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There are over one hundred new Fall and Winter Coats in this special sale event that were made to sell at \$18.90, \$22.00 and \$25.00.

Your unrestricted choice for **\$12.90**

Many others in almost every style, made of the most popular cloths, easily worth from \$10.00 to \$15.00. Marked for this great clearance sale at two special prices

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95 and 101 King Street

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Have you seen the swell line of **Embroidered Cushions** ready for the filling that we are showing?

They are a marvel. Everyone who inspects them wonder how they can be made at the price.

White Lawn with prettily embroidered design with wide frill all round, 29 cents each.

Buff Lawn, neatly embroidered, with hemstitching all round, 39 cents.

Tapestry Cushions, 50 cents.

Pure Linen, a very dainty cushion, handsomely embroidered, natural shade, 75 cents.

The new shape Cushion, 16 by 27 inches, pure linen, natural shade, with very neatly embroidered design, fringed end, \$1.00 each.

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FURS AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS ARE SEASONABLE, SENSIBLE, ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE

Can you think of anything that would be more acceptable than Stylish, Comfortable Furs? Our rich assortment, which awaits your inspection, includes many attractive effects in Muffs, Throws, Collars, Gloves, Fur and Fur Lined Coats, made from choice, plump pelts, among the most favored being Lynx, Wolf, Mink, Blue Fox, and Marmot.

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J. L. Thorne & Co. The Centre for Seasonable Headwear
55 Charlotte Street

The whole spirit of the McMackin Store Announcements is

"Sensible Gifts"

We list a large range of useful articles which sensible people will give to other sensible people. And please notice that our usual low prices prevail throughout the store.

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, \$2.96 to \$7.75 pair
SHAKER BLANKETS, 1.10 to 1.75 pair
COMFORTABLES, \$1.55, \$1.60, \$1.75, \$1.85, \$2.00 each
CHIB BLANKETS (wool), \$1.25 and \$2.25 pair
LACE CURTAINS, 35c. to \$4.75 pair
TAPESTRY PORTIERES, \$3.25, \$4.25, \$4.85, \$5.00 pair
TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75 each
CHENILLE TABLE COVERS, 75c., \$1.50, \$2.50 each

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

Cut Glass

We have just received a wonderful array of Rich Cuttings in new shapes.

See our window display:

W. H. HAYWARD CO., Limited.
85-93 Princess Street

LOCAL NEWS

THE BATTLE LINE

S.S. "Eretria," Captain Crossley, for River Plate via Bristol Channel, sailed from Annapolis today.

MR. GUERNSEY GOES WEST

Herbert Guernsey who has been operating in St. John real estate for the last year left last evening for his home in Victoria, B. C., for the winter. He will return to St. John early in the spring.

A \$20,000 DEAL

Several young English farmers, who have been inspecting some of the fine farm properties near Salisbury this week, have made offers for three fine farms along the Petitcodiac river. It is understood that the owners are taking a day or two to consider. The amount offered for the three is in the vicinity of \$20,000.

SCHOONER SOLD

The schooner "Vineyard" was sold at auction at Clabb's Corner at noon today by T. T. Lantlam, under a decree of the Exchequer Court of Canada, New Brunswick Admiralty district. The schooner was bid in by S. A. M. Skinner, solicitor, for \$1,200.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Henderson took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms in Waterloo street. Funeral services were conducted in the Cathedral by Rev. E. J. Conway and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

BISHOP RECOVERING WELL

Dr. W. J. Weaver, Fredericton, said yesterday that Bishop Richardson was rapidly recovering from the effects of his recent operation for appendicitis. There have been no setbacks, and His Lordship is recovering as rapidly as could be expected.

ACCIDENT AT SAND POINT

William Prince of Chubb street was quite severely injured at Sand Point last night. While working around a freight car he slipped and fell, going down between the car and the platform. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital where he was treated by Doctor Kenney. He is injured about the chest and ribs.

TRAVEL HEAVY

The Montreal train was brought to the city today in two equal shifts, the first forty-five minutes late and the second about two hours and twenty minutes behind time. The train carried the local and outboard passengers and baggage, while the second had a large number of people from the west returning to the old country for the holidays.

STORY-WARREN

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams, 128 Acadia street, at 8 o'clock evening, December 7, at eight o'clock, when Miss Edith Hilda Warren was united in marriage to Robert E. Story. Both are of English birth. Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of Trinity church, officiated. The bride looked prettily in cream colored silk, trimmed with silk lace, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and red roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Blanche Warren. Bertram Upcott acted as groomsmen. Many friends of the bride and groom were present at the wedding, and after the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served. After the wedding the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams, Master John Weldon Williams was christened in the fourth year of his age.

WEDDING OF INTEREST HERE

A wedding in which a number of St. John people will be interested took place on Wednesday evening, Nov. 27, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Mr. Potter, pastor of the Mattapan Baptist church, when Ernest A. Parlee of Somerville, and Miss Gertrude Long of Mattapan, were united in marriage. The bride was attired in a very becoming silk gown of blue and gold, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. They were unattended. After the nuptials Mr. and Mrs. Parlee left for Somerville, and married a prominent position in connection with the International Correspondence School. The bride's traveling costume was of blue with hat to match. They have the best wishes of a large circle of friends both in Boston and St. John where they have formerly resided. The large number of gifts received, most of which were of silver, testify to the popularity of the young people.

BIG BLOW PUTS END TO ROWENA

Schooner Breaks up in Gale—Wind Reached a Velocity of Forty Miles

The heavy gale that blew along the coast last night was the cause of the schooner Rowena, which ran ashore near Cape Spencer on Friday last, breaking up, and the vessel is now a total loss. The wreckage is reported strewn along the beach and men are engaged in picking up the cargo of lumber, and some of the equipment.

Beginning early last evening quite a heavy wind-storm was experienced. The greatest velocity reached in the gale was forty miles an hour. For those engaged in working about the waterfront and harbor the heavy wind was a trouble maker.

CASES OF INTEREST IN POLICE COURT TODAY

Mill Street Assault Matter—Meals But No Pay in Carleton Restaurant

In the police court today William McVarrish, charged with assaulting Ralph Carter, a Harlow, in Mill street, on last Sunday, pleaded not guilty. The complainant testified that between eleven and twelve o'clock on Sunday morning he was walking along Mill street when McVarrish rushed up to him and struck him in the mouth, caught hold of him and threw him to the ground. Richard Cromwell, Philip Breen and Maurice Jacobson also told of seeing the assault. On application of McVarrish the case was adjourned until Saturday morning for him to secure witnesses.

In connection with the case the complainant has laid a charge against Policeman Gardner for neglect of duty. Mr. Carter said that after the assault had been committed he called the policeman to the scene. Mr. Gardner, however, did not appear before Chief Clark in the police station last night.

Policeman Gardner said that he had not arrested McVarrish on Sunday because he had not seen the assault, and that there were no marks on Carter to indicate that an assault had taken place. He had told Carter, however, to go to the police court on Monday morning and swear out a warrant for McVarrish's arrest.

Three of the witnesses swore that McVarrish was drunk at the time the assault was committed. McVarrish was arrested on drunkenness charge soon after the assault took place by J. C. R. Policeman Smith.

John Lavigne, charged with drunkenness and also with resisting the police, was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail on the first charge, and \$15 or two months in jail on the second charge. His Honor told Lavigne that he was liable to a fine of \$80 or twelve months in jail for resisting the police. Three prisoners charged with drunkenness were each fined \$4 or ten days in jail, and one other was remanded on the same charge.

Albert Murphy charged with refusing to pay for four meals in the restaurant of Patrick Kane in Union street, West End, pleaded guilty. Mr. Kane told the court that Murphy had gone into his store with three others, and ordered meals for himself and friends and, after the meal, cigars. When the bill was presented he refused to pay. In court this morning he agreed to pay the bill and was allowed to go.

Frank Gannon, reported for doing a bunk business in the city without a license, said that he worked with his father and did not want to get a license. His Honor told him that he was liable to a fine of \$80, but he had promised the court that he would get out of the business, and not do any buying or selling.

A young lad charged with throwing snowballs in Rodney street, West End, on Sunday last, pleaded guilty and was fined \$8 or two months in jail. The fine was allowed to stand.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

The agreement of sale from Thomas Bell to Joseph Hobson of the John Lee property of ninety acres at Little River for \$87,500, which took place some time ago, has just been recorded. There is also on record an assignment by Joseph Hobson to J. A. Meldrum for \$2,500 of a property in Simonds.

Property transfers for the last few days include the following:

T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., et al to E. W. Rowley, property on Charlotte street extension.

Isabel Stewart, et al to E. W. Rowley, property on Charlotte street Extension.

James Ready to Ready's Breweries, Ltd, property corner Union and Chipman streets, Fairville.

F. S. Scovil to A. H. Hanington, property in Union street.

Nelson Smith to Susan, wife of Nelson Smith, property in St. Martins.

The lease from James Ready to Ready's Breweries, Ltd., for twenty-one years, property in Lancaster, is recorded.

CHILD'S PROTECTION ACT

At the meeting of the Presbytery of St. John yesterday a communication was read pointing out the importance of organized action in favor of the passage of a child's Protection Act, and of urging the municipal council to ask the legislature to pass such an act. The presbytery heartily endorsed the suggestion, and the members will exert their influence to that end. The ministerial associations of other churches will be asked to take similar action, and an effort will be made to get a united appeal to the municipal council from all churches and other organizations for social welfare. The matter will be brought before the finance committee of the council prior to the general meeting which will be held on January 17th.

WATERPORT NOTES

The Donaldson liner Saturnia is expected to arrive on Friday.

The S.S. Athena is not due to arrive here until late next week.

The S.S. Hapanahack and the S.S. Kanawa sailed from Halifax today on their way to this port.

The S.S. Manchester Trader left Halifax last night for this port.

The C. P. R. liner Montreal is due to arrive here tomorrow.

Store open tonight till 8 o'clock

Useful Xmas Gifts For Men and Boys

Do your buying early, while stocks are complete. Any of the articles mentioned below, will be found useful and comfortable during the winter season.

Men's Suits, in a great variety of cloths and patterns, \$5.00 to \$20.00.

Men's Overcoats, in fancy tweeds, black melton, etc., made with regular or convertible collar, \$8.75 to \$18.00.

Boys' Two-Piece Suits, at \$2.00 to \$ 6.50

Boys' Three-Piece Suits, at 4.50 to 10.00

Boys' Overcoats, at 4.00 to 12.00

Boys' Reefers, at 2.00 to 5.00

Also beautiful assortment of Gloves, Mufflers, Ties, Braces, Garters, Shirts, Sweaters, Caps, etc.

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Every Slater Shoe carries with it an absolute assurance of certainty—value. The price is the same the world over.

For Men \$4.00 to \$6.50 For Women \$3.50 to \$5.00

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DECEMBER 11, '12

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usually wears an old coat—aren't you sometimes a little provoked by his appearance? Especially when visitors drop in unexpectedly? He may be comfortable, but—! Did it ever occur to you that if he had a fine new House Coat he wouldn't be wearing his old coats out? Take the hint and get him one for that Christmas Gift.

House Coats . . . \$4.75 to \$15.00
Dressing Gowns . . . 3.15 to \$20.00

Men's Fancy Vests are Good for Christmas

You women folks know how much a fine lingerie waist adds to the setting of your suit. The waistcoat bears the same relation in man's attire, and well dressed men in their vanity, appreciate the privilege of having such a garment to enhance the conventionality of their apparel. In our display you will find the most elegant designs in vogue this season.

Men's Fancy Vests, Cloth or Mercerized, \$1.50 to \$3.50
Men's Knitted Wool Vests, \$2.50 to \$5. Dr. Jaegers Wool Vests, \$4.25 to \$10.

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THESE splendid money-saving bargains tell why. Be sure and get your share.

Boys' Suits, - - \$2.48 to \$5.48
Worth \$4.00 to \$8.00

Boys' Overcoats, - \$2.48 to \$5.48
Worth \$4.00 to \$8.00

Men's Suits, - - \$4.98 to \$15.48
Worth \$8.00 to \$25.00

Men's Overcoats, \$4.98 to \$15.48
Worth \$8.50 to \$25.00

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Our Fur Coats are "reliable" in every way. They have the quality They have style. They fit. They give satisfaction.

We make up our own coats, so we know that they are made from good skins and have first class satin linings, good buttons and the best workmanship on them.

Marmot Coats . . . \$75.00 Greenland Seal Coats, Co'n Collar and Cuffs . . . \$75.00
Near Seal Coats . . . \$75.00, 90.00, 100.00 Black As' ranch . . . \$65.00
Muskrat Coats . . . \$85.00, 90.00, 100.00, 125.00

These Coats are 50 to 52 inches long

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