

DOWLING BROS. A SUCCESSFUL SALE

The success of our Mid-Winter Sale has become more pronounced as the public learn of the great bargains in FIRST CLASS DRY GOODS to be found at this store.

THE DRESS GOODS SALE at fifteen per cent. off regular prices will be continued for ten days more.

LADIES' COATS, in Tweeds and Black and Colored Beavers, values from \$16.90 to \$25.00, your choice \$10.00.

CHILDREN'S COATS, Teddy Bear, Cardinal Bear-Skin, Navy and Cardinal Cloth and Velvet, from \$1.50 upward.

LADIES' GOLF COATS, in a great variety of colors, plain and in pretty combinations, several qualities, from \$1 upwards.

SPECIAL SALE VALUES in Flannelette Gowns, Ladies' Undervests, White Lawn Blouses, Lace Blouses in Black and Bezu.

Free Hemming on all Table Linens, Sheetings, etc.

DOWLING BROTHERS 95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S FREE HEMMING

All the month of February and not a cent added to the price of the materials on account of this, in fact the prices are February Sale Prices, and much below the regular.

TABLE LINENS—Unbleached, 27c, 37c, 48c, and 55c a yard. Bleached, 55c, 65c, 75c, and up to \$1.25 a yard.

NAPKINS—from 75 cents to \$4.50 a dozen.

GREAT VALUE IN TOWELLINGS—Regular, 12 cent towelling, 17 inches wide, heavy quality, all linen, at 10 cents a yard.

SHEETINGS—An extra heavy English twill sheeting of a very fine make is priced 33 cents a yard.

PILLOW COTTONS—From 17 cents to 45 cents a yard.

PILLOW SLIPS—Ready made, hemstitched, 40 inches, only 15 cents each.

WIDE ENGLISH LONGCLOTH—An extra fine quality, price 10 cents a yard for this sale.

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The very choicest of our select showing of Furs are included in this sale, and, like other grades, are offered at a reduction of 25 Per Cent from regular prices.

Bargains You Can't Afford To Miss J. L. THORNE & CO.

NEW SPRING CORSET MODELS D. & A. Models

A corset combining great comfort with perfect elegance and moderate price. Let us show you them.

50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50

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It Should Require No Argument

to convince people that a good article costs more than a poor one, and as HEINTZMAN & CO. make the very best Pianos they cannot compete with many others on the mere question of price.

HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANOS

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co. 53 Germain St., St. John, N. B.

LOCAL NEWS

NO LICENSE. John Dunlop, Albert Christopher, and Samuel Graham have been reported by Sergeant Finley for working in the city without having a license.

POLICE COURT. Two men charged with drunkenness were fined \$8 each this morning in the police court, while a third was remanded on a like charge.

TO ASK EXTENSION. Moncton Transcript.—The smelt fishing season will close on the 15th inst. It is reported that a largely signed petition will be forwarded to Ottawa asking for an extension of time.

ELECTRICITY PROJECT. The Albert Manufacturing Co. of Hillsboro, is applying to the legislature for powers authorizing it to manufacture and sell electricity for heating, lighting and power purposes.

LUMBERING AT UPHAM. B. F. Myles is conducting an extensive lumbering operation at Upham. He will have a cut of over one million feet. Mr. Myles has about forty men in the crew. The lumber is being hauled to Passages station for shipment.

HARTLAND RAILWAY. A meeting in the interest of the Hartland & Miramichi Railway, held at Glasville tomorrow evening. The company propose to push the survey of the route through to a junction with the G. T. P.

STEAMERS CROSSED. A wire received yesterday by George Carvill, I. C. R. ticket agent, was to the effect that the steamers Earl Grey and Minto had crossed the straits successfully, and that the former would leave Pictou for Georgetown this morning at seven o'clock.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of William Daley took place at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from his late residence, 25 Clarence street to the cathedral, where the burial service was read by Rev. Father McGee. There were no pall-bearers.

AN APPOINTMENT. The Moncton Transcript says.—It is reported that the reason why Thomas W. R. H. McGrath has resigned the chairmanship of the city board of assessors and valuers is that he has been appointed to some important special work in connection with the Intercolonial Railway, and would not have time to discharge the duties of the chairmanship.

MRS. MAURICE DOWNING. At an early hour this morning at her residence, 215 Princess street, Sarah Olive, widow of Maurice Downing, passed away. She had been ill but two weeks of bronchitis. Mrs. Downing was well known and very highly respected. She leaves three sons and three daughters. The sons are: Haasen, Dumphy, and Stephen, and the daughters are: Mrs. James McGivern and Miss Mary at home. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon.

NEW MANAGER HERE. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. McDonald arrived in the city from Yarmouth last night. Mr. McDonald is the new manager of the St. John Opera House, under control of F. G. Spencer. He has been Mr. Spencer's manager in Yarmouth. Mr. McDonald is St. John boy, son of Daniel McDonald of Spring street.

HAVE RECEIVED CUP. The members of the baseball team of Brock & Paterson, Ltd., King street, winners of the Commercial League series last season, have received from D. B. Donald, through Messrs. Spalding, a handsome silver trophy as champions. The cup is to be engraved, and it is probable that a dinner will be held in the near future and it will be formally presented.

ENJOYED THEMSELVES. The members of the Christian Soldiers Class of the Ludlow street Baptist church, last evening conducted a very pleasant sleigh drive to the Three Mile House and on their return went to the home of their teacher, George Harriet, in West St. John, where an enjoyable time was spent and refreshments served. The officers of the class are Russell Mabey, president; Gerald Thompson, vice-president; Douglas Anderson, secretary; Alva French, assistant secretary; Herbert Moore, treasurer; and Percy Wheaton, assistant treasurer.

SURPRISE PARTIES. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lammon, 49 Metcalf street, last evening an enjoyable time was spent at a surprise party tendered them by about fifty friends. Miss L. Mathison and J. Woodland with A. Lammon and E. Flewelling were in charge.

THORNE LODGE CONCERT. A large number of people attended the concert held last evening in the Haymarket Square Hall under the auspices of Thorne Lodge. It was a great success. A lengthy programme of musical numbers, recitations, solo and sketches was given. The programme was as follows: Comic sketch, Box and Cox; by Eva Nobles, Thomas Owens and Frank Gillett; song, Maggie Jones; by Charles McEachern; recitation, Lot De Wolf; solo, Miss Bertie Campbell; comic sketch, "Old Gooseberry," by Messrs. Adams, Mackenzie, Messrs. Gordon, Mackenzie, McEachern and Tennant; bagpipe selections, George Stephens; comic songs by Messrs. Stack and McClusky; solo, F. Martin; solo, Mr. Stack, Where the River Shannon Flows; sketch by Messrs. Brown, Cook and Chapman. The entertainment lasted two hours, which passed all too quickly. The national anthem was sung at the close. H. McEachern was chairman.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN. Manchester Miller, Manchester, Dec. 23. Manchester Importer, Manchester, Jan. 2. Kanawha, London, Jan. 3. Montezuma, London, Jan. 5. Bray Head, Cardiff, Jan. 7. Bagpanshook, London, Jan. 9. Bengore Head, from a coal port via Azores. Granplan, Liverpool, Jan. 19. Kastalia, Glasgow, Jan. 20. Manchester Shipper, Manchester, Jan. 21. Sardinian, Havre, Jan. 22. Empress of Britain, Jan. 28. Cassandra, Glasgow, Jan. 27. Shenandah, London, Jan. 27.

HAS WIFE AND MAN ARRESTED; THEY ARE BEFORE COURT TODAY

Habab Says Three Were in Traveling Company Which Disbanded and He Traced Wife and Ferris Here.

Thomas Ferris, aged thirty-five, and Barbara Habab, aged twenty-seven, were arrested yesterday afternoon, one in a house in Erin street, and the other in a house in Brunswick street, on a warrant charging them with a serious offense. They were remanded this morning in the police court. Herbert Smith is appearing for them. The arrests were made by Sergeants Caplan and Campbell, and police Shortliffe, on the charge being made and the warrant sworn out by the woman's husband.

Habab, the husband of the woman, says that he and his wife and Ferris were in a travelling company of some kind, and that when it disbanded his wife and the other man came to this city, where he succeeded in locating them a few days ago. Ferris says that he has been in this city for about two months. Owing to their being remanded with no hearing this morning no plea was entered.

The people in this case have been announced as Syzians. R. M. Tobias, a Syrian contractor here, called at the Times office today to say that they are not of his countrymen, and that it was the desire of the Syrians in this city that this be made known.

DOCTOR McGRATH IS INSPECTOR OF HEALTH IN CAPITAL CITY

Fredericton Appointment Goes to Him—St. John Men Buy Two Horses

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 2.—At a meeting of the board of health yesterday Dr. R. H. McGrath, was appointed inspector to succeed the late R. H. Phillips at a salary of \$600. He is a son of H. McGrath, inspector of masonry on the I. C. R., and has been practicing here for some years.

David Watson and Thomas Hayes of St. John have purchased from J. E. Sullivan the standard breed stallion, Master Wilnot, lately imported from New York. They have also purchased Rapidly from J. T. Gibson. The horses will be sent to St. John tonight.

Charles Hunter of Queensbury has purchased from Herbert Cooper the McMurray home in Queens street.

The Fredericton Tourist Association met last evening and organized for the ensuing year. J. W. McGroarty was re-elected president, A. A. Shute secretary and F. J. Edgcombe treasurer. The officers, accompanied by a delegation of guides will soon visit on the government of the inland fishing streams of the province.

More Evidence Taken

North End Restaurant Keeper Says Tufts Sold Cutlery and Cigarettes to Him

A further report was made this morning in the police court in the case of James Tufts, charged with obtaining stolen silver and other goods from T. McAvity & Sons and John DeAngelis. Evidence was given by Parker O'Leary who keeps a restaurant in Main street near Long wharf, that Tufts had called at his store with some silver knives and forks, and saying he had taken them and three large packages of cigarettes, which he had with him, for debt. He would them to the storekeeper for \$12, getting \$6 for the cigarettes and \$6 for the silverware. He assured Mr. O'Leary that there would be no trouble about them.

MONTREAL AWAKE TO THE ST. JOHN BOOM

Colonel J. L. McAvity returned yesterday from Montreal where he had been on a brief visit. He said this morning that considerable interest was being evinced in that city in the St. John boom and real estate here was being sought. Several real estate men there had asked his views concerning the boom here and the prospects and he replied enthusiastically. The interest in St. John from a commercial standpoint, he said, seemed to be greatly on the increase.

Gun Club's New Quarters

The St. John Gun Club has completed its snug and comfortable club house on the Sandy Point Road, just beyond the Golf Club. The new structure is surrounded by a wide veranda, enclosed by glass on one side, so that members can command a view of the traps, and keep out of the cold and wind during the frosty weather.

Two regulation traps are now in position and first class working order, and the first regular club shoot is to be held tomorrow afternoon. The gun club has shown great energy in pushing forward the construction of the new club house, and has certainly succeeded in making its members comfortable.

THE EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

Large numbers still continue to attend the Triple Alliance evangelistic meetings which are being held every night in the Waterloo street U. B. church, in connection with Brussels street, Emmanuel street and Waterloo street churches. Last night Rev. F. H. Wentworth, pastor of the Waterloo street church, preached from John 24. The speaker said that Nicodemus stumbled not at the doctrine Christ was teaching but its application to his own life, and that was where most people stumble. He emphasized the fact that every soul was conscious at some time of the inner voice of the spirit.

Whilst the movements of the Holy Ghost were beyond human control, yet people were aware of the conditions and the place of his activity, and it was theirs to respond. It was all too possible to make only a partial response, ending only in an emotion which soon evaporated.

COACHMEN REPORTED

George Cassin, a hackman, has been reported by L. E. H. policeman Smith for going beyond the coachmen's stand at the Union depot.

SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S SHIRTS

It matters not what kind of Shirt you are looking for, it's sure to be found in our assortment.

Notice The Special Prices Men's Heavy Knitted, Tweed, and Fleece Lined Top Shirts at 53c., 66c., 79c. and 94c. each Men's Black Sateen Top Shirts, in sizes 16 and 16-1-2 Only Special Price 62c. each.

Men's Negligee Shirts in Great variety of beautiful patterns at 46c., 63., 71c., 79c., 98c. and \$1.19 each.

COME IN AND TAKE A LOOK AT THESE BARGAINS. H. N. DeMILLE & CO., 199 to 201 Union St. Opera House Block.



Let Us Help You Have Foot Comfort

If careful measurement of the foot and a still more careful selection of the shape that suits your feet will help to give you a comfortable fit, and we know it will, then we really can help you have this greatest of all comforts.



The Seal of certainty is on every pair of Slater Shoes and is your guarantee that nothing but the best of material and workmanship enters into the construction of the shoe. Don't get the wrong kind.

Popular Prices: For Men, \$4.00 to \$6.50; For Women, \$3.50 to \$5.00.

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

Extraordinary Bargains in Our Men's Furnishings Department—Of Special Interest to Workmen

A General Clean-up of All Odds and Ends

UNDERWEAR Penman's Extra Heavy All-wool Elastic Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, regular price \$1.00. Clearing price 59c. Stanfield's Seconds, worth \$1.25 to \$1.40 per garment. Special clearing price 84c.

TOP SHIRTS All-wool Navy and Gray Flannel Shirts, regular price \$1.50. Clearing price 90c.

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS Wonderful values in Soft and Stiff Bosom Shirts, a general clearing out. Regular price \$1.00 to \$1.50. Special clearing price 59c.

NECKWEAR Two big specials in Neckwear; all new goods. Regular 50c, 75c Ties. For 29c. Regular 35c Ties. For 19c.

HOSIERY Scotch Heather All-wool Half-Hose, regular price 30c, 35c pair. Clearing 3 pairs for 57c. Better quality Scotch Heather Half-Hose, regular price 40c, 50c. Clearing 3 pairs for 84c.

GLOVES AND MITTS Regular 50c and 75c Mitts. Clearing at 39c. Regular \$1.00 Mitts. Clearing at 59c. Regular \$1.25 Gloves and Mitts, Clearing at 79c. Heavy All-wool Mitts. Special price 19c pair.

SUSPENDERS Men's Suspenders, regular price 35c, 50c. Clearing at 19c per pair.

SWEATERS Good Warm All-wool Coat Sweaters, regular price \$1.00, \$1.25. Clearing at 69c. Men's Coat Wescot Style Sweaters, regular price \$1.50. Clearing at 98c. Stanfield's Extra Heavy All-wool Coat Sweaters, regular price \$3.00. Clearing at \$1.89.

CAPS Our entire stock of Winter Caps at a fraction of their former prices. Regular 50c, 75c kind. At 39c. Regular \$1.00 kind. At 59c. Regular \$1.50 kind. At 79c. A line of Men's Soft Hats, regular price \$1.50 to \$2.50. Clearing at 98c.

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FREE, BOYS, FREE! Regulation Hockey Sticks

WITH \$5.00 CASH SALES \$10.00 to \$15.00 Overcoats for \$7.48 \$16.00 to \$20.00 Overcoats for \$9.98

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Cor. Main and Bridge Sts.

Marmot Furs at Special Prices

Marmot Furs have been splendid sellers with us this year and we are anxious to clear this line out, so we have put the balance of our stoles, ties, throws and muffs at special prices

\$18.50 Stoles. now \$14.50 \$ 8.50 Stoles and Throws. now \$ 6.00 16.50 Stoles. now 12.00 7.50 Stoles and Throws. now 5.00 12.50 Stoles. now 9.00 6.50 Throws. now 5.00 10.50 Stoles. now 7.00 5.00 Throws. now 4.00 \$12.00 Muffs. \$9.00

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