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St. Mary's Departmental Store.

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

In order to better accommodate our country customers we have changed our bargain sale day from Tuesday to Saturday. For the present and until further notice exceptional bargains will be offered you each Saturday.

SATURDAY, AFTER XMAS BARGAINS.

The balance of our fancy goods, including many pretty and useful as well as ornamental articles, must be sold at any price which will clear them out. This is a splendid opportunity for securing an ornament for the home or some such useful articles as a work basket, manicure set, etc.

FANCY TEA COSIES.

Just a few left.			
Reg. 75c.	Sat. 50c.		
Reg. 50c.	Sat. 29c.		

LADIES' COATS.

Reg.	Sat.	Reg.	Sat.
\$14.00	\$9.75	\$9.00	\$7.00
13.50	10.75	8.50	5.75
12.00	8.25	7.75	5.80
11.50	7.90	7.50	5.70
10.50	7.25	6.00	4.15
10.00	5.75	4.50	3.40
9.75	6.90	4.00	2.80

CHILDREN'S COATS.

Reg.	Sat.	Reg.	Sat.
\$6.50	\$4.25	\$4.75	\$3.50
6.00	3.95	4.50	3.40
5.75	3.65	4.25	2.65
5.50	4.25	4.00	2.60
5.25	4.15		

LADIES' FURS.

We offer the balance of our seasonable furs at unusual reductions.

Chinese Mink Stole,	\$15.00	\$10.75
Lab. Opposum	12.00	9.25
German Mink	7.00	4.74
Child's Blue Hare	3.50	2.50
Child's Wht. Thibet	2.85	1.99
" Grey Opp.	8.50	5.99
" "	3.00	1.99
Black Opp. Stole	3.25	2.25
" Bear	8.50	5.99
" Opp.	2.25	1.69
" "	2.75	1.75
" "	3.75	2.59
" "	4.00	2.75
Black Thibet and Elect.		
Seal Storm Collar	12.75	9.25
Black Opposum Storm		
Collar,	5.00	3.49
Black Opposum Storm		
Collar,	6.25	4.15
2 only Fancy Bearskin lined capes	Reg. \$15.00	Sat. \$10.50
5 only for collars—Bear, Opposum,		
Pers. Lamb, Astrican and Elec		
Seal,	Reg. \$3.35	Sat. \$2.25
Reg. \$2.25	Sat. \$1.50	\$5.25
5.25	3.75	11.50
6.00	3.75	8.25
The guaranteed "Leak" fur coats.		
Reg. \$37.50	Sat. \$25.00	
Reg. \$27.50	Sat. 20.00	
Reg. \$25.00	Sat. 18.00	
3 only Robes,	Reg. \$17.50	Sat. \$13.00

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ST. MARY'S, N. B.

Bag of Sunshine

The Thermalite Bag replaces the old leaky, inconvenient hot water bottle. It is a rubber bag filled with Thermalite which when boiled—bag and all—retains a heat of 130 deg. Fahr. for 4 hours. Price \$1.50 to \$2.25

C. FRED. CHESTNUT.
Apothecary, F'ron, N. B.

Compliments of the Season

to our many customers and friends.

F. E. BLACKMER.

RUSSIAN OUTRAGES.

Workmen Seized a Factory at Riga and Murdered Soldiers but Were Finally Overcome.

London, Jan. 4.—(Special)—A special despatch from Copenhagen today says that workmen who seized the Provodnik Rubber factory at Riga, Tuesday, surrendered and delivered up their leaders to the commander of the troops. The prisoners will be tried by court martial.

Riga, Linenia, Russia, Jan. 4.—(Special)—About 5,000 armed workmen before daylight this morning, invaded and took possession of the Provodnik rubber factory, and the military, as this message is forwarded, are bombarding the factory. The revolutionists killed a policeman who was guarding the building, and a detachment of them crept into an adjoining structure where a patrol of dragoons were asleep and murdered eight dragoons and six stablemen, and wounded eleven others.

One man managed to escape and gave the alarm to the troops, two regiments of which, with artillery regiments of which, with artillery and six quick firing guns, arrived at the scene by daylight.

In the meantime the revolutionists had thrown up barricades and a terrific fire was opened by the troops upon these defences and on the factory.

In the midst of the confusion existing as this despatch is written, it is impossible to ascertain the number of killed or wounded, but many men have been killed and over a hundred wounded have already been carried to the hospitals.

The soldiers are almost insane with fury. The territory in which the factory has been picketed off by guards who threaten to kill any person approaching.

The correspondent had a narrow escape. He unwittingly cleared a proscribed territory through a side street, and was twice fired upon before he had opportunity to explain.

FIGHTING IN SAN DOMINGO.

Clash Between Revolutionists and Government Troops Was Sanguinary.

Cape Hayti, Hayti, Jan. 4.—(Special)—Following the attack made on Jan. 2, on Puerto Plata, on the north east of Santo Domingo by General Demetrio Rodriguez, commanding the troops of the fugitive president, General Morales, which resulted in the repulse of Morales' forces by Caceres garrison after sharp fighting, Caceres troops commanded by General Caspades, attacked Morales troops yesterday in their position outside of Puerto Plata and stubborn fighting followed, during which many men were killed or wounded, resulting in the defeat of Morales' forces.

Among killed was General Demetrio Rodriguez, former governor of Monte Cristi, who as reported in Monte Cristi, had announced that if his attack on Puerto Plata was successful, he would proclaim himself candidate for the presidency at Santo Domingo.

The streets of Puerto Plata are almost deserted, stores are closed and business is at a standstill. The Dominican exiles who have been authorized by Morales' party to return to Santo Domingo are landing at Monte Cristi, not far from Puerto Plata.

BATTERED BY GIANT SEAS.

St. John's N. F., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Allan line steamer Buenos Ayrean, which arrived here last night after being out 14 days from Liverpool, fought her way through the worst weather the captain of the vessel said he had ever experienced on the North Atlantic.

Great seas sweeping the decks uprooted ventilator pipes and sent them crashing through the saloon deckhouse. The cabin was flooded, boats were smashed and all kinds of deckgear demolished. The voyage was made through a succession of hurricanes. No one was seriously injured.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Stock market quotations today were as follows: Dominion Coal, 77, 78, 78. Dominion Iron and Steel 26 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2. Dominion Iron and Steel pfd. 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 75 1/2. Nova Scotia Steel pfd. 65 1/2, 65 1/2, 66 1/2. Canadian Pacific Railroad 173 1/2, 173 1/2, 173 1/2. Twin City, 117. Montreal Power, 88 1/2, 88, 88. Rich and Ontario Navigation 69 1/2, 69 1/2, 70.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Wilson Gave Judgment Sustaining Right of Lien in Dunbar vs. Fox et al.

Alexander Dunbar, senior, Alexander Dunbar, junior, Andrew Dunbar, William Dunbar, plaintiffs; Abijah I. Fox, George S. Ingraham, John F. Allen, defendants, and Obijah I. Fox owner.

This was a case under the provisions of the Mechanic's Lien act and involved an amount of \$3,700.00 for labour material and machinery, supported by the plaintiffs to equip defendants mill at Skiff Lake in parish of Canterbury. After a lengthy hearing and argument Judge Wilson a Chambers delivered judgment sustaining the right of lien.

J. Norman Wilson and A. J. Gregory for plaintiffs and Weldon & McLean for defendants.

Wade vs. Robert Aiken—An application was made in this case to postpone the trial noticed for January term until March term, on the ground of the absence of material and necessary witness. Application granted, question of costs reserved.

R. B. Hanson for defendant and A. J. Gregory for plaintiff.

WOODSTOCK WEDDING.

Well Known Insurance Agent Takes a Wife.

Woodstock Dispatch.—Wednesday morning at 5.30, at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss Nellie F. Frapp, was united in marriage to James M. Queen, of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. A. Ross. Mr. and Mrs. Queen left on the early train for a trip to Boston and New York.

Yesterday afternoon the officers and members of the Methodist Sunday school, of which Miss Frapp was a prominent member, presented her with an address and a handsome present.

Mr. Queen, who was for years a citizen of Woodstock, is now provincial manager for the Canada Life Insurance Company. Miss Frapp, a very popular young lady, is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Frapp.

On Saturday the tenants of the Canada Life Building, St. John, presented Mr. Queen with a handsome coffee urn.

POSTPONED UNTIL JUNE.

The case of Timothy Lynch, vs. the William Richards Company, entered on the docket of the circuit court for this term has been stood over until June, on account of the absence in New York of Mr. H. H. Gunter and Mr. R. W. McLellan.

The Judge granted the postponement with an order that the cost of witness fees be paid by the defendants.

FIGHT ON STATEHOOD.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—The statehood fight is to be the first to come before the House upon its reconvening.

According to present plans of House leaders, if the committee on territories is not ready with its report on Thursday, when the House convenes, an adjournment will be taken until Monday of next week, when it is confidently expected the committee's report upon the double statehood bill will be brought in. The House managers hope to prevent the striking out of the provision for an Arizona-New Mexico state.

In the senate the feeling is growing that the opponents of double statehood are in the majority, that the Oklahoma-Indian territory proposition will be passed, but that the Arizona-New Mexico proposition will be stricken from the bill or will be adopted with an amendment providing for a separate vote by the people of Arizona.

STARTLING ALLEGATION.

Rojestvensky Says British Fleet was Held in Readiness to Destroy Russian Fleet if Latter Had Been Victorious in Battle of Sea of Japan.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—The remarkable allegation that the British fleet was held in readiness to destroy the Russian fleet if the Battle of the Sea of Japan had gone in the Russian's favor, is made by Admiral Rojestvensky in a letter published in the Novoe Vremya today with the permission of the Minister of Marine.

Referring to the absolute secrecy of Admiral Togo in regard to the disposition of his forces Rojestvensky declares "this was unknown even to the Admiral of the British fleet allied with the Japanese, who concentrated his forces at Wei-Hai-Wei in expectation of receiving and order to annihilate the Russian fleet if this, the final object of Great Britain, was beyond the power of the Japanese."

Mr. Spring-Rice, the British charge d'affaires, without waiting for instructions from his government, demanded an explanation from Foreign Minister Lamsdorf this afternoon of the statements contained in the admiral's letter to the Novoe Vremya.

The Russian government will probably decline to settle the claims of foreigners for damages sustained during the riots at Moscow and elsewhere on the ground, as was previously the case when claims for damages were made by foreigners whose property at Baku was damaged, that while every effort has been made to protect foreign interests and property, foreigners living in Russia are entitled only to the redress which Russian subjects have, namely, to recover under the law from the rioters

and local authorities, the imperial government not being liable. This was the position which Russia took in the case of the destruction of Chinese property at Vladivostok, although Russia's share of the Boxer indemnity exacted from China was \$87,500,000. Russia also recently presented a claim against Persia for the destruction of Russian life and property. It was learned today from an authoritative source that the Russian government has been without communication with General Linvitch for almost five weeks.

London, Jan. 4.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says he has had conversation with Count Witte, in which the premier stated that the emperor and his ministers alike were astonished at Admiral Rojestvensky's allegation that the British admiral had concentrated his ships at Wei-Hai-Wei expecting an order to destroy the Russians fleet in the event of Admiral Togo being defeated in the battle of the Sea of Japan. Count Witte said he was taking measures to clear up the matter but, he added, it was self evident that no level headed man in Russia would attach importance to the allegation which the minister of marine, he said, had not noticed until it appeared in print.

The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent says that Great Britain has been dragged in to help absolve Rojestvensky and to prepare public opinion for his impending acquittal and rehabilitation, which are considered indispensable for the sake of the reputation of the Russian navy.

BRILLIANT AT HOME.

Mrs. George Young Dibblee Hostess at a Very Pleasant Function.

Fredericton has had few social events this season, excepting perhaps the ball given in honor of Prince Louis of Battenberg, that for brilliancy can be compared with the At Home given by Mrs. George Young Dibblee at her beautiful residence, from five to seven o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was certainly a grand event, and the half a hundred or so of ladies, representing the cream of Fredericton society, are loud in their praises of Mrs. Dibblee as a charming, accomplished and tactful hostess.

The decorations were on a most elaborate scale, and the guests, as they passed through the doorway into the spacious hall, must have thought that they had been transported into Fairyland. The hall, dining room and drawing room were tastefully decorated with potted plants, holly and flowers, and the effect was strikingly pretty. The chandeliers were tied with smilax, and a beautiful Christmas bell over the doorway attracted much attention. The house was brilliantly lighted for the occasion, and Hanlon's orchestra, from a position in the hall, enlivened the proceedings with a choice program of music.

Mrs. Dibblee received the guests in the drawing room, being assisted in the pleasant duty by her mother, Mrs. J. DeLancey Robinson. The hostess was gown in a magnificent costume of hellebore silk.

A dainty supper was served in the dining room, Mrs. A. J. Gregory being in charge of the handsomely decorated table. A bevy of charming young ladies performed the duty of waitresses, the list including Misses Helen Randolph, Violet Marsh, Hazen Allen, Emma Crookshank, Grace Winslow, Metcalf, Stopford, Chandler (Monetox), Ruby Lindsay (Montreal), Babbitt, Florrie Whitehead and Fanny Burnside.

The function was certainly a grand success in every way, and will long be remembered by those who attended.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION

Act to That End Will be Introduced in New Brunswick Legislature.

A compulsory education act in New Brunswick will be a feature of the session of the provincial legislature, to open in Fredericton on Feb. 8th.

Just what lines will be followed cannot be said. Premier Tweedie was asked by a Telegraph reporter yesterday to give some information about this important proposal, but he limited himself to the simple announcement that it was the intention to have introduced an act regarding compulsory education. He could not at present speak of the details.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie was asked about the Sun's recent editorial announcement that there were signs which pointed to the government soon go-

ing to the people. "You may say," said Mr. Tweedie, "that we have not discussed elections."

The Sun had attacked the government on the matter of the provincial finances and in answer to that the premier said: "The finances of the country, if submitted to any business man, will be declared to be in excellent condition. The amounts due by the Dominion government in connection with river wharves have not been paid, and they would balance the small deficit which existed this year between the receipts and expenditures, and, by the way, the minister of public works told me the amounts due New Brunswick as referred to had been passed before our accounts were closed, but we have not received the money. Again the falling off in the stumpage is a matter which was not easy to foresee."

In this connection Mr. Tweedie said that it is quite clear that the falling off last year will be more than offset in the amount received for territorial revenue in the present year. He said the lumber cut would be large, for conditions were good and the market was favorable.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Programme of Meetings Arranged for Next Week.

The program for the week of prayer which is to be observed here next week, is as follows:

Monday evening, Auld Kirk, Rev. A. A. Kidout, speaker.

Tuesday evening, George street Baptist church, Rev. J. H. McDonald, speaker.

Wednesday evening Brunswick St. Baptist church Rev. Dr. Rogers, speaker.

Thursday evening Methodist church Rev. Willard Macdonald, speaker.

Friday evening mass meeting, Y.M.C.A. hall.

On the Sunday following the week of prayer there will be the usual exchange of pulpits. Rev. Dr. Rogers will preach at the Kirk, Rev. A. A. Kidout, at the Brunswick street Baptist church, Rev. Willard Macdonald at the George street Baptist church and Rev. J. H. Macdonald at the Methodist church.

THE CASE SETTLED.

Hebrew Litigants Succeed in Adjusting Their Differences.

The case of Mr. Louis Laaline, the Hebrew junk dealer, of this city, vs. Harry Garson of St. John, was withdrawn from the circuit court this morning, a settlement having been arrived at between the parties. The action was for slander, and the amount of damages claimed was \$5,400. It is understood that Laaline received in settlement the sum of \$500 in addition to his costs.

Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P., was counsel for plaintiff and Messrs. J. H. Barry and J. King Kelly represented the defendant.