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**ROBT. J. MURPHY AND MISS GENEVIEVE MURPHY WED**  
Ceremony in Holy Trinity Church This Afternoon, Rev. J. J. Walsh Officiating

In the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, a successful ceremony was held at 3:30 o'clock, two popular young people were united in marriage, Robert J. Murphy, of St. John, and Miss Genevieve Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Murphy of Rockland road. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Walsh, the pastor. The bride entered the church with her father, by whom she was given in marriage, as Mendleson's wedding march was played by the organist, Mrs. A. McMillan.

Miss Murphy was attractively gowned in a handsome costume of white duchess satin with pearl trimmings. She wore a well trimmed with orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Her sister, Miss Annie Murphy, was bridesmaid, and wore a becoming gown of apricot satin with pearl and spangle trimmings. Her hat was of black and gold and she carried a bouquet of roses. Frederick T. Murphy, brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were: Frank V. and Harold Murphy, brothers of the bride, and Edward Lawler.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride in Rockland road, where a dainty luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy will leave for Upper Canada on a honeymoon trip. On their return they will reside until spring at 208 Rockland road. Among the guests at the wedding were: Dr. E. F. Murphy and wife, of Boston, and Dr. George Murphy, also of Boston.

Many handsome and useful remembrance were received by the bride and groom, both of whom enjoy the esteem of a large circle of friends. The groom was formerly a member of the firm of Murphy Bros. in the City Market, but is now in the customs service. He has been deputy grand knight of St. John Council K. of C. for some time, and is popular with not only his fellow members but a great many others about the city, who extend the best wishes for the future happiness of himself and his bride.

**WINTERPORT NOTES**  
The S.S. Oromo left Bermuda this morning for St. John.  
The S.S. Inishowen Head will sail tomorrow for Dublin.  
The S.S. Rappahannock left Halifax today for this port.  
The S.S. Durango, which was due to arrive here at an early date, will not come here as was expected, but will stop at Halifax to load cargo for the other side.  
The Elder Dempster line Yola will leave New York Jan. 11 for this port.  
The Donaldson liner Saturnia is due to arrive tomorrow afternoon.  
The Donaldson liner Letitia will sail tomorrow with more than 100 passengers.

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

**1913 Ladies' Fur Lined Coats**

Finished in best materials and best styles. Only a few special sizes in stock, which we offer at reduced prices.

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**SWEATERS AND SWEATER COATS**  
FOR MEN AND BOYS

Plain and fancy knitted in plain colors and color combinations. The greatest variety we've ever shown both in heavy makes for the working man and in the finer qualities.

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' Sweaters, ..... 75c. to 1.75  
Boys' Sweaters, ..... 50c. to 75c.

**S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.**

**HOARSENESS**  
is disagreeable and usually the first sign of a cold. If bothered with hoarseness go to your druggist and purchase a bottle of **Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam**

Use as directed on label and relief will be quick and permanent.

**Two Sizes—25c and 50c.**  
Look for Register Number 1295 and our signature on every bottle—none genuine without them.

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ST. JOHN, N. B.

**LOCAL NEWS**

**STOLE TWO BLACK FOXES.**  
During the rain and darkness of Saturday night, Mr. Birch's fox ranch at Alberton, P. E. I., was broken into and a pair of valuable black foxes valued at from \$10,000 to \$15,000 were stolen.

**WILL STAY HERE.**  
Frederick Gleason—Andrew Driscoll, who was a student at the U. N. B. of New Brunswick last term, has accepted a position with the Canadian Fairbanks Co. of St. John, and will not return to college.

**FREDERICTON HORSES.**  
Fredericton horsemen are planning a series of marine races during the winter. Weekly or bi-weekly races are being talked of, but nothing definite will be known until after a meeting tonight. The postponed races on the ice track at St. John may take place on next Saturday.

**NO ARRESTS.**  
The police did not make any arrests last night, and consequently there was no session of the police court this morning. Hearing in the case of James A. McDonald, charged with stealing from the P. P. Collier Publishing Company, was to have come up, but was further adjourned until Monday morning next.

**THE OLDEST GRADUATE.**  
The death of Rev. Dr. Street leaves Lt. Col. John L. Marsh, police magistrate of Fredericton, the oldest living graduate of the U. N. B. He was graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1832, while the late Dr. Street graduated in 1831. This month Col. Marsh celebrates his 84th birthday. He is also the eldest living barrister-at-law in the province.

**OPEN FOR INSPECTION.**  
The new Donaldson liner Letitia which is being at No. 4 level at Grand Point, will be open to the public for inspection this afternoon from two till five o'clock. All who desire may go on board and will be shown throughout the ship by the members of the crew. The Letitia will sail tomorrow for Glasgow. It is expected that a large number will avail themselves of the opportunity to inspect this fine new ship, which was launched only a short time ago.

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**DIED IN MINNEAPOLIS.**  
On New Year's day in Minneapolis, Minn., passed away Mrs. M. A. Anderson, wife of the late Andrew Anderson and daughter of the late Magnus and Jane Spruce of St. John, passed away in the 72nd year of age. She is mourned by three daughters—Mary of New York, and Annie and Edna of Minneapolis; and two sisters, Mrs. M. L. McAfee of Minneapolis and Mrs. G. F. Seely of Grand Hill, Kings county, N. B., also one brother, W. A. Spruce of St. John, and a large circle of friends.

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**ST. JOHN TO HAVE ANOTHER LINE OF STEAMERS**

**C. P. R. to Inaugurate a Service Between Canada and Austria**

**TRIESTE, ST. JOHN, MONTREAL**

**This Will Make Four Operated by This Company—Winterport Connections Now Touch Practically Whole Commercial World**

Another steamship line is to be added to the list of those making terminus at St. John. The steamers of the new line, which will be operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway will run between Trieste and Canada, coming to St. John in the winter and using Montreal in the summer. This is the first regular steamship connection from St. John to a Mediterranean port.

The news was contained in a Canadian Press dispatch from London reading as follows:

"The C. P. R. will soon inaugurate an American-Canadian steamship service, having a direct line from Trieste to Canada, Montreal will probably be the landing port in summer and St. John in winter."

No information regarding the plans for the new service has been received at the local offices of the C. P. R., but it is supposed that the arrangements were completed by G. M. Bostworth on his recent trip to Europe. The line will give direct connection with a territory which should yield considerable traffic, much of it new to Canada.

This will make the fourth line for the C. P. R. operating to this port. The others run from St. John to Liverpool, St. John to London and Antwerp, and St. John to London and Havre.

With each new line the port of St. John is becoming more cosmopolitan in its connections and its trade and now reaches out to all parts of the world for the traffic which is handled through this port. In addition to the lines already mentioned there are the Donaldson Line to Glasgow, the Manchester Line to Manchester, the Head-Line to Belfast and Dublin, the Allan Line to Cuba and Mexico, the New Zealand line to Australia, the Pickford & Black line to the West Indies and South America, and the Canada Line to Hamburg, Bremen and Rotterdam.

All the lines are doing a good business this winter, and it is believed that the passenger traffic will surpass all previous records. The eastbound service before this time has not been larger than ever, and the west-bound rush in the spring will be greater than any previous year.

The chief problem of the port now is, not the securing of steamship connection but to accommodate the business which is coming here. The construction of new wharves is regarded as not rapid enough to keep pace with the business and even the great plans for harbor development which are being undertaken will not be more than sufficient to accommodate the steady growth of business.

**SAY-TAKING OF COAL FROM CARS IN YARD MUST CEASE**

**Business Gets Too Large—Several Tons Said to Have Disappeared From One Consignment**

That stealing goes on almost nightly in the vicinity of Forest street from cars on the I. C. R. siding there, is the belief of those closely in touch with the situation. Coal is being taken. At different times there have been complaints of coal having been taken from the cars, and in some instances people have been caught, but during the last few nights this helping themselves has become particularly noticeable, and so much so that the authorities are determined it must cease.

The Courtenay Construction Co. say they have lost several tons since Sunday night from cars which are stored there for them, and it is also said that Norton Griffith's consignments have also been reduced. It is felt that since there is a special watchman on duty in the service of the I. C. R. and with the protection of city policemen, the practice of procuring a free coal supply from the cars on the siding should not be possible, and steps are to be taken to end it.

**MOOSE GET A HOME**

**Take Over Quarters in Furlong Building Vacated by Elks**

The local branch of the Order of Moose has secured a home and will take possession of the new quarters immediately. Their rooms will be those just vacated by the Elks, including the two upper flats in the Furlong building on the corner of Charlotte and North Market streets. The first floor will contain pool and billiard tables, lounge room and parlor, kitchen and lavatory. The second floor is fitted up as a lodge room with an ante-room and another smaller room on the same floor. Some of the furniture and furnishings of the Elks have been taken over, new equipment is being added and the rooms are being overhauled and renovated.

The formal opening will take place early next week when a smoker will be held by the members and their friends. As more than 400 members have been initiated already and 150 more have applied, the rooms will be none too large. It is expected that this number will increase to 500 or 600 before the charter closes next month.

Later on when the lodge is more completely organized it is the intention of the members to secure a building of their own as a permanent home. In the meantime they will have very comfortable quarters. In addition to the social features which will centre around the rooms the organization will go in for all branches of athletics.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.**  
The office of St. John Council will be installed tomorrow evening in the Coburg street home of the Knights of Columbus.

Store closes tonight at 6 o'clock

We Are Offering Some Wonderful Bargains in

**Men's Overcoats**

Snappy weather and Top Coats go hand in hand, to say nothing of our snappy prices. Styles are as exclusive as the merchant tailors and the cloths, pure wool, and as carefully tailored

**NOTE OUR PRICES**

Regular \$ 8.75 Overcoats, .....	now \$ 7.45
Regular 10.00 Overcoats, .....	now 8.35
Regular 12.00 Overcoats, .....	now 9.85
Regular 13.50 Overcoats, .....	now 11.45
Regular 15.00 Overcoats, .....	now 12.75
Regular 16.50 Overcoats, .....	now 13.75
Regular 18.00 Overcoats, .....	now 15.25

**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.

Women's 50c to \$1.50 Children's 75c to \$1.25 Men's 90c to \$1.25

**The Slater Shoe Shop, 81 KING STREET.**

Jan. 8th, 1913.

**This Mid-Winter Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing Means Tremendous Savings for You**

This is not an ordinary Sale! It is the clearance of our entire stock and it brings you the highest class Clothing at such big reductions from our regular prices that the savings are from one-third to one-half of the usual cost of such excellent Clothing.

No matter if you live a hundred miles away, if your eye alights on this and you need Clothing it will pay you to make the journey to Oak Hall for these bargains. The savings are so big that even after deducting the railroad fare you'll still be money in pocket.

<b>MEN'S OVERCOATS</b>	<b>\$ 7.50 Tweed and Worsted Suits</b>
\$ 6.50 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 4.95	10.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits ..... Reduced to 7.85
8.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 5.85	15.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits ..... Reduced to 11.85
10.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 7.35	20.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits ..... Reduced to 16.45
12.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 8.85	25.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits ..... Reduced to 19.65
15.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 11.90	30.00 Tweed and Worsted Suits ..... Reduced to 24.70
20.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 15.65	
25.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 18.60	
30.00 Overcoats ..... Reduced to 23.90	
<b>MEN'S SUITS</b>	<b>All Blue and Black Suits Reduced</b>
\$6.00, \$6.50 Tweed Suits ..... Reduced to \$4.45	

These are styles and patterns to please all tastes and sizes to fit all figures.

Stores Closed All Day Thursday  
No Goods On Approval  
Sale Starts Friday

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

**First of New Year's Grand Offerings**

Handsome new Overcoats at prices below regular.

We have purchased late in the season, some splendid garments at prices very much below cost of production, so we can afford to sell at a saving to you. We want you to see these grand January offerings.

**Men's Overcoats \$6.48 to \$15.48**  
Worth \$10.00 to \$25.00

**Boys' Overcoats \$2.48 to \$4.48**  
Worth \$4.00 to \$8.50

**C. B. PIDGEON**  
Corner Main and Bridge Streets

**MAGEE'S FUR SALE**

will save dollars for you if you purchase "RELIABLE FURS" now. There is nothing in our stock of furs and fur garments that has not been reduced in price, anywhere from 15 TO 50 PER CENT, and that means dollars saved by those who buy.

Blended Muskrat Coats, \$85.00, were \$100.00.	Black Wolf Muffs, \$27.50, were \$35.00.
Marmot Coats, \$60.00, were \$75.00.	Sable Fox Stoles, \$27.50, were \$35.00.
Pony Coats, \$60.00, were \$75.00 and \$85.00.	Sable Fox Stoles, \$16.50, were \$25.00.
1 Brown Pony Coat, \$90.00, was \$125.00.	Mink Furs, 15 per cent. off.
Black Wolf Stoles, \$27.50, were \$35.00.	Persian Lamb Furs, 20 per cent. off.

**D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd. Manuf'g. Furriers 63 King St.**