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Stores open till 10 tonight. St. John, N. B. Dec. 31st, 1906.

Overcoats Here at Greatly Reduced Prices

If you have not already bought a new Winter Overcoat, you should take advantage of this Clearance Sale to get one. \$20.00 Overcoats, now \$15.00. \$15.00 Overcoats, now \$10.40. 18.00 Overcoats, now 15.00. 13.50 Overcoats, now 10.40. 12.00 Overcoats, now 8.75. 10.00 Overcoats, now 7.50. 7.50 Overcoats, now 6.00. 6.00 Overcoats, now 4.95.

J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and Furnishings, Opera House Block.

A Chance

for you to secure a pair of genuine Dongola Kid Boots for baby at 55c. per pair. We have 120 pairs only of lace and button boots, turn sole, spring heel, sizes 3 to 7, which we will dispose of at this extremely low price. We cannot duplicate this line and consequently this offer is only good until this lot is sold out.

See Them Now



SLEDS---At Reduced Prices.



In order to quickly sell the balance of stock: FRAMERS THAT WERE 45c. NOW 35c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 50c. NOW 40c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 60c. NOW 45c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 75c. NOW 55c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 85c. NOW 65c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 95c. NOW 75c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.10 NOW 85c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.20 NOW 95c. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.30 NOW 1.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.40 NOW 1.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.50 NOW 1.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.60 NOW 1.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.70 NOW 1.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.80 NOW 1.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 1.90 NOW 1.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.00 NOW 1.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.10 NOW 1.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.20 NOW 1.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.30 NOW 2.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.40 NOW 2.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.50 NOW 2.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.60 NOW 2.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.70 NOW 2.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.80 NOW 2.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 2.90 NOW 2.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.00 NOW 2.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.10 NOW 2.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.20 NOW 2.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.30 NOW 3.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.40 NOW 3.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.50 NOW 3.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.60 NOW 3.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.70 NOW 3.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.80 NOW 3.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 3.90 NOW 3.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.00 NOW 3.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.10 NOW 3.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.20 NOW 3.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.30 NOW 4.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.40 NOW 4.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.50 NOW 4.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.60 NOW 4.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.70 NOW 4.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.80 NOW 4.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 4.90 NOW 4.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.00 NOW 4.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.10 NOW 4.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.20 NOW 4.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.30 NOW 5.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.40 NOW 5.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.50 NOW 5.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.60 NOW 5.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.70 NOW 5.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.80 NOW 5.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 5.90 NOW 5.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.00 NOW 5.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.10 NOW 5.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.20 NOW 5.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.30 NOW 6.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.40 NOW 6.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.50 NOW 6.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.60 NOW 6.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.70 NOW 6.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.80 NOW 6.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 6.90 NOW 6.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.00 NOW 6.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.10 NOW 6.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.20 NOW 6.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.30 NOW 7.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.40 NOW 7.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.50 NOW 7.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.60 NOW 7.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.70 NOW 7.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.80 NOW 7.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 7.90 NOW 7.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.00 NOW 7.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.10 NOW 7.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.20 NOW 7.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.30 NOW 8.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.40 NOW 8.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.50 NOW 8.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.60 NOW 8.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.70 NOW 8.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.80 NOW 8.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 8.90 NOW 8.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.00 NOW 8.70. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.10 NOW 8.80. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.20 NOW 8.90. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.30 NOW 9.00. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.40 NOW 9.10. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.50 NOW 9.20. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.60 NOW 9.30. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.70 NOW 9.40. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.80 NOW 9.50. FRAMERS THAT WERE 9.90 NOW 9.60. FRAMERS THAT WERE 10.00 NOW 9.70.

EMERSON & FISHER, GERMAIN ST.

THE GREATEST BARGAINS, FOR A SHORT TIME

A number of Exhibition Carriages and Toboggan Pungs for sale at reduced prices. A. G. EDGECOMBE, 115-129 City Road. Tel. No. 547.

33 1-3 p. c. Calendars

allowed on the balance of our stock of Calendars. 25 p. c. on Christy Pictures.

Christy Calendars for 1907 at \$2.00 net. We will also make a reduction of from 25 p. c. to 33 1-3 p. c. on all Holiday Goods until the end of the month.

The Floods Co., Ltd. 31 and 33 King Street.

Ducks and Geese. Chickens and Turkeys. Mince Meat. Cake Lard.

JOHN HOPKINS, - 133 'Phone 133.

OUR XMAS PRESENT TO YOU.

A PAIR OF HIGH GRADE SCISSORS with cash sales of \$3.00 or more. Or A 50 CENT POCKET KNIFE with cash sales of \$5.00 or more. Ours are the LOWEST PRICES in town. Bargains in Shoes and Clothing.

C. B. PIDGEON, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts., N.E.

We Have Just Received Something You May Require. Pretty Sash Muslins at 15 cents a Yard. Striped Scrim 7c. Yard. Roller Towelling 6 1-2c. Yard. WETMORE'S, Garden St. OPEN EVENINGS. 'Phone 1782 C.

WINNIPEG

"The city is shaking her myriad eyes And the summer moon in the summer skies Falls up the breeze. While her thousand vessels of stars step forth The night to greet. Where the city Queen of the West and North Stands at their feet. She who in garment of loveliness dressed Regally reigns. Queen of the Prairie Land, Queen of the West, Queen of the Plains." -Faulstich Johnson.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

WANTED TO BE SURE. "Mortie! Whatever are you doing with that goldfish?" "It's all right, mother; I'm only testing him to see if he is real gold."

A TIME FOR ECONOMY.

Race Track Patron (who has had a bad day)—"Out you go, you lazy beggars, cutting your heads off. How can I afford to keep you now?"

THE SILVER LINING

Friend—Well, how do you feel now you're married? "Young Husband (recently married to a rich girl)—Fine. It's just like pay day every day."

THE GLAD HAND.

A correspondent sends the Manchester Guardian the following notice of a sermon, displayed in a suburb of Manchester: "Disagreeable Christmas. All are heartily invited."

NEW KIND OF ROOF.

Probable Purchaser—"Your father's house is certainly a pretty one, my boy, but what are those funny things on the roof?" Owner's Son—"I suppose they're mortgagors. Pa always says that the house is covered with them."

A MONDAY EDITORIAL

(New York Journal) This is a Monday editorial—an editorial for today. The first of the week, not the first of the year, is the day for good resolutions. Don't wait three days to get the start in your week's work that ought to begin the minute you take off your overcoat Monday morning. Sunday is the day for rest. Your tired brain and body have twenty-four hours to catch up. If you have not had all the sleep you need through the week you can get it Sunday. If you have not had all the fresh air your lungs need, Sunday is the day to go out into the country and get a new supply. And the wage-earner, or man in business for himself, who does not come to the office or shop Monday morning refreshed and invigorated, and ready to do the best week's work of his life, is a failure as far as this week is concerned, and is likely to be a failure for all time. The only way to catch up with work is to keep up with it. Don't get the Spaniard's habit of saying, "Tomorrow, to-morrow." If you think that Tuesday or Wednesday or Thursday is going to bring the strength and energy to do the things you ought to do today, you are going to be disappointed. The man who says to himself "I never can get started before Tuesday. Monday is always dull and blue, and I don't feel like myself at all," is the man who has some excuse to offer his indolence all the rest of the week. But weeks are short, and another soon comes around. If you failed last week, you need not fail this week. Make your resolutions, and keep them through the week. Next week make new and still better resolutions, and keep them. And so on through all the weeks of your life as a worker. If you are not being paid by your employer value for the money he pays you, you have been dishonest to him. And if you have not been giving him a great deal more than value for his money, you have been dishonest to yourself and to those who depend on you. You owe it to yourself and to your family to succeed. You cannot succeed unless you make yourself constantly worth more money. And you will never get more money until you are worth it. This is the day to say to yourself "I will do what I have to do now. I will do it well—better than I have ever done before. I will make up for the idleness or procrastination of last week by doing what I should have done then. I will begin the many things I have been promising myself to do for years, make a start on at least one of them. I will do the others, if I can. I will have solutions on coming Mondays." Make these resolutions and carry them out. Satisfy your conscience by doing what you are bound to do. You are a stranger to most of us—the feeling that you have earned the Sunday holiday, and will enjoy the rest it brings better than ever before. And when next Monday is here you will be ready for a higher step of progress. You will be ready to make real progress. The fascination of it will not leave you. After you have begun right you will see that you cannot afford to get back to the old ways, and when the first of the year shall come you will need to make no resolutions save those of the sort you have learned to make every Monday.

SIR WILFRID'S REPLY

In accordance with resolution passed at the Liberal convention on Friday, a telegram of congratulation and support was sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. On Saturday a reply was received by R. E. Armstrong, secretary, in the following terms: "Accept my sincere thanks for your Xmas greetings, which I reciprocate with all my heart. Allow me at the same time to offer you my warmest congratulations on success of convention. WILFRID LAURIER. In connection with the filling of the vacancies in the city and county auditorships the name of John F. Gleason is heard."

New Year's Gifts.

Art Calendars for 1907 at reduced prices. 5c. Calendars . . . . . 4c. 10c. Calendars . . . . . 8c. 15c. Calendars . . . . . 10c. 25c. Calendars . . . . . 15c. 35c. Calendars . . . . . 25c. 50c. Calendars . . . . . 35c. Dolls, Toys, Games, Picture Books, Fancy Goods, Sleds, Skates, Snow Shoes, China and Glassware. Get our prices.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE

212-214 Charlotte street.

SUGGESTIONS FOR

NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS

Buffets, China Closets, Sideboards, Extension Tables, Dining Chairs, Morris Chairs, Music and Parlor Cabinets, Fancy Rockers, Willow Rockers, Shaving Sets, Hall Trees, Hall Chairs, Fancy Odd Chairs, etc., will make useful New Year's Gifts.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd., Furniture and Carpet Dealers 19 Waterloo Street.

OATS! Skating Boots

Two Cars of Ontario White Oats Landing Today. N. S. SPRINGER, 12-15 MILL STREET. Wholesale Groceries and Grain. Telephone 104.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound.

The great Uterine Tonic, and only safe effective Monthly Regulator on which women can depend. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, 2, 3. No. 2 for special cases, \$5 per box. Sold by all druggists. Send for prospectus on receipt of price. If they are soon broken they can be soon made again.

THE HYGIENIC BAKERY.

WHEN YOU NEED BREAD OR BISCUITS, BUY THE BEST, BREADER'S MARK. Will keep moist six days. Sold by all grocers. HYGIENIC BAKERY, 134 to 138 Mill St. Phone 1187. Branch 211 Brunswick street.

PUMPS.

Standard Duplex Pumps, GUINNEE Packed Pump, Automatic Feed Pumps and Receivers, Independent Jet Condensers and Air Pumps, Sigsbee, Inlet Driven Centrifugal Pumps, Steam and Oil Separators. E. S. STEPHENSON & CO., 23-25 Nelson street, St. John, N. B.

FERGUSON & PAGE

JEWELERS ETC., 41 KING STREET

HIRAM WEBB, Electrical Contractor, J. H. NOBLE'S, 25 King Square. Phone 39.

SPECIAL FOR NEW YEARS.

CUCUMBERS, TOMATOES, SWEET POTATOES, OYSTER PLANT, SPINACH, CAPE COD CRANBERRIES, BRUSSELS SPROUTS, SCOTCH KALE, SQUASH, CELERY, LETTUCE, RADISH, PARSLEY, TURKEYS, GEESE, DUCKS.

J. E. QUINN, CITY MARKET, TELEPHONE 634

START THE YEAR RIGHT

Exact Time Will Be Given Out By Western Union at Six O'clock Tonight.

Last New Year's eve, through the courtesy of the Western Union Telegraph Company, the St. John Observatory of the Meteorological Service sent a special time signal at six in the evening to give the exact time to all points in the maritime provinces where the Western Union has an office. The signal was taken advantage of by caretakers of public clocks, watchmakers, and others throughout the maritime provinces to correct their timepieces so that the general public might know the precise moment of the birth of the New Year.

THE DOCTOR

finds a ready help in reconstructing the entire health of the convalescent, the weak and the anemic, in

Wilson's Invalids' Port

carefully compounded from a time-honored prescription. Endorsed by the most eminent men in the medical profession. In purity certified by the Provincial Government Analyst, Milton L. Hersey—and by L. Minier, the great French Chemist, of the Laboratory of Practical Sciences, Paris.

All Druggists

THE YEAR'S FIRES

The firemen were kept pretty busy during the year 1906, which closes today. There were ninety bell alarms and of the number several were false alarms and one test of a new box. There were thirty still alarms. The chemical engines demonstrated their worth and prevented many fires from gaining headway. Some of the losses were heavy. The total insurance on buildings burnt amounted to \$122,200.