

DOWLING BROS. Ladies' Coats, Skirts and Blouses The Largest Retail Distributors of Wools in the Maritime Provinces.



A Great Clearance Sale of Ladies' and Children's Coats.

Hundreds of the most fashionable and fashionable of this season's stock of Coats at prices far away below cost to clear.

\$2.50, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00

DOWLING BROS.
95 and 101 King St.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

SAMPLES OF Ladies' Whitewear

to go on sale Friday morning at prices that will not cover the cost of the material in them. They are slightly soiled and mused but this is more than compensated for in the fact that you get the goods at a mere fraction of their worth.

Gowns, Drawers, Corset Covers, Skirts and Chemises. These were made in a factory where they make the higher class of goods and there are no real cheap ones among them, so that when you buy them at the price of common goods and get the finest quality of white Underwear, it is a chance worth taking advantage of.

The Gowns are priced from 75 cents to \$1.50. They are worth from \$1.25 to \$3.00.

The Skirts are priced from 50 cents to \$2.50. They are worth from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

The other garments are in like proportion.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
59 Charlotte Street.

Store open till 8 p.m. Now in Full Swing

The Pre-Winter Fur Sale
At **ANDERSON & COMPANY'S**

Many took advantage of our opening yesterday, and were rewarded by the exceptional bargains received. Be One of the Number Today

Ladies' Piece Persian Jackets, \$60.00. Sale price \$47.50
Alaska Sable Storm Collars, \$30.00. Sale price \$18.50
Men and Boys' Caps, regular 50c. and 70c. Now 25c.

ANDERSON & CO.
Manufacturing Furriers. 55 Charlotte St.
Store open evenings

Children's Bear Skin Coats

It is the style and quality of the goods we sell that wins new friends and customers for us every day.

If you want a little extra value for your money, mark well these prices—

BEAR SKIN COATS (white) \$2.25 to \$4.50
BEAR SKIN COATS (fancy brown and white) \$4.50 and \$4.75.
BEAR SKIN COATS (plain grey) . . . \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75
BEAR SKIN COATS (plain red) . . . \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00
BEAR SKIN ROBES (for baby carriages) \$2.75 and \$3.25

Infant's and Children's Bonnets in great variety always on hand.

S. W. McMACKIN
335 Main Street

TWELVE GOOD REASONS
Why YOU should call and consult us when in need of reliable, economic and clean dentistry.

We do the best work. We have the best painless method. We have the most reasonable fees. We exact the most reasonable fees. We have the finest and cleanest offices. We sterilize our instruments. We have had the greatest experience. We keep the best operators. We have had the greatest experience. We pay the biggest salaries. We introduced painless dentistry. We have succeeded where others have failed. We have the largest practice. Call and Consult us.

BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS
527 MAIN STREET
Dr. J. D. Maher, Proprietor.

CIRCULATION

The following is the average daily circulation of the Times for the last ten months—

January	6,716
February	6,978
March	7,165
April	7,189
May	7,003
June	7,029
July	7,028
August	7,022
September	7,029
October	7,018

THIS EVENING

Moving pictures, J. W. Myers and other features at the Nickel.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Star, North End.

Carleton Cornet Band fair in City Hall, Carleton.

St. John Amateurs under the direction of Theodore H. Bird will present "Roanoke," at the Opera House.

Hibernian knights meet at 8 o'clock in their rooms.

Monthly meeting of the civic treasury board at city hall at 8 o'clock.

Lecture on Wireless Telegraphy before the Electrical Club of the Y. M. C. A. at 7.30.

LOCAL NEWS

Joseph Barr, staff captain and chancellor of the Salvation Army of St. John, has been authorized to solemnize marriages.

Ald. Potts, chairman of the ferry committee, yesterday, inspected the ferry steamer Ludlow and announced that it will be on the route again on Sunday next.

The contract for the new Presbyterian church at Norton has been awarded to Ernest Myers one of the local contractors. The work of building the foundation is proceeding rapidly, and it is expected the building will be completed to admit of dedication on the first Sunday in March, 1910.

Wm. McCarthy, Ernest Starkey and Jarvis Lyons, reported for going beyond the stand allotted for coaches in the I. C. R. depot, were fined \$2 each in court today. I. C. R. policeman John Collins, who made the report, said, that on the arrival of the Boston train on Wednesday, two of the men, McCarthy and Starkey were inside the railing and caught hold of a passenger's baggage. Lyons was inside the rail also. Each of the men denied part of the charges, but admitted being a short distance beyond the allotted stand.

Conductor John Henderson, who succeeds Conductor Sprout on the Sussex train, is deservedly one of the most popular conductors on the Intercolonial. He has been many years service as a railway man and for some time "pat" has had charge of the Hampton suburban, with the patrons of which he has always been a great favorite. Mr. Henderson will be receiving congratulations on the appointment to his new run and the earnest wish of his friends is that he may be spared very many years to discharge the duties of the post.—(Sussex Record.)

SCHOONER ROWENA REPORTED SAFE IN DIPPER HARBOR

Put in Their Yesterday Afternoon and Tug is Sent to Bring Her to St. John

The reported loss of the schooner Rowena, Captain David Alexander, here with a cargo of lumber from Apple River, N. S., is erroneous. The captain telephoned about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon to the owner of the lumber, W. Malcolm Mackay, that the schooner put into Dipper Harbor out of a heavy storm, and that the schooner was safe and all on board were well.

It is thought that the schooner may have suffered damage by being out in last Tuesday's heavy northeast storm. The tug Mikado, Captain Lewis, was sent down to Dipper Harbor this morning to tow the schooner to this port. The schooner is expected here this afternoon.

THINKS MORE CLERKS ARE NEEDED

Complaint That Firms Lose Time By Delay in Freight Cash Office

The service is not ample at the C. P. R. I. C. R. Pond street freight office, is the complaint of DeWitt Bros., hay and feed merchants of Paradise Row. The two cashiers, they say, are not enough to handle the business for the teamsters that at times during the day throng the office. "Hundreds of dollars are lost yearly to the merchants of St. John as the direct result of the time lost by teamsters in waiting at this office," said E. P. DeWitt, president of DeWitt Bros. today.

Mr. DeWitt asserts that some of his teamsters have had to wait as long as half an hour and sometimes a full hour at the window. And this, he says, does not apply to his firm only, but to teamsters of some of the largest firms in town. "Why just look at what it means—ten or twelve men and five or six teams standing idle waiting for their turn, and that daily, just look at what it represents!"

He does not complain of the promptness or courtesy of the cashiers as he asserts that they do the very best they can, but says that of late years the business has not been increased proportionately. With the arrival of ten to twenty-five cars a week for his firm such a state of affairs, he says, is not unusual.

His present intention, he said, was to take the matter up with the large firms of the city as he feels that they do not realize the time their teamsters lose.

At the Pond street office it was admitted that there were times in the day that extra help would be desirable. The rush, however, was not continuous but when it was on it was difficult sometimes to handle all and waits sometimes tedious.

KERR WHARF MUST NOW BE REMOVED

Judge Barker Issues Mandatory Injunction—Practically Means City is Loser

Before Chief Justice Barker in the Equity Court this morning, judgment was delivered in the suit of Robert Seely, trustee against the Francis Kerr Co., Ltd. The case was adjourned until this morning for the purpose of arguing the question of damages, but when the court came to a judgment against the city, inasmuch as they leased the lots over which the contention arose to the Francis Kerr Co., A. A. Wilson, K. C., and Dr. A. O. Earle appeared for the plaintiff and C. N. Skinner, K. C., represented the Kerr Company.

It is probable that an action will be instituted against the city.

It is stated that at one time the city farmers were asked the case for about \$100, whereas now it is possible that it may cost thousands.

MILK SUPPLY OF CITY NEARLY ALL RUN OUT

Days During November When an Extra Quart Could Not Be Had—Winter Port Steamers Take Much

Some of the milk dealers assert that during the past month the milk supply at times has been very low, there being some days when it was impossible to get an extra quart in town. R. H. Cocher, of the People's Dairy, speaking of the matter today, said that there were two causes for this. The first place the winter port steamers took all the surplus supply of milk and in the second place the milk production this month was less than in any month in the year.

Feed now was high, but Mr. Cocher said that he thought it a great mistake for farmers to starve their cows as a consequence. Properly fed cattle gave as much this time of year as any other. Farmers that should be sending only ten a day were sending only ten.

He looked, however, for a betterment of these conditions in the new year, as the farmers now were starting to kill calves and milk would be more plentiful, unless the supply for the steamers increased to a large extent.

XMAS DINNER WILL COST A PENNY THIS YEAR

Beef Scarce and a Good Many "Turks" Have Been Bought For Shipment

St. John householders who plan on eating turkey or beef for their Christmas dinner will probably have to pay high for the privilege. Local butchers report that western beef is scarce and high and advices received here indicate still higher prices. Turkeys are said to be none too plentiful this year and a good many have already been killed, while a large number have been sold already for shipment abroad. The present wholesale price is 29 cents a pound, but the probability is that during Christmas week the figure will be much higher.

Fowl and chickens are in fairly good supply, the former now selling from twelve to fifteen cents a pound, and the latter from fourteen to sixteen cents.

FIGHT ON STEAMER CASSANDRA; CASE GETS INTO COURT

Evidence of Drunken Fracas Aboard—One Witness Refuses to Swear on Bible, as He is an Infidel

Joseph Fleming, alias Gillespie, a sailor on the S. S. Cassandra, was in the police court today charged by William Johnson with wounding and cutting him on the head with a bottle while lying in his bunk last night on the Cassandra at McLeod's wharf.

The complainant, Johnson, said that he was ashore last night with one of the cooks and when he went back to his vessel, he went in to his bunk and was doing when he heard the prisoner shouting and using profane language, and it was not long before he challenged the witness to fight. The witness did not wish to fight, but the prisoner went to his bunk and struck him with a bottle. Both the men were drunk at the time.

The defendant, he said, pulled and dragged the witness in his bunk and abused him with his tongue. Johnson exhibited a fragment of a flannel shirt in court this morning as the result of his encounter. He also said that his watch had been broken. His head was bandaged, and he said that he had to have the doctor of the ship attend to his wounds.

James Anderson, a shipmate, was called as a witness, but would not swear on the bible, as he said he was an infidel. He told His Honor that all hands were drunk last night, and that if the complainant was wounded he deserved more than he got.

The fight was only a drunken fracas, and each should have taken his part in it. The plaintiff was not hurt badly, in his opinion, as he thought his head was only scratched.

His Honor said he wanted the doctor to testify, and postponed the case until 2 o'clock.

In the police court this morning Carl Hedstrom was fined \$1 for drunkenness.

One Minute Talk On

New Fall Clothes

DISCOURSE NO. 5

An important part of a man's outfit are the various smaller articles of furnishings. Without proper selection of the little accessories, the finest suit may be but ordinary. And then for your comfort, such things like Gloves, Hosiery and Underwear require more than slight attention.

In our modern furnishings department you can not go wrong with anything you select. Our men in charge are trained to offer the correct thing for each special requirement. And with all this splendid service, our prices are lower than at any other store.

MEN'S WARM GLOVES, 48, 68, 75, 98c. \$1.18
MUFLERS, 48, 68, 75, 98c.
PLECEED-LINED UNDERWEAR, 48c.

WOOL UNDERWEAR, 48, 68, 75, 98c. \$1.18
COLORED SHIRTS, 48, 68, 75, 98c.
TIES, 15, 25, 35, 50c.—Beauties

C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts.
TAILORING CLOTHING SHOES

You Want to Buy a Xmas Present for the Home That All the Household Will Enjoy

EVERYBODY likes something new in their home at Xmas. Why not get one of our Glenwood Ranges. They will improve your home, make your wife or mother happy, save your fuel, and give general satisfaction and happiness in your home.

Call and see our Glenwood lines, and if you haven't thought of this suggestion, think it over. We also have fancy Copper-plated ware in Tea Pots, Coffee Pots, Tea Kettles, 5 O'clock Tea Sets, and everything in the Utensil line.

Give us a call, and look over our goods, whether you purchase or not.

Remember—All Our Stoves Are Made Here in St. John

McLean, Holt & Co., 155 Union St.

December 3, 1909

Girls' Winter Coats
Ages 4 to 16 Years

Style is Three-quarter Full Box Back, Double Breasted, Prussian Collar buttoning close up at neck or collar with reverses, silk embroidered design on sleeve. all nicely lined with warm all-wool lining and man-tailored by one of New York's leading manufacturers.

Mothers; you will save time, worry and money by coming here first and buy your girl's coat, because you will do so in the end after seeing the stocks at other stores. Many a mother has so already.

Royal Blue Frieze with wide dark stripe	\$5.00, \$6.00
Imported Navy Blue Chin-chilla	6.75, 7.50
Best Quality Golden Brown Corduroy	7.00
Plain Dark Gray Melton, Navy Blue Frieze with gray stripe	6.00
Gray Cheviot and Navy Blue Frieze	7.50
Finest Quality Herringbone Serge in three shades; Royal Blue, Hunter Green and Golden Brown	8.00
Navy Blue Chin-chilla, All-wool Frieze in Navy or Reseda Green	10.00
Best Quality All-wool Blanket Cloth Coats with Hood in three colors; Royal Blue, Hunter Green and Cardinal	7.50, 9.00

King Street
Cor. Germain
GREATER OAK HALL
SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

Christmas Gifts for Wee Tots

A Few Suggestions From An Immense Array of Bright, New Holiday Novelties

Infant's Hand Painted Silk Coat Hangers, pink and blue	\$1.15
Baby Carriage Straps, covered with hand painted ribbon and clasps, pink and blue	\$1.50
Infant's Safety Pin Holders, hand painted in pink and white, very dainty	\$1.50
Trinket Bags, hand painted, very choice	\$2.25, \$1.15, 75c.
Infant's Hot Water Bottles, with crochet silk covering, very cute	\$1.50
Safety Pin Holders, in pink and blue	75c., 65c.
Bib Holders in pink and blue	65c.
Infant's Long Dressing Jackets, hand and machine made, in very dainty colorings, such as pink, blue, white embroidered with blue, white worked with pink, and all white in flannelette and cashmere.	
Infant's Short Cashmere Kimonos, trimmed with silk facings	\$1.75
Infant's Hand and Machine Made Bibs	15c. to \$1.25
Infant's Baskets on stands trimmed with point d'esprit and ribbon and lace, linings in blue and pink	\$6 and \$7
Infant's Krinkledown Blankets in white, blue and pink	each \$2.25
Infant's Mattress and Pillow for bassinets, in blue and pink	per set \$1.50
Infant's Wool Jackets and Booties, all hand made and newest shapes, in pink and blue and white.	
Infant's Bath Slippers	85c., \$1.00
Infant's Moccasins, hand made	95c.
Shawls, hand made in round and long styles.	
Infant's Robes and Short Dresses.	
Infant's Robes and Short Dresses, also Long Cashmere Coats.	
Infant's Carriage Covers, in Oriental Colorings	30c.
Ladies' Wool Shawls, hand made, blue and white	\$1.50, \$1.85, \$2.00
Ladies' Knitted Jackets, white, pink and blue	\$2.25

WHITEWEAR SECTION—2ND FLOOR ANNEX.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd.