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**DOWLING BROS.** The largest retail distributors of ladies' coats, skirts and blouse waists in the Maritime provinces.

## Our Embroidery Sales Are Always Popular

Values which we are offering for February Sale beat everything that has ever been offered

350 yards beautiful Swiss Muslin Embroidery Flouncing, Switzerland's most beautiful designs, charming effects for children's dresses, 27 inches wide, regular 65c. quality, half price, 32c. yard.

Flouncing and Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inches wide, in a large variety of patterns, special 15c. and 18c. yard.

Fine Swiss Embroidery Edgings, Insertions, Bindings, and Joinings, from 1 inch to 6 inches wide, all at half price, 10c. Embroidery for 5c. yard; 15c. Embroidery for 7c. yard; 20c. Embroidery for 10c. yard; 30c. Embroidery for 15c. yard.

**DOWLING BROTHERS**  
95 and 101 King Street

**DYKEMAN'S**

We have just received a lot of

## Cushion Covers

at very special prices

One lot we are selling at 39 cents, two styles, one is made of natural linen with very attractive stencilled patterns with nice deep frill and back, fixed ready for the filling. The other style is a flowered design with corded edge and saten back ready for the filling.

A big lot of Sample Cushion Covers, no two alike. All pretty designs and of good material. These cushion covers are all ready for the filling. Prices from 25 cents to \$1.50.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.**  
59 Charlotte Street

Great Reductions in Our Sale of

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During The Month of February

20% Off Regular Price!

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Whatever the figure may be—full, slender, short or tall, there is in this stock a model for you, which will mould the form in comfortable harmony with the prevailing modes in dress.

No. 623, easiest and most simple style to wear, comes without waist band, will give appreciable comfort, trimmed with lace, baby ribbon and bow, price \$1.35.

No. 409, new system of side lacing, prevents sagging while giving freedom of movement unknown in other lines, unbreakable sides, price \$1.50.

No. 10, nursing, well designed to give wide opening at bust and give proper adjustment, price \$1.35.

Women's Gloria Waists, with shoulder straps, price \$1.00.

**S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.**

Here is a Cough Medicine Backed by Years of Success

Not a recent, untried discovery, but a remedy that has stood the strong light of usage and has "made good."

At the first sign of a cold go to your druggist and purchase a bottle of

## Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam

Easy and pleasant to take and most effective in results. Comes in two sizes at 25 cents and 50 cents. Look for Register Number 1295 and our signature when buying.

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**THE CANADIAN DRUG Co., Ltd.**  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

### OFFER MADE FOR STREET RAILWAY

Bid of \$1,200,000 at Annual Meeting

#### THE YEAR'S FINANCES

Directors Also Report on Work Done and on Projected Extensions of the Line Here—Kane's Corner and the Bridge Matters

The annual meeting of the Saint John Railway Company was held this afternoon in the company's offices on the corner of Dock and Union streets. In the absence of the president, James Ross of Montreal, Colonel H. H. McLean, M. P., vice-president of the company, presided. The vice-president's report reviewed the construction work undertaken and completed during the last year, and projected for the coming year. The secretary's report showed a surplus on the year's operations. It had been reported that there were negotiations in progress for the purchase of the road, but when asked about the matter, before the meeting, Colonel McLean said that there had been no definite offer submitted to the company. He also added that the road was not for sale and the present company has no intention of selling.

Last year's directors, in addition to the president and vice-president, were R. B. Emerson, James Manchester, William Downie, F. E. Sayre, F. L. Taylor, and J. M. Robinson.

The following are the reports submitted:

Your directors have much pleasure in submitting a statement of the past year's business, showing a net profit after providing for the interest on the bonds and all other charges of \$88,138.06, out of which your directors have retained and paid four quarterly dividends of one and one-half per cent. amounting to \$48,000, leaving a balance of \$40,138.06, which has been transferred to Profit and Loss Account.

Our street railway earnings were reduced during the year in consequence of the paving by the city of Mill, Dock, King and Charlotte streets. This work was done during our winter season and prevented us operating our full service. We have recognized the efficient service given by our employees by increasing their wages.

Careful attention has been paid to the maintenance of the plant, rolling stock and other properties of the company, the physical condition of which is equal to that of any other electric light and street railway system in Canada.

During the year we have purchased six P. A. Y. E. (pay-as-you-enter) combination cars, and are now constructing an auxiliary boiler house to contain three boilers. We have on hand all the rail ties, etc. required for the extension of our railway system to Crouville, the cemetery, and for the new line on Broad street. We have also built a new fireproof car barn on Wentworth street.

We propose during the coming year to purchase additional new cars, to erect an other fireproof car barn, to install additional engine and generators, to extend our street railway system to Crouville, the cemetery, and to lay a new track on Broad street. Other extensions of the street railway are also proposed.

We were in agreement with the local government as to crossing the new bridge to be erected at the falls. We regret to report that the terms exacted by the government are in our opinion too onerous. Our company is required to pay an annual rental starting with \$3000, increasing to \$8000. In addition to this we are obliged to pay one-half the cost of erecting the railway crossing, which includes the wages of the workmen. We are also to pay the cost of connecting our railway system and laying tracks on the bridge. This will require an expenditure of upwards of \$800,000. When the bridge is completed, it will enable us to give a through service between East and West St. John.

We applied to the city commissioners for permission to lay double tracks on the proposed extension to Kane's corner. Negotiations in connection therewith have been pending for some time. The commissioners have now notified us that they will not give us the right to put down double tracks unless we will pave up from curb to curb with granite blocks on a concrete base from Walsh's corner to the northeast side line of Elm street and from there to Kane's corner between the tracks and eighteen inches on each side. Under the company's charter the duty imposed on the company is to maintain and keep in repair that part of the street occupied by the company and eighteen inches outside of the rails. The work required by the city would cost upwards of \$30,000. Your directors did not feel warranted in committing the company to such a large additional expenditure. A double track would have enabled us to furnish the public with an up-to-date and efficient service. We do not expect that this extension will be profitable for some time, but we hope in the future as the suburbs are built up that it will pay.

Your directors have been able to obtain permission from the Dominion government to cross the Intercolonial track at Haymarket square.

In answer to enquiries that have been made by prominent shareholders and citizens as to our running large double track cars, we have to say that in consequence of the narrow strip between the two tracks and the sharp curves and steep hills, we are not able to operate them. We would be glad to put such cars in commission if it were practicable, as it would effect a considerable saving in the wages of motormen and conductors.

Respectfully submitted,  
HUGH H. McLEAN,  
Vice-President.

### SAYS YOUTH TRIED TO MAKE ESCAPE

#### Frederick Creary Under Arrest on Suspicion of North End Breaks—Ten Prisoners on Bench

The preliminary hearing in the case of Frederick Creary, aged seventeen, charged with breaking into the story of Harry Pitt in Main street, the American Dye Works in Elm street, and also into the Star Theatre in Main street, was begun this morning. J. N. Golding, M. P., manager of the Star theatre, said that the theatre was entered on the night of February 29, entrance being made through a door leading out to Elm street. A lot of papers were strewn about the floor, a small cabinet, containing into and some cuff links and six admission tickets were taken. The witness identified goods produced in court as those that had been in the cabinet on the night of the robbery. The admission tickets were numbered 671 to 677. The witness had found the handle of a diamond glass cutter on the floor of the theatre the day after the robbery. One of the tickets stolen was handed in at the theatre on Saturday night by a brother of the prisoner.

Sergeant Klopatski told of arresting Creary at his home in Main street yesterday morning. The youth had said to the witness that he got tickets from a lad who lived at Port Howe. The witness had secured one of the stolen tickets from a diamond glass cutter, a fountain pen and a pair of skates with boots attached, had been stolen. The barber store of H. M. Pitt was also broken into on the same night and several razors were stolen. Evidence would be given later in these matters.

The prisoner was remanded until tomorrow morning, when further evidence will be submitted.

No fewer than ten prisoners were arraigned in the police court this morning, the majority of them charged with drunk and disorderly conduct. Six were each fined \$5 or thirty days in jail, and two others \$8 or two months. William Moore, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$5 or two months in jail on the first charge and \$20 or four months in jail for the second.

Michael Dooley, given in charge by Mrs. Rose McDonald, on charge of being drunk and assaulting her in her home in Union street, was fined \$20 or two months in jail. Mrs. McDonald told the court that she did not wish to prosecute, but on the strength of evidence given by Policeman Rankine, the prisoner was fined.

### ACTION OVER LAND

#### Interesting Case in Connection With Black River Property

An interesting hearing will take place in the near future in the case of Frederick G. McLeod vs. Margaret McLeod, on motion to continue an interim injunction already granted. The point in dispute in this case is as to whether or not tenants in common can be obtained as between tenants in common. The plaintiff claims a three-quarter interest in certain lands at Black River, and the defendant claims the whole interest in the same lands. The latter proceeded to cut timber on the lands on January 31. The plaintiff obtained an interim injunction restraining the defendant from cutting timber until Feb. 15, with leave to the plaintiff to move to have the injunction continued. February 17 a further order was made continuing the injunction.

The hearing will take place in a short time. The case also involves the construction of a will.

Before this application was made, a writ was issued for partition of the land in dispute. This will now all be tried in the one case. R. G. Murray is the solicitor for the plaintiff, and E. P. Raymond the defendant's solicitor.

### LOCAL NEWS

#### PROPERTY PURCHASE

J. Walter Holly has purchased from J. Royden Thomson the latter's residence on the corner of Germain and Duke streets.

#### FORTY HOURS' DEVOTION

The services of the Forty Hours' Devotion will be commenced on Friday morning in Holy Trinity church, closing on the following Sunday.

#### NO FURTHER WORD

There were no new developments today in the robbery committed last night at the home of S. H. Carpenter on the Manawagonish Road. The two suspects have not yet been arrested.

#### GOING TO SACKVILLE

M. J. Butler, formerly manager of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, passed through the city today at noon on his way to Sackville. His visit, he said, was in the interests of business but he had nothing further to say regarding it, nor upon any other matters which might be of interest to the public.

Contingent and Depreciation	45,900.14
Profit and Loss	122,091.96
	\$2,304,096.31
Income Account.	
Dividends—	
Paid 17th April	\$12,000.00
Paid 17th July	12,000.00
Paid 17th October	12,000.00
Payable January 15	12,000.00
Transferred to Profit and Loss	10,138.06
Profits for the year after providing for interest on Bonds and other charges	\$88,138.06
P. F. BLANCHET, C. A., February 7th, 1913. Auditor.	
H. M. HOPPER, Secretary.	

### OFFER REPORTED

This afternoon an offer of \$1,200,000 for the stock would be made by certain interests whose direct identity is not disclosed but who are said to be the capital holders behind the Hydro-Electric scheme in connection with the local and suburban operations, mostly American investors.

Store closes tonight at 6 o'clock.

## READ THESE SPECIAL PRICES ON BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS

We've got just the kind of clothing that your boy requires. Bring him here for a good outfit at very little money.

BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS	BOYS' OVERCOATS
\$4.50 Suits, ..... now \$3.98	\$4.00 Overcoats, ..... now \$3.25
5.00 Suits, ..... now 4.25	4.50 Overcoats, ..... now 3.98
5.50 Suits, ..... now 4.98	5.00 Overcoats, ..... now 4.15
6.00 Suits, ..... now 5.15	5.50 Overcoats, ..... now 4.65
6.50 Suits, ..... now 5.98	6.00 Overcoats, ..... now 5.15
7.00 Suits, ..... now 6.15	6.50 Overcoats, ..... now 5.45
7.50 Suits, ..... now 6.45	7.00 Overcoats, ..... now 5.95
8.00 Suits, ..... now 6.95	8.75 Overcoats, ..... now 7.45
8.75 Suits, ..... now 7.65	10.00 Overcoats, ..... now 8.35

**H. N. DeMILLE & CO.**  
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FOR MEN \$4.00 \$5.00      *The Slater Shoe*      FOR WOMEN \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00

If you want the shoe that will give you comfort, the shoe that fixes the highest and best in footwear fashion, get the Slater Shoe—A Canadian product acknowledged by everybody to be the world's best. We do not ask you to pay big, fancy prices for them but you get them at a "factory to wearer" price that will save you money on your footwear.

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

FEBRUARY 24, '13

## OUR CUSTOM TAILORING IS IN A CLASS BY ITSELF

It took us some time to get our tailoring store up to the present standard, but our past hopes have been realized and today we have a tailoring store without a peer.

Many of Saint John's most particular men have already ordered their spring clothing—it's not too early to think of Easter.

But those who have never tried our tailoring, we would like to make you a suit, if you are not satisfied with the workmanship or materials you do not have to pay for it. Get acquainted with our tailoring store and it will be an agreeable acquaintance not soon forgotten.

Men's Business Suits to measure	\$18.00 to \$30.00
Men's Evening Dress Suits to measure	30.00 to 35.00
Men's Frock Suits to measure	25.00 to 35.00
Men's Trousers to measure	5.00 to 9.00

**KING STREET COR. GERMAIN      GREATER OAK HALL**  
SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

## MEN WHO KNOW VALUES

will not hesitate when they see the

## Suits and Overcoats

we are offering at

\$4.98, \$6.48, \$8.48, \$9.98, \$11.48, \$12.48.

We really cannot afford to do it—but we don't want to carry over a single garment if we can help it.

**BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS**  
\$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.98, \$4.38, \$4.98.

will prove equally attractive to those who want to get a better than ordinary suit or overcoat.

**C. B. PIDGEON**  
Corner Main and Bridge Streets.

## Rough Finish Hats and Stiff Hats for Spring

We have just opened our first shipment of Hats for spring. The shapes are entirely new and different from anything that has been shown, and they are mighty snappy.

The very latest thing in Stiff Hats is finished with a bow on the back. These Rough Finish Soft Hats are in browns and greys and dandy shapes. Come and see our new styles.

STIFF HATS	\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00
SOFT HATS	\$1.50 to \$5.00

**D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd.** Manuf'g. Furriers  
63 King St