

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Skirts and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Great Clearance Sale In Women's Apparel

There are big opportunities for saving during this month at this store. Coats, Waists and Dresses in the most attractive styles at about half-price.

\$8.50 Lingerie Dresses, for \$4.90
 \$6.00 Muslin Dresses, for \$3.50
 \$6.80 Tub Dresses, for \$3.50

All sizes in the above from 32 to 46.
 \$5.00 Maids' White Dresses, for \$2.50
 \$4.50 Maids' Polka Dresses, for \$2.25

In sizes 14, 16, 18 and 20 years.

DOWLING BROS.
 95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S

Those skirts which are on display in one of our windows are the

Greatest Wash Skirt Bargain OF THE SEASON

\$1.19 for a nice Indian Head Skirt in white, natural, stripes and shepherd's check, made with pearl front, flying panel back, trimmed with large pearl buttons. Fits just as well as if it cost three times as much and looks just as well as many that cost twice the price of these. All sizes.

Also a huge lot of

Colored Wash Underskirts

made from American Percale and American Chambray. The Percale ones are priced 60 CENTS and the Chambray ones are priced 75 CENTS

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
 59 Charlotte Street

Snappy Styles in Men's Straws

This season we are showing the largest, most complete, most varied line of Men's Straw Hats we have ever offered, including all the latest brims and most fashionable shapes, among the more popular being the Soft Straw Yachter with snap brim, which can be easily turned down in front back or sides, also the more dressy Boater model with firm, straight brim. In either of these styles.

Prices Range From 75c to \$3.00 Each

J. L. THORNE & CO., The Centre For Seasonable Headwear
 58 CHARLOTTE STREET

OUR CORSET DEPARTMENT IS PROUD OF ITS SELECTION OF

High Grade Corsets at One Dollar

We are Showing many D & A Lines which meet the requirements of STYLE, COMFORT AND ECONOMY.

Other D & A Lines at 50c., 75c., \$1.25, \$1.50
 Childrens Corset Waists 25c., 40c., 45c., 50c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

Another Great Bargain Sale In

Slightly Used Pianos and Organs

1 Nice Upright Piano, medium size, 7 octave, rosewood case, good tone, beautiful piano for a child to practice on — original price \$375.00—now \$75.00—terms \$10 down and \$6 per month.

Also a number of slightly used Organs while they last from \$25.00 up on very easy terms. Call and examine the instruments and be convinced that they are the best values ever offered in St. John.

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co.
 53 Germain Street
 Royal Hotel Block - ST. JOHN, N. B.

YACHTS AWAY ON ANNUAL CRUISE OF RIVER TOMORROW

Some of The Fleet and Those Who Will Be on Board For Outing

For the annual river cruise of the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club this year, starting tomorrow afternoon from the headquarters at Millidgeville arrangements are about completed. Fine weather is practically the only essential now required for a successful and enjoyable cruise. The fleet will lift anchor at Millidgeville tomorrow afternoon and make for Bellefleur Point to spend the evening before proceeding further up the river as already detailed in the Times.

Among the many interesting features in the programme for the outing is an illuminated parade which will take place some evening next week and there is also being arranged a ball game for Wednesday at Robertson's Point which gives promise of being an exciting and stellar event. Some of the yachtsmen played ball many years ago when they were young, and there are others who think themselves fairly speedy on the diamond, so with these and others who have played pingpong in their time and several dark horses among the young hopefuls the match should be historic in the annals of baseball. Professor Holder's orchestra will furnish music and a portable grand stand is being taken along for big league counts whose intended presence is suspected.

The following is a partial list of the yachts to start with the command "all aboard for Happy Days" is given tomorrow.

Winnegone—Howard Holder and Leonard, Oscar, and Harry Heare.
 Ives—W. Logan, Ira Scott, Robert Logan and Master Dinning.
 Amigo—Andrew Burns and J. E. Murray.
 Koonick—J. H. Barton.
 Valbonde—Doctor Merrill, Roy Crawford, P. Howard, H. Brown and A. E. Everett.
 Armorer—Ralph and Ed. Bonell, Fred Morrow, W. Reising and H. Vaughan.
 Zentich—J. F. Gregory, Mrs. Gregory, and party.
 Wanderer—Doctor H. C. Westmore, and Messrs H. H. Westmore, R. T. and F. H. Westmore.
 Mowgli—E. Whelpley, T. W. Perry and Geo. Shaw.
 Peena—F. Fleming and party.
 Canada—Fred Heare, George Roberts and others.
 Bonnell—Messrs Gandy and Allison.
 Robin Hood—T. T. Lantaul, E. N. Harrington and J. T. Logan.
 Privater—Eric Burton, Kenneth Golding and Louis Burton.
 Garand—James Harnes, George Armstrong, and W. Walker.
 Valkyrie—E. B. Bustin, Howard Bustin and Master Fleet.
 Smoke—Ralph Fowler and party.
 Jen Eye—B. Cooper and T. Coram.
 Edith—Fred Lawson and party.
 Thistle—J. D. Sparrs and H. Sparrs.
 Louvina—John Kimball, F. Likely and others.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the cruise is composed of J. E. Gregory, H. Holder, H. Brown, H. C. Westmore, Harold Allison, John Kimball, John Frosham, B. Fisher, Walter Logan, Kenneth Golding and Isaac Murray.

ST. JOHN EXHIBITION OUTLOOK GIVES EARLY PROMISE OF SUCCESS

Some of The Features—The Dining Room—A Large Cattle Show Expected

After some years of independent action, the Maritime provincial exhibition executives have at last commenced to cooperate in the matter of exhibits, particularly in the stock departments. This fact will be demonstrated this fall, when some of the most important breeders will "circumvent" their animals, at St. John, Halifax, Sydney and Charlottetown. The dates of the Greater St. John Exhibition are August 21 to September 7; the Halifax show September 12 to 19; Charlottetown September 24 to 27, and Sydney later.

This string of eastern shows makes it possible for owners of large herds in distant sections to transport their cattle without expensive lay-offs and as the prize lists at each of these fairs are quite generous this year, doubtless breeders are being inspired from a monetary standpoint. At least one thing is practically assured and that is that the Greater St. John Exhibition is to enjoy some magnificent displays of live stock in its modern new sheds.

At the Dominion exhibition in 1910, one of the distinguishing features of excellence was the Women's Department under the supervision of the Local Council of Women. The art gallery, fancy and plain needle work displays, tea rooms, etc., proved to be a most attractive section in the new wing. This year the Local Council of Women will again have supervision, looking after the displays of needle work, homemade goods and so forth, and will also superintend the general arrangements. The department as a whole will come under the management of the central executive of the Exhibition Association.

The tea room, conducted last exhibition by the Local Council of Women, has been included among the privileges which are purchased outright, and it will be good news for the public at large to know that the energetic executives of four prominent charitable organizations have joined forces in preparing to conduct this refreshment department on lines which should prove a delight to everybody. The profits from the tea room will be devoted to charity.

The large dining room at the exhibition buildings, which for several years has been a fruitful source of comment good, bad and indifferent, is being conducted this year on an entirely new basis. The concession price has been reduced to a figure that will insure a profit. Two local men who have secured the privilege, are under a binding guarantee to make the dining-room perfectly satisfactory to the central executive.

LOCAL NEWS

SUSSEX PAY CHECKS ARRIVE
 Number 1 Company Band St. John Posters, (Captain Peters), will pay Sussex Camp pay tonight at drill shed at half past seven o'clock.

BAND CONCERT
 The City Band gave an excellent concert on King Square last evening and it was enjoyed by large crowds. The programme, given under the direction of Bandmaster Waddington, included a cornet solo played by D. J. Gallagher in even better manner than usual. There was a captivating selection of Irish airs besides operatic and other numbers.

CANDY-PULL
 A most enjoyable time was spent last evening at Marlinton on the grounds of the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller when about thirty young people gathered and conducted an old time "candy-pull." The event was a source of much pleasure to all, and afterwards a pleasing programme of dances was successfully carried out.

ACCIDENT
 Thomas Leitch, who, according to his story, was formerly a barrister in Winnipeg, but who is in reduced circumstances was painfully injured last night while trying to jump off the east bound Boston train near Westfield. He was caught between two cars and had his leg badly crushed. He was seen by the engineer who gave him assistance by hoisting and conveyed the man to the city where he could receive medical attention.

AT EAST ST. JOHN
 Residents of East St. John and vicinity were entertained at a social last night by the members of the East St. John Protestant Sunday school. During the evening an excellent musical and literary programme was carried out. Among those taking part were members of the Norton Griffiths Company staff and also several members of the Courtenay Bay Construction Company staff. Refreshments were served by the young ladies of the school.

DIED IN NEW YORK
 Word reached the city today telling of the death of a former St. John man in New York, Charles Hamlin, who was well known here a few years ago. He died on July 16 in King's County Hospital, Brooklyn. No further particulars were received. Miss Emma Hamlin of Wall street is a sister, and the late Ross Hamlin, who was a member of the Post Office staff, was a brother. The body is expected to be brought here for burial tomorrow.

P. E. ISLAND CABLE SERVICE BROKEN

Business Despatches Sent by Motorboat, No News For The Papers

A Charlottetown P. E. I. correspondent writes:—

The telegraphic cable between the island and the mainland has been out of commission since Thursday, the 11th. The regular cable ship, belonging to the Anglo American Company, is off on a long trip, and is not immediately available. The cable ship left New York and is expected here this week.

"In the meantime the newspapers have been without their despatches and business messages have had to be carried across the straits—a distance of nine miles—by motor boats and telegraphed to Charlottetown from Cape Traverse."

"When the cable was out of commission all last winter the wireless had to be resorted to, but at the Pietou wireless station has been closed for the summer, this service could not be put into operation during the present interruption."

GUN CLUB SHOOT FOR SILVER WATCH FOB

The members of the St. John Gun Club will start the special competition for the Dupont trophy on their range tomorrow afternoon. The trophy is a handsome silver watch fob. The competition will continue for about six weeks and 10 targets must be shot at in a series of six events, no more than twenty-five targets on any club day. The Dupont handling will apply to the competition, but it has been extended to ten targets instead of eight, as formerly, thereby giving those shooting 50 per cent and over the full benefit of the handicap.

The club is offering three good prizes for those shooting under 50 per cent in the series. There will be no handicap for these prizes, only the actual score to count. Those shooting under 50 per cent will receive the maximum handicap for the watch fob.

TODAY'S POLICE COURT

The case of Walter Winslow was continued in the police court this morning. Two witnesses were called, Katherine O'Brien, a sister of the complainant, and Thomas O'Brien, a brother. The case was further adjourned until other witnesses can be called.

William Short, arrested last week on the charge of assaulting a man named McDonald on the exhibition grounds, was also brought before the court this morning. Gerald Furlong and Albert Ramsey both testified that they saw McDonald take hold of Short before the latter struck him. Short was further remanded to enable him to secure other witnesses.

One prisoner charged with drunkenness was remanded to jail.

IN THE COURTS

Chancery Division.

Hearing in the matter of Nipisiquit Lumber Co., Ltd., and its winding up which was to have been resumed before Mr. Justice McLeod in chambers this morning was further adjourned for one week.

Circuit Court.

The circuit court will resume its sitting in chambers this afternoon, when it will be decided by Mr. Justice White, in whose favor the verdict given by the jury in the case of Howard C. Park vs. B. V. Millidge et al. should be entered. There will likely be an argument of counsel on the questions and answers in the verdict before the decision is given.

DIED WITH HER FLEDGLINGS

Hartland Observer—A pitiful story of mother love is told of the fire that destroyed the Commercial Hotel. In a nook in the building two pigeons had built a nest and were rearing their young. During the fire the mother-bird covered the fledglings with her own body and remained there until she was consumed. She could have flown to any other place but she did not. But efforts to drive her away were unavailing. The male bird perched on the cross-arm of a telephone pole within a few feet of the nest and remained there until his feathers were singed. Since then he has perched in the same spot, leaving it only for a short interval at a time.

Store Closes Evenings 6 P. M. Saturday's 11 P. M.

OUR MID-SUMMER CLOTHING SALE CLOSING TOMORROW NIGHT!

Have You Taken Advantage Of The Special Offerings?
 Note Our Prices In Men's Tweed And Worsted Suits

\$6.00 Suits now	-\$4.95	\$13.50 Suits now	-\$11.45
\$7.50 Suits now	-\$6.45	\$15.00 Suits now	-\$12.75
\$8.75 Suits now	-\$7.45	\$16.50 Suits now	-\$13.45
\$10.00 Suits now	-\$8.35	\$18.00 Suits now	-\$15.25
\$12.00 Suits now	-\$9.85	\$20.00 Suits now	-\$16.45

Also liberal reduction on prices of Boy's Two and Three Piece Suits, Boy's Separate Pants, Men's Separate Pants, etc.

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 199 to 201 Union St. Opera House Block

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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

DON'T FORGET

That Today Is the Last Day of the Oak Hall Mid-Summer Sale

Store Closes at Noon Tomorrow

We give you this notice as we want no one to be disappointed. We will have a business today that will naturally suggest the season's business at flood-tide. Why not? Ever since this sale began hundreds of men have purchased daily, and the last day of a sale where the values are as great as we give ought to bring us a big day.

REMEMBER THIS—There's a vast difference between a high and low type of sale. Oak Hall's offer calls for clothing squarely up in materials, cutting any style to the very best that can be made.

Extra Salesmen in All Departments

Buy now if you want Clothing, Underwear, White and Fancy Shirts, Half Hose, Sweaters, Collars, Cuffs, Umbrellas, Hats and Caps—All on sale at big reductions.

Be Prompt! Come Today! Open Tonight Till Ten.

KING STREET COR. GERMAIN **GREATER OAK HALL**
SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

FREE! **FREE!**

A \$5.00 Carpet Sweeper
 With \$35.00 Cash Sales

OR WITH A

\$25.00 purchase	..... and	\$1.25 in cash.
20.00 purchase	..... and	1.50 in cash.
15.00 purchase	..... and	1.75 in cash.
10.00 purchase	..... and	2.00 in cash.
5.00 purchase	..... and	2.25 in cash.

THE PLAN—We give you cash check with every purchase showing the amount of your purchase, you save these until you have enough to claim the premium free.

Bargains in Shoes and Clothing.

C. B. PIDGEON
 Cor. Main and Bridge Sts.

Your Second Straw Hat at a Snap

We wish to clear out every STRAW HAT and PANAMA HAT that we possibly can so the Price has been CUT on EVERY HAT in the store so that a few days will lower our stock considerably

\$1.95	..... for \$2.50 and \$3.00 Hats	\$8.00	..... for \$8.00 Panamas
1.20 for 2.00 Hats	7.50 for 10.00 Panamas
3.50 for \$4.50 Panamas	9.00 for 12.00 Panamas
2.00 for 15.00 Panamas		

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