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Special Prices

- 350 yards Swiss Embroidery Flouncing for children's dresses, 27 inches wide, regular 65c. quality, half price, 32c. yard.
Cambric and Swiss Embroidery Edgings and Insertions at half price. Edgings and Insertions, regular 10c. goods, for 5c. yard. Edgings and Insertions, regular 15c. goods, for 7c. yard. Edgings and Insertions, regular 20c. goods, for 10c. yard.
Linen Huck Towels, full size, 18x36, special 25c., 29c. and 35c. pair.
Heavy Linen Roller Towels for the kitchen, full size, 2 1/2 yards long, 25c. each.
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Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, seamless make, special 35c. pair, 3 pairs for \$1.00.
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DOWLING BROTHERS 95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S Spring Suits IN ABUNDANCE.

This season we have made special preparation for an extensive business in Tailored Suits and nearly all the suits we have ordered have come in and our Suit department now offers a great display of most striking and well tailored suits and at most economical prices.

At \$12.95, \$13.95 and \$15.95.

We are showing extra special lines. These are wonderful values. Perfectly tailored and very attractive styles. Coat lined with fine quality of silk and satin. These suits are made of a fine quality of Serges, Tweeds, etc. in different colorings.

Other prices from \$10.00 to \$25.00

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. 59 Charlotte Street

Sooner or Later

You are sure to want a new Spring Hat. The sort only to be found in a first class hat store—price, quality and finish right.

Our new hats for men meet every demand of good style. A full line of the snappiest shapes, the taking kind for young men.

J. L. THORNE & CO.

The Centre for Headwear 55 Charlotte Street

HOSIERY FOR ALL THE FAMILY.

There's no need to pay high prices for hosiery in order to get long wear or fine qualities. It's all a matter of where you buy. We call particular attention to our durable school hose for boys and girls, also to our popular price line of cashmere hose and half hose for men and women.

- CHILDREN'S WOOL HOSE (extra strong) special 25c.
CHILDREN'S RIBBED CASHMERE HOSE 22c. to 30c.
CHILDREN'S PLAIN CASHMERE HOSE 22c. to 25c.
WOMEN'S PLAIN CASHMERE HOSE 25c.
WOMEN'S PLAIN CASHMERE HOSE, (special) 35c. pair, or 3 pairs for \$1.00.
WOMEN'S CASHMERE OR LIAMA HOSE .. 50c., 55c. and 60c.
WOMEN'S SILK HOSE (black or tan) 50c. and 60c.
WOMEN'S LISLE HOSE 25c., 35c., 50c.

McCALL'S PATTERNS 10c. and 15c. McMACKIN'S 335 Main Street McCALL'S PATTERNS 10c. and 15c.

HOARSENESS is disagreeable and usually the first sign of a cold. If bothered with hoarseness go to your druggist and purchase a bottle of Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam. Use as directed on label and relief will be quick and permanent. Two Sizes—25c and 50c. Look for Register Number 1295 and our signature on every bottle—no one genuine without them.

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LOCAL NEWS

NO INQUEST. Coroner Berryman has decided not to hold an inquest into the death of Mrs. Margaret Donovan who was found dead in her house in St. Patrick street yesterday.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. Donovan who was found dead in her house in St. Patrick street last night, was held this afternoon. Rev. M. O'Brien officiated and the interment was in the Sand Cove cemetery.

TRAINS LATE. The Atlantic express due at noon today was reported about two hours late. Heavy rains caused by yesterday's storm were partly responsible, and the same was true in the case of the maritime which was reported three hours late at Moncton.

TOO ILL FOR PENITENTIARY. Frank Edworthy, who was sentenced to serve two years in Dorchester for stealing an overcoat, was not taken to Dorchester yesterday on account of his being ill. It is not known when he will be able to stand the journey.

FAIRVILLE CASE. In the Fairville police court this morning Abel LeBlanc was before Magistrate Allingham on a charge of assaulting Fred Landry in a boarding house kept by Joseph Goggin. He was fined \$20 but the fine was allowed to stand on the condition that he keep the peace.

CALLED HOME BY DEATH. Mrs. Frederick Eldrich of Eastport, Me. is visiting in the city having been called here by the sad news that her father, Edward Curran, had passed away this week. She will be joined here tonight or tomorrow by her husband, who is a member of congress at Washington.

BONNY PRINCE IS DEAD. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blomhorn of Macan mourn the loss of their valuable horse "Bonny Prince," which died of distemper. "Bonny Prince" was one of the prize winners at the last Amherst horse show and was undoubtedly one of the most valuable horses in Cumberland County. Mrs. Blomhorn was offered a large sum of money for the horse a short time before he was taken ill.

PRIZE WINNERS AT FAIR. Last evening was the best yet at the Premier Boy's bazaar, their hall, Guilford street, Carleton. There was a large crowd present and the features were well patronized. The prize winners were: George Morrison, door prize; John Pollock, air gun; M. Brown, excelsior; C. Sheldon, bagatelle; Wm. Lingley, men's bean toss; Murray Brown, tennis.

DONATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED. At a meeting of the Ladies' Committee of the Protestant Orphan's Home yesterday afternoon routine matters were considered, and the following donations acknowledged with thanks: Mrs. H. A. Powell, two Union Jacks; Mrs. W. E. Raymond, 21 yards hair ribbon; Mace Bros. toques and caps; Rev. Mr. MacKie, St. David's church, sandwiches, cake, fruit and sugar; Mrs. G. K. McLeod, twelve copies of the Western Messenger; T. H. Estabrooks, half-crate of oranges for sick children; and W. G. Estabrooks, a barrel of apples.

REV. MR. MAHOOD'S RESIGNATION AS PASTOR ACCEPTED

Was Congregational Church Minister Here But Has Been Ill. At the annual meeting of the Congregational church last evening, the resignation of the pastor, Rev. H. S. Mahood, was accepted with keen regret, and the trustees were authorized to endeavor to secure a new incumbent for the office. Mr. Mahood has been ill for several months, and it has been necessary for the church to go outside for supply, and as it was considered that it was very uncertain when he would again be able to assume charge of the pastorate, the communication containing his resignation was accepted. Although several of the members expressed their regret, as Mr. Mahood had been a very popular, efficient and energetic pastor. He has been for some time in Fordwich, Ont., and is now somewhat improved after his illness, although it may be some time before he is fully restored to health.

The reports presented last evening from the various departments were most satisfactory. Elections of officers resulted as follows:—Deacons, G. E. Macmillan, G. H. Flewelling, R. A. Johnston and Mrs. J. W. Flewelling; treasurer, C. E. MacMichael; financial secretary, J. Wade; clerk, J. W. Flewelling. Trustees were selected as follows:—G. E. Macmillan, R. A. Johnston, G. H. Flewelling, J. Wade, S. S. Elliott, James Cunningham, J. W. Flewelling, J. A. Brooks, and Frank Hampton. Mr. Macmillan presided at the meeting, which was very well attended.

LIKELY MORE DREDGES FOR COURTENAY BAY

Those Now on the Work Are Being Made Ready For Resuming Operations. Preparations are being made by the Norton Griffiths Dredging Company for the early commencement of work on the Courtenay Bay contract. The two dredges which were brought here last fall are being overhauled and repaired in readiness for the coming season. It is expected that they will be ready for use in another fortnight or so. Mr. Dineen, manager of the company, is in New York at present, and the work of repairs is being carried on under the direction of the superintendent, E. O. Lacey. It is understood that the company contemplates securing additional dredges this spring in order that no time should be lost on the contract.

WINTERPORT NOTES

Allan liner Pomeranian sailed today for Havre and London via Halifax with a large general cargo. The Manchester Corporation of the Manchester line arrived at Halifax today and will reach this port about the first of next week. Donaldson line steamer Athena will sail from Glasgow tomorrow with a large passenger list. The Donaldson officials expect to have some word by wireless today from the Letitia, bound for St. John.

AT LEAST THREE OF THE LAST YEAR'S MARATHONS EXPECTED HERE AGAIN

Pinkerton, O'Brien and Dutton Likely And Possibly McGovern—Bangor Strong For League

It will be glad news to many admirers in St. John to learn that at least three, and probably more of the players who showed consistently fine form since the Marathons throughout last season, will be seen in the N. B. and Maine circuit again this season, and in the St. John uniforms at that. The three are Hugh Pinkerton, the snappy little second baseman; O'Brien, who played a steady game at third; and Dutton, who seldom let 'em by at first, and there is a strong possibility that Freddie McGovern will also be seen at back-stop. He is under contract with Montreal but the local management have hopes of being able to get him for St. John.

Good Outlook in Bangor. The Bangor Commercial says editorially:—Bangor people who are interested in baseball and there are many, are glad to note that there is every indication that Bangor is to have a ball team the coming summer, and to be a member of a league to consist of Bangor, Calais and St. Stephen and St. John and Fredericton, N. B. The formation of the league is being handled by Frank B. Leonard, manager of the Lynx team, of the New England league, who for many years has been a prominent figure in baseball in the New England states.

Bangor has the reputation of being a good baseball town, and will give good support to a team of clean and active players who take a fair standing in the league. Such has proven the case in the past and will in the future. It is true that there have been years when the city has had baseball teams that have not been very successful, but rightly handled there is no reason why a team in such a league as proposed should not finish the season with flying colors. It is necessary that the salaries paid shall not be too prodigal and that the league be composed of cities that will stay in and not drop out one after another as was the case in recent Maine leagues. The New Brunswick cities that have supported ball teams for years, and Bangor fans will remember the rivalry that existed twenty years ago when Bangor and St. John met frequently on the diamond.

GOES ABOUT 'KILLING' TIME IN STRENUOUS WAY ON WEST SIDE

Revolver Shots at Clock and Ceiling in Hotel in Early Morning

The case of a man trying to kill time was averted in the police court this morning when John McLean, who was arrested this morning about two o'clock for raising a disturbance in the Western Hotel, Carleton, was before the court. John Connors, a clerk in the C. P. R. office on the west side of the city, testified that he boarded at the Western House and that the prisoner came to his room about one o'clock this morning and fired a shot from a revolver through an alarm clock which was on his trunk. The prisoner then went to his room and he afterwards heard three shots upstairs which caused an uproar in the house. The three bullets landed in the ceiling near the defendant's room.

Henry Gaville, another employe of the C. P. R., said that McLean had roomed with him in the Western House since some time in December and he had always known him to be a very quiet and good-natured man. The witness was working last night until eleven o'clock and went to his room and retired soon after. About twelve o'clock McLean went to his room and awakened him. The witness spoke to him and put his hand in his pocket and, knowing that he had a revolver, the witness put his head under the clothes and McLean let the witness know that he was there. The witness then dressed and went to No. 6 shed, intending to spend the night there. Thinking that all might be quiet in the house, he returned about one o'clock and went into Connors' room. While there he heard three shots and on going upstairs found that most of the people in the house were up and trying to quiet McLean.

A. Williams, son of the proprietor of the house, testified that he went upstairs soon after the commotion started and someone told him that McLean had fired a revolver. He always knew the defendant to be quiet but he heard some of the people say that he had been drinking last night. He saw Volcent Lee come into the house and search for the revolver. It was found in the mattress of the prisoner's bed. The prisoner was remanded. John Jeffries, charged with stealing an overcoat from a boarding house at 30 Charlotte street, was brought into court and further remanded. Detective Killen told of being called to the boarding house and being told that a coat was stolen. He went to Williams' second-hand store in Dock street and procured the overcoat which was identified by the owner's cousin. He took the clerk, who was in the store when the coat was sold, to 30 Charlotte street where the clerk identified the prisoner as the man who sold the coat. Two men were arrested on drunkenness charges were remanded.

Ernest Connell, charged with being drunk and assaulting a boy named Hammond, was also remanded.

TWO RESIDENCES SOLD

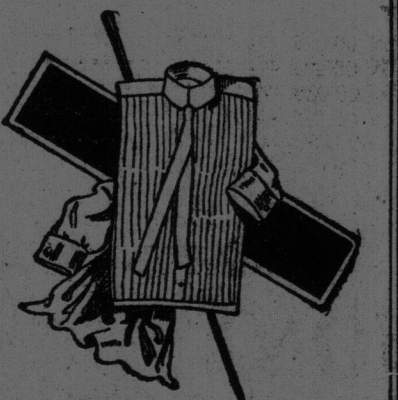
Charlotte Street and St. James Street The Locations

One of the most noticeable features of real estate activity during the last couple of months is the large number of private dwellings which are changing hands. There has been a steady demand for property of this kind, and there have not been enough properties on the market to meet the demand. No better evidence of the substantial nature of the progress which the city is making could be given. Two sales of properties of this kind are reported today by Taylor & Sweeney. One is the freehold property 227 and 229 Charles street, with lot 2869 feet and double tenement dwelling fitted with hot water heating and other modern improvements. This was sold by Wm. Levis to Mary Quinn. The other is a freehold, 40 by 130 with double tenement house, 103 St. James street, which has been purchased by Herbert H. Butler from John Wilson.

Store closes at 6 p. m.

Hagen Shirts FOR MEN WHO KNOW WHAT'S WHAT

We are displaying an excellent range of these Shirts for spring in a great variety of beautiful patterns and designs. Exclusiveness is written all over our assortment of Negligee Shirts. You pick from our stock and get what you don't see in every store about town, as we handle the product of manufacturers noted for perfect workmanship and exclusiveness of fabric and design. If you have a Negligee Shirt, want we can satisfy it.



Hagen Shirts priced at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 'TAKE A LOOK' H. N. DeMILLE & CO. 199 to 201 Union street Opera House block

FOR MEN Slater Shoe FOR WOMEN \$4.00 \$5.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00

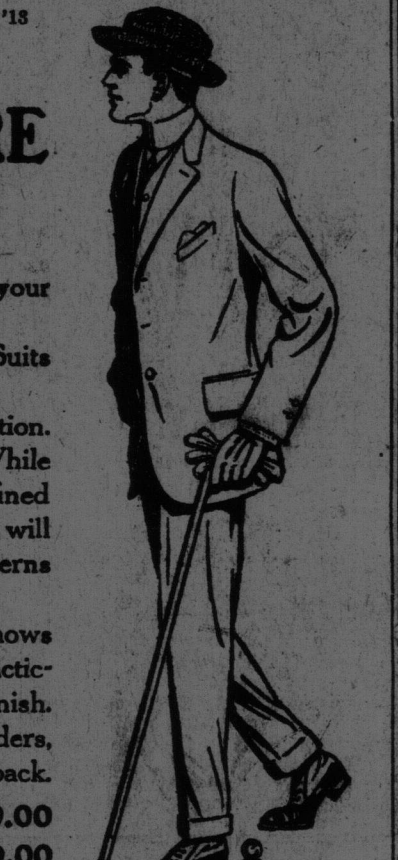
If you want the shoe that will give you comfort, the shoe that fits the highest and best in footwear fashion, get the Slater Shoe—A Canadian product acknowledged by everybody to be the world's best. We do not ask you to pay big, fancy prices for them but you get them at a "factory to wearer" price that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

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MARCH 7, '13

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of all Persian Lamb Ties, Scarfs and Muffs now in stock. We have only a few of these in stock and the prices have been cut so that they will be bought up quickly.

- \$2.00 for \$4.50 Ties
\$3.00 for \$7.50 Ties
\$6.00 for \$10.00 Ties
\$10.00 for \$15.00 Ties
\$15.00 for \$20.00 Ties
\$18.00 for \$25.00 Muffs
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