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The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Ready-to-wear Coats, Jackets and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.



Damask Table Linen, Extra Value.

60 inch Bleached Table Damask at 60c. yard.

64 inch Bleached Table Damask at 75c. yard.

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70 inch Bleached Table Damask at $1.00 yard.

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Irish Table Linen,

In cream or half bleached shade, good heavy cloth with a nice, bright finish, and at the prices marked are extra value.

56 inch Heavy Table Linen at 28c., 30c., 32c. yard.

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White Satin Striped Waisting,

33 inches wide, in a number of pretty patterns, broad and narrow stripes; special at 19c. yard.

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New goods at very low prices. At 5c. yard we show goods from 1 1-2 inches to 4 inches wide; at 6c., 7c., 8c., 9c., 10c., 12c., 14c., 15c. and up to 40c. a yard, you will find special value.

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95 and 101 King Street.



SHOES FOR Confirmation.

Newest Shapes, Latest Styles, All Materials.

Bring or send the Boys and Girls to us, we will do the rest. . . . .

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We Have Pounded Down the Prices on Our Skirts and Waists

To such surprising figures that people wonder how we do it.

Never mind that—just look at the goods we are offering, and you'll quickly be convinced that they are worth more dollars than those you're asked to pay.

SKIRTS.

Navy and Black Cloth Skirts, $4.25
Light Grey Fancy Cloth Skirts, $4.25.
Light Grey Homespun Skirts, $4.15.
Plain Navy and Brown Skirts, $2.98.
Black Cloth Skirts, $2.85.
Misses' Skirts in Light and Dark Blue and Black, $2.00 and $2.15.

WAISTS.

White Lawn Waists, 70c., 75c., 95c., $1.10, $1.15, $1.40, $1.50, $1.85.
Fancy Cambric Waists, 50c., 70c., 75c.
Lustre Waists, Plain Colors and Black, $1.40 and $1.85.
Black Sateen Waists, $1.10 and $1.45.

S. W. McMACKIN,

Successor to Sharp & McMackin, 335 Main Street, North End.

A Zephyr-Weight Straw Hat

One that gives that much desired **Cool** and **Comfortable** feeling on a warm day **Extra Light Weight, Boater Shape**, made from a Tubular Straw. **$1.25 is the price**. Other Straws in profusion.

Fine **Split** and **Senuit** Straws in Boater and other equally good shapes, **75c. to $3.00.**

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17 Charlotte Street.

2 CANS Red Clover SALMON For 25c.

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562 and 564 Main St., ST. JOHN, N. B.



$5.00.

BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED.

We make the Best $5.00 Gold Crown in the City.

Teeth without plates.. .. ..$5.00
Gold fillings from $1.00
Silver and other filling from .. ..50c.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.
Consultation .. .. FREE
The Famous Hale Method.

Boston Dental Parlors.

THE WEATHER

Friday, June 22.

Forecasts — Moderate southwest to south winds, fair and warm. Local showers or thunderstorms, chiefly on Saturday and Sunday.

Synopsis — Very unsettled conditions continue in Ontario and rain has now reached the lower St. Lawrence Valley. To Banks and American ports, moderate southwest to south winds.

Sable Island — Southwest wind, 12 miles, clear.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON.

Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 62
Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 50
Temperature at noon 56
Humidity at noon 57
Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Fah.), 29.80 inches.
Wind at noon — Direction S, velocity 14 miles per hour.
Same date last year—Highest temperature 75, lowest 63. Weather fine.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

WASHINGTON WEATHER REPORT.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Eastern states and northern New York—Showers tonight and Saturday, light to fresh southwest to west winds.

LATE LOCALS

Ald. Vanwart last evening remembered a number of his friends with choice specimens of a fine catch of large trout taken from Theobald Lake.

The tug Lord Wolsely left yesterday for Weymouth with the Windsor, N. S., schooner King of Avon in tow, to load lumber for New York.

All persons who have exchange tickets for the Gypsy Festival are requested to make their returns to the secretary in St. Malachi's Hall this evening between 7 and 9 o'clock.

The steamer St. Croix, Captain Thompson, landed 123 passengers from Boston last evening. The steamer sailed on her return trip this morning with 80 boxes of fresh salmon and 1,054 bags clams.

Perham & Stuart, the well-known firm of electrical contractors, Fredericton, have been awarded the contract for the installing of an electric light system in the new drill hall there.

Hampton & St. Martins Saturday excursions now on. Fare St. John to St. Martins, $1.60 for round trip. Through car on suburban train leaving St. John 13.15. No change at Hampton Jct.

Special attention is called to the Union Clothing Company's advt. on page 3. They are offering some splendid values in men's, youths' and boys' clothing. After reading their adv. they are sure people cannot resist the temptation they are offering.

Do not miss the sale of boys' vacation suits at Henderson & Hunt's on Saturday and Monday, as they are offering exceptionally good bargains in these goods, and it is a splendid chance to get the boy fixed up for the summer months, so that he can enjoy his holidays. See advertisement on page 2. Sale at Henderson & Hunt's, 40-42 King street and 553-555 Main street, north end.

About three thousand five hundred boys were loosed from their schoolrooms in this city today and are now free for over two months. What a strenuous two months they will be, and how those boys' clothing will be put to the test. At M. R. A's tomorrow the sale of Hewson Tweed Pants and Wash Suits will be continued for the convenience of parents who had not the time to call earlier. If the lads are going to be sent away to the country or elsewhere on Monday, be sure and see these goods first.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. S. Thomas and family leave this evening for their summer residence, Willow Point, Brown's Flats.

Miss Tillie Thomas left today for Dorchester, accompanied by Miss Jean Barnes of Sackville.

Foster A. Cass, the well known and popular guide and trapper of Taymouth, York Co., says there is excellent shooting to be had this season in the Cains River county.

Arthur V. Branscombe, of Manchester Robertson Allison's, Ltd, millinery section, leaves tonight for Quebec, where he will take passage upon the C. P. R. steamship Empress of Britain for London. Mr. Branscombe will be away about two months buying staple and novelty headwear for the fall seasons. He buys in Paris, London, and the other European centres.

Miss Allie Burns, who has been taking a course as a student of nursing in the hospital at Ottawa for two years, is at home on a visit.

J. J. Stewart of the Halifax Herald is in the city today.

A GOOD SHOW

"Weary Willie Walker" as produced at the Opera House last night, found much favor with the large audience present. While dignified by the advance advertising with the name of a musical comedy, it is practically an up-to-date burlesque show, full of snap and ginger from rise to fall of curtain. The music is tuneful and catchy, the songs bright and new, and the fun—while some is rather rough—is much better than one finds in the usual entertainment of this kind.

The comedians, Messrs. Perry, Doherty and Giles, are winners in their particular line, and they make about as funny a trio as local theatre goers have seen for many a day.

The chorus—a most important feature—is strong, decidedly good looking and vivacious and splendidly equipped in the line of costumes. Every member is an entertainer, and the songs, dances, chorus numbers and marches are rendered particularly well.

Taken in all "Weary Willie Walker" is a first class example of a popular "hot weather" show where the fun comes fast and furious and there is plenty to please the eye and tickle the risibilities of any theatre goer who wants to be amused.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS

Steamer St. John City arrived at Halifax yesterday at 3 a. m. She comes to this port.

Battle liner Tanagra sailed from Swansea for Hopewell Cape yesterday.

Battle line steamer Albuera arrived at New York yesterday from Huelva.

Battle line steamer Platea passed Cape Henry at 6 a. m. today from Narvik for Baltimore.

The Furness steamship Annapolis has been placed on the Liverpool route, calling at St. John's, Nfld., and Halifax, going and coming. The steamer will sail tomorrow with a large general cargo. The eight men of the wrecked steamer Etolia, who came by the steamer Senlac last Wednesday, will be sent home by the Annapolis.

ST. JOHN'S DAY SERVICES

The members of the Masonic Fraternity will attend Divine service at St. John's (Stone) church on Sunday afternoon next, being St. John's Day, at four o'clock.

Sermon by Rev. W. H. Sampson, Grand Chaplain.

CHANGES AMONG ARMY OFFICERS

New Appointments of Salvation Army Officers Announced From Headquarters Today.

The midsummer change of officers in the various provincial corps of the Salvation Army will take place at once, the list at provincial headquarters being as follows:

Ensign Trickey and wife and Capt. Thistle, from Sydney, C. B., to Hamilton, Bermuda.

Ensign Green and Capt. New from Amherst, N. S., to Somerset, Bermuda.

Capt. Ella James, from Sackville to Southampton, Bermuda.

Capt. Kenney from furlough to St. George's, Bermuda.

Ensign Lorimer from Fredericton to New Aberdeen, C. B.

Ensign Greenland and Capt. Lee from Chatham to Sydney, C. B.

Capt. Netting and Lt. Moore from Louisburg to Inverness.

Lt. Gelkins from New Glasgow to Port Hood.

Ensign J. Clark and Lt. Stairs, from Halifax, No. 1, to Sydney Mines.

Capt. Brace and Lt. McLean from St. John, No. 2, to Carleton.

Ensign Cornish and Lt. Clark from Springhill to St. John No. 1.

Capt. Levons and Capt. Dalzell from Truro to St. John No. 2.

Capt. Urquhart from Campbellton to St. John No. 3.

Capt. Emery from Springhill to St. John No. 5.

Capt. Glen from Newcastle to Halifax, N. 1.

Capt. Vandine and Capt. Smyth from Somerset, Bermuda, to Chatham.

Capt. Tatum from St. John, No. 1, to Newcastle.

Capt. Falle from Fredericton to Hillsboro.

Ensign Piercie and Capt. Reeves from St. John No. 1 to Charlottetown.

Ensign J. Green from St. John, No. 5, to Amherst.

Capt. Conrad and Lt. Addy from Annapolis to Londonderry.

Capt. Murphy from Southampton, Bermuda, to Springhill.

Capt. White from Carleton to Truro.

Capt. Merthough from furlough to Sackville.

Capt. McWilliams from Lunenburg to Sackville.

Capt. M. James from New Aberdeen to Fredericton.

Capt. Fraser and Lt. Day from Lunenburg to Annapolis.

Capt. B. Taylor, from Carleton to Bridgetown.

Capt. Miller from Londonderry to Parrsboro.

A united meeting will be held next Monday night in Carleton barracks, lead by Major Phillips. At this meeting the officers leaving the city will say farewell and public welcome will be given to Adjutant Broaster and Ensign Dunster, the newly appointed matron and assistant at the Evangeline Home.

Another change in the officers will be made during the coming fall. Commissioner Coombs will visit the province in July or August, but no dates have yet been fixed upon.

Haggard Plan Condemned

LONDON, June 21.—Parliamentary papers have been issued containing the report of the departmental committee appointed by Arthur Lyttleton when secretary for the colonies, to inquire into H. Rider Haggard's recommendation for the establishment of agricultural settlements in the British colonies.

The report is unfavorable.

The committee consider Mr. Haggard's scheme too large and the management of a religious body (referring to the Salvation Army) is undesirable.

"I LOVE HIS BROTHER"

Husband's Dying Plea in Police Court Fails to Retain His Wife's Love.

NEW YORK, June 22—While her husband lay at his home, 2 Forest avenue, Jersey City, almost dead from consumption, Mrs. Hanah Gretchel left him and her two pretty children to run away with her brother in law. When she appeared in court the husband was carried in by his mother to face the pair. But they did not care, for they laughed and talked while he almost gasped for breath.

For a long time Albert Gretchel has been slowly dying of the dread disease. When the husband was carried into court today before Judge Manning little Harold who did not understand the proceedings, followed behind crying. He knew only that his mother had left home. The husband looked up in a pitiful manner at the judge and asked:

"Why couldn't they wait till I was dead it wouldn't be long?"

But the wife did not answer him. She told the court that she no longer cared for him, but she was in love with the brother and would stick to him forever. He, too said that he would stick to her.

Mrs. Gretchel was held in $500 bail and the young man in $300. But they could not furnish the money and they were led back to a cell.

CLAIMS $2,500 DAMAGES

The case of Ex-alderman W. C. R. Allan against the City of St. John, which was to have been taken up in the circuit court this morning, has been postponed until Monday next.

Mr. Allan's action is for $2,500 damages for injury which he claims to have sustained while driving on Douglas avenue on May 7 last, having collided with a barricade erected about an excavation, near Riverview Park, and been thrown to the ground, sustaining injuries that laid him up for about four months. Mr. Allan is represented by L. A. Currey, K. C., and Recorder Skinner will act for the city.

POLICE REPORTS

Weldon Harris has been reported for working in the city without a license.

Wesley Blennis, Morton MacDonald and Wm. Webb have been reported for working in the employ of the Central Telephone Company without licenses, not being rate payers.

The cornice around the top of the Furlong building on Charlotte street is in a dangerous condition, part of it having fallen to the sidewalk. The remainder is loose and liable to fall at any time.

It was learned at police headquarters today that the pocketbook containing $49 which was supposed to have been taken from Wm. White, a C. P. R. news agent on Wednesday last by Frank Danaher, was found in the depot the following day by Dan Britt.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO

Long Silk Gloves

In Black, White and Navy Blue.

"ONYX" FAST BLACK COTTON STOCKINGS in Lisle Thread and Cotton at 35, 40 45 and 50c. per pair. They are the best made, costs no more than common makes. Sold only in St. John at our store.

NEW NET AND SPOT VEILINGS Latest designs in Fancy Braid for Waist, Jacket and Skirt Trimmings.

NEW AND RICH DESIGNS IN DRESDEN RIBBONS for Waist Belts, Neck Wear, etc. 6 inches wide, 25c. per yard, 8 inches wide, 35c. per yard.

BLACK SILK GRENADINES for Dresses, they are double width full 42 inches wide and only 85 cents per yard for pure, all silk Brocha Grenadines.

A FEW PARIS LACE AND LAWN DRESSES with Skirt ready made and enough material to match each costume for the waist.

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CORSET SALE

45 Cts. a Pair.

By Special Purchase from the Manufacturer we are able to sell regular 75c. Corsets for the above price.

Ten different styles, all sizes. Colors, Drab and White

I. CHESTER BROWN,

32 and 36 King Square.

Black Cotton Hose, Tan Cotton Hose,

16c. Pair, Two Pairs for 30c. They Are Exceptional Value.

BLACK COTTON HOSE, with White Feet, are the proper thing to wear if your feet burn they will be nice and cool; 25 cents a pair.

LACE LISLE HOSE in Black and Leather Shades at 25 cents a pair.

LISLE, COTTON AND CASHMERE HOSE in Black and Tan Shades, various qualities and all sizes.

Special Out Sizes in Black Cotton and Cashmeres.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27 and 29 Charlotte Street

Soft-Front Coat Shirts, $1 to $2!

NEW "SALEM" PATENT SOLD ONLY BY US IN ST. JOHN.

In Plain Blues, Champagne, White

And dainty patterns. These are the rich, tasty shirts you see on visitors from big cities. Made in the free-and-easy coat style, with Adjustable Neckband that does away with all fractional collar sizes.



"Aertex" Cellular Shirts, $1.50

The great English hot weather shirt, porous, cool and yet dressy. Durable and healthful.

New Negligee Shirts, From $1.00 Up.

With cream grounds and stripe effects. In Silk and Cashmere Mixtures. In Mattings, Gros Grains, Linens, Percales, Oxfords, Zephyrs, etc. All colors.

THE NEW SOFT COLLARS, 25c. EACH.

MEN AND BOYS' OUTFITTING SECTION.

☞See the Window Exhibit☜

PLAIN AND FANCY

Lisle Hose for Ladies.

SUMMER STYLES.

In Black:

PLAIN BLACK LISLE HOSE, 30c., 35c., 40c. pair.
ALL LACE BLACK LISLE HOSE, 40c., 45c., 50c. 60c.
LACE ANKLE BLACK LISLE HOSE, 30c., 35c., 40c., 45c.
LACE AND EMBROIDERED BLACK LISLE HOSE, 40c. to 55c.
EMBROIDERED ANKLE BLACK LISLE HOSE, 40c. and 45c.

In Tans:

PLAIN TAN LISLE HOSE, 30c., 35c., 40c., 55c. pair.
LACE ANKLE TAN LISLE HOSE, 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c.
ALL LACE TAN LISLE HOSE, 40c., 45c., 50c., 60c.
LACE AND EMBROIDERED TAN LISLE HOSE, 40c. and 45c.

Children's Summer Hose.

MAIN STORE.

TO MOTHERS!

BARGAINS FOR YOUR BOYS.

TWEED PANTS, 73c. Pr.

MADE OF THE BEST HEWSON CLOTH, in many colors and patterns. Worth twice as much money. A special "snap-purchase" to sell at bargains. Boys 6 to 17 years.

WASH SUITS, 49c. Up.

IN THE POPULAR SAILOR PATTERN—Boys 3 to 10 years. All good new stock in Cambrics, Galateas, Ducks, Linens, Chambrays, etc. Very prettily trimmed. Sale prices: 49c., 59c., 69c., 99c. $1.19, $1.49.

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