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

ST. JOHN'S BEST DISPLAY OF

Smart New Fall Coats!

Our Ladies' Coat Department is on the top wave of popularity. Since our Fall opening each week's business has been much larger than in any previous year. The stock is large and the styles are the most attractive we have ever shown.



LADIES' COATS, from \$4.90 to \$25.00.
CHILDREN'S COATS—A large variety and the best values.

DOWLING BROTHERS,

95 and 101 King Street.

How Many People,

Both men and women, just as soon as the cool weather sets in, are liable to colds, etc. Thin soled shoes are in many cases, responsible. From now till Christmas the proper kind of foot covering is a good stout-soled walking boot.

We have never had such a variety of shapes, and styles of heavy-soled Walking Boots in all the popular leathers—Plain Calf, Box Calf, Gun Metal Calf, Dongola Kid and Patent Coltskin—Prices from

\$1.50 up to \$5.00.

WATERBURY & RISING

King St.

Union St.

TOP SHIRTS, SWEATERS, Etc.

Cold weather will soon be here to stay, and warm clothing will be in demand. Our store is the place where the best makes can be found. All fresh, new goods. You will find in this stock service and small coat combined.

GINGHAM TOP SHIRTS, 45, 50, 55, 75c.
HEAVY KNIT TOP SHIRTS, 50, 70, 75, 85, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.45.
GREY FLANNEL SHIRTS, 65, 75, 80, 85, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.25.
NAVY FLANNEL SHIRTS, 75, \$1.00, \$1.25.
CARDIGAN JACKETS, 75c. to \$1.00.
WOOL SWEATERS, 75c. to \$1.75.
HEAVY HOMESPIN JUMPERS, \$2.50 and \$2.75.
WATERPROOF JUMPERS, \$1.85.
SHEEP-SKIN LINED JUMPERS, \$4.50.
LUMBERMEN'S OVERSIZES, 50, 70, 85c. per pair.

Boys' Top Shirts and Sweaters in a Big Variety.

S. W. McMACKIN,

(Successor to Sharp & McMackin).

335 Main Street. . . . North End.

Tweed Hats

This chilly weather ought to make you feel like wearing one of Anderson's Tweed Hats

The most serviceable hat for fall and winter wear. In dark and light Tweeds; made on the same styles as soft hats, with good linings and finishings.

\$1.50 to \$2.00 each.

ANDERSON & CO

17 Charlotte Street.

We now have plenty

Small and Medium Hams,

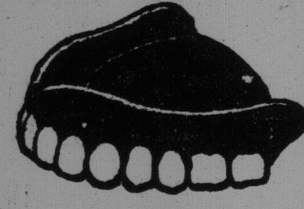
Flat Bacon, Roll Bacon,

SWEET CURED

Orders by Mail or Phone prompt attention.

F. E. WILLIAMS CO., Ltd.

P.S.—We are paying the highest market price for Dressed Hogs. If you have any to sell write us. F. E. W. CO., Ltd.



\$5.00.

BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED.

We make the \$5.00 Gold Crown in the City.

Teeth without pain. . . . \$5.00

Gold fillings from . . . \$5.00

Silver and other things from . . . \$5.00

Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.

Consultation FREE

The Famous Hole Method.

Boston Dental Parlor.

THIS EVENING

Ellis Stock Co., at the Opera House, in "Down on the Farm."
St. Vincent's Alumnae Association, annual meeting, in St. Vincent de Paul building, Waterloo street, at 7:30 o'clock.
Furlong's meet at eight o'clock to return uniforms and receive pay for the season's drill.
Regular meeting of Chamber's Lodge A. O. U. W.
Open session of the sub-committee of the board of trade, at 8 o'clock, to discuss harbor improvements.
Band at St. Andrew's Hallway.
Band at Victoria Roller Rink.
Special intercessory services for Sunday schools in St. John's (Stone) church, at eight o'clock.

THE WEATHER

Monday, October 22.
Forecast—Moderate easterly winds, fair, a little cooler, with local showers.
Synopsis—Since Friday the West Indian storm has been slowly dispersing near the coast and is now off the coast of Nova Scotia. Weather continues fair throughout Canada. To be clear, moderate easterly winds, American ports, fresh easterly winds. Sable Island, northeast wind, 16 miles at 2 a.m. Lepreau, northeast wind, 16 miles at 2 a.m.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON.
Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 53.
Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 34.
Temperature at noon 48.
Humidity at noon 72.
Barometer reading at noon 30.0.
Direction of wind, southeast; velocity, eight miles per hour.
Same date last year—Highest temperature, 48; lowest, 34.
D. L. HUTCHINGS, Director.

WASHINGTON WEATHER REPORT.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Forecast: Eastern states and northern New York—Tonight and tomorrow, occasional light rains, fresh to brisk northeast winds.

NOTICE

To Agents and News-dealers.

During the 1000 In Gold Voting Contest, newspapers and agents selling The Times will be required to return all coupons from unsold papers or pay for them.
This is necessary in order to protect the different organizations entering the contest. EVERY COUPON in this contest will be from a PAID PAPER.

LATE LOCALS

C. P. R. steamship Lake Champlain landed her passengers at Quebec yesterday at 8:30 a. m. from Liverpool.

The Artillery Band will hold an important meeting at their rooms tonight. Every member is expected to be present.

A meeting of the St. John county branch of the Temperance Federation will be held tomorrow night in Union Hall at eight o'clock.

Robert Aitken, the nine-year-old son of Robert Aitken, while playing off Union Point on Saturday fell off the wharf, but was soon rescued by a couple of men nearby.

Members of E Company, Captain Peters, will meet at their armory, Barrack Square, on Tuesday evening at 7:45 to return uniforms and equipment and receive drill pay.

Rev. Gordon Dick, pastor of St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, preached his initial sermon yesterday, and made an excellent impression upon the large congregation present by the force of his eloquence.

"A" Company of St. John Fusiliers, Captain J. L. McAvity, will meet at eight o'clock on Monday night, 22nd inst., at eight o'clock for return of uniforms and all equipment and to receive pay for the season's drill. All uniforms must be returned at this time and place.

The annual meeting of the Associated Charities will be held in the board of trade room, 85 Prince William street, on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd, at eight p. m. The reports of the year's work will be submitted and election of officers and committees will take place. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

A meeting of the Free Kindergarten committee will be held at three o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, 23rd inst., in the Queen's Rink, Charlotte street. The chief business will be in connection with the holding of a public meeting. A rummage sale in aid of the free kindergarten will be held on October 24, 25, and 26. Parcels will be called for by phoning 1400.

Five persons were baptized in Coburg street Christian church Saturday night. Several more will be baptized next Sunday night. Large audiences heard Rev. E. H. Bates preach Sunday morning and evening and a fine interest prevailed. The special meetings will continue every night this week at eight o'clock. All are cordially invited.

James Reynolds is receiving congratulations today on the attainment of his eighty-sixth birthday. Though getting on in years Mr. Reynolds is enjoying very good health, and takes a keen interest in affairs. Until a few months ago Mr. Reynolds acted as chairman of the board of health, when he resigned and Thomas Gorman was appointed. The Times joins in wishing Mr. Reynolds continued health and prosperity.

WAS CHARMED

WITH THE WEST

P. H. Green, photographer, returned on Saturday after a very pleasant five weeks' trip to the west, going through to Vancouver. Like all others who have toured the west, Mr. Green is enthusiastic over the great development in progress all along the line. He stopped off, among other places, at Winnipeg, Moose Jaw, Regina, Calgary, Banff, and in the Okanagan valley. The latter, he says, is to be the California of Canada. Men from the east and from the states are buying land and planting orchards of peaches, pears, apples, etc., and the yield on matured orchards is very large. The soil is very fertile and the climate almost perfect. All towns in the west are going ahead by leaps and bounds. Both farm lands and city properties are rising in value. He met many American tourists who are seeking out and buying up farm lands. The wheat crop this year is of excellent quality, as well as a record crop in quantity.

Mr. Green met many eastern men, among them John E. Irvine, in Calgary, where the former St. John man is doing well and is happy. Mr. Knight, also from St. John, is successful Calgary grocer. It is one of the brightest towns in the west.

THE UNIFORM RANK KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

A New Company to be Organized at Charlottetown This Week—Others in Prospect.

Alfred Dodge, adjutant of the 1st Regt., uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, of the maritime provinces, will leave tomorrow for Charlottetown, P. E. I., where he will officiate at the organization of a new company of the uniform rank. Adj. Dodge will be accompanied by Capt. J. Tingley, of Moncton, and Capt. Stewart McLeod, of New Glasgow. Grand Chancellor H. G. Marr, of Halifax, will also attend.

The new company will start with a charter membership of about twenty-five. The organization meeting will be held on Wednesday evening and will be followed by a reception for the visiting officers. On Thursday evening the grand chancellor will officially inaugurate the new company. The new uniform rank company will be known as Victor, No. 7. Considerable interest is being manifested in the uniformed branch of the order and there is talk of other companies being formed in various parts of the province which are now not represented in this portion of the order.

THE SCARLET MYSTERY

The York Theatre will be occupied on Wednesday by the "Scarlet Mystery," a mysterious company of artists from London, who are making their first appearance in Canada under the direction of Edward Braumbe. The company number eight performers, all of whom not only enjoy English reputations, but claim individually to excel in some "specialty."

The performances given are musical, and of a humorous character throughout, the programme including varied selections of choruses with action and dance songs both comic and romantic, burlesque in character, funny dialogues, sentimental and serious quartets, comic medleys and dances.

These alert entertainers promise to provide a thoroughly bright and cheerful programme, carried through in spirited fashion, making fast and furious fun, without the introduction of any element of vulgarity.

By adopting these lines they have been able to secure the patronage not only of the ordinary theatre-goer, but to also attract both clergy and laity.

Referring to these performances, we quote the following from a London paper: "The entertainment was one of the most brilliant and artistic, albeit at the same time, the happiest. I have attended for some time. It was carried through without a break in the gayest spirit, so that the audience were quite carried out of themselves for the time being. Songs— all admirably rendered—succeeded one another in rapid succession; the concerted numbers with action and dance were excellent, banjo brevities and comic melodies followed by jest and quip; lightning sketches a directing business not to mention a screamingly funny "sketch" all capably carried out constituted an entertainment which afforded one of the most delightful methods of passing an evening that could be devised." Seats now on sale at the box office.

PERSONALS

Miss Bessie M. Seeley left for Annapolis, where she is teaching school, after a very pleasant visit of a few days to Mrs. L. R. Ross.

Miss Jennie O'Neill left for New York Saturday evening.

Miss Hutchinson, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Herbert Hildyard of Dalhousie, returned to the city Saturday.

Mrs. Allen Gundry will receive her friends on Wednesday, Oct. 24th, from 3 to 5:30 in the afternoon, and from 7 to 9 in the evening, at 35 Coburg street.

Mrs. Mrs. Douglas Olive, who have been spending the summer at the Cedars, on the St. John River, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marion Wilfred, to Carl Brown, of Ipswich, Mass. Miss Olive paid a visit to this city a few months ago and while here made many friends, who send hearty congratulations.

Surveyor General Sweeney passed through the city at noon from Fredericton.

Business Notices

Buy overcoats at the Union. The Rink's Own Band will be in attendance tonight at Victoria Roller Rink. An entirely new programme of music will be rendered.

The risk for coal is keeping Gibson & Co.'s teams very busy and a number of extra teams are being employed by the firm so as to ensure their customers prompt delivery, while the fine weather lasts. Over 200 tons of coal of various kinds are arriving for Gibson & Co. in the latter part of this month.

In Dowling Brothers' coat department there is to be seen St. John's best display of ladies' smart new fall coats and also a specially fine line of ladies' separate skirts, the latest styles and the best materials and workmanship—the kind that fit when tried on.

TONIGHT

Any clerk can start tonight to lay the basis for a one or two hundred dollar raise of salary, payable in April or May by beginning a course at the Currie Business University Ltd., which is open five nights per week.

LATE SHIP NEWS

C. P. R. steamship Lake Michigan sailed from Antwerp last Saturday at 2 p. m. for Montreal and Quebec.

Battle line steamer Everta, Captain Mulcahy, arrived at Sharpness today from this port with a cargo of wheat.

Battle line steamer Everta, Captain Mulcahy, sailed today for Bermuda, Windward Islands and Demerara, via Halifax, with a general cargo.

The schooner Agnes May, which arrived back port Saturday afternoon from tug Neptune, will be put on the blocks today for demolition, having been ashore near Musquash.

British bark Gladys, Captain Perrian, from Shields, September 25, for Seattle, put into Falmouth Oct. 10 and reported that during the Oct. 7, two seamen fell from the top-sail yard and were instantly killed.

MACHIAS, Oct. 20.—Arrived, schooner, from Annapolis to Boston; Effie May, from John for Boston; Lillian, Calais for Boston; Schooner Helen G. Moore, westward bound, was towed this tide by lightering part of its cargo to the schooner "The Star." The Moses was bound to Amherst, N. S., from Savannah, Ga., with hard pine.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Brown took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her daughter's residence, 475 Main street. The funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. McLaughlin after which the body was taken to the Boston train. Interment will be made in Boston.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO'Y

A great many of our customers like to buy and have made up good quality

English Flannelettes

—FOR—

Night Shirts, Pajamas, Outing Shirts, Etc.

We hold the proper makes. They are softer, smoother, wider and better for the purposes named than any others. All made in best colors, in mannish patterns, including wide, narrow and broken stripes.

12c., 14c., 15c. and 16c. per yard.

Navy Blue, Grey and Natural Wool Color Flannels — makes that will not shrink. Velour Flannelettes for Bath Robes, Dressing Gowns, etc. New patterns.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

BOYS' SWEATERS,

50c., 55c. and 60c.

These Sweaters have double wrists and necks, which make them fit like a glove.

We can give you any size in Blue or Red.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 KING SQUARE.

DRESS GOODS

In the Red Shades are very popular and our stock is complete.

Venetian Cloths, in Scarlet, Cardinal, Garnet and Spanish Wine Shades. Cheviots, in Garnet and Raspberry Red.

Satin Cloths, in Cardinal and Garnet.

Lustres, in Cardinal Shades.

Wool Henrietta, in Scarlet, Cardinal, Garnet and Wine.

Nuns' Veilings and Serges, in the Bright Shades; also Scarlet Plaids.

ROBT. STRAIN & CO.,

27 and 29 Charlotte Street.

SHIRTS WITH 4-PLY STARCHED BOSOMS

A Precaution Against Colds—Always a Protection



MANY A MAN WOULD WEAR FLANNEL TOP SHIRTS

in winter if it were not for the "look" of it. The 4-ply starched bosom shirt we are now telling about therefore fills a long-felt want. It gives to men who are susceptible to colds and weather changes a garment that is eminently dressy. A shirt in the coat model, with Patent Adjustable Neckband, and all the snap, style and exclusiveness that could be desired. It's a wintertime regatta shirt of the first quality, with latest tailoring improvements and special cold-weather extras. Hundreds of patterns from which to choose.

Prices Range from \$1 to \$2

(Men's Outfittings)

NEW SKIRTS HALF PRICE!

This is the Watchword at Our Big Sale Now Hunting Along.

BE ON HAND EARLY TOMORROW.

AT 8 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING we met the ladies of St. John with one of the most attractive propositions in the line of Skirts we have ever made. Naturally enough there was a rush of buyers, and before noon many bargains had gone from our hands, but that should not deter tomorrow's shoppers. The sale started with something like 250 skirts in Fancy Tweeds and Plain Cloths, such as Navy Blues, Greys, Black, and we feel sure there will be a good selection on hand for Tuesday buyers. Fine, smart, durable Skirts for Women and Girls.

Ladies' Sizes: \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50

Misses and Girls: \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75 2.00

COSTUME SECTION.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Limited.

MODERATELY PRICED

Street Suits, \$16 to \$27

No reason now why the matter of price should be a barrier. Every garment brand new and exquisitely tailored.



FANCY TWEED SUITS.

The jackets semi-tight and loose fitting. In medium length, trimmed with silk braids, broadcloths, velvets, fancy and plain buttons, etc. Skirts and satin linings. Medium and dark grey mixed tweeds, some showing the herring-bone weave; checked and shadow patterns as well. SKIRTS in shapely models with self-strapping, button and broadcloth finishing.

NAVY BLUE SUITS.

Chiefly in series of a highly satisfactory quality. Medium length, fitted, semi-tight and loose jackets, adorned with velvet, silk braids, cloth garmishing buttons and the like. SKIRTS are made in prevailing modes, completing as nice a costume as any lady would want.

Shepherd Plaid Costumes.

Tartan Cloth Costumes.

Wine and Red Costumes.

(Costume Section, Second Floor).