

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MAY 4, 1909

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Blouses Waives in the Maritime Provinces.

**NEW MUSLINS**  
For Summer Dresses

Striped Organdy Muslin with colored dots and flowers, very neat and pretty, 27 inches wide at 12c 15c 18c and 25c yard

**White Swiss Spot Muslins**  
Large and small spots, 27 inches wide, at 12c 15c 16c 18c 25c and 35c yard.**DOWLING BROTHERS**

95 and 101 King Street

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

**DYKEMAN'S****Curtain Values**  
Extraordinary

A 500 PAIR lot, secured at a price that enables us to sell them at 1-3 below the regular. They are serviceable Curtains, attractive, and the very latest ideas in window decorations.

THEY CONSIST OF SCOTCH AND NOTTINGHAM LACE, as well as SWISS APPLIQUE and IRISH POINT.

60 PAIRS OF \$1.25 CURTAINS, NOTTINGHAM LACE at 87c. a pair. These are button-holed edges all around, are double threaded and are in neat patterns.

50 PAIRS OF \$1.40 Curtains on sale at \$1.00. These are 3 and 3 1/2 yards long, are double threaded, good wide width, and extra good wearing quality.

75 PAIRS OF \$1.75 Curtains at \$1.25.

30 PAIRS OF \$2.25 Curtains to be sold at \$1.50.

30 PAIRS OF \$2.75 Curtains to be sold at \$2.00 a pair.

Then we show a very large variety of SWISS APPLIQUE CURTAINS at \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50.

We are also showing a large lot of window muslins and cash nets, also aprons at prices ranging from 6 1/2 cts. a yard up to 25 cts.

These are all special prices, and you save fully 1-3 by buying from this lot.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.**  
59 Charlotte Street**Hats of the Day**Anderson's Hats are Hats of Quality  
THEY KEEP THEIR COLOR  
THEY KEEP THEIR SHAPE  
THEY KEEP THE HAIR ON YOUR HEADSatisfaction Guaranteed  
\$2.00 and \$2.50**ANDERSON & CO'Y**  
55 Charlotte Street**About Your Blinds**

Do you need new Blinds for the house you have just moved into. If you do we can supply your need at a great saving. See our prices:

PLAIN WINDOW BLINDS (all shades), 35c. and 50c.  
BLINDS with Lace or Fringe, - - - 75c. to \$1.25 each  
BLINDS with Lace or Insertion, - - - 85c. to \$1.45  
BLINDS with Insertion only, - - - 60c.

Blinds for any size window made to order.

**S.W. McMACKIN,**  
335 Main Street, N. E.**GOOD DENTISTRY!**

Emerson puts the point pithily.

"If a man can write a better book, preach a better sermon or make a better mouse trap than his neighbour, though he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten track to his door."

SEE THE POINT?

Our fillings, Crown and Bridge work are the best.

It will pay you to have your teeth put in good order, painlessly and at reasonable charges.

Our good work makes good friends, who remain with us.

EXAMINATION FREE.

**DR. J. D. MAHER,**  
BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS, 527 Main Street.**CIRCULATION**The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last three months:  
January . . . 6,712  
February . . . 6,979  
March . . . 7,167

The Times does not get its largest sale through newbores. It is distributed at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to advertisers.

**THIS EVENING**

Kirk Brown Company at the Opera House in "The Sign of the Cross." Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel.

Illustrated songs and moving pictures at the Star, North End.

Dr. L. W. Bailey of Fredericton lectures in Natural History Society rooms on Mines and Mining.

Concert in St. James' church at eight o'clock.

Monthly meeting of County branch Temperance Federation in W. C. T. U. rooms at 8 o'clock.

**LATE LOCALS**

Frank Jewett is reported for working in the city without a license.

West India steamship Sobu, Captain Bridges, sailed this morning for Bermuda, Windward Island and Demara via Halifax, with a general cargo.

Steamer Manchester Corporation, Captain Perry, arrived in port this morning from Manchester, via Philadelphia, with a general cargo.

Lecture in the Natural History Society rooms this evening by Dr. L. W. Bailey, of Fredericton. Subject—Mines and Mining.

At the close of the prayer meeting in the Congregational church tomorrow evening a social hour will be spent in bidding farewell to Harry Upton, who returns on Thursday to the United States. All friends are cordially invited to be present.

Because of disagreeable weather on the evening of April 23, when it was first given, the concert in St. James' church will be repeated this evening. Tickets used on the first occasion will be accepted tonight.

The curtain and curtain muslin sale advertised by F. A. Dykeman &amp; Co., offers a special opportunity for those requiring rooms to be decorated. The goods at one-third less than the regular price. A large variety enables one to furnish windows with the cheapest of the best, as they require.

**THE NEW COUNCIL SWORN IN**Continued from page 3.  
allowed to remain. A very considerable sum can be collected as ground rent. The city owns beneath the sidewalks of the streets.**Temperance Legislation**

The new legislation regarding the liquor question shows the general trend of public sentiment, and will be for the benefit of the public.

**Minor Recommendations**

As a means of bringing about a reality of taxation, the Board of Assessors is to be authorized to prepare and publish a list of parcels of real estate in the city, arranged to location on the various streets, giving the name of the owner, the size of the lot, the amount taxed, the amount of taxes and insurance also, and the amount of personal property for which the owner is taxed.

From the chamberlain's report I quote: "The houses owned by the city at or near Fairville are not a source of much revenue. The large sum required to meet repairs, taxes and insurance absorbs practically all the income. Your chamberlain, in company with the comptroller, visited these properties, and he believes it would be in the best interests of the city to sell the buildings, reserving the soil right at a fair rental."

The city is not getting the return from these houses which it should, and I would suggest the chamberlain's recommendation be put into effect.

With one exception the school trustees have failed to provide for a sinking fund, which would enable them to retire their bonds as they mature. This policy should be remedied; otherwise their bonded debt will never grow less, while the school buildings will through age continue to grow less valuable. I would suggest a resolution from the common council be presented on this matter.

An effort might be made to induce the government to remove the railway trestle in Lower Cove and have the rails reach the present wharves via Charlotte and Britain streets. By doing away with that structure, good wharves and a large area of ground will be available for coastwise craft, seeking a harbor and out of the way of the city. The tenders for supply be advertised in the public press, should be put in effect. One tender to cover the estimated requirement of all the departments for any one article. Thereby getting advantage of the larger quantity price; instead of each and every department tendering separately, as at present. All employees should receive their pay envelope by a system that will avoid the necessity of their leaving their work to come to City Hall on pay day.

The vending of drugs or remedies of any nature by itinerant peddlers be prohibited.

The by-laws that the common clerk has conditioned be printed and bound.

In regard to street work. The city is spending a large sum annually in McKean streets, which require repairs within a year. A bond issue for the required amount might be made and interest and sinking fund provided out of the usual appropriations, so that the city might secure a good class of permanent pavement without any increase of expense. The council should take the initiative since the real estate owners do not seem to be anxious to take advantage of the recent legislation re permanent street work.

I do not wish to close these remarks without making some reference to the fact that several of our respected citizens, who have served the city in days gone by, passed away during the year. We have to record the death of two ex-mayors, namely, J. S. Bois DeVeber, Esq., and J. MacGregor Grant, Esq., also one late harbor master, John E. Ferris, Esq., all of whom have served their city well and faithfully.

In conclusion I may say the most harmonious relations have existed between mayor and aldermen, and I trust the good will and assistance during the past year will continue so that we may work together to promote the welfare of Saint John, whose progress has already given it a leading place among Canadian cities.  
T. H. BULLOCK.  
St. John, N. B., April 4th, 1909.**CAN'T RAISE BEEF TO SUPPLY DEMAND**

Annual Report of Slaughter House Commissioners Shows Big Decrease in Number of Cattle Killed Here.

The annual report of the Slaughter House Commissioners for the past year was submitted to the common council yesterday as follows:

Jan. 2, 1908.	
To cash on hand, Bank of N. B.	\$631.95
To cash received from county treasurer	169.03
To cash received from license fees	180.00
Cash in hands of treasurer	3,000
	\$225.98

Salary, inspector, 12 months at \$40,848.00	
Rent of office for year	16.00
Services of secretary	60.00
Printing	14.25
Expenses, visits, advertising, post-ages, etc.	73.55
Cash balance on hand and deposited in bank	282.13
	\$925.98

The commissioners have visited frequently by the houses in the parishes during the year. They have been well maintained and the premises surrounding them. The number of cattle killed at these places was nearly 1,000 head less than the previous year. While the slaughter of sheep has been increased over 2,000, showing that at least under normal consumption over 4,000 quarters of dressed beef were brought into the city from Ontario and the west, exclusive of live cattle imported from the same districts for slaughter, which does not appear creditable to the agriculture of this province. Animals slaughtered during the year—Cattle, 5,207, sheep 6,778, calves 504, swine 114. Total 12,693.

Respectfully submitted,  
URIAH DRAKE,  
Chairman.**POLICE COURT**

Accelerated by over-indulgence in alcohol in beverages, the cultivation of the souvenir had proved somewhat disastrous for Verne Frame, aged 22, Samuel Sleight, aged 23, and to a lesser extent, John Knight, aged 25 last evening if the version of the police is accepted. The trio pleaded not guilty to intoxication, and patrolman Ross testified. He stated that the three men were standing at corner Charlotte and Union streets shortly after six o'clock last evening, and when he suggested that they buy themselves elsewhere Frame indulged in profanity, and contended that they possessed the right to remain there, and converse. Eventually he persuaded them to separate, but when Frame followed Sleight up Coburg street, he took hold of him and a fight ensued. As he was proceeding to police headquarters Knight clutched him by one arm, and exclaimed "Hold on, there, I'll look after those fellows."

Former Officer Olive also assisted to lodge Knight behind the bars. On Frame were a half pint copper measure, an ash tray, two salt dishes and two photographs, which he understood were the property of William O'Keefe, proprietor of a saloon at 196 Union street. A copper measure on Sleight was also believed to be from the saloon. Ross said that the trio were very drunk, and he was corroborated by constableman Olive, who added that they were obnoxious throughout the afternoon on the streets.

Sleight and Frame were subsequently arraigned on the charge of theft, and each pleaded not guilty. William O'Keefe testified that he sold the ash tray and salt dishes. His ash trays were similar to the one found on Frame. He stated that Frame, Sleight and Knight were in his tavern yesterday afternoon, but he did not know whether they were in the rear room where the articles specified reposed in a rack. He said that he assuredly did not present them to the men.

Patrolman Ross in his testimony stated that Frame claimed to have received the articles in the saloon, which Frame disputed this morning. He asserted that what he said was to the effect that he purchased the articles near O'Keefe's. Frame professed willingness to be sworn, but finally reconsidered such an intention, and was permitted to give his version without the administering of the oath. According to him, they departed from the saloon shortly after five o'clock, and in passing along Union street, one of two men who were standing in an adjoining alley, vociferated "Bobby, come here," and when he responded to the urgent summons, the spokesman of the two remarked pathetically, "It's a shame in his ears," and after pouring out his burden thirty-five cents and received the articles mentioned in return. A compromise of twenty-five cents was agreed upon and he received the measures, etc. One and he received the measures, etc.

Sleight said he did not feel capable of attacking work as driver of a coal team yesterday, but did not meet his two companions by pre-arrangement. He corroborated Frame's story, but not under oath. He gave himself an excellent reputation and claimed to be temperate in imbibing liquor, but Patrolman Ross interjected that he perceived him staggering down Mill street two nights last week. The trio were remanded.

John Roop, an Austrian, attired in army trousers, was queried if he was a native of Austria, and replied "beer," with a grin. He was arrested for intoxication and was in possession of \$24.40. Samuel Orr and John Armstrong were fined \$4 or ten days for inebriation.

William Connor was fined \$4 or ten days for inebriation, but was not prosecuted for expectorating on the pavement, in view of his condition when the misdemeanor was committed. His honor expressed a desire to adjudicate over "the high collared fellows, who are not particular whether they spit on you or the street," he added.

George Gibson, who was in custody for drunkenness, was asked if he realized that he might have been sent to Dorchester penitentiary for two years on the charge of threatening to shoot Lewis Eckerhart. In consequence of his brother's intercession and on Gibson's signing the pledge, two sureties that he would keep the peace were accepted, and he was freed on probation. In two days he was again in the toils for intoxication and must now count the infliction of twelve penalties, one for the attempted shooting. He was remanded.

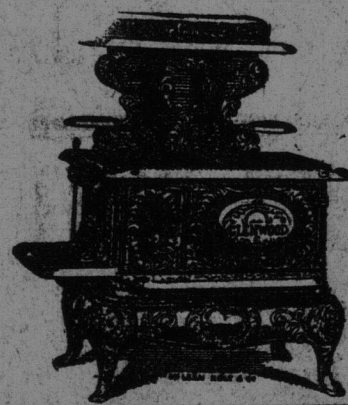
Sydney Young returned from New York today at noon.

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In Our New Store

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Made in Saint John

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THE GLENWOOD has Simple and Sure Damper.  
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The Hat of Merit, The Young Man's Hat, Newest Shapes, Fast Colors, Easy Fitting, in Black, Brown and Sage.

Price \$2.50

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Always a full assortment of all reliable traveling requisites to be had at the lowest possible prices. A large assortment of small leather goods just received; traveling bottle cases, Fitted Toilet and Shaving Cases, Jewel Cases, Purses, Bill Books, Card Cases, Music Cases, Razor Straps, etc.

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A full assortment of Men's and Boys' Spring and Summer Underwear, Natural Wools, Unions, Balbriggan and Coat Styles for the warm weather. All weights, sizes and qualities; our values the best. Men's Sizes 32 to 50, 40c. per garment up. Boys' Sizes 22 to 32, 30c. per garment up.

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