GENERAL .·. LOCAL .·. NEWS

Bran for sale at Edward Walsh & Co's, corner Brussels and Clarence streets. Telephone 509.

St. Davids Bearer Corps will meet this evening at 7.30 for drill. The prizes to be given for the winters work will be awarded.

The usual meeting of the City Laborers' Union will take place at Berryman's Hall this evening. A full attendance is requested.

No. 1 Company 3rd Regt. C. A., (Nos. 1 and 4 old style), will meet at its armories, Drill shed, Tuesday evening, 10th inst. at 8 O'clock, for issue of clothing and first drill of the season.

Macaulay Bros & Co. will give to purchasers from their stock of ladies' neck wear department, kid gloves, ties, handkerchiefs, handsome fancy boxes to enclose Easter gifts. Upwards of five thousand boxes have been secured. But this large stock may not hold out till Easter eve, so an early call is desirable. Boxes are all free of charge.

All this week Easter novelties will be to the front at M. R. A's., Ltd. The rush will doubtless rival Christmas week, judging from present indications and the bustle of Saturday last. On Wednesday an elaborate millinery exhibit is to be held.

ANOTHER POSITION

Miss Ida Mallory has been selected by the Employment Bureau of the Currie Business University to fill the position of Stenographer for The Computing Scale Company of Canada, Ltd.

J. S. BACHE & CO.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

NEW YORK, April 7—Money is still the chief consideration in the market. The high rates for call money were accompanied by the usual charges of manipulation in the rates, but the condition was probably a natural one. A good deal of time money has matured recently and very little time money is to be had for renewals maturing later than September. The result has been a considerable shifting of loans from time to call money. We feel that the extreme stringency in money is temporary. The reduction in the Bank of England discount rate to 3 1-2 per cent. may be considered indicative of the tendency of money abroad. The Governors of the Bank of England are quite the best informed body of men in the world on the monetary situation, and it is improbable that they should reduce their discount rate in the face of a rather poor bank statement of condition unless they felt certain of easy money for the immediate future. Foreign exchange has reached the lowest point on this movement and is now considerably below the point at which on previous occasions we have imported gold. It must be remembered, too, that facilities for importing gold have improved much of late so that the expense is less. Consequently we feel that money rates will again become normal in the course of a few days, although from present indications the rate will remain fairly firm over the summer.

The market has shown great resistance to selling pressure because stocks are largely in strong hands and weak accounts are small in number. The buying in the standard railroad shares seem well informed and that in Union Pacific is particularly confident. This has been a broad active market, yielding slowly and stubbornly to the high money rates. At no time in the past few days could it be said that prices were really weak as the buying on recessions in such shares as Amalgamated, Reading, M. K. & T. issues, Steels and the Trunk Line railroads and Pacific railroad shares looked good.

The coal situation in the bituminous fields has been largely cleared up, leaving the independent operators who refuse to agree to the 1903 scale in a position where they must back down or lose the business. The anthracite situation is not unsatisfactory; the miners propose arbitration of the differences and this plan seems to be meeting with favor. Business generally is good. It has recently been estimated that the Steel Corporation will earn fully $150,000,000 this year if orders continue at the present rate. The railroads are laying off men in consequence of the labor movement in the coal fields, but this condition may also be considered temporary, barring an anthracite strike.

Speculatively the market looks like a purchase on recessions. The declines are due almost entirely to the heavy money rates, and with the return of normal conditions higher prices seem probable.

BIRTHS

On Monday, April 9th, 1906, the wife of T. E. G. Armstrong of a daughter.

DEATHS

McNAMARA—In this city on April 8th, John McNamara, leaving a wife and three duaghters to mourn their loss.

(Boston and Bangor papers please copy.)

Funeral Tuesday at 2.30 p. m. from his late residence, 129 Marsh road. Friends are invited to attend.

McCORKLE—Suddenly at Beachmont, Mass., of typhoid-pneumonia, Walter A. McCorkle, formerly of St. John, N. B., in 19th year of his age.

SLASON—At Rogers, Arkansas, March 22, William J. Slason, of Rothesay, New Brunswick.



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N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

	Saturday Closing	Today Open'g	Noon.
Amalg. Copper	111⅜	111¼	111½
Anaconda	273⅜	274½	274½
Am. Sugar Rfrs	140	140¾	140
Am. Smelt & Rfg.	159⅜	159⅜	159½
Am Car Foundry	44¼	44	44
Atchison	93¼	93⅜	93
Brook Rpd Trst	86½	87	87⅜
Balt & Ohio	113	113	113¾
Chesa & Ohio	59⅜	59¾	60⅜
Canadian Pacific	172⅜	172¼	172¾
Chi & G West	21⅛		21
Colo F & Iron	60⅜	60⅞	60½
Consolidated Gas.	142¼	142¼	142
Erie	45	45	45
Illinois Central	173		172½
Kan & Texas pfd.	73¾	72¼	74¼
Louis & Nashville	149⅞	149¾	149⅜
Mexican Central	25⅛		25
Missouri Pacific	95⅜	93½	94½
Nor & Western	90	90	90
North West		210	210
Ont & Western	52¼	52	52
Reading	137¼	137¼	137⅜
Republic Steel		31¾	31⅜
Sloss Sheffield	82½	83	83
Pennsylvania	141⅜	141⅜	141⅞
Rock Island	27⅜	27⅜	27⅝
St. Paul	176⅞	177	176⅝
Southern R.	40¼	40⅜	40½
Southern Pacific	68⅜	68⅞	69
Northern Pacific	218½	219	218¼
Natl Lead	82⅝	83	83
Tenn C & Iron	151	151	150
Union Pacific	156⅜	156⅜	
U. S. Rubber	62¼		62⅞
U. S. Steel	42⅜	42¼	42¼
U. S. Steel, pfd.	107⅜	107⅝	107⅝
Wabash pfd.	50⅜		50⅝

Total sales in N. Y. Saturday 311,400 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May Corn	46⅛	46⅜	46½
May Wheat	77⅝	77⅞	78¼
May Oats		31⅝	31⅞
July Corn	46	46⅛	46⅜
July Wheat	77	77½	77¾
Sept. Wheat	77	77	76¾

N. Y. COTTON MARKET.

May Cotton	11.19	11.23	11.19
July Cotton	11.15	11.16	11.13
August Cotton	10.99	11.02	10.99
October Cotton	10.57	10.57	10.57
December Cotton	10.59	10.58	10.58

IMPORTS

From London, ex S L Shenandoah:—64 pkgs brandy, Bank B N A; 104 chests tea, T H Estabrooks; 19 pkgs drugs, T B Barker & Son; 200 cases gin, C N Beal & Co; 40 cases gin, Comeau & Sheehan; 2 casks mdse, W F Hatheway; 17 cases and 1 cask mdse, E E, MacMichael; 1 cask mds, N D & C Co; 350 casks cement, S Hayward Co; 62 casgs lead, Henderson & Potts; 4 casks nails, Kerr & Robertson; 500 cases, McIntyre & Comeau; 110 cases mdse, Comeau & Sheehan; 2 pkgs mdse, D Magee Sons; 2 cases candy, W S Patrick & Co; 5 casks gin, J Ryan; 1 case mdse, Schofield Bros; 5 pkgs mdse; T S Simms & Co; 1 case rugs, A O Skinner; 2 cases tennis goods, 200 cks cement, W H Thorne & Co; 48 bales oilcloth, Vassie & Co; 48 pkgs groceries, J H White; 5 casks tarter, 75 bds currants, 16 pkgs mdse, Dearborn & Co; 2 casks tartar, Geo. E Barbour, 385 pkgs gin, Comeau & Sheehan; 25 brls oil, J Robertson & Co; 11 pkgs mdse, Bowman & Cole; 65 cases mdse, order S; 10 brls pickles, T Collins & Co; 20 cases pickles, order H S W; 22 cases pickles, 1 brl marmalade P B Evans; 5 cases, S B Co; 18 cases mdse, McPherson Bros; 42 cases mdse, J S; 40 cases mdse, D & Co; 11 cases mdse, order; 1 piano, order T J Flood; 9 pkgs drugs, order, 50 pkgs mdse, Baird & Peters; 15 bags coffee, T Collins & Co; 33 bags pepper, A G & Co; 30 cases beer, order C & S; 35 casks beer, 25 chests tea; Foster & Co; 531 chests tea, Anglo American Co; 110 chests tea, C T & L Co; 799 chests tea, order; 700 chests tea, order J R L.

For Moncton—50 cases pickles, 1 case biscuit, 2 casks provisions, F R Reed & Co; 10 casks beer, order; 25 casks beer, order.

For Chatham—35 casks pickles, order M S M.

For Newcastle—ten brls pickles, G H. Also goods for other ports.

From London, ex S S Montreal—Five bales pute, Kerr & Robertson; 32 cases liquors, M & J McGuire; 77 cases liquors, Comeau & Sheehan; 45 tons scrap iron, B of N B; 26 pipes cocoanut oil, Colby Co; 100 brls F D J; 32 chests tea, T H Estabrooks; 34 cases tea, H W DeForest;; 83 pkgs tea, Soroco Tea Co; 15 cases tea, Maple Leaf Tea Co; 3 cases mdse, order; 50 cases onions, G E Barbour & Co; 9 pkgs mdse, M R A.

From Antwerp:—

For Bathurst, 121 cases glass, W H Thorne & Co.

For Chatham—62 cases glass, S Hayward Co.

For Woodstock—241 cases glass, W H Thorne & Co.

For Campobellton—119 cases glass, S Hayward Co.

For Hampton—32 cases glass, W H Thorne & Co.

For Loggieville—231 cases window glass, W H Thorne & Co.

For Moncton—125 csks cement, 200 cases glass, I C R.

For Petitcodiac—37 cases glass, W H Thorne & Co.

For St Stephen—603 boxes glass, W H Thorne & Co.

For Salisburk—52 boxes, S Hayward Co.

For Sussex—202 cases glass, order S A; 35 cases glas, S Hayward Co.

For Shediac—30 cases glass, S Hayward

FOR ST. JOHN.

83 cases glass, order. 33 bxs cocoa butter, G Bent; 2 pkgs mdse, D J Seeley & Son; 5 pkgs dry goods, M R A; 80 pkgs mdse, H C Olive; 20 casks zinc, S Hayward Co; 609 coils wire, B T C; 800 brls cement, W H Thorne & Co; 150 csks cement, Kerr & Robertson; 100 brls cement, 3157 cases glass, S Hayward & Co; 194 cases glass, T L C; 785 cases glass, Kerr & Robertson; 900 cases glass, T McAvity & Sons; 2600 cases glass, W H Thorne & Co; 449 casks cement, order; 1895 cases glass, Sumner & Co. Also good for the west.

TIDE OF FORTUNE

Monday and Tuesday the stock company at the Opera House offer this delightful comedy. In construction it resembles Way Down East, and that popular play My Jim. The first act is laid in Indiana, among those broad-minded people who have been the cause of so many pretty stories, also the foundation of so many heart interesting plays.

Miss Myrkle has played this leading part over 700 times, and it is one of her favorite roles. Mr. Harder has a splendid part in Tommy Schumbs, a millionaire brewer, who tries to sell beer and make love at the same time, which ends very disastrously for the brewer. The play has a beautiful story, and the comedy is most complicated, allowing the Dutchman and the farmer and the country lass all sorts of funny situations, and when things are about settled the old maid starts the complications again. The scenery is all new. The vaudeville will be entirely changed again and promises to be one of the most interesting performances.

AT THE YORK TONIGHT

There will be a large audience in York Theatre this evening when the New York Opera Co. opens its engagement in Said Pasha, for the sale of seats is particularly large. It has been some years since the tuneful work has been produced here, though it is no stranger, but in the capable hands of Manager French it will be embellished and freshened so that it will be hardly recognizable. There will be numerous specialties, a lot of new scenery and a programme of marches, counter marches and other such brightening features. The seat sale will be on for reservations right up to 6.30 this evening.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1906 April	Sun Rises	Sets	Tides High	Low
9 Mon.	5.49	7.03	11.40	5.30
10 Tues.	5.47	7.04	0.05	6.18
11 Wed.	5.45	7.06	0.50	7.07
12 Thur.	5.44	7.07	1.38	7.68
13 Fri.	5.42	7.09	2.29	8.52
14 Sat.	5.40	7.10	3.29	9.48

The Time used is Atlantic Standard, for the 60th Meridian, which is four hours slower than Greenwich Mean Time. It is counted from midnight to midnight.

STEAMERS FOR ST. JOHN.

Name	Date of Sailing.
Phoebe, Montevideo	Mar. 19
Evangeline, London	Mar. 28
Concordia, from Glasgow	Mar. 31
Lake Michigan London	April 4
Bengore Head, at Halifax	April 4
St John City, London	April 5
Montcalm, Bristol	April 5
Victorian from Liverpool	April 5
Lake Erie, Liverpool	April 10
Pretorian, from Liverpool	April 12
Annapolis, London	April 14

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Monday April, 12th. 1906.

S. S. Tuhisian, 6802, Braes, from Liverpool via Halifax. Wm. Thomson & Co. pass and mdse.

S. S. Shenandoah, 2492, Trinick from Liverpool via Halifax. Wm. Thomson & Co, general cargo.

S. S. Montreal, 2492, from Liverpool and Antwerp, C. P. R. Co. pass and general cargo.

S. S. Nordboen, 1547, Sonne from Halifax. W. M. Mackay, ballast.

Schr Roger Drury, 397 Cook from Boston R. C. Elkin, ballast.

Coastwise:—

Stmr Springhill, 26, Cook, Yarmouth.

Schr Emma T. Storey, 40, Gough, St. Martins.

Cleared.

Barges 5 and 2 for Calais, Me., in tow of tug Springhill, 1575 tons coal, Cumberland Railway Co.

DOMINION PORTS.

HALIFAX, April 8—Ard. 7th Stmr Shenandoah, London; stmr Virginian, St. John; Senlac, do via ports; Catalone, Boston; Louisburg, Louisburg; brig Dawn, Santos (captain died on passage).

Sld—Stmr Dahome, for Liverpool via St. John's Nfld.

BRITISH PORTS.

LONDON, April 8—Ard 7th stmr Annapolis St. John and Halifax.

Sld 8th—Stmr St. John City Halifax and St. John.

MANCHESTER, April 6—Sld stmr Manchester Trader for St. John.

LIVERPOOL, April 6—Ard stmrs London City, Halifax and St. John; Salacia, St. John and Halifax for Glasgow.

MOSS, April 7—Sld—Ship Germanic, Miramichi, N. B.

QUEENSTOWN, April 8—Sld stmr Umbria Liverpool for New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

BERBICI, April 2—Ard. schr Foster Rice, Wentzel, Jacksonville.

COPENHAGEN, April 5—Sld ship Margarethe, Canada.

PORTSMOUTH, April 7—Ard. schr Laura C. Hall from St. John for Boston.

CITY ISLAND, April 7—Bound east, tug Prudence, Blizzard, New York for Hantsport, towing schr Gypsum Emperor, Walton N. S. and barge Newburg for Boston.

SAUNDERSTON, R. I., April 7—Ard schr Rewa., St. John for New Haven.

VINEYARD HAVEN, April 7—Sld schr Onward, St. John for New York; Ida M Bartos, do for do.

Passed—Schr Preference, St. John for New York.

BOSTON, April 8—Stmr Boston, Yarmouth; Dominion, Louisburg; Mystic, do; schr Beaver, Bear River, Bear River.

VINEYARD HAVEN, April 8—Passed, schr Phoenix, St. John, New York; Abbie C. Cole, bound west.

PORTSMOUTH, April 8—Sld schrs Laura C. Hall, St. John for Boston; Donna T. Briggs, Pleasant River for New York.

BOSTON, April 7—Ard schrs Sadie A. Holmes, Annapolis; Neva, Bear River; Conning Packet, Bellevue Cove; Andrew Peters, from Weymouth; Quetay, do.

Cld—Schr Lena Maud, St. John.

Sld—Elina, for Louisburg.

CITY ISLAND, April 8—Bound south schrs Emily F. Northam, St. John; Hilda C., Shelburne,; G. M. Porter, Calais, Me; tug Powerful Hantsport; towing schr Gypsum Empress from Walton and barges Bristol Windsor N. S.

TONSBERG, April 4—Sld bark Trio, for Canada.

RECENT CHARTERS.

British bark Charles E. Lefurgey, 938 tons Gulf to Rio Janerio, lumber $14.

British schooner Corona, 197 tons Barbados to Charlottetown, P. E. I. molasses, p. t.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, &c.

LONDON, April 5—The British steamer Forest Brook, Captain Burke, from New Orleans for Odense, &c, has arrived at Falmouth with her boilers defective. (No mention is made of the reported fire in the main hold).

It is reported that the schr Emma L. Cottingham was drifting dismasted off Havana. (The Emma L. Cottingham left Mobile March 30 for Mantanzas).

PHILADELPHIA, April 5—The schooner Ronald, from San Andreas, collided during dense fog with barge Penna, one of several barges in tow of tug Monitor. The tow was bound south. The schooner sustained damage to her rail, part of her bulwarks, cathead, stanchions and jibboom. The tug and bages proceeded.

VINEYARD HAVEN, April 5—The schr Seth M. Todd, Calais for New York, at this port, reports that while anchored last night the port anchor fouled Shovelful Shoal Buoy and not being able to clear it, was compelled to slip anchor and 15 fathoms of chain.

MARINE NOTES

PHILLADELPHIA, April 6—The British schooners Roland and Vinita arrived in port this week with honors even, after an exciting ocean race of 2000 miles from San Andreas. Each vessel, laden with 500,000 cocanuts, set sail on March 12. Capt. Wagner of the Ronald, hailed Capt. Himmelman, of the Vinita, and challenged him to a race. The challenge was accepted and both crews set to with a will.

For two days each captain kept the other in sight, but on the morning of the third a fog set in that prevented them from seeing each other. Frequent storms followed, but each master kept all sail on and pushed his boat to the limit. Late on Tuesday night the Ronald sighted Cape Henlopen off the bow port. At dusk the Vinita was seen several miles off, crowding on sail and making for the Capes.

Neck and neck the vessels passed in Delaware Breakwater, and abreast reached Reedy Island. In that position they came up the river, neither boat having gained any advantage. When the captains landed they shook hands and declared all bets off.

Deep-water sailers continue in good demand for lumber cargoes to the River Plate rates being now on an 811 basis from the Gulf to Buenos Ayres and 88 to be had from Bostin and Provincial ports. A vessel of 1,300 tons net register has been taken at this basis from the Gulf for September loading.

Grain shipments are expected to improve as soon as lake navigation is in full swing. It appears that the Canadian lake steamship companies have fixed the rate from Port William to Georgian Bay ports at 2¼ cents per bushel. The American steamship companies are carrying grain from Port William to Buffalo at 2 cents, and in some cases at 1 3-4 cents per bushel, though the haul to the latter port is longer and the rate should naturally be higher. Contracts are being made to ship grain for export via Buffalo and the American route, as against the Canadian route.—N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for classification).

RUBBER TIRES—HAVING ADDED TO our plant a solid rubber tire machine of the very latest type, we are prepared to put on Coach, Carriage and Baby Carriages and all other kinds of Solid and Cushioned Rubber Tires. R. D. COLES, 191 Charlotte street. 4-7—6 ms.

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT—willing to go to the country. Apply 56 QUEEN STREET. 4-9-3 t.

PAGE—DAVIS CO., CHICAGO, WANTS A few ambitious men to learn to write advertisements. They can earn $25 per week. Write today.

FOR SALE—1 VICTOR SAFE IN GOOD order. Will be sold for $30.00; also, storage for sleighs for the summer at VALLEY WOOD YARD. 'Phone 1227. J. Mann.

WANTED—AT ONCE, KITCHEN GIRL. Apply BOSTON RESTAURANT, Charlotte Street. 4-9-6 t.

WANTED—UNFURNISHED ROOM WITH use of bath. Apply, stating terms, to "LODGER" Times Office. 4-9-6 t.

AN EFFICIENT MILLINER for first-class trade in a provincial city. Must be a good trimmer. Address "MILLINER" Times Office. 4-9-2 t.

TO LET—TWO FLATS, SEVEN ROOMS and bath room each, at Corner of Sydney and Leinster streets, facing King Square. Apply to Amon A. Wilson, barrister at law, Chubb's Corner. 'Phone, 826. at law Chubb's Corner. 'Phone, 826. 4-9-t f.

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL AND PASTRY cook. VICTORIA HOTEL. 4-9- t. f.

WANTED—PUPILS FOR INSTRUMENTAL and vocal music. Apply to MISS H. T. McGRATH, 22 Exmouth St. 4-9-1 wk

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply 95 COBURG STREET. 4-9-3 t.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply MRS. J. A. SINCLAIR, 163 Waterloo St. 4-9-1 wk.

FOUND—AN I. C. R. TICKET, SALISbury to St. John. Owner may have it at Times office on giving date of issue and paying for this advertisement. 4-9-1 t.

WANTED—TWO CHAMBERMAIDS FOR Tremont and Alexandra Hotels. Apply on premises. References required. 4-9- 6 t.

GIRL WANTED—FOR GENERAL HOUSE work. Apply to MRS. J. S. GIBBON, 68 Union street, opposite High school. 3 t.

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ELECTION CARDS

Aldermanic Election
SYDNEY WARD.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF SAINT JOHN:

At the written request of a number of the Electors of the The City of Saint John, I offer myself as a candidate for Alderman for Sydney Ward. Soliciting your votes and support, I am, Very truly yours,

STEPHEN B. BUSTIN.

To the Electors of the City of St. John:

Ladies and Gentlemen: Having decided to offer for the office of Alderman for Lansdowne Ward, I hereby solicit your support, promising at all times to safeguard the interests of the city in all matters coming before the council, and will endeavor to carry on the business of the city in an economical and business-like manner, looking at all times to the advancement and furtherence of the city's interest. Hoping to be favored with your confidence, I remain,

Yours faithfully,
A. M. ROWAN.

To the Electors of the City of St. John:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—As a candidate for the office of Alderman for Prince Ward, I beg to solicit your support. If elected it will be my aim always to act in the best interests of the city. My experience as a contractor and man of business should be of some service in dealing with matters affecting the city. I believe that businesslike methods should be pursued by the city council, and economy joined to a progressive policy of city government. Soliciting your valued support, I remain,

Yours faithfully,
R. J. GREEN.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN.—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I will be a candidate for the office of Alderman-at-large at the forthcoming Civic Election to be held on Tuesday, the 17th April, and respectfully solicit your favor.

Yours sincerely,
T. T. LANTALUM.

To the Electors of the City of St. John.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN:

I have decided to offer as a candidate for LANSDOWNE WARD

Being a property holder I am desirous of trying to stop increasing taxation and secure better control of expenditures and if elected will impartially consider the welfare of every citizen and encourage manufacturing. I am not in a position to personally interview all of the electors.

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Wall Papers! Interior Decorations!

We enumerated last week a few of the many novelties in Paper Hangings which were included in our spring stock, but as space was limited we could not do more than mention a few. This week we try to enter more fully into details and suggestions as to the utility of some them.

LINCRUSTA WALTON.
This beautiful solid Relief decoration, (made this season for the first time in colors), can be used both independently and in combination with wall paper. Particularly useful for VESTIBULES as it is unharmed by exposure to the weather, for DADOES in HALL OR DINING ROOM, or anywhere where the wall is liable to receive a blow which would deface woodwork or break plaster. Is as easily hung as wallpaper, and will last a life time.

CROWN HANGINGS.
These effective goods can be used either from baseboard to ceiling or under a plate rail in combination with plain goods such as Burlaps, Grass Cloths or Ingrains. Very stylish for Dining Rooms, Library, Living Room, etc.

TWO-TONE PAPERS.
We have a large Stock of these goods in Pressed Relief goods and Flat colors. They are particularly adapted to Drawing Rooms, where a background for Pictures is desired.

VARNISH TILES.
Excellent for KITCHENS, BATH ROOMS, dark BACK HALLS. Will wash down and always look bright and fresh.

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