

Did you all get served? If you did not, we are sorry, but don't blame us, it is the fault of the rush.  
**TRY FORENOONS.**

## ALL RECORDS BROKEN.

Crowds and crowds of men, women and children hurry to DEVINE'S Great Change of Business Sale to buy first-class, serviceable goods at half price. Sale continues all January. Every item must be cleared. Every member of the family profits by this great sale. Every family everywhere—in the city and elsewhere—owe it to themselves to get their share. For this week, beginning to-day, we offer the following:

**Room for Extra help during sale. Must be experienced. Apply personally at Store.**

### Men's Suits at HALFPRICE.

157 Men's American Cut Suits, in all sizes in Tweed and Serge. The best product of the best workmanship. These Suits are built—not made. They are built to fit the man; Coat has cuffs on sleeves, well padded shoulders, lining of superior Italian Cloth, and every item in the make-up we guarantee. Pants, peg top, side seam, patent buttons. Why pay \$20.00 to \$25.00 for a suit in these high cost of living days? Your choice  
now from \$8.50 to **10.00**  
(Come and examine.)

### Men's Overcoats.

If you want a bargain in an Overcoat, hop in. Remember this Sale is genuine, and out they must go. From, up **\$5.00**

### Boots and Shoes.

All clearing at Cost. All must go. Boots that we can guarantee to be all leather and wear resisting. Some broken lines going below cost. For instance we have 29 pairs Women's Vici Kid, usually \$1.80 and \$2.00. Now, per pair **\$1.30**

### White Goods for Sewing Circles.

Here They Are in Great Variety, all at Bedrock Prices.

100 yards Circular Pillow Cotton, usually 40c. per yard, now **25c**

White Bleached Sheet at Half Price.

Longcloths and Shirtings from the most renowned manufacturers, all marked away down.

Wonderful time to buy Embroideries.

Victoria Lawns, fine sheer goods, at Cost Price.

### Dress Ends.

Dozens of Remnants at half price. Special—5 pieces Dress Goods in Grey, Green and Navy Blue Cloth. Usual price 50c. per yard. This week, per yard **30c**

### What the People Are Saying.

ONE CUSTOMER WRITES.

Springdale Street,  
January 9, 1913.

J. M. DEVINE, "The Right House."

Dear Sir—The most impressive feature of your last week's ad. was that you stated your sale was a genuine one. This I found to be quite true. The goods are reliable and the prices are lower than I have been used to paying. In these days of sales it is not easy to get a genuine one, and on account of this I wish you every success with yours.

I liked the Blankets and must try to get another pair before they are all gone. Am still far from well, cannot get out, and must depend upon the children to do my shopping.

Yours,

### Last Word.

Every item in this store is a bargain. Hundreds of articles that we cannot find space for in this paper are waiting on you.

### Boys' Suits & Overcoats.

Every Boys' Suit we have in stock has to go. Some splendid offerings in Norfolk and other lines. Bring your boy here if you have clothes needs. Come to-day; they will be quickly snapped up at prices we have marked them. **2.10** Some 2 or 3 doz. Boys' Overcoats, remaining from a huge line which we have just cleaned up. If your boy's overcoat is getting shabby, or if you've been planning to give him a new one, here is your spot.

### Men's Cuffs and Collars AT HALF PRICE.

10 doz. Men's Linen Cuffs, 20c. quality, **10c** now, per pair

This is certainly a bargain (square and round four-fold linen; 18 and 20c. goods for, each **5c**

The double collars are high, ranging from 2 1/2 to 3 inch. Among lot some nice goods for evening wear; all **5c.** each.

### Blankets and Quilts.

Hundreds of thrifty housewives have turned this word over and over in their minds during the late frosty spurt. It is a heavy item in the home, and many a poor mother and child have felt the piercing cold and the need of warmer bed covering. But the price—we can help you now.

79 pairs Cotton Blankets, large size; usually \$1.00 to \$1.30. Now **75c**

63 pairs Woolen Blankets, selling at \$7.00 and \$8.00 pair, now **\$4.80**

About 2 doz. pairs of \$3.00 quality, this week, per pair **2.00**

A wonderful time to buy Blankets.

25 Eiderdown Quilts going at half price! Don't miss these.

White Marcella Bed Spreads—a splendid line.

If you don't need these goods now you would do well to buy them and lay aside, for you will never get such a chance again.

# J. M. DEVINE, The Right House

## WATER STREET EAST.

Special to Evening Telegram.

ST. JOHN, N.B., To-Day.  
What may result in a strike, which will tie up St. John and also affect Halifax, in so far as boats bound to or from St. John, are concerned, was launched last night at midnight, when checkers to the number of 250 decided to go out for higher wages. The men have asked for 30 cents per hour and so far the Steamship Companies refuse to meet them.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CONSTANTINOPLE, To-Day.  
The presentation of the Powers' note to the Porte has been delayed, the German Government having made certain comments necessitating a re-submission of the note to the Ambassadorial Conference at London. It is now thought the note will not be presented before Thursday.

Special to Evening Telegram.

WASHINGTON, To-Day.  
Free rough dressed timber, hewn and squared timber, shingles, laths, and fence posts and the retention approximately of the present high tariff on the higher grades of silk, and reduction of the cheaper silks used by the common people, is the Democratic scheme of tariff reform.

REID SHIPS.

The Argyle arrived at Placentia at 9:15 p.m. Saturday from the west and sails to-day for Miramichi.

The Gloucester left Bellefleur at 2:30 p.m. yesterday bound west.

There was no news of the Home's arrival at Port aux Basques to-day.

The Invermore left Port aux Basques at 4:30 a.m. to-day.

There is no report of the Duchess of Marlborough since she left Lewisporte.

BOWLING'S BOATS.

The s.s. Portia left Bay of Islands yesterday on her way to Bonne Bay. The s.s. Prospero left Coachman's Cove yesterday, going north.

A SENSATION.—It was currently reported in the East End, to-day, that a girl named Sinnott, a worker at the Imperial Tobacco Factory, had been killed by being caught in machinery. The rumor was without foundation, and the alarmist, who created it, should feel well ashamed.

### Death of Robert Scott, J.P.

As will be seen by a message, published to-day, Mr. Robert Scott, J.P., of Fogo, died this morning. Messages to the same effect were received by the Minister of Justice and the Assistant Collector of Customs. The late Mr. Scott attained a ripe old age and took a keen interest in his business and in public affairs. He was a Scotchman, hailing from Glasgow, which place he left many years ago. He established a fish business there and was also interested in the passenger and freight service. He leaves a large family, two of his sons now carrying on business in the north. To the family, the *Evening Telegram* extends sympathy.

### McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Jan. 14, '13.

A good steaming hot cup of Oxo is a delightfully appetising stimulant and liquid food during the cold weather, and a most effective "night cap." Many people realize this fact, and many more will find it out, as it is recommended from one to another by their friends. And the convenient way in which it is put up—in the form of cubes, each of which makes a steaming hot cup of strong beef tea—is another point in its favour. If you have not used Oxo, by all means try a tin. Price of Oxo Cubes, 15 and 35 cents a tin.

### Became Suddenly Ill.

Capt. Samuel Harbour, of the s.s. Sea Bird, now lying at Steer Bros. wharf, was taken suddenly and seriously ill last night, and a doctor being called, he was taken to the Hospital in the ambulance. Capt. Harbour was about his business yesterday and appeared to be in good health and spirits, but shortly after going on board was stricken. He suffers internally and is very ill.

LEFT BAHIA.—Bowling's vessel Nellie Louise, Capt. Burke, left Bahia to-day for St. John's.

### The King Piper.

One of the best and most beautiful shows ever seen here, was given at Rossley's last night. Both houses were filled to overflowing. Jack, the King's Piper, is the greatest comedy ever put on by those talented performers and our own city girls trained by Mrs. Rossley are wonderful and it shows the care and finish in detail, bestowed on them by Mrs. Rossley, who alone teaches them. The six little fisher maids appealed to the audience, their dancing the Scotch reels and fling called forth cheers of applause, while the bigger girls danced like old-timers, in fact, no one would believe that only four weeks ago not one of those girls had ever been on a stage. The costumes are correct and elegant. It came as a big surprise when Rossley walked out blowing the pipes. It's the most rollicking performance. There are about thirty-five taking part, and when one thinks of it it's wonderful. A big company has often to change two and three times a week to make it go and our own people played in the Glass Slipper thirty-four times to packed houses, and this Pantomime is much superior to either Wittington or the Glass Slipper.

### Here and There.

PRIME PORTUGAL ONIONS are still being sold at 10 pounds for 15 cts. at GEO. KNOWLING'S Central, East and West End Stores.—Jan 14

HAVING IT ROUGH.—The barque Earlshall, which is a month out from Swansea, where she put in to get a new crew, coming from Glasgow, has not yet put in an appearance. She must be having a rough time of it!

Compare our honest prices. Gent's Suit Pressed, 45c.; Lady's or Gent's Top Coat Pressed, 35c. Pants Cleaned and Pressed, 20c. C. M. HALL, Specialist in Pressing, Alterations, etc., 243 Theatre Hill.—decl4,s,tu,th,f

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE S DIPHThERIA.

### Here and There.

AGAIN JAMMED.—The s.s. Fogo is again jammed at the Eastern end of the Tickle at Fogo, and must await an off-shore wind to get clear.

GETTING REPAIRS.—The Norwegian schooner Castor, which was considerably damaged on her recent voyage here, is being repaired at Davey's premises by Stephen Butler, shipwright.

TRAMP STEAMER LEAVES.—The s.s. Charlots left at 8 o'clock this morning for New York, which port she was bound to in water ballast when she put in here last Friday damaged and short of coal.

TOWING SHOONER.—The S. S. Euphrates left here this morning with a full freight for Bell Island and other Connection Bay ports, and towed the schooner "Albert Moulton" to Carbonear.

DRIVEN UNDER STEAM.—The Tug Co. had a wire from Capt. Rose, of the Ingraham, this morning saying that the S. S. Earl of Devon which was recently floated from the rocks, is now under her own steam and everything was ready on board to get the ship here. The Ingraham will accompany the steamer to St. John's.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Charles A. Martin, butcher, wishes to thank the Rev. H. Uphill and Dr. Anderson for prompt attention; also, Edward Chaytor and wife, F. Lester and wife, Mr. B. Channing, J. Fitzgerald and many kind friends who helped, and sympathized with him through his dear mother's sickness.—adv.

ENJOYABLE TIME.—The members of the Green Sprig Club and other lady friends had an enjoyable time at the residence of Mr. William Ring, Mundy Pond Road, last night. Dancing was indulged in, a sumptuous supper was served and an interesting toast list discussed. Vocal selections were given by Misses Richards and Roach and Messrs. Hanrahan, Simmonds and Donnelly.

### Here and There.

THEFT OF TICKETS.—We learn that a considerable number of street car tickets were stolen from one of the cars recently. Last night the police who are working on the case brought three boys to the lock-up and questioned them on the matter after which they were let go.

PLANS FOR POST OFFICE.—We learn that the plans for the extension of the Post Office were not prepared by the Government Engineer, Mr. Hall, but by Mr. William Churchill, Inspector of Public Works. Mr. Churchill has often done excellent work of the same class.

MAKE YOURSELF A PRESENT of a twelve months' contract to our Cleaning and Pressing system, and thus be assured of being well dressed for 1913. Garments called for and delivered every week or fortnight. Phone 574 and ask for particulars. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe. Phone 574.—Jan 3, 13

ALLAN BOAT OFF.—The R. M. S. Carthaginian, which caught fire at sea on her last voyage from Liverpool, sailed to-day for Philadelphia taking one intermediate passenger. All the cargo that was partially destroyed by fire and water has been landed at Shea & Co.'s pier and will be sold at public auction.

We have just opened a very pretty assortment of Silver Deposit Ware. This is glassware consisting of Jgs. Sugar and Cream Sets, Plates, Salts, Tobacco Jars, Vases, etc., having pure silver firmly deposited directly to the glass in beautiful designs by an electrical process. R. H. TRAPNELL, dec23, 13

P. O. IMPROVEMENTS.—With the new addition to the Post Office other improvements will be made. There will be a new partition in the front but further at the rear, the present one will be taken down and a number of new letter boxes will be added with other changes. Mr. W. Churchill drew the plans.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

### Annual Treat Left By Florizel.

TO MOUNT CASHEL ORPHANS. The fourth annual Xmas treat and concert was extended to the orphans of Mount Cashel last night by some thirty members of the B. I. S. During the evening a case of sweetmeats, consisting of oranges, apples, sweets, etc., was distributed equally among the hundred and twenty boys present, who by their joyous countenances showed their pleasure at being remembered by their generous friends from the city. The orphans were also the recipient of a football. Following the distribution a concert was held, consisting of solos and choruses, contributed by the following gentlemen: Messrs. Slattery, Cornick, Moore, Aylward, Halley, Summers, Grace, Ryall, Kent, Crotty and Ryall. Also Mr. M. Comerford and his tiny son contributed some remarkable feats on the horizontal bar, much to the delight of all present. After this item Rev. Bro. Ennis, Superior of the Industrial Home, in a sincere and graceful style thanked all friends present and absent who contributed to the entertainment, and assured them that the prayers of the children would be offered up for them. He then invited the company to supper, which was heartily enjoyed. At 11 o'clock the company left for the city, when they were entertained at the residence of Mr. J. L. Slattery, the promoter of the event. The affair terminated with the singing of "He's a jolly good fellow."

### Rendered Destitute.

Mrs. Flynn, the widow of the Goulds, whose residence was destroyed by fire Friday night, is absolutely destitute as a result of the accident. The woman supported herself and her three children by washing for people and as they lost home and furniture in the fire the family are living with neighbors and necessarily are in destitute circumstances. One of her family, a little girl, is a confirmed invalid. Mrs. Flynn's case is one which must appeal to the charitable disposed and we feel assured that the kindhearted, and they are legion in St. John's, will render the assistance which her unfortunate position merits.

### An Adventurous Career.

Mr. John C. Daley, of the s.s. Nevada, who wrote an interesting diary of her recent experience off our coast, has had an adventurous career. He has sailed all over the world and has been shipwrecked on several occasions. He was four years in the American Army, saw active service in the Philippines and was killed by the insurgents in the Island of Luzon. His head and body show the marks of their weapons. He resides at Richmond, Va., but is a native of Queenstown Island leaving there when a young lad.

### TO OUR CUSTOMERS!

We thank you very much for your patronage throughout the past year—1912, and extend our Good Wishes to you all for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

We have met with great success in our three preparations, namely, Stafford's Liniment, Prescription "A" and Phorotone Cough Cure.

All our customers having placed an order with us can firmly recommend them to everyone.

These preparations are sold in almost every prominent business establishment in Newfoundland; this alone proves them to be genuine. Testimonials are being received by us every mail as to their results and can be seen at any time by calling at our office.

Again thanking you one and all for your kindness and assure you that whatever business we receive from you will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,

DR. F. STAFFORD & SON,  
St. John's, Nfld.  
Manufacturers of the three preparations—  
Stafford's Liniment, Prescription "A" and Phorotone Cough Cure.

## PLYMOUTH ROCK CHICKEN

Corn Fed Stock. 10 c s's just in.

**25c. lb.**

25 brls. AMERICAN CABBAGE.  
20 brls. HOLYROOD CABBAGE.

Signet Chocolates, \$1.25 bx.  
Signet Choc. Mints, \$1.25 bx.  
Signet Chocolate Caramels, \$1.30 box.  
Signet Choc. Maple, 1.25 bx.  
Royal Chocolate Drops, \$1.05 box.  
all 5 lb. boxes.

## T. J. Edens,

Luckworth Street and Military Road.

### Choicest

## RETAILING MEATS!

Now delivering from wharf ex "Florizel,"

100 brls Special Plate Beef-LIBBY'S.  
50 brls Special Family Beef-LIBBY'S.  
And 100 brls Ham Butt Pork—small pieces.

AT LOWEST PRICES.

## Hearn & Co.