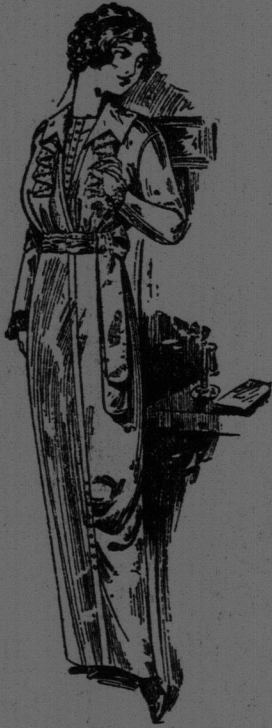


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are placed out on the counter for quick selling at 5 cents a yard. Some in this lot worth 35 cents. Another lot is priced 15 cents. Some in this lot worth as high as 45 cents.

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In black, sizes from 6 to 8 1/2. We bought too many of them. Your opportunity, 19 cents.

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Only one piece remained in a box, and, in order to get rid of the lot, we have placed them altogether on the counter and marked them about half the usual price, from 15 cents to 50 cents each. There are some net Boleros and net fronts in this lot, priced 25, 35 and 50 cents.

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Sizes and styles are here for men, women and children. Most of them are coat style, although a goodly assortment of regular styles are included.

PRICES

Women's Sweater Coats at \$1.75, \$1.85, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$2.95, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75 and \$5.25.
Children's and Misses' Sweater Coats, at 75c, 85c, 95c, \$1.15, \$1.35 and \$1.95.
Men's Sweaters, at 75c to \$2.35
Men's Sweater Coats, at 75c to \$4.50
Men's Fleece-Lined Top Shirts, at 75c
Men's Knit Wool Top Shirts, at 75c
Men's Navy Flannel Top Shirts, at \$1.00
Men's Gray or Navy Flannel Top Shirts, at \$1.00 and \$1.35
Men's Cardigan Jackets, at \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.75 and \$2.75
Teamsters' Coats, at \$2.25 to \$4.00

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main St.

FAIRVILLE BOY MISSING SINCE SUNDAY NIGHT

No Trace of Son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Joyce Can Be Discovered

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Joyce, of Mill street, Fairville, are very much agitated over the disappearance of their son, Samuel Joyce, aged seventeen, who has been missing from home for about a week. He has not been seen since Sunday last, when he left home after having had his supper. Inquiries have been made, but to no avail—there seems to be no person who can tell of having seen him, since Sunday evening.

LOCAL NEWS

SPECIAL TRAINS
Two special passenger trains were taken through the city this morning bound to Halifax, from the steamer Empress of Ireland, from the west. They carried large numbers of passengers.

FORTY BIRTHS DURING WEEK
The births of forty infants, twenty-three boys and seventeen girls, were recorded during the last week. Four marriages were recorded during the same period.

THE SCHOONERS
Schooner A. J. Stirling, lumber laden from Windsor for Boston, came into port this morning for harbor.

Schooner Wanda was reported this morning at Yarmouth on her way from Port Daniel to New York with lumber.

CONSUMPTION CAUSED THREE
The white plague caused the death of three of the seventeen persons who died in the city during the week, according to the board of health returns. The other causes of death were two each for senility, heart disease, chronic endocarditis, and one each for cystitis, gangrene, inanition, pneumonia, aneurism, paraplegia, cerebral hemorrhage, and chronic rheumatism.

FLOUR TAKES TWO JUMPS
Advices have been received this morning stating that the price of Golden's flour has advanced fifteen cents a barrel. This is the second increase during the week, the first being a jump of ten cents.

An advance of 15 cents took place today in Ontario flour, making an increase of twenty-five cents since the first of the week.

A PINE CALENDAR
A handsome and instructive calendar, featuring the holidays and notable days of the year and with a separate three color illustration on each sheet, has been received from the White & Wyoff Manufacturing Company, stationary manufacturers, Holyoke, Mass.

THE OPERA HOUSE
At a meeting of the directors of the Opera House yesterday, John Ross was elected treasurer; H. J. Anderson, secretary; H. L. Sturdee, auditor; and E. H. Duckell, P. G. Brown and E. W. Paul, managing committee. It was decided to install the sprinkler system on the stage.

WEST END BRIDGE PARTY
Mrs. Fred N. Long entertained the West End Younger Set at a very enjoyable "bridge" at her residence on Prince street on Thursday evening in honor of her sister Miss Helen Clark. The fortunate prize winners were Miss Marion Berry and Miss Makenney. After a very enjoyable evening the gathering broke up about two o'clock.

DIED IN MEDFORD, MASS
In Medford on Jan. 6, 1914—Mary beloved wife of Patrick J. Conley, passed away after a week's illness at her home 8 Poole street. The deceased is the daughter of the late James and Margaret Fox of the parish of St. John's, St. John county. She is survived by two daughters and one son. She leaves seven brothers, six of whom live in St. John, and one in Prince Edward Island and a sister, Mrs. William Wilson living in Boston.

FRIGHTENED BY ENGINE
Although numerous complaints have been made through the press and otherwise concerning the standing of engines near the roadside at the Courtenay Bay works the habit seems still to continue. On Thursday evening there came very nearly being a serious accident on the roadway when a horse bolted on becoming frightened at an engine puffing near the road with its headlights flashing out brightly. The horse ran for some distance throwing out the driver and smashing into a fence.

DIED IN DORCHESTER, MASS
Mrs. Bartlett Munde, of West St. John, this morning received a telegram announcing the death of her sister, Miss Martha King, which occurred this morning at six o'clock, at the residence of her brother, Lyman L. King, in Dorchester, Mass. Miss King has been ill about two months and the news of her death will come as a great shock to her friends in the city. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry King, of West St. John, and was well known in that part of the city, being a life-long member of the Ludlow street Baptist church, and also being closely connected with the Hebeke Lodge, I. O. O. F., during her residence there. Miss King is survived by three brothers and one sister. The brothers are—Lyman L. King, of Dorchester; William King, of Sagwa, and J. Harry King, of Arlington Heights, Mass. The sister is Mrs. Munde. The funeral will take place on the arrival of the Boston train Monday morning.

Public subscription is to be opened on January 31 in Paris for \$40,000,000 of four per cent bonds, forming part of an issue of \$900,000,000 for the improvement of the western state railroad system.

SPELLMAN IN FOR ANOTHER WEEK IN JAIL

Again Refuses Evidence in Liquor Case — A Carleton Incident of the Head Tax

After having already spent two weeks in jail for not answering the questions put to him by the court while he was in the witness box, Thomas Spellman was again sent to jail for seven days by Magistrate Ritchie this morning and the case against Cornelius McHugh, charged with having sold liquor to Spellman, a minor, will come up again on next Saturday morning. Spellman was brought up from jail this morning and on being asked if he had ever been in McHugh's bar room, he refused to answer or on the two previous Saturdays when the case came up.

Lorne M. Gordon, arrested last evening when he refused to give his name to Sergeant Finley who warned him that he could not work in the city without a license said that he had come to St. John from the United States, and that the reason he would not give Sergeant Finley any satisfaction was because he did not intend to stay in the city for any length of time. He said he worked for the Met-calf Company and was trying to save enough money to get out of the city. He said he had a wife and child living on the West Side but that his wife was ill. The magistrate told him that he was supposed to pay a working license and that the fine for not paying it was \$10. He was told to go to the chamberlain's office to see what arrangements he could make.

OFFICIAL STENOGRAPHER

Thomas McCullough Appointed For St. John, Kings and Albert County Courts

Thomas McCullough is receiving congratulations upon his appointment as official stenographer for the county courts of St. John, Kings and Albert. Although the act providing for the appointment of stenographers for the county courts went into effect some time ago all the courts have not yet been supplied owing to the difficulty experienced in securing stenographers with qualifications high enough to meet the severe tests imposed in the examinations. Mr. McCullough's wide experience in all classes of stenographic work will make him a valuable acquisition to the court staff.

HELPED TO GOOD CHEER OF THE KINDERGARTEN KIDDIES

The Free Kindergarten Committee wish to thank all those who, last year as in the past showed such good will when Christmas cheer was solicited for the children of their schools. The children look forward to this treat with much eagerness. We often wish the donors could see the faces of the children on the morning of Christmas for Christmas holidays. The exclamations, the joy beaming from bright eyes would surely convince all that "it is more blessed to give than receive."

The following is but a partial list of those who contributed, as many wished their names withheld.

Underthings, mittens, stockings, dolls, mouth-organs, biscuits, candy, fruit, toys, came from St. Andrew's Church Guild per Mrs. McLellan, St. Andrew's Benevolent Society, Circle of Mrs. D. McLellan's Guild, St. Andrew's Infant Class, Daughters of the Empire, Willing Workers' German Street Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Raymond, Miss McAvity, Miss Page, Eleanor Cline, Kathleen Skelton, Audrey Rankine, Jess and Constance McKinney, Eva Groat, Mrs. Rankine, Mrs. Stetson, Mrs. Golding, Mrs. D. Suley, Mrs. J. J. Seely, Mrs. Robert Thomson, Mrs. Vassie, Mrs. A. E. Trentowsky, Mrs. Calhoun, Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Elkin, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. White, Mrs. C. H. Smith, Mrs. R. Maxwell, Mrs. E. A. Ellis, Mrs. A. S. Willett, Mrs. H. Miller, Mrs. M. M. Woodman, Mrs. L. R. Morton, Mrs. Louis Green, Mrs. E. Lamont, Mrs. Rising, Miss Isaac, Miss Kimball, Miss Weldon, Miss Phillips, Miss Parks, Miss I. Estabrooks, Miss Harrison, Miss Flagg, Miss Barnes, Miss Pitt, Miss G. McDiarmid, Miss Heaton, Miss Robinson, Ladies from Home of Aged, Messrs M. McAvity, Shillington, Burgess, Goodwin, Estabrooks, W. Hayes, A. Florne, F. Gregory, F. Roache, T. H. Estabrooks, W. Rising, A. Tufts, Mrs. Warlock, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Cooke, Mrs. Dooey, Mrs. Estabrooks, Mrs. W. P. Miles, Mrs. L. W. Simms, Mrs. T. S. Simms, Mrs. M. P. Edwards, Mrs. F. Smith, Miss Rahaine, Miss Scrimby, Miss Roach, Miss Curren, Miss Wisely, Miss K. McKinnon, Miss Murray, Miss Harding, Girls of Sussex Grammar School, Infant Class of Trinity Sunday School.

PLAN FOR NEW THEATRE

House To Seat 2,300 People is Project Now Taken Up

Plans are said to be under way for the erection of a handsome new theatre in a central part of the city by local men aided by outside capital. It is expected that the deal will be successfully put through, although the capital has not yet been fully subscribed. The plans call for a seating capacity of some 2,300 and the intention is to have the house thoroughly modern in every respect, involving a very heavy outlay of money. Although not fully determined upon, it is said that the policy of the house would be largely vaudeville and motion pictures, but provision would be made for other theatrical enterprises as well.

PRESENTATION TO WILLIAM MCGORMAN

At the Union Mission, Paradise row, a joint meeting of the Abolition Brotherhood and Good Cheer Club was held last evening. A pleasing programme was rendered and the chairman, Mr. Rogers, presented to William McGorman, the founder and leader of the work, on behalf of the Abolition Brotherhood and Good Cheer Club, a beautiful Bible which was very much appreciated by the recipient. Mr. McGorman spoke a few words of appreciation and help and prayed God's blessing upon the members of both clubs.

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Men's Regular 20c. Wool Sox... Now 14c. pair
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Men's Regular \$1.25 Mocha Gloves, Now \$1.48 pair
Men's Regular \$1.50 Lined Cape Gloves, Now \$1.17 pair
Men's Regular \$1.00 Mocha Gloves, Now 79c. pair
Men's Regular \$1.00 Mocha Gloves, Now 97c. pair
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January 10, 1914.

THE GREATEST SALE

Of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings in Twenty-five Years Begins Today

This morning in commemoration of the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of the founding of Oak Hall we throw open our great Winter stocks of fine Clothing and Furnishings at price reductions that sacrifice every cent of our profit.

This is everybody's store, catering to no particular class, but to every class, to every man of any age, size, proportions or individual tastes or needs, of any limit or extent of purse.

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As our stock of Persian Lamb Furs and Coats is larger than usual at this time of year we must lower it at once. Now, to do this we must make prices worth while taking advantage of, so here they are:

TIES AND SCARFS		MUFFS	
\$13.50	Were \$18.00	\$18.75	Were \$25.00
15.00	Were 20.00	22.50	Were 30.00
30.00	Were 40.00	28.25	Were 35.00
37.50	Were 50.00	30.00	Were 40.00
56.25	Were 75.00	33.75	Were 45.00
75.00	Were 90.00	37.50	Were 50.00

COATS	
36 Bust, 43 Inches Long \$318.00	Was \$425.00
38 Bust, 46 Inches Long 300.00	Was 400.00
38 Bust, 45 Inches Long \$282.50	Was \$350.00
40 Bust, 45 Inches Long \$281.00	Was \$375.00
36 Bust, 48 Inches Long 281.25	Was 375.00

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