

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies Coats, Skirts and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Xmas Handkerchiefs

Over 2,000 boxes of fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, put up in pretty Christmas boxes, two fine Handkerchiefs in each box, at a special price for Christmas shoppers, 25 cents box. Fine Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, at 10c., 12 1/2c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. and 75c. each. Bebe Irish Lace Edged Handkerchiefs, special at 25c., 29c., 35c., 40c., 60c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25 each. KID GLOVES, at 75c., 79c., \$1.00 and \$1.25 pair. Colors tans, browns, grays, black and white. Sizes 5 3/4 to 7 1/2. LADIES' NECKWEAR JUST RECEIVED New Robespierre Collars, in all the latest shapes, satin, silk and lace trimmed, 29c. to \$1.25 each.

DOWLING BROTHERS 95 and 101 King Street

Something Doing In Ladies' Waists

We have over five hundred Waists that have come to hand in the last ten days. These were bought especially for the Christmas trade and comprise Lawns, Silks, Lace and Cloths. They are exclusive styles and not seen in other stores, and as this is the Waist Store of St. John, you can depend on getting the very best styles at extreme low prices. For instance, there are ten different patterns in Lawn Waists that we have placed on sale at the popular price of \$1.00. They are the usual \$1.25 quality. There are handsome Allover Lawn Waists, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Silk Waists, in an immense variety of styles and colors, from \$2.75 to \$7.50. Lace Waists, from \$2.75 to \$6.50. Cloth Waists, from \$1.75 to \$3.75. Voile Waists, in the daintiest of designs, from \$1.89 to \$3.50.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. 59 Charlotte Street

FURS AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS ARE SEASONABLE, SENSIBLE, ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE

Can you think of anything that would be more acceptable than Stylish Comfortable Furs? Our rich assortment, which awaits your inspection, includes many attractive effects in Muffs, Throws, Collars, Gloves, Fur and Fur Lined Coats, made from choice, plump pelts, among the most favored being Lynx, Wolf, Mink, Blue Fox, and Marmot. MAKE SELECTIONS EARLY.

J. L. Thorne & Co. The Centre for Seasonable Roadwear 55 Charlotte Street

DON'T STAND IN THE SHADOW OF DOUBT IF YOU WANT A Suitable Gift for Men or Boys

Come to us and have a look at our line of Sweater Coats and Sweaters, and you will no longer hesitate. Men's Sweater Coats, - - 85c. to \$4.25 Men's Sweaters, - - 75c. to 2.35 Men's Cardigan Jackets, \$1.35 1.50, 1.75 Boys' Sweater Coats, - - 75c. to 1.75 Boys' Sweaters, - - 50c. to 75c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

If You Are Thinking of Purchasing a Piano Before Christmas

be sure to call and examine our beautiful assortment of Heintzman & Co. Pianos, also Wormwith & Co. Pianos, which we are now offering at greatly reduced prices until Christmas. Easy terms of payment if required. Sole agents for the genuine old Heintzman & Co. Pianos for New Brunswick.

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co. Royal Hotel Block, 53 Germain street St. John, N. B.

LOCAL NEWS

TRAINS LATE. The Montreal train was about an hour late today in reaching the city while the Boston was twenty minutes behind time.

NEW FACTORY'S OUTPUT SOLD. The entire output of the Palmer McLellan Sloopcock Company, Limited, of Fredericton, for their first year has all been contracted for.

POLICE SHIFT. Policemen Gossie and Oliver have been transferred to the North End division, and will in future do duty in the northern part of the city.

TO MEMORANDUM. His Lordship's Bishop LeBlanc left at noon today for Memramcook to be present tomorrow at a celebration there in honor of the feast of the Holy Trinity. A reception is to be held in his honor and a substantial testimonial will be presented to him.

THE BATTLE LINE. S.S. "Panda" Captain Wright, from Santa Fe, arrived at Havre on Sunday, S.S. "Reitia," Captain Crossley, arrived at Cardiff Sunday from Antwerp, for River Plate. S.S. "Himera," Captain Toque, bound for Buenos Ayres via St. Lucia, sailed from Penzance on Saturday.

TO BE REPAIRED. The necessary repairs to the coal pocket in the I. C. R. yard will probably be begun today. An order was sent to Moncton for the renewal of the arm which broke off and this is now on the way here. Meanwhile the process of hand-cooling the engines still continues.

THE ARMORY. Most of the workmen who are engaged at the new armory in Sheffield street will be laid off on Wednesday, and the work discontinued until a few days after the beginning of the New Year. It is the intention of the contractor, however, to resume work then and continue operations all winter.

MISS ALICE DOHERTY. The death of Miss Alice Doherty occurred yesterday at the Monastery of the Good Shepherd. She was fourteen years of age and formerly resided in Riverside, Albert county. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, funeral services being conducted by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

THE CANADIAN CLUB. There is a treat in store for the members of the Canadian Club on Thursday evening, when Principal Hutton, of University College, Toronto, will speak on Canada's Place in the Empire. Dr. Hutton is a gifted speaker. The meeting will be held at the club's assembly room, with luncheon, at a quarter past six, on Thursday evening.

BISHOP IS OUT OF DANGER. Frederick Gleason, Saturday-Bishop Richardson's condition shows considerable improvement today and the physicians, who operated on him last week, are confident that he is now out of danger. If the bishop continues to improve at the present rate it will only be a matter of several weeks before he will have regained his good health.

THEFT FROM ARMORY. Major A. H. Anderson, of St. John, Captain W. A. McKeown, of Moncton, and a board of enquiry, to look into the matter of breaking into the Moncton Club, and the theft of a number of Ross rifles, ammunition, etc. The board will likely meet this week.

DEATH OF JOHN BURKE. The death of John Burke occurred this morning at his home, 6 Courtenay street. He was a son of the late William and Mary Burke, and had been ill for some time. He was a master painter by trade. One brother, Robert, and one sister, Ellen, survive. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home.

DIED IN BOSTON. The body of Mrs. Akersley, widow of Henry Akersley, was brought to the city today on the Boston train and the funeral took place from the residence of Mrs. Hutchings officiated. Friends and relatives were assembled and attended the funeral. Mrs. Akersley was well known in the North End where she had resided until about two years ago. She died in Boston on Saturday.

MARRIED HERE. Rev. Dr. D. Hutchinson officiated at a pretty wedding at his home on Saturday evening, when he united in marriage Alexander Guy Sears, of Hillsboro, Albert county, and Miss Martha Pearl Berry, of St. John, formerly of Moncton. They were attended by William Jones and Mrs. Sadie Jones of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Sears will make their home in Hillsboro.

PORTER-JOHNSON. A wedding of interest took place on Saturday evening at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, when he united in marriage Walter J. Porter, of Jamaica Plains, and Miss Minnie A. Johnson, of Tabernacle, N. B. They were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Porter will spend about two months visiting in the province before leaving for Jamaica Plains to reside.

THE LUDLAM HERE. The schooner Sallie E. Ludlam arrived in port Saturday afternoon from Digby. The schooner sprung a leak while on a voyage a few days ago and has been lying at Digby. She was able to proceed to this port under her own sail, however, but will probably be laid up here for repairs. The schooner is loaded with lumber.

NIGHT FERRY IS OFF. The night ferry is off the route again. The owners believed that the certificate of the inspector of the Motor Boat Club was sufficient, but have been advised that the boat must be passed by the government inspectors. As they are both out of town there is nothing for it but to take her off the route for the present. This news will be heard with regret by patrons of the service.

RETRIBUTION. A sailor who had shipped a little too much wet ballast on Saturday, while traveling near Sussex on the east bound train leaving here about noon, took strong objection to the new agent, Harris Daley, going through the car and keeping him from sleeping it off, by calling out his name. He endeavored to best the boy to his utter satisfaction. He did, too. He gave the young fellow a fer he had done but his own experience in reciprocity so he was none too pleased. The conductor was a firm believer in reciprocity and as the case in question was, stopping him and the nautical man met with none too cheerful a handing when it became known what he had done. He was given over to the police in Moncton and in the police court there was sentenced to three months in jail for his action.

MR. ANSON MAKES READY DETAILS OF SUGAR REFINERY

(Moncton Witness, Friday) F. H. Anson, managing director of the new Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited, returned today from New York where he met representatives of the firm of Mir-Jess, Watson & Co., of Glasgow, who will have charge of the construction work of the plant at St. John, N. B., and J. F. Stillman, the sugar refiner's expert, under whose direction the plant will be designed and operated. Mr. Anson said that the plans and specifications were well under way, and that they would probably be ready for consideration at a board meeting here early in January. The St. John refinery will be one of the most modern in Canada, and will contain many improvements not hitherto seen in any refinery in Canada or the United States. It is asserted that for economical operation and facility for production the new plant will be equal to any of the largest refineries in the old country.

THREE BOYS FINED

Another Step in the Keep-of-the-Streets-at-Night Campaign

As a result of the crusade started last week by Commissioner McLellan and the police force, three young lads were arraigned in the juvenile court this morning on the charge of being members of disorderly crowds, and one of them had an additional charge of immorality to answer to. Policeman Briggs, who has been doing plain clothes duty, made two of the arrests and Policeman Addison made the third. One of the boys was charged with being a member of a disorderly crowd in Backer street last night. Policeman Briggs told of being in the vicinity and of hearing a lot of shouting. He ran after the boys and caught one. The boy resisted and used profane language. The boy pleaded not guilty, but on the strength of the evidence submitted he was fined \$5 or two months in jail. The second was charged with shouting in Portland street near the Methodist church. He was told by the court that for this offence he could be fined \$50 or six months in jail. A fine of \$8 or two months in jail was imposed. The third was charged with being a member of a disorderly crowd in Brunswick street last night. A fine of \$8 or two months in jail was also imposed. His Honor again issued a warning to all boys who are arrested on this charge. "The authorities are determined to stamp out this evil," said His Honor, and it is their intention to start right away. Again I might say that it is not their fault, it is wholly the children's fault, but the fault is of the good Christian parents in the city who do not take the time or trouble to look after their children. They leave them to run around the streets at night, and cannot expect very good results from their boys and girls."

WAS 92 YEARS OLD

John Jackson Died Today—Came Here With Fifteenth

The death of John Jackson, an old and respected citizen of St. John, occurred at the home of his son, Daniel T. Jackson, 9 Hospital street, early this morning. Mr. Jackson was ninety-two years of age, he enjoyed good health until about a month ago, when he was seized with an illness from which he never recovered. Mr. Jackson was born in Finchard, Eng., but came to St. John when quite young and had resided here ever since. He was a gardener by trade. He came to St. John with the 15th Regiment when they came out from England, and having served his time, the regiment and took up his residence here. He was married three times. One son, Daniel T. Jackson, an employee of the St. John Telegraph Pub. Co., and one daughter, Mrs. Nathan Benjamin, of Loch Lemond, survive. Four grandsons and three granddaughters also survive. Mr. Jackson had many friends in this city and elsewhere who will hear of his death with regret. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of his son in Hospital street.

FOR THE ORPHANS

The following subscriptions are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer of the St. John Protestant Orphans' Home: Joseph Allan \$25.00, George McKeen \$20.00, Jas. F. Robertson \$20.00, Chas. H. Harte \$20.00, Joseph Finkay \$10.00, The Can-Drug Co. \$10.00, Watsbury \$10.00, Henry H. Cochran, Bloomfield, K. C. \$5.00, J. E. Secord \$5.00, J. Willard Smith \$5.00, Mrs. W. H. Barnaby \$5.00, Geo. A. Horton \$5.00, The Telegraph Pub. Co. \$5.00, H. A. Powell \$5.00, Mrs. T. S. Simms \$5.00, F. R. Fitzweather \$5.00, Mrs. F. Mahoney \$5.00, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson \$5.00, W. J. S. Miles \$5.00, Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin \$5.00, Wm. Fraser \$5.00.

WINTERPORT NOTES

The S. S. Manchester Shipper sailed from Manchester on Sunday for this port with a large general cargo. The S.S. Kasawha will sail this afternoon for London via Halifax. The Allan liner Virginian, which arrived in Halifax yesterday, left there at 8:30 o'clock this morning for this port, and is due here tomorrow morning. She will bring 279 passengers to Sand Point. The Donaldson liner Athena is due to arrive here on Wednesday with 146 passengers.

AUTO RAN AWAY

A novel sight was presented yesterday afternoon in Main street when an automobile was seen striking a course from Acadia street down the hill, moving slowly with no chauffeur's hand to guide its movements. It kept on until about opposite the store conducted by R. McConnon when the machine suddenly reversed and ran into the sidewalk, stopping when it bumped into the iron wire gates in the front of the store. No damage was done. It is supposed that some boys were tampering with the auto while it was standing near the corner of Acadia street, and that it was thus started.

Give Father, Brother or Husband an Overcoat for Christmas

We've reduced the price of every Man's and Boy's Overcoat in our store, and thus made it possible for Christmas buyers to secure such sensible gifts at rock bottom prices.

H. N. DeMILLE & CO. 199 to 201 Union street Opera House block

Over-Gaiters That Are Made-to-Fit!

Our Over-Gaiters and Leggings are Tailor Made which is a guarantee to you that they are cut by experts and that the cloth is properly shrunk. The seams are sewed with silk and that the Gaiters are finished with the same care you expect a tailor to give a coat—we guarantee the fit.

The Slater Shoe Shop, 81 KING Street.

SALE OF MISSES' AND SMALL WOMEN'S WINTER COATS

These coats are all new and in this season's style. Single breasted with convertible collar. All man tailored from pretty tweed mixtures. Every garment guaranteed. Grey or Bronze Mixed Tweed Coats, regular price \$8.50, Sale Price \$6.64 Medium Grey or Bronze Diagonal Tweed Coats, regular price \$9.00, Sale Price 7.20 Heather Mixture Rough Finished Tweed, black and grey, Diagonal Tweed, Bronze Tweed, Mixed Tweed Coats, regular price \$10.00, Sale Price 7.95 Bronze Diagonal Cheviot Coats, regular price 11.00, Sale Price 8.80 Fine Brown and Black Check Tweed Coats, regular price \$12.00, Sale Price 9.60 Brown Fancy Stripe Tweed Coats, plain back, regular price \$13.00, Sale Price 10.40

SPECIAL LOT OF GIRLS' COATS AT HALF PRICE

Clearing out a lot of Girls' Winter Coats, navy blue color, in single and double breasted styles. In sizes to fit girls 12 to 16 years. Half Price. No Coats On Approval. Alterations Free of Charge.

KING STREET COR. GERMAIN GREATER OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

Extra Specials for Tuesday at Pidgeon's

Table with columns for BOYS' CLOTHING and MEN'S CLOTHING, listing various items and prices.

Our Mid-Season Christmas Opportunity Sale is a wonderful money saving opportunity.

C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts.

GIFTS OF FURS ARE MOST ACCEPTABLE

Magee's Furs as gifts add much to the joy of Christmas, and from all indications this year more of them will be given than ever, so we are prepared with a splendid stock.

Blue Wolf Stoles \$25.00 to \$35.00 Black Wolf Stoles \$35.00, \$40.00 Blue Wolf Muffs \$25.00, \$30.00 Black Wolf Muffs \$20.00, \$25.00, \$35.00 Blue Lynx Stoles \$40.00 Persian Lamb Ties and Stoles \$18.50 to \$50.00 Blue Wolf Muffs \$40.00 Persian Lamb Muffs \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00

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