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DOWLING BROS.
95 and 101 King Street

THREE GIVEN TERMS IN DORCHESTER PENITENTIARY

Arnold Reid, Five Years; James Walsh and Geo. Wadman, Two Years Each—Sentenced By Judge Forbes

Three criminal cases were quickly disposed of by Judge Forbes this morning, and stiff sentences were handed out to the trio, who appeared before him, under the Speedy Trials Act. Arnold Reid, committed for trial on a charge of stealing a box of chocolates, was sentenced to serve five years in Dorchester penitentiary with hard labor; James Walsh, charged with stealing a \$25 gold watch, was given two years in the penitentiary, and George Wadman, who denied indecently assaulting a fifteen-year-old girl in Carleton, was also sentenced to two years in Dorchester penitentiary.

The first case was that of the King vs. James Walsh. He was not represented by counsel. Wm. H. Irving, jeweller, gave evidence of missing a gold watch from the counter in his store, and of suspecting Walsh, who was in the store about the time the watch was missed. Sergeant Caples testified to arresting the prisoner and of finding the watch in his possession. The defendant said he had no recollection of stealing but had been drinking.

His Honor—"Do you think that will help you out any? That makes it worse. A man like you who gets drunk and commits a crime is twice guilty. The sentence of this court is that you be sent to Dorchester for two years with hard labor. I'll stop you from drinking."

In the case of the King vs. Arnold Reid, the prisoner pleaded guilty to stealing a box of chocolates from St. Clair McKell, a few weeks ago. He was not represented by counsel.

"You seem to have a record of running riot," said His Honor. "You've been in the reformatory; you've been in and out of jail. You seem to be a perfect pest to the community. You are not only doing evil to yourself but you are also injuring others. When you go to penitentiary you can learn a trade, and become a better man."

The case of this lad, who is not yet seventeen years of age, is a pitiable one. His boyhood record shows him up rather poorly in police circles, and with no one to be any interest in his career, he has almost a marked life, as it were, and unable to obtain any work in the city. When first sentenced the boy burst into tears, and weeping, he said he had been almost starving lately and was glad he was going to the penitentiary for five years.

George Wadman, who pleaded not guilty to assaulting Grace Robbison, a large lying on the West Side, and of which the defendant was captain, was represented by Geo. H. V. Byles, Sergeant-at-Law. H. Finley, an eye witness, gave evidence, and Geo. Emery Robb also testified. Four witnesses for the defence testified to the defendant's previous good character. The prisoner was found guilty and sentenced as reported. C. H. Ferguson prosecuted in all three cases.

HOLIDAY CLOTHES
FOR NATTY DRESSERS

The suit you will like is here, sir. So many different colors, shades, patterns and designs of fabric, and such a variety of different models are exhibited in our present showing of stylish new suits that almost every taste can be precisely gratified.

SEE OUR MEN'S TWEED AND WORSTED SUITS AT \$10.00 to \$20.00

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Standard Patterns are always right in the cut.

DYKEMAN'S
Clearing Line of **WHITEWEAR**

Just an odd lot, some large quantities, some small, but you are sure to find what you want in the if you are one of the first to make a selection.

LADIES' SKIRTS, made from nice fine lawn with wide Hamburg flounce topped with Hamburg insertion \$1.15 QUALITY SALE PRICE, 70 CENTS.

GOWNS, very handsomely trimmed, \$1.25 quality, sale price 80 cents; \$1.50 quality sale price \$1.00; \$1.75 quality sale price \$1.17.

DRAWERS, 50 cent quality are priced 35 CENTS, 60 cent quality are priced 39 CENTS.

These are trimmed with fine Hamburg and are made from the well known Princess lawn.

CORSET COVERS, at three attractive prices, 25 cent quality 19 cents; 40 cent quality 29 cents; 50 and 60 cent quality 39 cents.

All sizes in these Corset Covers, some are profusely trimmed with lace while others are neatly and daintily trimmed with Hamburg.

MISSIE'S DRAWERS regular 40 cent quality TO BE CLEARED OUT AT 25 CENTS.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SHOOT IS DROPPED

Gun Club Meeting—New Conditions of Contest

At a meeting of the managing committee of the St. John Gun Club it was decided to hold the club shoots only on Wednesday evenings and Saturday afternoons until further notice, thus leaving out the Wednesday afternoon shoot. At this meeting W. G. McIntyre was added to the managing committee in the capacity of secretary.

As the conditions in the contest for the Nobel case donated by the Dominion Cartridge company had not been decided with in some cases, it was decided to cancel all previous arrangements, unless objections were offered, and to have a new fifty target match on July 11, which is to be a public holiday. Also the handicap system is to be changed for a new trophy events to the following system as recommended by the Dupont Powder company—

"At the beginning of the competition each shooter starts with a handicap based on his previous record, handicapping himself for each succeeding event by the actual number of targets broken in the event immediately preceding. A shooter to receive more than 100 per cent or a perfect score; that is, if a shooter in a 25-target race breaks 25 targets, he is to be credited with a score of twenty-five but not twenty targets. The scale of this handicap, based on a 25-target event, is as follows:

A shooter breaking twenty-three, twenty-four or twenty-five receives no added targets.

A shooter breaking twenty-two receives one added target.

A shooter breaking twenty-one receives two added targets.

A shooter breaking twenty receives three added targets.

A shooter breaking nineteen receives four added targets.

A shooter breaking eighteen receives five added targets.

A shooter breaking seventeen receives six added targets.

A shooter breaking sixteen receives seven added targets.

A shooter breaking fifteen receives eight added targets.

EXPLANATION.

From previous records "A" is a shooter capable of breaking twenty-three or better out of twenty-five, hence, according to above scale "A" will receive no added targets at the first shoot. At this first shoot he breaks but twenty three he was to receive no added targets, his actual score for this shoot is twenty, but breaking only twenty entitles him to his next shoot of three added targets. At the next shoot he breaks twenty-three—this with his handicap of three gives him a perfect score of twenty-five but not twenty-six. His breaking twenty-three again places him in the class where no added targets are given for the next succeeding shoot.

From previous records "B" is a shooter who averages fifteen out of twenty-five. This places "B" at a start in a class entitling him to eight added targets. He breaks in his first race seventeen which with his handicap of eight makes his score twenty-five. However his breaking seventeen entitles him to but six added targets on his next shoot. At his first shoot he breaks but fifteen, giving him a score of twenty-one and placing him again in the fifteen class for the next shoot and entitling to eight added targets.

To determine the winner, suppose, for example, the series comprises ten events at twenty-five targets each—the ten events to cover a period of ten or more club shooting days—the winner of the series will be the contestant making the highest total score in the ten events.

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If careful measurement of the foot and a still more careful selection of the shape that suits your feet will help to give you a comfortable fit, and we know it will, then we really can help you have this greatest of all comforts.

The Seal of certainty is on every pair of Slater Shoes and is your guarantee that nothing but the best of material and workmanship enters into the construction of the shoe. Don't get the wrong kind.

Popular Prices: For Men, \$4.00 to \$6.50; For Women, \$3.50 to \$5.00

E. G. McColough, Ltd., The Slater Shoe Shop
81 King Street

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
59 Charlotte Street

DANISH SCHOONER SAID TO BE BOUND HERE LOST HER WAY

The S. S. Montclair, of the C. P. R. Atlantic line, which arrived at Montreal this week, interrupted what might have become one of the never-explicated mysteries of the sea.

On Friday the 21st, the Montclair sighted a large Danish schooner, the Ludvig, bound from Thuro, Denmark, for St. John, N. B. The actions of the vessel attracted the attention of the officer on watch, and he immediately signalled the latter vessel to hoist up to the peak. When the Montclair got within speaking distance of the schooner, the captain of the latter vessel shouted through the megaphone that he was lost and had no idea of his whereabouts.

The situation was given by the Montclair officer to the Danish captain in an oblique way in his thanks. "He had not been explained, to signal his wants because he was not equipped with signalling apparatus. He was rather diffident in answering the question as to how long he had been lost, and preferred to wave his hand and shout, "Thank you," as if he had not understood the question.

Men's Furnishings for the Holiday
Just a Few Reminders

OUTING SHIRTS

In all the latest ideas. Beautiful Summer materials with reversible lay-down collar, 75c to \$2.50. With high soft separate collar, \$1.00 to \$3.00. Soft Flannel beautiful colorings, \$1.50 to \$4.50.

TIES

In washable or silk materials. One of the newest things to wear without vest is a silk tie with a fancy bordered end, 50c each. Other lines of silk ties, 25c to \$1.50. Washable Ties, 10c to 60c.

Poros Knit Shirts and Drawers, 25c to 50c garment. Merino Shirts and Drawers, 50c to \$1.00 garment. Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, \$1.00 to \$2.00 garment.

STRAW HATS

The very latest New York and London shapes in straw and Panama. Rough Sunsets, \$1.00 to \$3.00. Plain Spine Straws, \$1.50 to \$5.00. Panama, \$5.00 to \$15.00. Soft Felt Outing Hats, \$1.00 to \$4.00. Outing Caps, 25c to \$2.00.

JEWELRY NOVELTIES

Links for soft double cuffs, 50c to \$1.50 pair. Links for soft collars, 25c each. Lapel Chains for watch, 50c to \$5.00. Scarf Retainers, 25c to \$1.00. Scarf Pins, 50c to \$5.00. Soft Collar Supporters, 25c, 35c.

SUIT CASES \$1.35 to \$30.00

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This season we are showing the largest, most complete, most varied line of Men's Straw Hats we have ever offered, including all the latest brims and most fashionable shapes, among the more popular being the Soft Straw Yacht with snap brim, which can be easily turned down in front, back or side; also the more dressy Boater model with firm, straight brim. In either of these styles.

Prices Range From 75c to \$3.00 Each.

J. L. THORNE & CO., The Centre for Seasonable Headwear
55 CHARLOTTE STREET

BOTH WATER CLUBS TO HAVE OUTINGS

R. K. Y. C. and Power Boat Club Outings Over the Holiday

The members of both the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club and the St. John Power Boat Club are anticipating spending a very enjoyable time on the river on the holiday, July 1. The R. K. Y. C. boys will get away from Millidgeville on Saturday afternoon and will cruise along the river on Sunday. On Monday morning at eight o'clock the motor boats of the fleet will assemble at Gagetown and will race down to Millidgeville. Quite a number of the club boats are entered and an exciting race is expected. The judges for the race will be Robert Thomson, A. E. Everett, T. T. Lantaulum and J. H. Kimball. Handsome prizes will be awarded to the owners of the first six boats finishing. The prizes are now in the window of A. E. Everett in Charlotte street.

The Power Boat Club members will enjoy a cruise on the river going as far as Glenwood. The boats will leave the club house tomorrow night at six o'clock and will go as far as Craig's Point where they will stay all night. A bonfire will be started and a sing-song will be held. On Sunday morning at half past ten o'clock the boats will lift anchor and start for Glenwood, arriving there about half past eleven o'clock. On arrival there dinner will be enjoyed. In the afternoon religious service will be held. On Monday morning there will be sports for which suitable prizes have been secured. The boats will leave Glenwood Monday afternoon at two o'clock and expect to reach the club in the flagship Lolita and will be assisted in looking after the cruise by Commodore S. P. Gierow. It is expected that more than 175 boats will take part in the cruise.

St. John, N. B., June 26, 1912.

DEAR SIR:

It takes an alarm clock to get the attention of some people. There are others who can "hear a dollar bill drop."

If a dollar bill should drop at your feet, it would be less important to you than the reading of this letter.

Just imagine I am looking you square in the eye. Lend me your ear. I want to say a few words to you straight from the heart.

You are anxious to get the most actual value possible to secure for every dollar you spend for clothes. That's why you should investigate the extraordinary values we are now offering.

You like to buy goods you can depend upon—the kind you know are right in style, right in quality and right in price.

You will find only that sort of clothes here.

I am determined that I will gain for this store a host of new customers this season by the giving of exceptional values. I am succeeding. We are doing the largest business in the history of this store.

An investigation will prove to YOU that this store is giving better values for the same money or the same values for less money than any other store.

I know beyond the shadow of a doubt, that if you investigate the unusual values we now present in stylish, serviceable clothing and compare them with what you can get elsewhere, you are sure to buy here.

You certainly cannot afford to buy a dollar's worth of clothes before you see what we offer.

It is better to find out about these values before you buy, than later to wish you had.

We'll be just as glad to see you if you come simply to look as though you come to buy.

Yours for economy,
C. B. PIDGEON.

P. S. Shoes too for all the family at a saving.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
Special for Dominion Day

OUTING SHIRTS

Plain Tan or White Duck, .. 75c.
Fine Grey and White Stripe, (reversible collar) 75c.
Fancy White Matting, reversible collar, \$1.00.
Plain Tan, White or Grey Percale, reversible collar, \$1.00.
Other makes and styles, 50c., 60c. and 75c.

FANCY SOCKS, TIES, BRACES, ETC.

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

Plain Cream, Tan and Light Blue with Collar and Tie to match, \$1.00 and \$1.25.
Soft Front Shirts in many fancy patterns, 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25.
Soft Collars, 18c. and 25c.
Soft Collar and Tie to match, 25c. and 50c.
Beds (all kinds) .. 25c., 35c., 50c.
Bathing Suits, 50c. and 75c.
Bathing Trunks, 25c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

TODAY'S POLICE COURT

One prisoner charged with drunkenness was fined \$8 or two months in jail with hard labor in the police court this morning. One other prisoner on remand, charged with a similar offense, was fined \$8 or two months in jail.

James MacKenzie, who was reported for having a large in Exmouth street a savage dog, which bit a boy, did not appear in court. His daughter appeared instead, saying that she was the owner of the dog. The magistrate told her to have the animal destroyed.

There was another dog charge. James J. Flood appeared to answer to a charge of allowing two ferocious bull terriers to run at large unmuzzled. He was let off with a fine of \$5.

There was a charge of assault placed against George Bushara, by Leo Smith. As there was a mix-up as to the witness, the magistrate adjourned the case till next Tuesday.

John Kelly, charged with driving an omnibus for hire without a license, was each fined \$2.

A Regular Snap in Outing Hats

We have a few lines of felt Outing Hats for men and boys which are broken in sizes, so to clear them out we have put them at two special prices.

39 cents for 50 and 75 cent hats
65 cents for 75 cent and \$1.00 hats

They are in White, Grey and Marble colors

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No. 1—Upright Piano by Jenkins & Scribner. A beautiful instrument for a child to practise on. Original price \$399.00, now \$250.00. Terms: \$8.00 down and \$4.00 per month.

No. 2—Upright Piano, by George Anderson. Good little piano to practise on. Original price \$300.00, now \$230.00. Terms: \$7.00 down, \$4.00 per month.

No. 3—Square Piano, by A. McPhail, Jr. Original price \$475.00, now \$300.00. Terms: \$7.00 down, \$5.00 per month.

No. 4—Five Octave Organ (Standard), four sets of reeds, excellent tone, original price \$100.00, now \$80.00. Terms: \$20.00 down and \$3.00 per month.

No. 5—Uxbridge Organ, four sets of reeds, treble and base couplers. Original price \$120.00, now \$50.00. Terms: \$6.00 down, \$4.00 per month.

No. 6—Doherty Organ, five octave, reeds and base complete, mouse-proof pedals, heavy plate mirror, beautiful black walnut case. Original price, \$125.00, now \$65.00. Terms: \$6.00 down, \$4.00 per month.

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