afraid of being found with the child's body in the house, so she

tied it up and took it to the woods. Then she tied the other child up with it as a blind, and invented the story of tramps.

She completely exonerates Kingsley Melanson and Elmer Young.

The story has caused a great sensation in Digby.

SMALLPOX SUSPECTED.

Sussex, N. B., June 30.—(Special.)—There is a suspicion of smallpox at the military camp, but only a suspicion.

Private Duplosic of the 73rd Regiment is the patient and he has been isolated.

He belongs to Kent.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Amherst, June 30.—(Special.)—John McKinnon was killed in Stanley this morning.

He was driving a load of bricks near Pugwash, when he was thrown from the sledge, which passed over him, crushing him terribly.

GOVERNMENT DEFEATED.

Ottawa, June 30.—(Special.)—The Minister of Trade and Commerce has received a cable stating that the Australian government has been defeated.

ON INSPECTION TOUR.

Mr. W. A. B. McLellan, teller of the Bank of N.B.A., is to leave here Tuesday morning next for St. John, to assist the bank inspector, Mr. Anderson, in his official duties in that city, at Halifax and other points for the next few weeks, and during his absence his duties here will be performed by Mr. D. B. Winslow.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Fredericton to Play Rothesay Here Tomorrow.

A large contingent from the Rothesay Tennis Club will arrive here this evening, and will take part in a tournament with the Fredericton club on the latter's grounds tomorrow. Luncheon will be served on the grounds at noon, and the play will continue all day. The Rothesay club is recognized as the best in the province, and in previous contests with Fredericton has invariably won out. The local players are hopeful, however, of turning the tables tomorrow, although they realize that it will be an up hill job.

Fredericton will play in the following order:

Mixed Doubles—H. R. Babbitt and Mrs. Babbitt, C. H. Allen and Miss P. Babbitt, A. Babbitt and Miss H. Babbitt, C. M. Manning and Miss Tabor, Randolph and Miss Smith, Chestnut and Miss Palmer, Sherman and Miss Allen, Bridges and Miss Powell.

Men's Singles—Allen, Sherman, Randolph, Manning, Chestnut, Steeves, Porter, Howie, Sherman, A. Babbitt, H. R. Babbitt and Bridges.

Ladies Singles—Mrs. H. R. Babbitt, Miss H. Babbitt, Miss P. Babbitt, Miss Tabor, Miss Palmer, Miss Smith, Miss Allen, and Miss Powell.

Ladies Doubles—Mrs. H. R. Babbitt and Miss H. Babbitt, Miss P. Babbitt and Miss A. Tabor, Miss Smith and Miss H. Palmer, Miss Allen and Miss Powell.

Men's Doubles—Allen and Chestnut, Randolph and Manning, A. Babbitt and H. R. Babbitt, Bridges and Porter, Richey and D. B. Winslow, Howie and Steeves.

RIGGS' CONDITION.

In conversation with a representative of the Herald today Sheriff Sterling stated that in all probability he would send Prisoner Riggs to Dorchester tomorrow morning. Just at present, he said, the prisoner was hardly in fit condition to stand the journey, but it was hoped that he would be some better in the morning. The sheriff added that he had instructed the jailer to keep a close watch upon the prisoner.

BASE BALL TOMORROW.

The Presque Isle base ball team will arrive here this evening and will play two games against the Tartars in Scully's grove tomorrow. The morning game will be called at 10.30 and the afternoon game at three. No doubt the local fans will be on hand in force and first class sport is promised.

KINDERGARTEN CLOSING.

The kindergarten school, which has been most successfully conducted here during the past term, closed yesterday for the summer holidays. Very successful closing exercises were held in the presence of a large number of visitors.

RECEPTION TO STUDENTS.

Principal Hughes, of the Regent street school, is this afternoon holding a reception to his pupils at the principal's room in the school building. Ice cream and refreshments are helping to make the afternoon a pleasant one.

LADIES' NIGHT.

The members of the B. and B. Club will entertain their lady friends to a dance at the club house this evening.

AN OCEAN ENIGMA.

Mystery of the Fate of the Crew of the Ship Marie Celeste.

Undoubtedly the most extraordinary of all the mysteries of the sea is the fate of the crew of the ship Marie Celeste, a more fantastic creation apparently than novelist ever wrote. She left New York in 1887 for Europe, her personnel being thirteen, including the captain's wife and child. Two weeks later a British bark sighted her in the Atlantic. There was no sign of life on board. A boat was sent to her, and a most exhaustive search proved her to be as silent as the tomb, as deserted as a pesthouse. Everything was in its place, even the boats at the davits. The hull was undamaged, the cargo untouched. Rigging and spars were intact; the sails were all set. The crew's weekly wash hung above the forecastle; an awning covered the poop. Binnacle and wheel and rudder were complete. The sailors' kits and diners were seen in the forecastle. In the cabin was a sewing machine, with a child's garment under the needle, and on the table a half eaten meal. The chronometer ticked undisturbed in the chartroom; the cash box was unopened. The logbook, posted to within forty-eight hours of the visit, showed the passage to have been favorable; the ship's appearance proved there had been no storm. Evidence of a struggle or piracy or murder there were none. Yet thirteen people had disappeared as if spirited away by some supernatural agency, and from that day to this the mystery has never been unraveled, though the United States government spared no effort to solve it.—P. T. McGrath in McClure's Magazine.

AN EMPEROR'S FURY.

Paul of Russia's Order to His Regiment of Horse Guards.

On one occasion during a parade of his horse guards the Emperor Paul of Russia was extremely dissatisfied with the manner in which the troops performed their evolutions. At length, after a more than ordinarily stupid blunder on the part of the troops, the czar could stand it no longer, and he determined to preside over the drill in person. The troops were well aware that the czar's temper was on the verge of bubbling over, and the knowledge so unnerved them that things went from bad to worse until at last a blunder supervened—a blunder in which officers and men shared alike—which proved the climax.

Galloping up to the disorganized lines and reining up his charger at their head, livid with fury which he no longer attempted to suppress, Paul gave vent to the following original and effective speech: "Officers and troopers of the Imperial horse guards, right about face! Quick—march—to Siberia!" The entire regiment, with unbroken composure and dignity, wheeled to the right and started off then and there upon their terrible march into exile. By the time they had arrived at a point lying some few days' march from the capital, the czar's temper having cooled down, swift couriers were dispatched after the exiled guards with news of the imperial clemency, and the troops were allowed to return.

Deaths from starvation in Great Britain have fallen from eighteen to twelve per million in the last thirty years.