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It may be of interest to you to know that we are starting on our sixth year of business with the brightest of prospects. The public have placed the stamp of approbation upon our business methods, in the shape of continually increasing patronage.

We are right ready for the spring rush, with every department brim full of the newest goods. The new Dress goods are here — spring life is apparent in the hum of this department.

If you are too far away to visit the store, try our mail order department, the system is perfect — we can please to you.

#### Dress Goods.

Fancy silk and wool mixtures, loom achievements that show the advancement of the nineteenth century, 50 cts. per yard, double width.

#### Costumings

For whole suits, they have a richer look than the price would indicate, 44 inches wide 55 cts. per yard.

#### Shot Balermo.

This goods has the appearance of silk, the finest of the weaver's work is laid out on it, and the result is a charming surprise that such pretty and serviceable goods can be sold at so low a price, 65c; width 42 in.

97 King Street,

Ladies.

We take pleasure in introducing to you a Corset of such excellence that we are confident, you will not feel satisfied until you have procured a pair for yourself.

Like others, you have had trouble with Corsets. They have been stiff and uncomfortable, have broken at the waist, and in many cases nearly ruined the health and figure that should have been your pride.

None of the above faults will be a pair from FRED A. Dyragman & found in the "CREST" Corset, being made as they are in sections which are made to fit that portion

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### Black Brocades.

Black Brocades for stylish dresses are pre-eminently in the front. They are here in a grand concentration of goodness-a variety of price that is next to bewildering. 29c, to \$1.50 a yard.

#### Henrietta Serges.

Here is the greatest bargain we have ever offered in a low priced dress goods. They are 44 inches wide, pure wool, and fast color, regular price 50c. a yard, now 30c.

#### Ladies' Gossamers.

We have a surprise for you in Gossamers, Black and Blue, English made, military cape, velvet collar, the same as sold in other stores for \$7.00, in here at \$5.25. Other prices are \$3.00, \$4.00, \$7.30, \$7.75, \$9.00.

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St. John, N. B.



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Better than ever. These are the results we constantly get from our clothes to order. We

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Merchant Tailor, 68 King Street. St. John, N. B.

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