

DOWLING BROS.

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

New Linens

Damask Table Linen, 58 to 72 inches wide, at 30c., 35c., 42c., 45c., 48c., 50c., 55c., 60c., 65c., 70c., 75c., 80c., 85c., 90c., 1.00 and 1.25 yard.

Damask Napkins, from \$1.00 to \$2.50 dozen.

Damask Huck Towelling, for H. S. and Embroidery Guest Towels, 15 inches and 22 inches wide, at 38c. yard.

H. S. Embroidery End Guest Towels, 45c. each.

Linen Huck Towels, 18x36 size, special 25c. pair.

Linen Towels, in H. S. and plain hem ends, at 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 40c., 50c. and 75c. each.

Special Shaker Flannel, one yard wide, in a variety of pretty patterns, at 8 1/2c. yard, sale price.

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Special Wool Blankets, a fine White Wool Blanket, size 60 by 80, pink and blue borders, sale price \$2.95 each, only a limited quantity.

DOWLING BROTHERS

95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S

Velvet
Corduroys

An express shipment of them just to hand. These goods have been so scarce that people wanting them have not been able to get them anywhere. Here is an abundant supply for you to satisfy your wants from. In black, navy blue, brown and fawn.

The first three colors, namely black, navy blue and brown are **57 cents a yard**, 24 inches wide.

Fawn, 27 inches wide, **95 cents a yard**.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.

59 Charlotte Street

1913 Ladies' Fur
Lined Coats

Finished in best materials and best styles. Only a few special sizes in stock, which we offer at reduced prices.

J. L. Thorne & Co.

The Centre for Reasonable Headwear
55 Charlotte StreetWomen's and Children's
Underwear

Whatever is needed in undergarments for women or children will be found in the splendidly complete McMacKinn underware stock.

CHILDREN'S	WOMEN'S
Vests and Drawers, 24c. to 75c.	Union Vests and Drawers, 25c., 40c. and 50c.
Corset Waists (fleece lined) 25c.	Wool Vests and Drawers, 75c. and 81.00.
Nazareth Waists, 25c.	Stanfield's Vests and Drawers, 85c., 81.00 and 81.25.
Infants' White Ribbed and Roller Vests, 24c. to 60c.	Knit Corset Covers, 25c.

McCall's Patterns, 10c. and 15c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

Travellers' Samples

We are clearing a large number of TRAVELLERS' SAMPLES BELOW COST. 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 50c., 75c. and \$1.00 each.

H. HAYWARD CO., LIMITED

COURT CROWDED TO HEAR
NEW YEAR'S EVE CASES

Prisoners Remanded, However, As Several Out on Deposit Did Not Appear—Others Reported—Interesting Evidence in Case of Whisky Stealing

Standing room was at a premium in the police court this morning, many people anxious to hear the case of those arrested for creating a disturbance in the streets on New Year's eve. They were disappointed, however, as those who appeared to answer to the charge were remanded until this afternoon, as they did not appear. They had been allowed out on deposits of \$8, and His Honor said that he would allow them until two o'clock this afternoon to appear.

The police sheet contained the names of fourteen prisoners, rather a record for the day after New Year's. Most of those arrested were charged with drunkenness, although there were several who had more serious charges to answer to. The names of nine young men, their ages ranging from 21 to 24 years, were called, this contingent having been arrested on the charge of acting disorderly in the streets on New Year's eve. These arrested were: Harold Chamberlain, Stanley Evans, Daniel McLaughlin, Frank Wilson, Bernard Moore, Harry Dunfield, Ambrose Wells, Harold Fielding, and Gerald O'Brien. Wells, Fielding and O'Brien were the only ones to appear this morning. Wells was charged with interfering with the police while they were making an arrest in Charlotte street late on Tuesday night, after the crowd had gathered to usher in the New Year. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded until two o'clock.

Harold Fielding, a young Englishman, charged with shouting in Charlotte street on New Year's eve, pleaded guilty and was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail. He asked for a chance to get back to his ship, and was allowed to go on paying \$3. Gerald O'Brien, charged with shouting in Charlotte street, and also with using profane and obscene language, pleaded guilty to the first charge, but pleaded ignorance to the latter. He was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail on the first charge and was remanded on the other. The other six were charged with being members of a disorderly crowd, but none appeared.

Chief Clark showed two large stones that had been thrown at the police while they were making the arrests on New Year's eve. The police had some difficulty in making the arrests, but were able to hold the crowd in check.

Samuel Craig, a middle-aged man, charged with stealing a case of whiskey from No. 4 shed at Bond Street, pleaded guilty to the property of the Donaldson Line Company. He pleaded not guilty. Walter Banks, a checker for the Donaldson Line, told of missing the case from the shed. The liquor was part of a shipment on the S.S. Letitia. The contents consisted of twenty bottles of Scotch whiskey, and about six bottles of Scotch whiskey, and about six

consigned to Sudbury, Ont., and was taken on New Year's eve.

Detective Walsh told of seeing the prisoner around the wharves yesterday under the influence of liquor. He followed Craig and saw the latter disappear beneath the wharf. He followed him and saw Craig walk along under the wharf about 200 feet. When the prisoner was coming out from under the wharf, the witness took a bottle of liquor out of his pocket. The bottle was the same kind that was contained in the stolen case. He took the prisoner to the Donaldson Line office and had him detained there. The witness went back under the wharf where the prisoner had previously been and found the stolen case of liquor. Sergeant Finley told of making the arrest.

Craig denied stealing the liquor. He said that on Tuesday night he saw two men taking it and placing it under the wharf. He had gone under the wharf and had found one bottle. He admitted having been drinking yesterday. His Honor told him that he was liable to a long term for stealing, but that he would remand him to jail to enquire as to his character.

Leona Parks, charged with being drunk and disorderly in the Union Depot, pleaded guilty and was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail.

George Gillespie, charged with drunkenness, appeared in court with his head wrapped in bandages. He was arrested on Tuesday and yesterday the services of a physician had to be requested to attend to his wounds, he having been badly cut about the head. In consequence of information given to the police James Currie was also arrested, and charged with having committed an aggravated assault on Gillespie. Currie pleaded guilty and was remanded for sentence. Gillespie was fined \$8 or two months in jail.

George Chaney, charged with lying and turking in a yard off North street, pleaded guilty and was fined \$8 or two months in jail.

John Peterson, charged with being drunk and profane, was remanded.

Four other prisoners charged with drunkenness were fined \$8 or thirty days in jail. His Honor took occasion to deliver a strong temperance lecture, and warned the prisoners that they were starting the New Year in a very bad way.

Others Reported.

Besides those arrested for creating a disturbance on New Year's eve, several others have been reported and will come before the court at a later date. These are: King, William Johnston, Charles Breen, and William Morrison have been reported for creating a disturbance at the intersection of Pond street, and Harold Cassidy, for creating a disturbance in Frederick street.

LOCAL NEWS

THE BATTLE LINE.
S. S. Bellavia, Hatfield, from London, arrived at Antwerp yesterday.

THE NEW ELEVATOR.
Last week's issue of the Contract Record of Toronto devotes over a page to a description of the new C. P. R. elevator at St. John, with a view of the site before work began and another of the place as it now appears.

SAVINGS RETURNS.
Considering the fact that the season of Christmas giving intervened, the deposits made at the government savings bank for December are not so very far behind the withdrawable. There were deposits of \$77,825.04, and withdrawals of \$81,811.03.

LANCASTER BOARD OF TRADE.
A meeting of the Lancaster Board of Trade will be held in the Fairville court room on Friday evening, the 3rd inst., at 8 o'clock, to complete the organization and to deal with the increased water rates, highways and other matters of importance to the parish.

DIED IN THE WEST.
Many friends in Carleton and other parts of the city will mourn with Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Parks, formerly of this city, in the sudden death of their twelve-year-old boy, Rainford Willis, which occurred in Cranbrook, B. C., on the last day of the old year.

PRESENTATIONS.
In the Post Office on New Year's eve Robert Guild, porter, was remembered by the clerks, who presented to him a purse of gold. J. S. Flagg made the presentation on behalf of the clerks.

A GREAT RECORD.
The present month the Canadian Home Investment Company has loaned a hundred thousand dollars in sums of one thousand each on real estate at 5 per cent. interest.

THE LATE CAPTAIN DAVIS.
The death of Captain James E. Davis occurred at his home in Springfield, N. B., on December 22, and news of it has caused much regret to many friends in this city and province, and in many other sea port cities. In his younger days he visited the principal shipping centres in command of large vessels. He was a well known mariner until a few years ago, when he retired, and had since been living with his son, Clarence, at his home in Springfield. Death was due to paralysis. His funeral was held on Christmas day, Rev. J. D. Wetmore, of this city, officiating. Captain Davis is survived by his wife, two sons and three daughters. The sons are Frank in Lowell, Mass., and Clarence, with whom he lived, at home; while the daughters are Mrs. Myles Rice, of Pictou, N. S., Mrs. H. V. Hayes and Mrs. Spague, wife of Captain Sprague of Main street. Capt. Davis is a brother, and Miss Elizabeth of New York is a sister.

START WORK IN NEW SIMMS
FACTORY TODAY; GANONGS ARE
MOVING INTO FORMER ONE

The broom department of T. S. Simms & Company, Ltd. commenced work in their new factory at 14 Water street this afternoon. The plant is being moved from the present factory in Union street one department at a time and it may be about a month before all the departments are at work in the new structure.

As the vacating the building the White Candy Company, now operated by Messrs. Ganong, is taking possession. It is their intention to make extensive improvements to the interior of the building and many changes will be needed to make it a modern confectionery factory. This will be done as rapidly as possible and very soon after the last department of the broom factory is moved out they will be ready to commence operations in their new building.

GUN CLUB SHOOT

In spite of unfavorable weather conditions the St. John Gun Club had a most successful shoot on New Year's Day. The heavy rain in the morning did not discourage the enthusiasts and they shot through the rain from 10.30 a. m. until lunch time and resumed at 2 p. m. until the weather conditions were a little more favorable. A strong wind also made shooting difficult but in spite of the handicaps some very good scores were made. The scores were as follows:

Competitor	Shot At	Broke
Hare	105	85
Andrews	105	80
Holman	105	60
Dowling	95	62
Shreve	95	63
Langstaff	80	48
McIntyre	70	44
Lattimer	75	31
Col. McKittrick	65	30
Dismore	60	29
Databrook	50	28
McDonough	40	22
Dickie	30	21

A new feature was the "cat" shoot which proved highly entertaining and was enjoyed by all the members of the club. It is said that the Colonel got Billy's.

GIRLS' ASSOCIATION PRESENTATION

Last evening the members of the physical culture class of the Girls' Association were entertained at supper by Miss Emma Heffer, physical director of the class. The room was prettily decorated in red, green and white. Mrs. W. R. Robinson presided at the table, and was assisted in serving by the Misses Mahoney, Rogers, Smith, Branscomb and the Misses Stackhouse. The evening was pleasantly passed in playing games, at the close of which prizes were distributed. Miss Lottie Harris, on behalf of the members of the association, thanked Miss Heffer for the pleasant evening which they had all enjoyed, and expressed their hearty appreciation of the good work that Miss Heffer is doing for the association. She then presented to Miss Heffer and Miss Pitt handsome umbrellas.

FOR CLEANER STREETS.
The estimates for the department of public works occupied the attention of the city commissioners at their morning session and their consideration will be continued this afternoon. Among the items is a largely increased allowance for street cleaning.

Store open tonight till 8 o'clock
Have You Taken Advantage of These
Special Prices on

Men's Overcoats?

Read the list and find out what we are doing.

Regular \$ 8.75 Overcoats,	now \$ 7.45
Regular 10.00 Overcoats,	now 8.35
Regular 12.00 Overcoats,	now 9.85
Regular 13.50 Overcoats,	now 11.45
Regular 15.00 Overcoats,	now 12.75
Regular 16.50 Overcoats,	now 13.75
Regular 18.00 Overcoats,	now 15.25

H. N. DeMILLE & CO.

199 to 201 Union Street

Opera House Block



Over-Gaiters That Are Made To Fit

Our Over-Gaiters and Leggings are Tailor Made which is a guarantee to you that they are cut by experts and that the cloth is properly shrunk. The seams are sewed with silk and that the Gaiters are finished with the same care you expect a tailor to give a coat—We guarantee the fit.

Women's	Children's	Men's
50c to \$1.50	75c to \$1.25	90c to \$1.25

The Slater Shoe Shop, 81 KING STREET.

Winter-Proof Overcoats
For Boys

Hut one of them on your boy and you won't have to worry about him—he'll be comfortable.

More than that, he will be pleased. Overcoats made for the Oak Hall Boys' Clothing Store are fashioned in the knowledge that a boy appreciates style.

Roomy garments of materials that are worn without weighing heavily on small shoulders. Finely finished throughout.

Russian Overcoats for boys 3 to 12 years. In fancy tweeds, Irish frieze, beaver cloth, blanket cloth, mackinaw and English melton, \$3.00 to \$8.75.

Boys' Chinchilla Russian Overcoats, \$7.00, \$8.00.

Boys' Blanket Overcoats, 2 1/2 to 10 years, \$3.95; 3 to 12 years \$5.40.

Boys' Reefers, 6 to 15 years. In Irish frieze and navy and grey chinchilla, \$2.25 to \$9.00.

Boys' and Young Men's Overcoats, 10 to 17 years. In tweeds of many colors and patterns and fancy overcoatings, \$4.50 to \$22.00.

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

Given Away Free!

Boys' Knicker Pants

With every Boy's Suit or Overcoat sold on Friday and Saturday of this week (preparatory to moving to our new store 27 and 29 Charlotte Street) we will give away FREE one pair pants extra. This means a big saving when coupled with Fraser's already low prices.

Fraser, Fraser & Co.

26 and 28 Charlotte Street

CLEARANCE FUR SALE

Our Annual Fur Sale starts tomorrow, Friday, morning and will continue till January 11th. This is an opportunity to purchase "Reliable Furs" at a saving of from 15 to 50 per cent of the original price.

Near Seal Coats	\$60.00, were \$75.00
Marmot Coats	\$60.00, were \$75.00
Black Pony Coats, \$75.00, were \$90.00 and \$100.	
Persian Lamb Ties and Stoles Less 20 per cent.	
Persian Lamb Muffs Less 20 per cent.	

Sable Fox Stoles	\$16.50, were \$25.00
Black Martin Stoles	\$13.50, were \$18.50
Black Martin Muffs	\$10.00, were \$12.00
Marmot Stoles	\$9.00, were \$12.50

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