

# REDUCTIONS

## Boys' Lambswool Underwear

- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 3 will fit Boy 6 years, 65c.; now **47c.**
- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 4 will fit Boy 8 years, 75c.; now **56c.**
- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 4 will fit Boy 8 years, 95c.; now **68c.**
- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 5 will fit Boy 10 years, 90c.; now **65c.**
- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 6 will fit Boy 12 years, 90c.; now **65c.**
- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 7 will fit Boy 14 years, 95c.; now **68c.**
- Boys' Lambswool Shirts—Size 8 will fit Boy 16 years, \$1.00; now **68c.**
- Drawers—Knee and Ankle Length to match.**
- Boys' Light Striped Flannel Outside Shirts, collar attached, 50c.; now **34c.**
- Boys' Light Striped Tennis Shirts, collar attached, 50c.; now **39c.**
- Boys' Light Striped Tennis Shirts, collar attached, 60c.; now **45c.**
- Boys' Rubber Fronts, collar attached, 27c.; now **22c.**

**JACKMAN The Tailor,**  
THE MAIL ORDER HOUSE.

### New Curling Rink

Some fifty curriers associated themselves and formed the Newfoundland Curling Rink, Ltd. The President is Mr. W. D. Reid, and the Secretary, Mr. F. Donnelly. A committee of two, consisting of the President and Mr. C. Duder were appointed to arrange for the building of a rink. The rink was begun about the middle of October and to-day the carpenters leave it, and last night the floor was floored for the first time. It is called the Avalon Rink and is situated to the south of the Prince's Rink, with the front door abutting Factory Lane. Its outside dimensions are 178 feet by 55. The big beams across are built of spruce 2 by 9 bolted together by 75 bolts. There is a considerable number of bolts in the building, \$190 having been spent on them. Inside there are four curling rinks, and two waiting rooms, one for ladies, one for gentlemen, with lockers and lavatory accommodations. The rinks are lit by incandescent lamps, no arc lamps being in use in the building. Over each tee in each rink is suspended a bunch of 50 candle power lamps. There is a locker for each member of the curling clubs, large enough to take a pair of stones and a broom. Altogether there are 146 curlers in the two gentlemen's clubs, the Mic Mac and the Terra Nova's, and 25 members in the Ladies' Club.

With a new rink, with a large and enthusiastic body of curriers, it is evident the "roaring" game is on the eve of taking on a new spin of vigorous life.

**HERRING.**—On sale 20 barrels bright, large No. 1 Herring. At LAR-ACY'S, 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office.—Jan. 3.

### Christian Brothers' Collection.

- The following are additional contributions to the Christian Brothers Annual Collection:—
- James Bindon . . . . . \$5.00
  - James Spratt . . . . . 5.00
  - Magistrate McDonnell, Bay St. George . . . . . 5.00
  - James Norris, Three Arms . . . . . 5.00
  - Inspector O'Reilly, I.S.O. . . . . 4.00
  - Bert O'Reilly . . . . . 1.00

### The Beverage for all Weathers.

## EPPS'S COCOA

A delicious food and drink in one.

A Cup of "Epps's" at breakfast warms and sustains you for hours. As a supper beverage it is perfect.

"Epps's" makes GRATEFUL COFFEEING

### Thanks From Olsen.

Dear Sir,—I received this morning a cable from England advising me that the wrestling championships had been definitely fixed for January 24th. As the direct sailings from here would not permit me to reach the other side in ample time to take part in the contests, I am obliged to leave this evening for Halifax, from which place I go to England by the S. S. Grampan sailing from Halifax on the 10th instant. I shall thus not be in a position to consider further about another match in this city, and so for the present will only wish my friend Otto a very happy New Year and every success in the future.

I would not like to leave the city, however, without thanking very much indeed all those who have been so kind to me. I never expect to meet people who could do more to make things pleasant for one who a few months ago came here an almost stranger. I, particular I am obliged to the members of the Avalon Athletic Club for their great assistance in every way, and to the Captain of that body and those other individual members who have been particularly anxious to make my stay enjoyable I am especially indebted. I have only to say to them that I am pleased to note that their athletics and gymnastics have improved over fifty per cent. during the past few months, and on my part I shall endeavour to uphold the honour of the club in the Old Country by entering as its representative in the tournament.

I can only hope that I shall have the privilege of being able to claim for Newfoundland the lightweight championship of England, but in any event I shall in the future try to justify the good opinion that the people of St. John's have been good enough to form of me.

With thanks also to the Press for uniform courtesy, and with every good wish to the athletes of the city.

Yours very truly,  
YOUNG OLSEN.

### Here and There.

**CHORAL SOCIETY.**—The first full rehearsal of the Choral Society will take place this evening in the Presbyterian Hall. A public concert will be given about the last of January.

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Wm. L. Cook, brother of Frederick A. Cook, detained to-day that Mrs. Cook had joined her husband and that he was in communication with them. Mrs. Cook is believed to have the explorer's original records of his North Pole quest in her possession. Dr. Cook has by no means abandoned his intentions to prove despite the verdict of the Copenhagen University that he reached the North Pole, and said his brother, his detractors will have a pretty bill to pay. The talk that Mrs. Cook is estranged from the doctor and that she contemplates a suit for separation with alimony is unwarranted. Mrs. Cook is standing by her husband, and will continue to do so for the future.

### Ban Removed.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
DUBLIN, Jan. 3.  
There is much interest here in the announcement of the removal of the ban against the Ancient Order of Hibernians in Scotland. Hitherto Catholics in Scotland were forbidden to join the Order. The effect of the removal of the ban will be to strengthen the Order in Ireland.

### Hewlett's Effusion.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
LONDON, Jan. 2.  
Maurice Henry Hewlett, the novelist, has entered the election fight with the two-column manifesto addressed to the workmen of England in which, describing himself, as one of yourself, gaining my living by the work of my head and hands. He reminds the workers that they form the overwhelming majority of the electors and gain everything they want by two strokes of the pencil in the polling booth. He then proceeds to declare that he belongs to no party, but intends to vote for a Liberal or Laborite, because, first, the House of Lords is a preposterous assembly, which has become dangerous to the State and must be abolished, in favor of an election body; second, because Tariff Reform is the hopeless policy of reaction, whose advocacy by the Conservatives is due to sentimentalism and vile self interest in equal parts.

### Grand Duke's Funeral.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 3.  
In the face of a rain and snow storm to-day Emperor Nicholas followed on foot the body of his grand uncle, Grand Duke Michael, as it was borne from the railway station, a distance of three miles, to the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul. The route of march was lined on either side by a wall of troops, which ensured the Emperor's safety from the terrorists, but the greater danger from the elements he made no attempt to avoid. When he arrived at the Cathedral within the fortress the Emperor and other members of the royalty who accompanied him were drenched to the skin. Fear was expressed that His Majesty might suffer an attack of pneumonia as a consequence of his exposure, and the Requiem Mass was delayed for an hour to permit of a complete change of clothing. The body of the Grand Duke was received at the railroad station from Cannes, France, where he died on December 18th.

### Race Riot in Havana.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
HAVANA, Jan. 3.  
Strong race feeling has been engendered by the trouble which arose last night at the Hotel Plaza and American House over the refusal of the bartender to serve drinks to two negro Congress men. This resulted in a riot, in which no one was seriously injured. To-day the clerk of the hotel was arraigned in the Correctional Court and fined seventy dollars. An enormous crowd of negroes attended the court session and demanded exemplary punishment on account of the insult to the colored race. Senor Morua Delgado, President of the Senate, and leader of the negro element, conducted the prosecution and insisted upon the extreme penalty, which is a fine of one thousand dollars and six months in jail. The decision of the Court to inflict a minor penalty was greeted with strong expressions of disapproval. The incident has caused much excitement and there are fears of a serious race clash.

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# INVICTUS

## "DRY SOX"

# SHOES

TRADE MARK

SEE THAT "DRY SOX" IS ON THE SHANK

### KEEP YOUR FEET DRY

We would like to impress upon men whose work compels them to be out in all kinds of weather, or men, who from one cause and another object to wearing rubbers, the almost absolute necessity of wearing DRY-SOX-BOOTS.

THEY ARE AS HANDSOME A BOOT AS CAN BE TURNED OUT.

## Marshall Brothers.

### Sporting Notes.

**17 FOR ENGLISH RUGBY.**  
New York, Dec. 27.—Fifty colleges of approximately eighty-eight in the inter-Collegiate Athletic Association have voted for the retention of the American football game with the elimination of mass plays and other danger plays. This was made known to-night by the executive committee of the association on the eve of the meeting to be held to-morrow.

Five institutions voted that the present game is satisfactory except in minor details, seventeen favoured the English game of Rugby, seven took a midway position between the American game and Rugby and voted that either the American game should be radically changed or Rugby substituted. The executive committee, it was announced, favoured the changes proposed by the athletic committee of West Point, and would so report to the convention to-morrow.

Among the abuses of the game the West Point committee names an "excessive desire to win at any cost, which develops a tendency to semi-professional game; the practice of employing professional coaches not identified with the college and a dependence on preponderant weight and strength instead of mental acuteness and individual skill."

The forward pass and mass attack should be abolished. The forward pass is condemned as extremely dangerous because of the unexpected position of the player during the pass. Dragging and pulling of a fallen player is condemned and penalties are provided for players piling upon a man who has fallen with the ball.

**KETCHELL WITH JOHNSON.**  
Stanley Ketchell has finally tied up with George Little, who has Jack Johnson under his wing. Since the death of William Brit, who was manager of Ketchell when Johnson sent Stanley to the mat, Ketchell has been like a ship without a rudder, but Little has won over the game Michigan and Jack Johnson and Ketchell will now be pugilistic stablemates.

Joe Gans, former lightweight champion, is to be superintendent of Jack Johnson's training camp and chief second in the ring when the champion fights Jeffries.

Owen Moran, the English lightweight, has arrived at New York from England. He predicts Johnson will win the big fight. He says:—"Jeffries has been out of the game for a number of years, and the chances are that he has lost his judgment of distance. And when a man loses that he generally loses it for good."

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### In Defence of Dr. Shea.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir,—Doubtless unintentionally Dr. Keegan in his recent communication to the press has left the impression upon the minds of many that Dr. Shea is responsible for the recent outbreak of diphtheria in the General Hospital. In Dr. Shea's absence I this morning saw the Public Health Officer and gathered from him that there were in his opinion two defects in connection with the institution (1). Owing to constructional faults an absence of proper cross ventilation in the basement. For this Dr. Shea cannot be held responsible, he was not consulted in the matter and the responsibility must rest with the architect, Sir Aston Webb. (2). There was no proper machinery for the disposal of soiled dressings, refuse, etc. During the alterations recently made in the Hospital the refuse-destructor was removed and despite several requisitions to the Board of Works by Dr. Shea it was not replaced, consequently refuse could not be destroyed satisfactorily. I hold that Dr. Shea cannot be held responsible for the consequences resulting from neglect of his requisits.

I am occasionally chaffed by my friends about being the author of the "Observer" letter, and lest Dr. Keegan should be under a similar delusion I beg to state I am not "Observer."

Yours very truly,  
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### "The Young Mrs. Winthrop."

This quiet intense play proved quite a success at the People's Theatre last night. The front seats were particularly well patronized and there was a very good house. The impression made on New Year's Night was deepened, and the Company proved that it is one of the best aggregations of histrionic talent which has visited St. John's for many a long year. In the title-role Miss Julia Morton displayed much power in the emotional scenes. Mr. Steadman also gave a clever presentation of a difficult character. Miss Georgia Griffin also made an excellent showing. Miss Ardis Allworth played the part of a blind girl with much skill. The other parts were all taken commendably. To-night the play will be repeated.

On Wednesday and Thursday "The Wrong Mrs. Jones" will be staged for the first time in the city. It is full of action and humour. It is much akin in fun to Charley's Aunt.

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**WILL TOW SCHOONERS HERE.**—The S. S. Louise will call at Catalina to-day to tow Snelgrove's schooner here. She has a load of fish and oil. They are due this afternoon.

**ON THE CALYPSO.**—There are now about 40 Naval Reservists on the Calypso. Six came in yesterday and five to-day. A few will come along now every day during the month.

Mr. Wm. Murrin, of the Logy Bay Road, had a fine horse perish last night from a diseased hoof which caused blood poisoning. The animal was worth about \$200, and is a great loss to the owner.

**CLARA BELLE SAFE.**—The schr. Clara Belle, that was ashore at Rensselaer, was got off safely again and arrived last Sunday at North Harbor, near Branch, her destination. She was not injured.

**A PROSPECTIVE WEDDING.**—Mr. W. Summers, of Ayre & Sons, will be married next week to Miss Kitty Sinnott, of Placentia. Both are very popular and are receiving numerous congratulations.

**M. C. L. I.—**On Wednesday next, January 5th, the M. C. L. I. will re-open. The English Budget will be discussed. Leaders: C. T. C. Hall and R. F. Horwood; visitors and new members cordially invited.—Jan. 4.

**SCHOONER DAMAGED.**—The schr. Village Belle, belonging to Michael Coady, Bay Bulls, was struck in the quarter by a steam launch yesterday at Bennett's wharf and the stern was knocked off the schooner.

**TEMPERANCE.**—The Week of Prayer Service will be held in the Congregational Church this evening at 8 o'clock. The speaker will be Rev. F. R. Matthews, B. A., who will take as his subject: "Temperance."

**MASONIC DELEGATION.**—A delegation of the city Masons will go to Harbor Grace to-morrow to conduct an installation there. They have engaged a sleeper and a dinner. They will return Thursday night.

**ROOF BLOWN OFF HOUSE.**—The roof blew off Geo. Hiscock's house at Chamberlain's in the storm of last week. The event happened at night when all the family were in bed. They had to hastily don their clothing and take shelter in a neighbor's house.

**COULD NOT LAND COAL.**—The S. S. Ingraham went out to Cape Spear Lighthouse this morning with a supply of coal for the Lighthouse. Owing to the heavy sea running they were unable to meddle with the land and had to return.

**A POOR VAG RANT.**—An old copper named Hennessey is now wandering around the city homeless and friendless. He is a man who has been better days, and his misfortune has caused him to drink. Some person should take up his case so that he might be put in the Poor House, else he may die on the street.

**COAT STOLEN.**—Mr. Frank Rose, of Portugal Cove Road, who attended the Pansy Amusement Club's dance in the British Hall, New Year's Eve night, had his overcoat stolen. He had a cheque or receipt for it from the janitor, and now holds the Club responsible. The matter has been put in the hands of the police.

**GLENCOE'S PASSENGERS.**—The Glencoe left Placentia at 3.40 p.m. yesterday taking A. F. Long, S. Harris, S. Baggis, H. Gover, O. Brown, T. Smith, J. Meadows, S. Hume, J. Inkpen, Miss Vatcher, Mrs. Vatcher, Mrs. Simmonds, L. LeVere, Mr. Hodder, L. Christian, A. Giovannini and 10 in second cabin.

**PERSONAL NOTES.**  
Miss Tizzard, whose name was omitted from the list of passengers yesterday, arrived by the a.s. Prospero, having visited friends at Twillingate.

Mr. L. H. Simmons came in from Colinet to-day.

Mrs. Lee arrived in town from Harbor Grace to-day.

Rev. Fr. Condy arrived in town to-day by train.

**COASTAL BOATS.**  
**REID BOATS.**  
The Argyle arrived at Placentia at 7 p.m. yesterday and sailed to-day for the west.

The Clyde left Lewisport at noon to-day for the north.

The Dundee left Salvage at 12.50 p.m. yesterday coming south.

The Ethlie is at St. John's laid up for the winter.

The Glencoe left Placentia at 3.40 p.m. yesterday.

The Home arrived at Bonne Bay at 3.30 p.m. Sunday from the north.

The Invermore left Port aux Basques at 4.50 a.m. to-day for Sydney.

**PERSONAL NOTES.**  
Whereas information has been received that the North Atlantic Ship Conference intend to increase the west bound freights by an amount of 25 per cent; and Whereas this Colony has long suffered from a heavy discrimination in the rates of freight imposed by regular lines of steamers trading to St. John's; and Whereas any addition to the rates of freight will have the effect of increasing this Colony's trade with the United States to the disadvantage of that with the United Kingdom; Resolved,—That this meeting

**Don't Cough! It's Dangerous.**  
"Father Morrice's No. 10" will cure the Cough and Cure the Cold.

Are you one of those who say, "It's only a little cold," and let the cough hang on, doing nothing for it? If you are, just think a minute. It is true that most colds, if left themselves, will leave you after a while—but they leave you with the delirium of throat and lungs weakened, an easy prey to the next cold. You could you neglect makes it easier to catch the next one, and harder to rid of it, and it doesn't take many colds to give you Catarrh or a serious lung trouble.

"Father Morrice's No. 10"—Cure and Lung Tonic—is a preparation of roots, herbs and essences that prevent all this. It promptly cures away the mucus, removes the irritation and inflammation that causes the coughing, and heals and strengthens delicate membranes. Besides, it cures up the whole system and gives strength to resist the next attack.

Try a bottle, 25c. Regular size, 50c. At your druggist's, or from Father Morrice's Medicine Co., Ltd., Chatham, N.B.

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