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Women's Extra Out-Size Vests, 60c. a garment.

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Children's Vests and Drawers, 25c. to 75c. a garment.

Children's Combinations, 75c., 80c., 85c., 90c. a garment.

Children's Fleece-lined Corset Waists, 25c. a garment.

Children's Black Tights, 25c., 28c., 32c., 40c., 45c., 50c. garment

Infant's Vests.....25c. to 50c. a garment

**S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main St.**

## THE JUDGES

Speculation as to Who Will Be Third to Move to St. John

There is considerable speculation among the lawyers as to which judge of the King's Bench division of the Supreme Court will have to remove his residence to St. John. Under the amendment to the act which recently went into force all the judges of the Court of Appeals and Chancery Division must reside here. Chief Justice McLeod already lives in St. John and, as announced yesterday, Justices White and Grimmer will have to move to this city. The amendment also that two judges of the King's Bench division shall reside in St. John and one in Fredericton. This division includes Chief Justice Landry and Justices Barry, McKeown and Crockett. Of these Justice McKeown is the only one who lives in St. John at present and it is supposed that he will remain here. Justices Barry and Crockett both live in Fredericton and the chief justice in Dorchester. It is altogether probable that the judge who will be required to reside in Fredericton will be one of those now living there but there is nothing to indicate which of the three will be required to come to St. John. Some expect that Chief Justice Landry may be the one not living in either St. John or Fredericton. As head of the division it is probable that will be the one to say in the matter, however, and if he wished to remain where he is it is probable that he would be able to insist upon Justice Barry or Justice Crockett making the change. If there was any disinclination by them to take advantage of this opportunity legal men say it might be natural to expect that the choice would fall upon Justice Crockett as the junior member of the bench.

## MAYOR WAS NOT ON TRAIN WHEN WRECKED; LEFT IT AT MONCTON

Because of an announcement that Mayor Frink left for Halifax last night on the late train, which was wrecked, there were inquiries today regarding His Worship's safety.

Fortunately he was not on board the train when the accident occurred as he was going only to Moncton and had left the train before it was wrecked. He expected to return to St. John this evening.

## PROTECTING OUR FAIR NAME AGAINST THE SLANDERS

The board of trade has not been idle in the matter of the false statements that have been made regarding the safety of navigation in the Bay of Fundy. The president, J. M. Robinson, some ten days ago made a motion in the board for a record of the damage sailing in and out of the Bay of Fundy as far back as records are conveniently available, with a statement of the percentage of loss.

When this has been prepared the board will give the facts the widest publicity. In the meantime the board is sending out today to a list of newspapers a statement of the facts as revealed in previous reports prepared by the board, showing beyond question that the approach to the port of St. John is as safe as that to any port north of Cape Hatteras.

## UTILITIES COMMISSION IN SESSION HERE AGAIN

Hearing in connection with the application of the Eastern Electric and Development Company for a license for permission to increase their rates was continued before the Public Utilities Commission here this morning in the provincial government room, Prince William street. Those present were G. O. D. Otty, A. B. Connell, Felix Michaud, F. P. Robinson, J. B. Mill, who have counsel for the company and A. B. Connell, counsel for the town of Sackville, and the witnesses.

The witnesses were Charles W. Pavett, a member of the company; J. D. Doull, police magistrate of Sackville, and an architect, who gave evidence regarding the cost of the buildings owned by the company, and Kenneth D. Pickard, secretary of the company, who was recalled.

Mr. Pickard was on the stand when the commission adjourned for lunch and will be on again this afternoon. The commissioners hope to conclude the hearing of evidence today.

## A SEWELL STREET DOG

Threats of vengeance, uncharitable thoughts and ugly sentiments are entertained by residents who traverse Sewell street to any extent, against a collie dog which is the subject of much annoyance to them and causes them to pass in trepidation. One young man who works in a downtown office has been known to be late five minutes for three mornings in succession because of making a wide detour to avoid the greetings of the canine, as he is of too kindly and sympathetic a nature to do, as others driven to desperation have done—walk bravely along with one eye on the dog and the other on a missile or stick, ready for use if the occasion demanded.

There has been more than one encounter. One young man says he is doubtful whether the dog in question is actually fierce or not. He has heard of the animal having had its mouth open at him and wagging his tail energetically.

It was said yesterday that the police had been appealed to, but the animal was still busy every day taking possession of the street.

## THE ROYAL EDWARD MAILS

The steamer Royal Edward, which is expected to dock at Long Wharf tomorrow morning between five and six o'clock, is bringing about 1,600 pieces of mail which, it is understood, will be sent west over the C. P. R. The steamer passengers will be taken to the pier by mail which, it is understood, will be sent west over the C. P. R. The steamer passengers will be taken to the pier by mail which, it is understood, will be sent west over the C. P. R.

## AFTER DREDGE'S EQUIPMENT

An effort will be made today to raise the portion of the Don Fredericton's ladder and turret, which was lost while the dredge was at work near the entrance to Courtney Bay Monday. A hoisting crew with a crew of men aboard went this morning to where the part was dropped.

## JAS. CAMPBELL WRITES OF POLICE INVESTIGATION

Former Sergeant in Answer to Charges Against Him—Invites Repetition of Them in Press

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir—In justice to my character I crave space in your columns to answer some grave charges which were made against me at the police investigation recently held by the commissioner of public safety, at which policemen now on the force, as well as ex-policemen, made statements in answer to questions put by the commissioner reflecting upon me. I stand until the investigation was concluded. Subsequently I consulted him with reference to whether or not I could not maintain an action for slander and was advised that the investigation was a privileged occasion. If this were not the case I would most assuredly commence an action against those who made statements imputing dishonesty to me.

I resigned from the police force in consequence of the intervention of the commissioner of public safety, after a record of 22 years and during that whole period there was never a charge of dishonesty made against me. I am now employed in the Opera House as a policeman for the purpose and was recommended for the position by the manager of the Imperial Theatre, who was a newspaperman and who has known me for many years.

As I am denied the right to bring an action because of the privilege which belongs to those who slandered me at the investigation, I now invite all those who uttered such slanders on that occasion to come out publicly if they desire to do so and repeat the slanders in the public press and give me an opportunity to vindicate my character in court.

My good name is precious to me and my family and I am seeking only the opportunity which should be afforded every British subject to clear his character when it is falsely aspersed.

In conclusion I wish to say I am credibly informed that the commissioner of public safety personally visited Haley Bros. and made inquiries of the firm as to their belief in my honesty and was assured by one of the members that they had perfect trust in me. I am also informed that he spoke to Robert Woods, night watchman at Haley Bros., along the same lines and got the same answer from Mr. Woods. Moreover Mr. Woods stated on the witness stand at the investigation, and strange to say, the commissioner of public safety did not put any questions to Mr. Woods about the alleged stealing of lumber by me from Haley Bros. and according to the rule laid down at the investigation no one else was allowed to put questions. From this it may be judged how fairly the investigation was conducted.

JAMES CAMPBELL.

## PITIFUL STORY FOR WOMAN TO HAVE TO DISCLOSE

North End Wife Beating Case Includes Bottle Drinking at Home and Sunday Purchase in Street

A pitiful case was heard in the police court this morning, when Scott Fanjoy of Main-street was brought before Magistrate Ritchie on a charge of beating his wife, Mary E., and turning her out of the house on Sunday night.

Mrs. Fanjoy said that her husband came home drunk on Saturday evening and that he had some liquor with him. He made quite a disturbance, broke furniture and quarrelled with her and her two sons. One of the boys was struck in the face and his nose made to bleed. A policeman was called in. Mrs. Fanjoy said that her husband gave her some money with which to buy food and clothes for the children but he afterwards took this from her. On Sunday she said, he went out and got a bottle of gin in the street and on Sunday night he was worse than ever and pulled her out of bed. Mrs. Fanjoy said she was barely able to get a few clothes together when she was ordered out of the house. She picked up her baby and went to a neighbor's house where she spent the remainder of the night and all the following day until she felt sure her husband had left the house.

Mrs. Fanjoy also said on the stand that her husband worked at a vessel and did not support her as she was obliged with the aid of her two sons to pay the rent and buy provisions.

Fanjoy's poor health rendered nothing of the charge of beating his wife but admitted that he had been drinking. He asked to be allowed to go back to his work and said he would live on the vessel and not make any more trouble for his wife. Mrs. Fanjoy said this would be perfectly satisfactory to her as she did not wish to have him punished but wanted to live in peace.

The magistrate imposed a fine of \$20 or two months in jail but said he was giving him a light sentence on account of what Mrs. Fanjoy had said about not wishing to prosecute. He added that the next person brought before him charged with wife beating would be sent to jail without a fine.

Oscar Dine who was arrested yesterday morning charged with being drunk and deliberately breaking a window in the store of Wilfred Barlow, pleaded guilty and was remanded. Mr. Barlow said he ordered him out three times and then he deliberately turned round and broke the window. It is said that Dine is trying to get in jail for the winter. If so he will probably be allowed to go.

## THIEF OF \$10 CHARGED

Alexander Robins was brought before the police court this morning to answer to a charge of stealing \$10 from Frank Garson last Wednesday. Mr. Garson said that the prisoner was working for his father. He gave the prisoner an order for \$10 and he had not seen Robins since until he was brought from Moncton yesterday. He had been arrested there. Mr. Garson said he had often given orders to Robins, and that he had always brought back the money. The prisoner denied to be tried in police court and the case was adjourned until Friday morning.



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All selling records have been eclipsed every day since this Anniversary Sale started, because it has been conclusively proved that no store anywhere offered so much for the money as we are now offering in the very merchandise that is now in greatest demand.

## Anniversary Prices on Men's Furnishings

Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, regular price 50c., 65c. ....	Sale Price 39c.	Men's Heavy Tweed and Flannel Shirts, were 75c., \$1.00. ....	Sale Price 59c.
Heavy All-wool Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, regular price 75c. ....	Sale Price 59c.	Flannellette and Cotton Night Shirts, were 75c., 85c. ....	Sale Price 59c.
Heavy Pure Wool Shirts and Drawers, regular price \$1.00. ....	Sale Price 79c.	Men's Sweaters, were \$1.00, \$1.25. ....	Now 75c.
Many other bargains in Men's Underwear. See them.		Men's Sweaters, were \$1.75, \$2.00. ....	Now \$1.19
Men's Negligee Shirts, regular price 75c., \$1.00. ....	Sale Price 59c.	Men's Cardigan Jackets, were \$1.50, \$1.75. ....	Sale Price \$1.19
Men's White Shirts, short bosoms, regular price \$1.00. ....	Sale Price 79c.	Men's Heavy Wool Sox, regular price 25c., 35c. ....	Sale Price 19c.
Our Entire Stock of Lined and Unlined Gloves at Sale Prices.		Worsted and Cashmere Hose, regular price 35c., 50c. ....	Sale Price 39c.
		Workmen's Gloves and Mitts, regular price 50c., 75c. ....	Sale Price 39c.

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