

**Dowling Bros.** The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Skirts and Blouses Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

**Special Sale of Wash Goods**

New Linen Pongee, has the appearance of Silk and all the good washing qualities of Irish Linen, comes in all shades, 28 inches wide. Prices 18, 20, 25 and 28 cts. yard.

Anderson's Scotch Gingham. Fancy Plaids, Checks, Stripes and Plain Colors, in shades of Pink, Blue, Green, Gray, Tuscan, Cream, Black, White, Silver Gray, etc., 28 inches wide, only 28 cts. yard.

New Mora Silkine. This material has the appearance of the best Watered Silk and at less than 1-4 the price, comes in shades of Old Rose, Pearl Gray, Heliotrope, Moss Green, Tuscan, Cream, Black, White, Silver Gray, etc., 28 inches wide, only 28 cts. yard.

**Dowling Brothers**  
95 and 101 King St.

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

**DYKEMAN'S**

**Now For The New Summer Dress**

Since these fine days have come a person begins to realize that it won't be long before they will need their Summer dresses.

We have the greatest display of Summer Goods in all lines that we have ever shown and at the lowest prices possible.

**Crepenette.** We have just received a repeat order of that old rose, pale blue and green Crepenette which we sold out so quickly a few weeks ago. We can now supply your demand in this line. Price 16 cents a yard.

**Serpentine Creper** in plain and fancy designs, suitable for dresses, kimono, dressing jackets, etc. 21 cents a yard.

**Ripplette** at 22 and 30 cents a yard, in the very newest shades. All these materials are very popular this season. Besides making up very daintily there is no need of ironing which means a whole lot in the hot summer days.

**Fancy Mullin.** We have a full line of these ranging in price from 12 cents to 25 cents a yard.

**Linen Suitings**, in corn color, old rose and pale blue with a neat stripe, 22 cents a yard.

**Mercerized Rep,** in all the new shades as well as black and white, 21 cents a yard.

**Duck Suitings** in the newest shades at 15 cents a yard.

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

**FINEST IN THE CITY!**

**Children's Straw and Linen Hats**

Straws in all the latest shapes. Something for the baby, the child, the boy, girls and misses in all prices.

Linen and Cotton, all washable goods. 25 cts. 50 cts. 75 cts.

Tams, Cream, Serge and Linen, 50 cts.

**Anderson & Co.**  
55 Charlotte St. Furs Stored and Insured.

**We Link Attractiveness to Quality**  
And Economy at This Establishment.

**At No Other Store Will You Find Oilcloths, Linoleums, etc.**

So good in appearance, so fine in quality, so low in price. Make a comparison with any other and we shall be well pleased.

Canadian Oilcloth, . . . . . 25 cts. square yard  
English Oilcloth, . . . . . 43 cts. square yard  
Linoleum, (1st quality), 2 yards wide, . . . 50 cts. square yard  
Linoleum, (1st quality), 3 and 4 yards wide, . . . . .  
Let us measure your rooms. . . . . 65 cts. square yard

**S.W. McMACKIN**  
335 Main Street.

**50,000**

We have over fifty thousand satisfied patients throughout the Province. The knowledge naturally gained by so extensive a practice covering every branch of the dental profession enables us to render the most complete dental service obtainable. We are artists in the restoration of faulty teeth.

**Boston Dental Parlors**  
527 Main Street.  
Dr. J. D. Maher, Proprietor.

**PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS Friday the twentieth day of May instant has been fixed for the obsequies of His late Majesty, King Edward VII. and it is the duty of His Majesty's subjects in this city as a day of general mourning to be observed by all persons throughout the city, and upon that day all citizens are requested to abstain from business.

Dated at the City of Saint John the eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

**JAMES H. FRINK,**  
Mayor of the City of Saint John.  
1489-520.

**NOTICE TO TIMES-STAR ADVERTISERS**

Starting Saturday, May 21st, and until further notice, The Times-Star will be issued at 12:30 Saturdays. Advertisers in order to get prompt service should have their "copy" at the Times-Star office not later than 6 o'clock Friday, p. m.

**THIS EVENING**

Miss Bertha Dudley, Tom E. Clifford and picture features the Nickel. Fine motion pictures and songs at the Star, Main street.

Songs and film subjects at the Gem, Waterloo street.

Pictures and other features at the Union, Charlotte street.

Special meeting of St. Vincent's Alumni Association at 8 o'clock in St. Vincent's Hall rooms, Waterloo street.

The Y. M. S. of St. Joseph will hold a special meeting.

Captain Howland will lecture in the Charlotte street Citadel on "From Cross to Crown."

St. John county Temperance Federation meeting at 8 o'clock.

**LOCAL NEWS**

English mails ex steamship Majestic, via New York, are due in St. John at midnight.

The bank clearings here for the week ending today were \$1,240,742; corresponding week last year \$1,255,305.

No. 8 Field Ambulance will meet for drill in uniform, this evening at 8 o'clock, in their armory, Union street.

A meeting of the creditors of Harry W. DeForest will be held this afternoon in the office of L. P. D. Tilley.

As tomorrow will be a public holiday the semi-monthly payroll for the civic employees, due then, will be disbursed on Saturday.

The city chamberlain has sent out all the tax bills for the present year, and it is expected that all will be distributed by the marshals within the next few days.

Schooner Jennie A. Stubbs, Captain DeLoon, arrived in port this morning from Boston with a cargo of scrap iron for the Portland Rolling Mills.

Henry Wetmore has been reported by the police for obstructing German street yesterday with a pile of lumber without a light.

A memorial service for King Edward VII will be held in the Hazen avenue synagogue tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Rabbi Amdur has prepared a special sermon.

County Master J. B. M. Baxter and officers of the County Orange Lodge, paid an official visit to True Blue Lodge, No. 11, last evening. A very enjoyable time was spent.

Members of the Canadian Club should call at Gray's bookstore, King street, today and secure the morning paper so kindly provided for them by the members of the Women's Canadian Club.

There will be a memorial service in the Salvation Army Citadel tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. The services will be conducted by Brigadier and Mrs. Adby. Staff Capt. and Mrs. Barr and city officers.

A telegram from the postmaster general to Postmaster Sears this morning states that tomorrow, Friday, will be observed by the department as a statutory holiday. The local office will therefore be closed tomorrow.

Judge Ritchie announced this morning that in future on Saturday mornings the sessions of the police court would commence at 8:30 for the convenience of the newspapers which go to press early on Saturday.

Owing to the fact that Friday is to be observed as a day of mourning the game scheduled to take place between the Father Matthew Association and St. Peter's teams in the intermediate league has been postponed.

The case of Albert Melrose, who was fined \$40 in the police court recently, on a charge of assault on Policeman Lanes and interfering with the police in the discharge of their duties, is to be appealed. Daniel Mullin, K. C., is acting for Melrose.

The proprietor and staff of the Tribune agreed to discontinue Saturday morning and the latter quit work in a bunch. The Tribune failed to appear Saturday and the editor and proprietor is now back to manual labor, as no new staff can be procured here on short notice. We understand that one issue will appear this week.—Campbellton Graphic.

A. M. Macklin and W. E. King, of the G. T. P. railway department, arrived in the city yesterday from Ottawa on a tour of inspection. This morning they consulted with C. O. Foss, chief engineer of the N. B. district regarding construction work, and they will leave tonight on their return to the capital.

**BICYCLE THIEF IS STILL AT IT**

Ten Wheels Stolen In Last Month and All Recovered—Work of One Person, Say Police

During the past month there has been an epidemic of bicycle thefts in the city no less than ten wheels having been stolen. All, however, have been recovered in various parts of the city—on the sidewalks, in hall ways and yards. Opinion has been expressed by the police that the thefts have been committed by one person. No less than three "cliques" have been taken away from in front of offices on the North and South Wharf, all within a matter of days. One of these was found in a yard of Duke street. Another wheel purloined from in front of Mr. Robb's drug store was found in Carmarthen street and still another wheel was found in a hallway in Dock street.

The latest theft in this line was committed last evening and it is surrounded by the same mysterious circumstances. A lad named Simpson last evening about eight o'clock left his bicycle in front of the tea store of Dr. Deane & Armstrong in Dock street while he was in transacting some business and came out to find that the wheel had disappeared. It was found about 11 o'clock last night by the police, on the sidewalk in Elm street.

**STEAMER WAS ARRESTED; \$7,000 DAMAGES CLAIMED**

**D. C. Clark Takes Action Against the Manchester Port for Damage Done to Wharf**

In the admiralty court this morning before Mr. Justice McLeod an order for the release of the ship Manchester Port and freight was made by his honor and the bail bond was filed. The vessel was arrested yesterday by D. C. Clark, wharf side contractor, for damage done to No. 7, both through collision. Mr. Clark claims \$7,000 damages.

This morning the ship was released on Robert Thomson and Alfred Porter, of the Wm. Thomson & Co. agents for her, entering into a bail bond. John B. M. Clark, K. C., appeared for the ship and W. A. Irving, K. C., for the plaintiff.

**RUSSIAN BOY IS ARRESTED; THEFT OF NEWSPAPERS CHARGED**

Philip Trotsky, a Russian youth, aged thirteen, pleaded guilty this morning in the police court to a charge of stealing newspapers from the door of George Unanue's Mill street. The young fellow was caught this morning by Policeman Lucas this morning in the act of taking a bundle of papers. Two past weeks the police have been on the watch for thefts of newspapers as they have had complaints from the newspaper offices to the effect that customers' papers have been stolen. On several occasions attempts have been made to catch the thief and once the police were almost successful, but the young chap was too fleet of foot and after giving them quite a chase, got away.

Young Trotsky was remanded until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Bernard Barry pleaded guilty to drunkenness, and was fined \$1.

**WELDON LOT FOR ATHLETIC GROUNDS**

Ald. J. B. Jones was asked this morning if the common council intended to do anything in the way of improvements to the playgrounds on the Weldon lot at the corner of St. James and Wentworth streets, for sports or athletic exercises. He replied that the ground was now being put into a harrow, and that a double team attached to a harrow, was put into use this morning and went over the grounds, and also that later a roller will be put into use to smooth them, and every effort will be made to have them kept in good condition.

Whether they will be a public playground for all, is as yet undecided, but it is thought that the Y. M. C. A. boys have been given the use of the grounds, they will be given permission to use them in advance of all others.

**TOMORROW PUBLIC AND BANK HOLIDAY**

Ottawa, Ont., May 19.—(Special)—The Royal Proclamation declares tomorrow a public and bank holiday throughout Canada.

**THE CHAMPLAIN MONUMENT**

The Champlain monument committee held a meeting this morning in the mayor's office and discussed the erection of the monument. It was decided to make a payment to the contractors for the base of the statue, as requested by the sculptor, Hamilton McCarthy. The granite blocks for the base arrived in the city yesterday from St. George, and work will be commenced at once to prepare the pedestal for the statue.

It is expected that all will be in readiness for the unveiling on June 21. By virtue of his office as mayor, Dr. J. H. Frank succeeds Mayor Bullock on the committee, and he attended his first meeting of the committee this morning.

**THE MILK LICENSES**

The milk licenses for the coming year are now being issued from the board of health office, but they are going very slowly. This is due to the fact that the veterinarians have not yet finished their inspections. The inspection is progressing quite favorably, however. The license cost 50 cents for one cow, and 81 for two or more. All dealers who supply milk in this city must furnish themselves with certificates from the board, granting them permission to do so.

The Every Day Club is indebted to Robert Byer, of Exmouth street, for some dahlia roots for the flower beds on its grounds. If any citizen having roots of hardy plants to spare will telephone No. 1272 the same will be called for. It is intended to make quite a number of small flower beds for the children. The club is also indebted to the James Pender Co. for a keg of nails. The new score board is nearly finished.

Stores open tonight till 10 o'clock  
St. John, May 19th, 1910

**Real Bargains in Men's Suits**

We have just received a lot of Men's Suits which we bought recently at a great bargain, and as usual we will give the benefit of this streak of good luck. They are mostly medium and dark colored tweeds, made in the single breasted sack style. They are good fitting garments, all this season's make, are strong and serviceable. You must not judge them by the prices at which we are selling them, but by what they really are—worth from a quarter to a third more than

**Our Sale Prices which are \$5, \$6, \$7.50**  
SIZES 36 to 42

**J. N. HARVEY,** Tailoring and Clothing.  
199 to 207 Union St.

**No Fussy Ornamentation of Fancy Nickel on Our Cabinet Glenwood**

The Cabinet is plain, no heart plate, on and shell. Everything on the Cabinet is operated from the front. You can put one of the Cabinet Glenwood Ranges in a small space, and then have a large stove with a black glossy surface and an oven 20 x 20. The steel hot closet with its nickel handle makes the glossy surface show well and you can see at once that the Cabinet Glenwood Range has been made strong and fit for the work of hotels, restaurants and boarding houses and private homes. Like our Glenwood B Ranges you can remove grate of any part of the Glenwood stove and replace them yourself. Remember, the Glenwood Ranges are first-class in every way, made right here in St. John. A first-class range at a modern price, and one price for everybody. We give you value for your money and promise satisfaction.

**McLean, Holt & Co.**  
PHONE 1545 155 UNION STREET

May 19, 1910

**The Best Dressed Men in St. John Wear OAK HALL CLOTHES**

For over twenty years the best customers of this Clothing store have been found among the best-dressed men in St. John. Not among the extravagant men who pay fancy prices for famed superiority, but among the common-sense practical men who know and appreciate good style, good tailoring, good fit and good wear. Oak Hall Clothes meet these requirements perfectly, yet they cost a fourth to a third less than such clothes could be sold elsewhere. It's because our manufacturers having no middleman's profits to pay, that we can sell them for so little. Don't you think you'll get better service what we can do for you before you spend your money elsewhere? Today's a good-day to investigate.

Men's Suits, . . . . . \$5.00 to \$30.00  
Men's Topcoats, . . . . . \$8.00 to \$28.00  
Young Men's Suits, . . . . . \$5.00 to \$26.00

**Boys' Clothing That is Right**

It's odd, but there are parents who are scrupulously exact in dress themselves, yet who let their boys be clothed—the father dressed—in a suit in which they wouldn't want him to be seen with them. They seem to think anything will do for a boy.

The whole theory of this Boys' Clothing store is opposed to that idea, a boy's suit should be stylish and well fitting, and these two good points should be founded on thoroughly good materials.

The better the boy is dressed the more credit he is to the store; but the suit must be durable. Do you see how this Boys' Clothing store goes to the best?

Russian Suits, . . . . . \$3.50 to \$6.50  
Sailor Suits, . . . . . 1.25 to 3.25  
Bloomer Sailor Suits, . . . . . 3.50 to 7.00  
Revere Norfolk Suits, . . . . . 5.00 to 8.50  
Norfolk Suits, . . . . . 2.25 to 3.00  
Double Breasted Suits, with extra trousers, 5.00 to 12.00  
Boys' Sack Suits, . . . . . 3.50 to 9.00

BASE BALL OUTFIT FREE—With every purchase made in our Boys' Clothing Department amounting to \$4.00 and upwards we are giving away a Base Ball Outfit consisting of Ball, Bat and Catching Mitt.

**Greater Oak Hall**  
SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, ST. JOHN, N. B.  
RING STREET, COR. GERMAIN.

**AT MRA'S LTD.**

**Cool Summary Draperies and Coverings for Furniture in Rich and Delicate Shades.**

The transformation of apartments from the heaviness of winter to the lightness and airiness of springtime is engaging every household now. The vast array of summerlike hangings shown is unsurpassed for variety and splendid values, conveying hundreds of time-ly and delightful beautifying suggestions.

New Silk Mantel Drapes, pretty designs in rich shades. Per yard, . . . . . \$2.75 to \$6.50  
Silk Tapestry Coverings, in a very large assortment of delicate and rich shades. Beautiful effects for Drawing Room Chairs, Divans, Lounges, Settees, Cushions, etc. Per yard, . . . . . \$2.00 to \$9.25  
Tapestry and Wool Coverings in all the latest colorings, newest patterns, extra wearing qualities. Per yard, . . . . . 45c. to \$3.00  
Madras Muslins in white and ivory. Many new designs for Sash and Long Curtains. Per yard, . . . . . 20c. to 80c.  
Macrame Net, heavy and strong. Very effective for Living Room and Dining-room Curtains. White, ivory and Tuscan shades. Per yard, . . . . . 55c. to 80c.

Nottingham Curtains in white and ivory. Per pair, . . . . . 60c. to \$5.50  
Ariston Curtains, extra strong. Made on heavy double thread net; handsome medal-ion effects. Per pair, . . . . . \$3.75 to \$6.75  
Scotch Lock Stitch Net Curtains, per pair, . . . . . \$2.25 to \$5.00  
Novelty Braided Curtains, white and Tuscan shades, per pair, . . . . . \$2.50 to \$8.00  
Guipure d'Art Curtains, three sizes, per pair, . . . . . \$2.75 to \$15.00  
Irish Point Curtains, single or double borders, white or ivory shades, per pair \$3.00 to \$15  
Irish Venice Curtains, beautiful soft effects, per pair, . . . . . \$12.50 to \$28.00

**HOUSE FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.**

**Tapestry Squares for Parlor, Living Room, Dining-Room and Bedrooms**

This is an interesting grouping of choice Tapestry Squares; the very best quality made, medallion pattern in richly blended colors adapted for parlor, living room, dining-room and bedrooms. Sizes 9 by 10 1/2 feet, 9 by 12 feet, 10 1/2 by 12 feet. The cost is much less than you would imagine for such fine quality and we suggest that you call and inspect these excellent values in their present completeness.

**CARPET DEPARTMENT—GERMAIN STREET**

ALL THE STORES OF M. R. A. WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY.

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd.**