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St. Mary's Departmental Store

Introducing ... Offers

Saturday, Mar. 31

As a special inducement for the ladies to inspect our new spring stock of Costumes, Shirt Waists, Silk Skirts, etc., we are placing a few garments on sale at specially reduced prices. Easter is fast approaching when you will be needing these things. You can save money if you are in time on Saturday. Just a few on sale to introduce.

LADIES' RAINCOATS.

April showers are close at hand. Let us protect you with one of our Raincoat offers.

Reg.	Sat.	Reg.	Sat.
5.50	4.25	8.75	6.50
9.25	7.25	11.00	7.50
11.50	8.75	12.00	9.00
14.00	9.90		

LADIES' SPRING SUITS.

The saving opportunity of the hour. A few only to introduce. 1 Costume, light Tweed, Braid and Buttons, trimmed, worth \$20.00, Sat. price, \$15.00. 1 Costume, light Tweed, Buttons trimmed, worth \$18.00, Sat. price, \$14.00. 1 Costume, light Tweed, Buttons trimmed, very pretty, worth \$15.00, Sat. price, \$11.00.

SILK SHIRT WAIST SUITS.

One of the prettiest and most up-to-date Silk Shirt Waist Suits ever shown for the money, worth \$15.00, Sat. price \$10.00.

SILK SKIRTS.

You ought to see our Silk Skirts at the price we have marked them. We'll pay you for your trouble.

CORSETS.

We take great pleasure in announcing that we have been appointed agents for the celebrated P. C. Corset which is considered one of, if not the best, corset on the market today. You will find our stock always complete as to styles and sizes.

SILK SHIRT WAISTS.

We have a few of those handsome Silk Waists which must go to make room for new. Note the prices.

Reg. price.	Sat. price.
\$3.00	\$1.99
One (1) each size 32, 34 and 36 in Brown.	
One (1) only size 32 and 34 in White.	
One (1) only size 36 in Black.	
One (1) each size 32 and 34 in Navy Blue.	

Reg. price, \$3.50. Sat. price, \$2.25. One (1) only size 38 in Black. One (1) only size 36 in White. These goods are not sold but up to prevailing styles.

GOODS, PRINTS, ETC.

All here in elegant proportion. All the newest designs, coloring and styles at prices just a little below what you are used to paying.

LADIES' CLOTH SKIRTS.

Here is an opportunity to buy something of which you are always in need at a low price. A well assorted, carefully selected stock.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Men's Box Calf Bala, just a few pairs, reg. \$2.25, Sat. \$1.85. Men's D. W. Kid Bala, leather lined, reg. \$2.50, Sat. \$1.90. Ladies' Old Pobble Bala, the boot for spring, reg. \$1.35, Sat. \$1.17. Misses' Old Pobble Bala, a great school boot, reg. \$1.20, Sat. \$1.05. Boys' Bala, sizes 4 and 5 only, reg. \$1.25 and \$1.35, Sat. \$3.00. New spring line in every department. Clothing, Furnishings, Wall Paper, Crockery, Hardware, etc. We'll like to show you our good things.

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

Q-U-A-L-I-T-Y

Q-u-a-l-i-t-y is our password. Every article that comes into our store must know this counter-sign before it may find a place on our shelves.

It is this persistent sticking to good dependable goods that has given us our name as the QUALITY STORE.

There are people who are our constant customers who have to pass other stores to reach ours. But the difference in the goods more than repays them for the extra trouble.

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR DRUGS AND TOILET ARTICLES IN WHICH YOU CAN PLACE THE UTMOST CONFIDENCE, COME HERE FOR THEM. THE PRICES WILL PLEASE YOU TOO.

C. Fred. Chestnut,
APOTHECARY,
Queen st., - F. ton, N. B.

Removal Notice.

I expect to move this month to the store lately occupied by Gus Tweeddale & Co., opposite Normal School.

F. E. Blackmer.

THRILLING SCENE.

Aeronaut Fought Bravely for Life and Won Out by a Hair's Breadth.

Chicago, April 2.—(Special)—Battling with adverse currents of air which were blowing him directly in front of the Illinois Central Express train as he descended five thousand feet from a balloon on earth in a flimsy parachute, William Matterna, a French aeronaut, yesterday fought for his life, while 5,000 people watched the struggle.

The engineer of the train saw the aeronaut less than 200 feet in the air above him, descending directly before his train. He applied the brakes, but knew that unless Matterna conquered the air currents he was powerless to save him from death.

The aeronaut fought with every muscle in his body, he swung himself back and forth on the little trapeze, kicked and made every effort possible to swerve the parachute away from the path of the train and suddenly the parachute sank quickly to the ground just as the train rushed by.

Thousands of persons ran to the scene expecting to find the mangled body of the aeronaut.

The parachute was crushed, but Matterna, by flinging himself from it at the last moment, had escaped death under the engine by two feet.

He rolled down an embankment and arose unharmed physically, but was suffering from the strain of the battle through which he had passed.

Matterna and W. H. McKinner, another aeronaut, had entered the balloon race, the winner of the novel contest, was to be the one who remained in the air longest. A \$1,500 purse was awarded to Matterna.

PROBABLY A FABLE.

Report that New York Merchants are Planning a Revolution in Venezuela.

New York, April 2.—(Special)—The World today says—"One of the largest merchants in New York said last night that arrangements are being perfected here and in Paris and London for a revolution in Venezuela which will annihilate President Castro and open up that country to American capital and enterprise."

"A number of rich New York merchants are said to be interested in the movement, which the promoters say, will involve the employment of 15,000 soldiers, and the expenditure of \$5,000,000 in the campaign."

President Castro, if plans do not go astray, is to be either expelled or destroyed and a native of Venezuelan statesman will be installed as his successor.

"In this connection it is said that Castro, anticipating a successful revolution against him sooner or later, has converted some of his

alleged \$40,000,000 fortune into cash, and sent it to America and France. It is said there is now \$3,000,000 in New York banks and \$2,500,000 in Paris deposited to his personal credit."

"Carlos B. Ferguaredo, Venezuelan consul in New York, said last night at his home, that he had heard such an expedition was being organized or planned, but had been unable to learn anything definite about it. He said he had understood that shares in the scheme were being sold."

"I would like to get hold of some of these shares," he said. "I would buy all that are offered."

The consul inquired eagerly as to the point the expedition was to sail from.

"The expedition is to set out shortly from Europe and three large steamships which are already under contract, are to carry about 5,000 men."

NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL.

Henry C. Ide Takes Oaths of Office at Manila-U. S. Government's Policy.

Manila, April 2.—(Special)—The inauguration of Henry C. Ide, as governor general took place today with a civil and military display.

The oath of office was administered by Chief Justice Cayetano Arellano of the supreme court.

In his address Governor General Ide said in part:

"The policies of President McKinley, President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Taft will be our policy. The Philippines must be for the Filipinos. This duty we have assumed. Tariff barriers existing between the home country and these islands will be broken down."

THE STOCK MARKET.

Trading Was Brisk Today—Some Leading Features.

Montreal, April 2.—(Special)—On the stock market this morning considerable strength was evidenced, and trading was brisk and well distributed.

Montreal Street was the feature and rose to 27 1/2, while a fair amount of Montreal Power changed hands at 97. Dominion Iron issues were also strong at 33 1/2 for common and 82 for preferred.

Other features were: Nova Scotia Steel, 64 1/2. Toledo 34 1/2. Illinois, 95 1/2. Twin City, 111 1/2 to 110 1/2. Canadian Pacific, 173 to 173 1/2. MacKay, 61 1/2. Dominion Coal, 79. Toronto Railway, 124 1/2. Detroit United, 99 1/2.

STRIKE PROBABLE.

Warsaw, April 2.—(Special)—Revolutionists here have announced their intention of declaring for a strike to prevent the government from contracting a new loan.

While it may all be wrong to tell a lie, the man who does not wear a catcher's mask over his face will not hesitate to use diplomacy.

UNIVERSITY OF N. B.

Mr. Manzer's Address at Y. M. C. A. Meeting—Resolution re Dr. Scott.

The University, April 2nd.

Mr. M. A. Manzer, of the Senior class, addressed the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon in the college rooms. His subject was "Sowing and Reaping," which was very instructive and interesting. A large attendance was present, and all felt pleased with the learned discourse.

The mock parliament of Saturday evening was hardly up to the standard, however, it was immensely interesting at times. The Boarding House bill was taken up section by section, and adopted by the house. The house was in committee.

Mr. Manzer, the finance minister, brought down the budget, which was a good indeed. However, the financial critic, Mr. Anderson, pointed out with clever language the deficits and unpopular policies of the government. Mr. Jewett spoke in defence of the government policy, and was followed by Dymart of the opposition, who concluded the budget debate. The bill was then put to the house by the Hon. Speaker Sherman, and carried.

In regard to the distinguished position of superintendent of schools in Calgary, Alberta, to which Dr. A. M. Scott of the University of New Brunswick has been requested to accept, the students of the University of New Brunswick passed unanimously the following resolution in their Literary and Debating society, Saturday, March 31st:

Whereas it has been brought to the attention of the Literary and Debating Society of the University of New Brunswick through the press, that Prof. A. M. Scott has been offered a lucrative position in Calgary, Alberta, and whereas, the undergraduate of the U. N. B. have learned by experience to appreciate the splendid services rendered by Dr. Scott to the University in all its various departments, and

Whereas it is our firm conviction that should Dr. Scott's services be lost to the University at this particular time the inevitable result will be a serious falling off of students as well as a pronounced detriment to the course in arts and engineering, alike, therefore

Resolved—That we the undergraduates of the University of New Brunswick hereby express to the Senate of said University our sincere desire to have the services of Prof. Scott retained at any cost whatever, and that the senate might put forth every effort within their power to maintain the high standard of our University by retaining the services of a man whose ability as an instructor, whose force of character and whose record as a disciplinarian are such as to render his withdrawal an irreparable loss to the future development of our institution.

A FINE BUILDING.

Contractor Simmons Has About Completed Work on New Armory.

Work on the new armory on Carlton street is about completed, and the building is certainly a credit to the city as well as to the militia department. It is a three story brick structure, substantially built, and makes a fine appearance. On the ground floor to the right of the main entrance are located the D. O. C. office, the orderly room and a small office for the use of the officer commanding the 71st regiment. A large room on the left of the main entrance is to be used as a store depot.

There are two stairways leading to the first floor, one being from the barracks yard next to the hospital and the other from the drill hall. Half of the space on the first floor is given over to a recreation room for the men. The remainder of the space on the flat is taken up by three well appointed bedrooms, which it is said are used for attached officers. The upper part of the building is in two separate divisions.

The whole of the second floor, which consists of seven rooms, besides a bath room, has been filled up for a place of residence for the caretaker. The floors and stairways of the building are of polished birch and the rooms are finished in pine. All the windows are double, those on the inside being in three pieces and hinged. The locks and hinges are of solid bronze.

The carpenter work was done under the foremanship of Mr. E. C. Barry, and is first class in every respect. Mr. Harry M. Clark, superintendent of the building operations for the government.

The plumbing arrangements which include a hot water heating apparatus, were installed by Mr. D. J. Shea.

The building was erected under contract by Mr. C. J. B. Simmons of this city, at a cost of \$13,000.

"You know," said the young man in the case, "that I am poor, but don't you think I might be able to live on bread and cheese and kisses?"

"Yes," replied the fair maid, "but

"Then," he interrupted, "see if you can work your father for the bread and cheese, and I'll attend to the rest."

IN DEFENCE.

Contractors at the Electric Light Station Answer the Criticisms Levelled at Them.

Fredericton, April 2.

To the Editor of the Herald,

Sir,—We would like to obtain a little space in your valuable paper, in order to correct a few mistakes that seem to have got a footing in the minds of some people in connection with the city street light station. On several occasions Ald. McGinn has spoken of the repairing of the Wheelock engine. He states that the engine was in good repair when taken over by the city. When it was found to be in a very dilapidated condition the result of having been neglected. We understand that Ald. McGinn was superintendent of the station when the engine was taken over and continued in that capacity up to a short time before our contract.

Now, we would like to ask whose fault was it that the engine was so neglected? Or who should have seen that the engine was in a fit condition when it was taken over? The engine had to be given a complete overhaul before it could be run at all. Another subject that seems to need some explanation is the line work that we did not do. Well, when we came here last May the lines were in the worst possible condition, conditions that would lead one to believe that that part of the work had been neglected for years. Our contract did not call for any line work on our part, but if the lines were put in proper shape we would keep them that way as long as we continued at the station. We did not think that we were obliged to do a lot of work supererogatory. We were willing to do our share, however.

There has been some little extra expense at the station during the past year, but the money has been laid out to the best advantage.

lot of needed improvements have been made. A new generator has been installed, thereby insuring against a breakdown and consequent darkness. We might here mention the fact that a new pump had to be installed to take the place of the old one that had been allowed to freeze up and burst some time during Ald. McGinn's supervision.

From time to time during the past year Ald. McGinn has touched on these matters in such a manner as to lead people to think that we have not done our duty and at last Thursday's meeting he declared we only started and stopped the machinery while we were here.

Well, even if that was all we did do, we managed to do it at the proper time. A good many leading citizens have assured us of that fact, and we are under the impression that if the Knights of Pythias had visited Fredericton at any time during the past year they would have found the streets better lighted than on a former visit.

But, we will say no more about those things, the object of this letter is only to set ourselves right in the eyes of the people. It is against our ideas of principle to stoop to the low level of mud throwing or to telling bare lies.

Ald. McGinn is a gentleman, and a very patriotic one, and it is ever misfortune rather than our fault, that we were not born Frederictonians. Mr. O'Donnell, of our firm, has been a resident of this city for twenty years, and he ought to be pretty well naturalized by this time, and we think that during the short time we have been here we have had the interests of the people at heart quite as much as our esteemed friend.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your attention, we remain,

Yours respectfully,

PORTER & O'DONNELL.

AN EXPERT'S VIEW.

Mr. T. F. Allen Thinks Fly Fishing on the St. John Will Improve Each Year.

Mr. Thomas F. Allen of Bangor, the genial and popular steward of the Tobique Salmon Club, is sojourning at the Queen for a few days and is receiving the glad hand from many old friends.

Mr. Allen, besides being a good fellow is an authority on salmon fishing, and it is due to his small measure to his painstaking efforts that the Tobique in late years has been brought to such a high standard on a salmon stream.

In conversation with a representative of the Herald recently, Mr. Allen stated that it was no surprise to him to learn last year that salmon were being taken with a fly in the Hart's Island pool near Springhill. Thanks to the work of propagation carried on on the Tobique, said the salmon are multiplying rapidly in the St. John river, and he had not the slightest doubt that there are numerous pools between Fredericton and Grand Falls, where fly fishing can be carried on successfully. In regard to the Hart's Island pool, he thought if local anglers would unite with the authorities and assist in putting a stop to illegal fishing, the legitimate sport would be greatly improved, and full grown salmon as well as grise would be taken with the rod. The same would apply to other pools further up the river. The Tobique Salmon Club, he added, would not and could not raise any objection to rod fishing on the St. John waters, but when they spend thousands of dollars annually in protecting the fish on the spawning grounds they will certainly do all they can to put a stop to illegal net fishing.

PRINCE WILLIAM.

March 29.—Miss Edna Fraser has returned from a short visit to friends at Keswick Ridge.

Mr. Patrick Graham has sold his valuable farm to the Love Bros. of Prince William. Mr. Graham will be very much missed in the locality. We are pleased to state that Mrs. Graham who has been ill for some weeks is slightly convalescent.

It is also said that negotiations are pending for the sale and purchase of Mr. James Miller's property at Dumfries. Give us the G. T. P. or death.

Channing Lawrence of St. Dumfries—a Maritime Baptist youth of great promise was last Sabbath night received into the Episcopal church. It is said he is looking forward to holy orders in the denomination.

Miss McMurray in charge of St. Dumfries school is doing excellent work and giving general satisfaction.

PARLIAMENT AROUSED.

Important and Embarrassing Enquiries Put to the Government by Mr. Crockett, M. P. for York.

(Special to the Daily Glimmer.)

Ottawa, April 2.—There was great excitement in the House of Commons and the crowded galleries this afternoon, when Mr. Crockett, M. P. for York, N. B., arose and put his question box to the government.

Mr. Crockett enquired as to the greatest possible interest to his constituents and what he considered a man taking a most intelligent part in the deliberations of parliament, and in the shaping of the country's policy, were as follows:

(1) If the Transcontinental railway is built through New Brunswick will there be any appreciable change in the price of peavine hauled and sold so, why and when if any, may the advance be expected?

(2) What steps have the government taken, if any, to reduce the capacity of maple syrup cans and strawberry boxes, and if so why?

(3) Is the government aware that the local council of women at Fredericton have recently taken up a collection for local improvement and if so, how much did they get?

(4) Has the government any additional information as to who struck Billy Patterson or as to the approximate age of Ann?

(5) What will be the probable outcome of the Fredericton sewerage system, and what was the age of the converted the aldermen in that question?

(6) What is the aggregate cost of the Bear Island bar improvements to date, and how much was actually expended in removing the rocks therefrom?

(7) Is the minister of militia aware that the students of the U. N. B. are negotiating for the loan of Mr. Chestnut's cannon for the occasion of the centennial, and if so, what will it cost to remove the same to college hill?

(8) If the tariff enriches the poor man at the expense of the wealthy, how is it that the inmates of the Fredericton Almshouse each cost \$2.50 per week to the taxpayer?

(9) What breed of horses will the government use to haul the artillery guns at Fredericton and if so why? These with many other enquiries, affecting as they do the material interests of Fredericton and York.

Mr. Crockett is doing great work for his constituency as can readily be seen by these "important enquiries," affecting as they do the material interests of Fredericton and York.