

DOWLING BROS.
The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.
A Notable Disposal
—OF—
New Spring Coats

We think we're right in saying that our stock of Ladies' Coats is well known to be the most extensive in the Maritime Provinces every season, and this season is no exception. Never had we so many spring garments, and never such notable bargains as now. Although the season for wearing them has only just opened, the price cutting has been radical all through the department, and St. John ladies are now offered smart, nobby Coats and Jackets with graceful cut and beautifully tailored, at prices never looked for except at the very end of the season.

All Kinds of Spring Coats for Ladies, Maids and Children Almost at Your Own Price

DOWLING BROTHERS,
95 and 101 King Street.

NATURE SHAPED
Patent Leather
BOOTS and SLIPPERS
—FOR—
YOUNG GIRLS

Children's feet grow fast, and there is always danger of distorted feet from ill-fitting shoes. A young girl's foot needs more attention than your own. We are now showing a beautiful line of Patent Leather Laced Boots and the New Style Ankle Strap Street Slipper.

Boots 11 to 2, \$3.00
Slippers 11 to 2, \$2.00
WATERBURY
RISING
KING ST. UNION ST.

For the 24th.

We are showing an aggregation of novelties for the holiday, practically unlimited in range and variety, and combining the vital features of high class style and quality with genuine price cheapness.

FOR THE LADIES.
WHITE LAIN WAISTS 60c. to \$2.25.
LUSTRE WAISTS, \$1.10 to \$1.85.
FANCY CAMBRIC WAISTS, 50c. to 75c.
SKIRTS, Black, Navy, Browns and Greys, \$2.20 to \$4.25.
STOCK COLLARS, 25c. to 50c.
SILK BELTS, 25c. to 50c.
LEATHER BELTS, 25c. to 50c.
SILK AND LISLE GLOVES, 25c., 35c., 45c., 50c.
ELBOW GLOVES, 50c. to \$1.25.
KID GLOVES, 75c., \$1.10, \$1.25.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.
MEN'S PANTS, \$1.45 to \$3.00 pair.
REGATTA SHIRTS, 50c., 75c., \$1.00.
TIES (all shapes), 25c. and 50c.
SUMMER UNDERWEAR, 35c., 50c., 75c.
BOYS' SUITS, \$2.50 to \$3.75.
BOYS' PANTS, 50c. to 95c.
BOYS' REGATTA SHIRTS, 50c. and 75c.

S. W. McMACKIN,
335 MAIN STREET. 'Phone Main 600.

"Victoria Day"

We have for men, **Outing Hats** in Light Felts, Straws and Linens.
We have for Ladies, **The Pekin Cap.**
We have for Children, everything from **A Silk Bonnet to A Bun.**
One of our **Peter Pan Hats** for 75c is the noblest thing in town. **STRAWS and LINENS**, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. We can suit any child or purse.

AT OUR NEW STAND
ANDERSON & CO., CHARLOTTE ST.

Potatoes
3 Carloads
Choice
Potatoes

F. E. WILLIAMS CO., Ltd
Princess Street.



\$5.00.
BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED.
We Make \$5.00 Gold Crown in the City.
Teeth without Plates \$2.00
Gold Filling from \$1.00
Silver and other Filling from 50c.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain 25c.
Consultation FREE.
THE FAMOUS HALE METHOD.
Boston Dental Parlor.

HOLIDAY MARRED BY SAD DEATH OF GEO. A. BOLTON

He Was Fishing in Lake Latimer With Edward Hipwell When Their Boat Filled and Went Down and Bolton Was Drowned.

The first public holiday of the warm season was marred by the drowning of George A. Bolton, aged 22 years, son of George Bolton, driver of the special delivery for M. R. A. The accident occurred in Lake Latimer yesterday morning, and Edward J. Hipwell, who was with Bolton, had a narrow escape from death.

The two young men had gone out on the lake to fish in a boat that leaked. It filled and sank and Bolton and Hipwell were left struggling in the water. Hipwell is a good swimmer and he assisted his companion to within 10 yards of the shore and then Bolton's hold relaxed on his shoulder, and he sank before Hipwell could assist him. Hipwell lost his presence of mind and, unable to struggle further, was dragged to the shore.

Hipwell, who is 10 years old, said last night that he and his companion left the city yesterday night to fish the eastern lakes. They tried during the night, but being unsuccessful, they went to Lake Latimer, reaching there about four o'clock yesterday morning. They went to a camp and shortly before ten o'clock put out in a boat which leaked, but the young men felt that they could bail her out easily. Opposite the water pipe line they put down the anchor and immediately the water began to pour in. They pulled in the anchor quickly, but had hardly taken a stroke when the boat began to sink. Both were encumbered with heavy clothing and Bolton at once could swim only a couple of strokes. Hipwell said: "I called out for Bolton to hold on to the boat while I got him an oar," continued the survivor, "but he appeared to have lost his head and was striking out and kicking. I could have swum out quite easily myself," said Hipwell, "but as I knew he could not swim I called out for him to hold on to my shoulders and he placed his hands there. We had reached about twelve yards from the landing when all of a sudden I felt his hands slip off. I turned around and was just in time to see him sink and disappear."

Mr. Hipwell added that this last event was too much for him and he lost his head.

"It is my strength give way," he said, "and went under. I have a dim recollection of some one wading out from the shore and thrusting out a stick, calling for me to grasp it but I was so unnerved and weakened that I had not sufficient control to do so and it was only while splashing around that my head rested on the piece of wood and by this means I was dragged ashore."

Hipwell was taken to Mrs. Mary Ann McManis' residence on the Hickey road and restoratives applied and after recovering was taken to his home, 55 Esmouth street.

At the time of the drowning a boat was on the lake and another on the shore. The boat pulled for the men, and Mr. Carpenter, driver for M. R. A., was the one who hauled Hipwell to the shore by means of a stick.

About noon word reached the city of the accident and Mr. Barnaby and others of the M. R. A. firm went out to the lake, and finally John Fitzgerald recovered the body at three o'clock. It was placed in the camp where it was viewed by Coronor Berryman. Then the remains were brought to the saddened home by Underaker Chamberlain.

The victim of the accident was employed as a salesman in M. R. A.'s, as is also Hipwell, and the deceased had made many friends by his genial ways. He was the eldest of his family, and is survived by his parents, one brother, Harry, and three sisters, Annie, May, Margaret, and Lydia Beatrice. The family live on Peters street and will have the sympathy of the community in their affliction. The funeral will be held Sunday.

Coroner Berryman has decided that an inquest is unnecessary.

THE WEATHER

Forecast: Today, wind north, fine; for tomorrow, rise and cool.

TODAY'S ATTRACTIONS

THIS AFTERNOON.
Kirk Brown Co. in "The Man Who Dared," at the Opera House.
Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel.
Victor Roller Rink.
Queen's Rollaway.
THIS EVENING.
Every Day Club.
Kirk Brown Co. at the Opera House, in "David Garrick."
Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel.
City Cornet Band musicale and fair in St. Andrew's Rink.
Victoria Roller Rink, handicap race.
Queen's Rollaway, hand night and race.
St. Peter's vs. St. Rose's, baseball on Shamrock grounds.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Advertising for Saturday's Issue During the Summer Months Must Reach this Office Before 6 O'clock Friday Afternoon. Positively no Changes Can be Handled if Held Back Until Saturday Morning.

LATE LOCALS

The grain commissioners are inspecting the C. P. R. and I. C. R. grain elevators today and will leave tonight for Halifax.

The latest victim of the dog poisoner was the valuable collie owned by William McLean, principal of Aberdeen school, which died yesterday.

The British schooner Wm. L. Eliak, Captain D. Dis, arrived yesterday from New York with a cargo of coal for Fredericton.

W. E. Raymond, George Blake, and Edwin J. Everett are expected home today. They have been attending the convention of Mystic Shriners at Los Angeles, Cal.

Members of the Portland Methodist choir will give the major portion of the sacred concert in the Every Day Club hall tomorrow evening at 8.30. E. W. Appleby will also sing.

The St. John schooner Ravola, Captain Finlay, arrived at St. Martins, N. B., last Wednesday from Bridgeport, Conn., to load lumber for a return trip to United States.

Miss Birdie Tufts has completed her course in training at the Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, having been one of the leaders of her class, which graduated May 7.

The seamen employed by the different lumber firms have gone on strike. They ask for an increase of fifty cents a day. The present rate of pay is \$2.50 and they are demanding \$3. The lumbermen refuse to accede to the request, just at present they say there is not much doing.

A watering cart was on Douglas avenue yesterday. This thoroughfare is traversed more on holidays and Sundays than perhaps any other in the city, and should be sprinkled regularly. It has been suggested that an electric sprinkler on the unpaved streets traversed by street cars would solve a very pressing problem.

Thomas J. Griffiths, of Montreal, secretary-treasurer of the National Trades and Labor Congress of Canada arrived in the city yesterday. He is here to talk over matters in connection with the next convention which will be held in Glace Bay (C. B.) Speaking of the Lemieux Act, Mr. Griffiths says that if it fulfills the hopes of its framers, a death blow will be struck to international labor organizations, as one of the main contentions in defense of the latter was the assistance they provided in the shape of "strike allowances." It will also do away with the necessity of long strikes, as the men can place their demands before the department of labor and have them adjudicated upon without delay.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Great Fire Sale for Cash

Monday Morning, May 27th

The largest stock of damaged goods ever offered in this city at the greatest bargain prices. The whole stock must be sold regardless of price. The stock is so large that we can see only one way to meet the public demand and that is to put only department after department on sale at one time. Announcement for each day see this space.

We shall only place on sale first day, (Monday) NEW NOVI-MODI COSTUMES, CLOTH COATS, TOURIST COATS, RAIN COATS, DRESS SKIRTS in CLOTH, VOIL, LUSTRE, ETC., WHITE EMBROIDERED SHIRT WAISTS, MOIRE, ETE UNDERSKIRTS, and our whole stock of LADIES' WHITE UNDERWEAR, comprising White Skirts, Night Dresses, etc.

Remember the entrance to sale is by Market Street, through alley which is just next Victoria Hotel on King Street or directly by Market Street.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Premium Sale of DRY GOODS

For the Month of May Only.

Corsets Free.

For the balance of this month we will give on all purchases at this store of \$5.00 and over, a pair of P. C. CORSETS FREE. These corsets are made of fine Batiste, steel filled, and nicely trimmed with lace and ribbon. All sizes in the following shapes: Short and Long Waist, Long Hip, and Military Girdle.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 King Street.

BLACK DRESS GOODS

In all the leading weaves and makes suitable for Costumes, House Gowns, Separate Skirts, Shirt-Waist Suits, Blouses, etc.

LUSTRES AND SICILIANS AT 45c., 50c., 60c., 75c., and 90c. yard.
BLACK WOOL POPLINS AT 55c. and \$1.00 yard.
BLACK WOOL AND SILK WARP FLEURETTES FROM 50c. to \$1.75 yard.
SATIN CLOTHS AT 55c. and \$1.00 a yard.
BLACK SERGES 55c., 60c., and 85c.
BLACK VENETIAN AND BROADCLOTHS FROM 60c. to 1.75 yard.
BLACK VOILES, 55c. and 85c. yard.
BLACK SILK BOLLETTES AT \$1.00 and \$1.20 yard.
BLACK FRENCH DELAINES AT 45c. and 75c. yard.

Many other weaves too numerous to mention all are good Blacks with a perfect finish and the best of all a good, bright light to see what you are buying.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27 and 29 Charlotte St.

Sale of Pitchers!

WE WILL SELL DURING THIS WEEK:

60c. Pitchers for 25c.
40c. " " 20c.
30c. " " 15c.

W. H. HAYWARD CO., LIMITED,
85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess St.

FISHING TACKLE,

BEST QUALITY.

Try and save that fish this year by using our tackle.

FORREST
FLIES
ARE SUPERIOR TO ALL OTHERS.

W. H. Thorne & CO., Ltd,
Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Go-Carts and Baby Carriages

Every Style and Quality from the Inexpensive Runabout to large English Perambulators

RECLINING AND FOLDING GO-CARTS AND CARRIAGES, built of selected reeds, hand-woven on firm white maple frames. The gearing and push-rods are steel, nicely enamelled, and the rubber-tired wheels are securely fastened with patent clutch. Each cart and carriage equipped with sure-holding foot-brake, and stop-bar. Handsome designs, including high English perambulator pattern.

Folding Go-Carts, Large Go-Carts, Carriages, and high, spacious Perambulators
In White and in Brown Rattan, with strong spring metal frames
Rubber Tires, patent detachable Wheels; Safety Brake, Stop Bar
New Upholstering, Fine Enamelling and Dainty Umbrellas
Reclining and half-reclining Tops on Go-Carts
Prices Range From \$2.50 to \$36.00
Parents are Invited to Inspect Our Stock
Market Square

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, Ltd.

A BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Isaac Burpee Hostess at a Pleasant Gathering on Thursday.

Probably the most interesting social event of the week was a large bridge whist party given by Mrs. Isaac Burpee at her home, Mount Pleasant on Thursday last. There were ten tables and the prizes were won by Mrs. King, (Fredericton) Mrs. William Hazen and Mrs. Cruikshank.

In the dining room the table decorations consisted of pink carnations and asparagus fern. Mrs. Douglas Hazen presided and was assisted by Miss Grace Skinner, Miss Constance Smith, Miss Leslie Smith and Miss Mary Warner.

Mrs. Burpee was assisted in receiving by Mrs. George K. McLeod and Mrs. Burpee. Among the guests were Mrs. George Keator, Mrs. Malcolm McKay, Mrs. King, (Fredericton), Mrs. William Hazen, Mrs. Cruikshank, Mrs. Freeman Lake, Mrs. Tuck, Miss Tuck, Mrs. Esson, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Douglas, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Miss Tibbels, Miss Kaye, Mrs. Lucius Allison, Mrs. Barclay Robinson, Mrs. L. R. Harrison, Mrs. W. E. Foster, Mrs. K. Keltie Jones, Mrs. Vassie, Miss Kaye, Miss Harrison, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Andrew Jack and Mrs. James Jack.

Miss Kathleen McAvity was hostess at a very delightful outing party at Lakeside, yesterday. Those present were Miss Alice Green, Miss Nettie Bridges, Miss Kathleen Trueman, Miss Jean Trueman, Mrs. Dorey Blizard, Miss Mary MacLaren, Mrs. E. Wilbick, Car. Flood, Reginald Schofield, Dan Skinner, Alban Sturdee, Bernard Miller, Clifford McAvity and Arthur Eastman.

DR. BISHOP ASSAULTED

Well Known Physician Beaten Early Yesterday Morning—Robbery Was the Motive.

Dr. T. E. Bishop of Germain street was attacked and beaten while on the way to attend a patient, between one and two o'clock yesterday morning. He was attacked when on Carmarthen street, near St. Andrews street by a man who leaped from behind, and punching him in the head and face, tried to throw him to the ground. It was only after a severe struggle that the doctor succeeded in beating off his assailant after which he proceeded to his patient.

The police were informed and Sgt. Campbell arrested on suspicious sailor, who gave his name as John Bentley. Bentley says he is an Englishman and came here from Boston on the Prince Rupert, when she came here to take the St. John-Digby route.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Every lady in St. John will read with interest the announcement made by Macaulay Bros. & Co. in their advertisement today in this paper. It is a well known fact that never before has there been so much valuable dry goods damaged by fire and smoke and water placed on sale in this city. And as the firm has decided to turn the whole stock into cash, regardless of price, the greatest bargains ever known will be secured by those who attend the sale. As the stock is very great in size, it will take many days to sell, and only department after department can be cleared at one time. The firm must, therefore, announce from ray to day just what lines will be on sale. Monday they start with great and wonderful reductions on ladies' cloth costumes, short and long jackets, rain-coats, moirette underskirts, white embroidered shirtwaists and their whole stock of fine white underwear, skirts, night dresses, etc.

ANOTHER POSITION.

Miss G. Nellie Daley, of North End, has been placed as assistant bookkeeper with D. Magne's Sons by the Employment Bureau of the Currie Business University.

Miss Gertrude Tufts, who was visiting her aunt, returned to Boston on Tuesday.