

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

Rare Money Saving Opportunities

- January Clearance in all Departments
- Sale of Lace Neckwear—That we have been selling at 35c, 40c. and 45c. Your choice for.....25c.
 - Sale of Silk Knitted Mufflers—Worth 75c. and 85c. Your choice for.....69c.
 - Sale of Ladies' Cashmere Hose.....At 25c.
 - Sale of Ladies' Undervests.....At 25c.
 - Sale of Ladies' Black Tights.....At 39c.
 - Sale of Silk Hair Ribbons.....At 10c.
 - Sale of Men's Silk Ties.....At 35c.
 - Sale of Ladies' Winter Gloves.....At 25c.

DOWLING BROS.
95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S

The New Spring Dress Goods Are Beginning to Arrive!

The First Lot Opened Today — Brocades And Plaids Are Featured Strongly.

We are showing a full range of colors in Brocaded Wool Dress material at the popular price of 86 cents. These are the newest things that are being shown. The tartan plaid for combination suits and separate skirts will be a strong feature for the spring season. These goods we are showing are 56 inches wide, pure wool material, and prices at \$1.00 and \$1.25.

You have, no doubt, noticed that fashion journals are talking the above material stronger than any other weaves.

You ought to buy your material early and get them in the hands of the dressmaker while she is not rushed, then your garment will be made better and you will be more likely to get just what you want.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
59 Charlotte Street

Bargains in Fashionable Furs

25 to 50
Per Cent.
MAMMOTH
REDUCTION

Seldom, if ever, again will you be offered such Extraordinary Values in Nicer Things in Furs. The pelts, without exception, are of Excellent Quality, and styles follow, closely, the Latest Word of Fashion.

J. L. THORNE & CO., Hatters & Furriers
55 Charlotte St.

HOSIERY FOR ALL THE FAMILY

There's no need to pay high prices for hosiery in order to get long wear or fine qualities. It's all a matter of where you buy. We call particular attention to our durable school hose for boys and girls, also to our popular price line of cashmere hose and half hose for men and women.

- Children's Wool Hose (extra strong).....special 25c.
- Children's Ribbed Cashmere Hose.....22c. to 50c.
- Children's Plain Cashmere Hose.....22c. to 28c.
- Women's Plain Cashmere Hose.....25c.
- Women's Plain Cashmere Hose, (special) 36c. pair, or 3 pairs for \$1.00.
- Women's Cashmere Or Lama Hose.....50c., 55c. and 60c.

McCall's Patterns, 10 and 15c.

S. W. McMACKIN
335 Main Street



JUDGE GRAMMER BUYS FINE HOME

Walter Allison House in Germain Street — Purchase By W. J. Fraser—Other Transfers

It is reported that Mr. Justice W. C. H. Grammer has purchased W. C. Allison's handsome residence in Germain street, and will make his home there, his appointment to the supreme court bench having made it necessary for him to remove from St. Stephen to St. John. William J. Fraser, of Fraser, Fraser & Company, has purchased from William Paterson, formerly of St. John, and now of Toronto, his freehold property in Princess street. The property includes the lot numbers 103 and 104, with a frontage of forty feet and running back to the Trinity church property with a three story double brick building containing two stores and two dwellings.

Sale of Three
The sales of three residential properties have been completed by Taylor & Sweeney. The properties are as follows: Double tenement dwelling, leasehold lot, Celebration street, William K. Crawford to Edward A. Lawrenson.

Double tenement and barn, leasehold lot, 23 by 100 feet, Victoria street, John W. Hunter to Mrs. Ida B. Thorne.

Double tenement dwelling, leasehold lot, 25 by 100 feet, 49 Zarnmouth street, Simon Martin to Thomas G. Dyer.

The following transfers of freehold properties have been recorded: Fenton Land and Building Co., Ltd., to A. C. Paddock, property in Lancaster.

L. B. Knight to Bank of British North America, property in King street east.

Mrs. George Leonard, et al. to Ethel W. wife of S. E. Elkin, property corner of Orange and Carmarthen streets.

Executors of Jane Mitchell to Mrs. Mary A. Avery, property in Fairville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, et al. to F. B. Hazen, property in Great Marsh road.

The following transfers of leasehold properties have been recorded: C. B. Allen to John Spaine, property in Water street.

Mrs. Jessie, wife of Thomas McMasters to William Armstrong, property in Moore street.

King County
The transfers of the following freehold properties in Kings County have been recorded: A. A. Allan to G. W. Fowler, property in Sussex.

William Blagden to R. D. Campbell, property in Westfield.

Frederick Crabb, to R. W. D. Sanford, property in Greenwich.

G. A. Dobson to S. B. White, property in Sussex.

Trustee of W. C. Drury to Newfoundland Improvement Co. Ltd., four properties in St. John.

Margaret A. Leiper to R. H. Leiper, \$1,200, property in St. John.

F. A. McDonald, to James Carson, \$100, property in Havelock.

R. S. Yeomans to G. W. Cripps, \$800, property in Hampton.

AGREE ON CHECKERS' MATTER BUT DETAILS ARE NOT GIVEN OUT

The sessions of the board of arbitration in the checkers' dispute were ended yesterday. Last evening the findings with recommendations were forwarded to Ottawa. An unanimous agreement was reached by the members, but the details have not been disclosed.

LOCAL NEWS

SURPRISE PARTY
A very pleasant time was spent last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee, St. George street west, when friends called and gave them a surprise. The evening was spent in a pleasant manner and refreshments were served.

DISORDERLY BOYS AT BROOKVILLE
Last evening the skaters at Brookville were much annoyed by some small boys who threw into a brook boots and rapiers owned by the skaters. Fortunately the boys' names are known and it is said they will be brought to court.

QUEEN SQUARE READING CLUB
The Queen Square Reading Club met last evening at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Williams, Germain street. Miss Kennedy, who spent three months last summer in the British Isles, gave a very interesting talk on her visit and the interest was increased by profuse illustrations in lantern views. Dainty refreshments were served.

CAN YOU BEAT IT?
For a long time the champion man in the Maritime Province lived near Woodstock and he won his title through having his barn whitewashed as a birthday present for his wife. Then the title seemed to pass to an Amherst man who used to stop his dollar clock every morning, because he could get the time from the post office clock and save the wear of his own. But St. John has a candidate for place in the mean class who will take some beating. A well known gentleman about town, who lives in bachelor apartments had the misfortune the other day to lock himself out of his rooms. Knowing that an acquaintance had a key which fitted his lock, the unfortunate gentleman went to borrow it but was promptly told he could have the use of the key only by paying 50 cents. Fact—Can you beat it?

THE STEAMERS
Head Liner Inishowen Head is due here tomorrow.

Steamer Kanawha, of the Furness Line, sailed from Halifax for London this morning at seven o'clock.

The Uranium, bound west, was absent Cape Race this morning at 2:35 o'clock. Dominion Liner Cornishman, bound for Portland, was 850 miles east of Cape Race last evening at five o'clock.

Allan Liner Sicilian from Glasgow for Boston via Halifax, was absent of Sable Island at one o'clock this morning.

H. M. S. Scotian, of the Allan Line, is due to sail from Halifax for Liverpool tomorrow.

The Allan Liner Corinthian, is due to sail from Havre tomorrow for this port.

EIGHT INCH WALL; CEMENT MORTAR

Building Inspector James Carleton Has Important Suggestion For Cheaper Homes in St. John

A suggestion which may be of importance in helping to solve the problem of construction of dwellings in St. John at reasonable cost has been made by James Carleton, inspector of buildings. He is strongly in favor of brick construction as being less liable to take fire and because of the greater permanency, but in the past the extra cost has been prohibitive. The use of brick on an extensive scale as might otherwise have been possible. The cost of lumber and labor has now brought the cost of frame construction so near the cost of brick work that the difference in the cost is hardly enough to balance the disadvantages of the former method, and there does not seem to be much prospect of lumber becoming any lower.

Under the circumstances it is probable that greater attention will be paid to the possibilities of brick and concrete buildings and Mr. Carleton's suggestion along this line. The present law requires all brick walls to be twelve inches in thickness, except on the top story dwellings, where only eight inches is required. Mr. Carleton says that for the average two-story dwelling an eight inch wall for the whole height is all that is required for perfect safety.

The use of cement instead of lime mortar would be satisfactory here can be secured by the experience of other cities where only eight inch walls are required for two story brick buildings. In Toronto, where practically all construction is of brick, the smaller houses are all built in this way and as a result comfortable single family brick dwellings are sold from \$2,000 to \$3,000.

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Buy Odd Trousers!

Not odd-looking trousers, nor trousers with one leg different from the other. Oh, no; just trousers not matched up with coat and vest.

It takes so little to make a new suit look newer—a different appearance—then buy a new pair of pants and you're "fixed."

We are sure to please you in trousers, for we can show you the best line in the city.

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Regular \$1.25 TROUSERS.....	Now \$1.09	Regular \$3.00 TROUSERS.....	Now \$2.49
Regular 1.50 TROUSERS.....	Now 1.23	Regular 3.50 TROUSERS.....	Now 2.98
Regular 2.00 TROUSERS.....	Now 1.69	Regular 4.00 TROUSERS.....	Now 3.49
Regular 2.50 TROUSERS.....	Now 2.19	Regular 4.50 TROUSERS.....	Now 3.89

H. N. DeMILLE & CO.
199 to 201 Union Street OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

Final Clean Up For Arrival of Spring Goods

Men's Tan Shoes, broken sizes, \$2.98 and \$3.48

Ladies' Tan Button Boots \$3.48

Ladies' Black Lace and Button Boots \$2.89

Slater Shoe Shop - 81 King St.

February 6, 1914.

We Started This Sale With Over 2,000 Pairs of Trousers

and the reductions are from prices that were already 25 per cent. and more below those of any other stores.

Of course there's not that number now, but assortments are wonderfully complete, and there's not a man or young man who can't find something to his liking in his size, we want to especially emphasize the excellence of the materials. Those used in the lowest-priced Trousers are of a very serviceable grade, while those in the higher priced Trousers are the kind used by high-class merchant tailors. The workmanship is unexcelled—Oak thoroughness is evident in the well-finished seams, in the way the linings are put in—a thoroughness that tells in the life of the garment.

AT THESE PRICES YOU CAN'T HAVE TOO MANY

TROUSERS THAT WERE \$1.50.....	NOW \$1.15
TROUSERS THAT WERE 2.00.....	NOW 1.68
TROUSERS THAT WERE 3.00.....	NOW 2.45
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TROUSERS THAT WERE 4.00.....	NOW 3.10
TROUSERS THAT WERE 4.50.....	NOW 3.55
TROUSERS THAT WERE 5.00.....	NOW 4.15
TROUSERS THAT WERE 6.00.....	NOW 4.60

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

Low Rent Prices On Seasonable Goods!

LUMBERMEN'S RUBBERS, 1.38.....	Worth \$1.75
MEN'S OIL TANNED MOCCASINS, 1.78.....	Worth \$2.25
BOYS' OIL TANNED MOCCASINS, 1.48.....	Worth \$2.00
YOUTH'S OIL TANNED MOCCASINS, 98c.....	Worth \$1.50
MEN'S BEST QUALITY RUBBERS, 75c.....	Worth \$1.10
WOMEN'S BEST QUALITY RUBBERS, 55c.....	Worth 75c.
GIRLS' BEST QUALITY RUBBERS, 46c.....	Worth 65c.

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Our Mink Bargains

Are worth while taking advantage of. Every article is our own manufacture, and we guarantee them exactly as represented. Now is the time to buy Furs and save money.

MINK COAT—38 bust, 53 inches long, large Shawl Collar, 3 rows of skins around bottom border, \$265.00—was \$350.00.	
STOLES \$95.00.....	Were \$125.00
STOLES 75.00.....	Were 100.00
STOLES 58.50.....	Were 75.00
STOLES 38.00.....	Were 50.00
MUFFS \$95.00.....	Were \$125.00
MUFFS 75.00.....	Were 100.00
MUFFS 70.00.....	Were 95.00
MUFFS 58.50.....	Were 75.00
MUFFS 46.50.....	Were 60.00

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