

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

DAINTY MUSLINS and LAWNS FOR SEASON 1912

We are showing a large variety of the following goods:—Organdy and Dimity Muslins, in spots, Persian stripes, and floral designs, prices 10 cts. to 25 cts. yard. Silk Striped Muslins, at 25 cts. yard. Striped Marquisette, 28 inches wide, 28 cts. yard. Bordered Dimity and Organdy Muslins, 28 inches wide, at 18 cts. and 30 cts. yard. Bordered Foulards, a good imitation of silk, 28 inches wide, at 30 cts. yard. Plain Scotch Zephyrs, all shades, at 15 cts. and 18 cts. yard. Anderson's Plaid Zephyrs and Gingham, a large variety of pretty color combination plaids, at 15 cts. and 25 cts. yard. English Printed Cambric, light, medium and dark colors, in spots, stripes and neat designs, 12 cts. and 14 cts. yard.

DOWLING BROTHERS 95 and 101 King Street

A Customer's Reasonable Wish Is This Store's Pleasure. DYKEMAN'S

There is ever an increasing charm and grace about the

D. & A. CORSET

They also give comfort being made on reasonable lines, filled with non-rustible steels and the best of materials that the price will permit. They are without doubt the leading Corsets.

The prices run from 50 cts. to \$3.00 a pair.

F.A. DYKEMAN & CO. 55 Charlotte street

Good Furs Like Real Gems, Are Rare

The very choicest of our select showing of Furs are included in this sale, and, like other grades, are offered at a reduction of 25 Per Cent from regular prices.

Bargains You Can't Afford To Miss J. L. THORNE & CO. Hatters and Furriers. 55 Charlotte Street

OVERALLS, JUMPERS, ETC.

are being shown here in abundance. We also have some good values to offer in Men's Pants, and below quote prices that deserve your careful attention.

- Black Overalls and Jumpers, 50c., 75c., 95c. and \$1.00
Khaki Overalls, (double fronts and seat) . . . \$1.35
Khaki Jumpers, \$1.35
Painters Overalls and Jumpers, 50c.
Men's Pants, \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.85, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.45

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

NOW IS THE TIME

If you are looking for a Piano for your home that will give you perfect satisfaction for all time, call and examine the choice assortment of

Heintzman & Co. Pianos Also Wormwith & Co. Pianos which we are making special prices on for a short time only.

THE C. H. TOWNSEND PIANO CO. Sole Agents for New Brunswick 53 Germain St., St. John, N. B.

FERRY ROW HEARD OF IN POLICE COURT

Serious State of Affairs on The Ludlow—Wife Beating Charge Against Thos. Chivers

Many and varied were the cases in the police court this morning. In all there were nine prisoners dealt with. The first matter taken up was that of Bert Capner, aged twenty-four, charged with being drunk on the ferry steamer Ludlow last night. He is one of the crew of the steamer Hesperian and was one of a crowd of sailors who were on the ferry boat about ten o'clock last night. He was fined \$8.

MAKING THE CITY STREETS BEAUTIFUL

The Work of the Arboricultural Society in 1911—There Were 197 Subscribers During the Year

The St. John Arboricultural Society work of 1911 has been aided by the subscriptions of 197 citizens. The annual statement shows a balance of \$237.74 from 1910. There were received:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Ordinary members' fees, Life members, Other amounts, Daughters of the Empire, Intercolonial Railway, City grant, Special grant towards Market Sq., For trees, shrubs, and labor, Printing, Page Wire Fence Co., Signs 'Protect the trees', Collecting, Sundries, Total.

LOCAL NEWS

LECTURE ON ITALY

In the Natural History Society this evening the Bickmore lecture on Italy will be read by G. Ernest Fairweather, and illustrated by about eighty splendid slides. The lecture will be free to the public.

THE STEAMERS

The S. S. Karamees will sail from this port this afternoon for New Zealand ports. The S. S. Manchester Inventor left Manchester yesterday for this port.

WRECK COMMISSIONER

Capt. L. A. Demers, chief wreck commissioner of Ottawa, arrived in the city on the Halifax express this morning, and will leave this evening for Halifax where he is to deliver judgment in reference to the Renwick collision.

DRIVE TO WILLOW GROVE

A party of about sixty last evening drove to the quarters of the Wildwood Club and enjoyed a pleasing programme of dances and music. After a tempting luncheon they returned to the city early this morning. Mrs. H. T. Sheehan and Mrs. Louis O'Connell were chaperones.

AT IT AGAIN

Despite the warning given to boys about the city against throwing snowballs at sleighing parties, they were at work again last evening. In one sleighing party going along Erin and St. Patrick streets two ladies were struck by pieces of hard snow or ice, one of them having her lip severely cut.

ENTERTAINED BY OWLS

The members of the local nest of Owls attended the performance in the Opera House last night and after the show entertained the male members of the cast in their rooms in Union street. President G. L. Potts presided and welcomed the actors to the nest. During the evening an excellent programme was carried out in which Clyde Cole, E. H. Staffer, Al White, A. J. Markey, and H. W. Young of the company, and Messrs. Beaman, Winchester, Hartin, Hony and Nove of the Owls took part. Frank O'Hara presided at the piano. After the programme, refreshments were served and the gathering was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem and Auld Lang Syne.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN

Manchester Commerce, Manchester, Feb. 3. Mount Temple, Antwerp, Feb. 8. Melville, Birkenhead, Feb. 10. Montclair, Liverpool, Feb. 14. Montrose, Antwerp, Feb. 14. Tunisian, Liverpool, Feb. 18. Anapa, London, Feb. 17. Manchester Inventor, Manchester, Feb. 19.

Right Now is The Best Time to Buy Separate Trousers!

We are Showing a wide range of Men's Separate Trousers in all the fashionable stripes and fabrics. These lines embrace everything that is stylish and good for all purposes.

Table with 2 columns: \$1.00 Trousers, Now 89c. Lists various styles and prices.

H. N. DeMILLE & CO. 199 to 201 Union Street, Opera House Block

COMFORTABLE SHOES

We make SLATER SHOES in a great many different shapes and styles—in fact, there is a "a shape for every foot" and styles to suit everybody. The style illustrated here has a broad full toe and is getting to be very popular, we have it in Calf Skin or kid. PRICE \$5.00.

E. G. McCOLOUGH, LIMITED THE SLATER SHOE SHOP. 81 KING STREET.

BOYS' WASH SUITS IN OUR COTTON GOODS DISPLAY

Tables are heaped up with coolness! Strange figure of speech, perhaps, but it expresses exactly the impression one gets from walking about among this display of Washable Suits for boys. Assortments are probably the largest we have ever shown and all from the man considered as the best maker in New York of Clothing for our young friends. Now is your best time for choosing from this first showing, it really won't be long before the boy has actual need of them, in fact some wear them all through the Winter when in the house. The materials used are such well known fabrics as Duck, Linen, Holland, Oxford, Galatas, Chambray and other reliable washing fabrics. Washable Russian Suits, ages 2 1/2 to 7 years, 75c to \$2.00. Washable Sailor Suits, ages 6 to 10 years, \$1.00 to \$2.50. Military Suits, 75c to \$2.50.

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

ADVANCE STYLES IN Ladies' Spring Costumes and Long Coats

Now open. We are now showing the new up-to-date styles in Costumes. Coats in 24, 26 and 28 inch length. Skirts with the high waist band. Now is the time to select your Easter costume. Don't worry about having one made. Come and inspect our stock and see how easy it is to get suited with our large stock. We have all the new shades; Blues, Browns, Tans, Gray, Heather Mixtures, Fawns, Black and White, etc. Long Coats in nice weights for early spring, made with a snap and dash that is attractive. We have them in Black, Navy, Green, Brown, Tans, Fawns and Tweed mixtures.

FROM TEN TO TWENTY DOLLARS EACH. FRASER FRASER & CO. 27 and 29 Charlotte St. Robert Strain, Manager.

Buy Furs Now and Save Dollar

If you are desirous of having a good set of Furs, a Fur Coat or a Fur-lined Coat, and also wish to save dollars, now is the time to purchase, as we are making great reductions in the price of all fur garments and articles in stock.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes Mink Stoles and Muffs, Black Lynx Stoles and Muffs, Brown Pony Coat, Hudson Seal Coat, Muskrat Coat, Marmot Stoles and Muffs.

D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd. Manufacturing Furriers 63 King S