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Shadow Laces will be the feature of the new Spring Gowns, Dresses and Waists. We have them in white and cream, at special close prices.

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10 Yards Wide Grey Cotton.....For 79c.  
10 Yards Wide Heavier Grey Cotton.....For 98c.  
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95 and 101 King Street

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## Silk Petticoats

This is Your Opportunity to Buy The Silk Petticoat You Want at a Good Bit Less Than You Would Have Paid a Little Earlier

English Made Silk Petticoats—Shown in all sizes; colors are paddy green, cerise, shot and black - - Prices Run From \$2.49 to \$5.00

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59 Charlotte Street

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### Just to Remind You

That Our SPECIAL REDUCTION SALE OF MODISH DESIRABLE FURS is still in progress. You can SAVE 25 to 50 PER CENT. if you come and

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## 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 or 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 50c.  
Children's Plain Cashmere Hose.....22c. to 28c.  
Women's Plain Cashmere Hose.....25c.  
Women's Plain Cashmere Hose—Special, 35c. pair, or 3 pairs for \$1.00.  
Women's Cashmere or Llana Hose.....50c, 55c. and 60c.  
McCALL'S PATTERNS.....10c. and 15c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main Street

## LOCAL NEWS

### DIED IN BANGOR

Mrs. Mary Crockett, who died in Bangor this week has a sister, Mrs. Frank Turner, in Carleton Place, N. B.

### TWENTY-THREE BABIES.

Twenty-three births, eighteen boys and five girls were recorded during the last week. Registrar Jones also reports eight marriages during the same period.

### AFTER INSPECTION TRIP

H. C. Groat, acting superintendent of the Atlantic division of the C. P. R. returned last evening after spending two days on a trip of inspection over the northern section of the division.

### EATMAN IN BANGOR

Elbridge D. Eatman, who says he is the world's champion negro sprinter is visiting his mother, Mrs. James Eatman in Bangor. Eatman has recently been in England. He formerly belonged to West St. John.

### MURRAY BELL WAS SECOND

The man who got second place in the 220 yards in the maritime skating championships Thursday night was not Coleman, but Murray Bell. The wrong name was given to the reporters. Coleman was third.

### WILL WED IN WEST

The wedding of Miss Amy E. Brewer and Walter Seaton Gilks, is to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Scott, Saskatoon on March 24. Miss Brewer resided in Fredericton for twelve years, making her home with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lister.

### MATCH RACE

A match race was witnessed yesterday afternoon at Moncton when Dolly J., owned by J. M. Northrup, and John A., Jr., owned by E. B. Sprague, contended for honors, the latter horse winning in three straight heats. He was driven by his owner, while Dolly J. was driven by Leo McNamara.

### FOR WEST INDIA SERVICE

Pickford and Black, agents for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line, have been advised from England that the 4000 ton steamer, Mandingou, is being fitted out to replace the wrecked steamer Coquid, in the Halifax-Demetera, B. W. India service. She is about the size of the boats now engaged between Halifax and Demetera, but has more passenger accommodation and is speedier.

### THE SUBURBAN

Ten minutes late was the record of the combination freight-suburban this morning from Hampton over the I. C. R. There were no complaints at this delay which is ordinary but suburbanites are not planning to take any chances on the train on a very cold or stormy morning as they expect the schedule to be sadly broken.

### HELD SLEIGH DRIVES

The members of the office staff of the T. S. Simms Co., Ltd., last evening enjoyed a sleigh drive to Grand Bay and they had supper at the home of Walter Stephens. The party, numbering about thirty and including friends of Grand Bay, left Hawker's corner in North End early in the evening and drove to Grand Bay. There dancing, music and games were enjoyed and after a delicious supper the party returned home early this morning.

### CASE ADJOURNED

George Liffon was brought into the police court this morning and was remanded. Daniel Mullin, K.C., who is appearing for the prisoner, asked that he have the case adjourned until March 9 as he expects to be absent from the city next week. Urban J. Sweeney, acting for Abraham Saltzman, agreed to this and the adjournment was granted. The prisoner will be kept on remand until the day of the trial. He is charged with obtaining money under false pretences from Saltzman.

### GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

Three grand lodge officers, E. N. Stockford, Grand Chief, J. E. Mitten, of Moncton; Grand Secretary and M. N. White, Grand Marshal, last evening paid a visit to Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., in Clayton's Hall, Brussels street. There was quite a gathering of members present and an interesting programme of speeches, musical and literary numbers was carried out. Refreshments were served.

### COUNTRY MARKET.

The supply of meats, vegetables, and dairy produce in the country market showed an improvement over the last few weeks. The stock was quite plentiful, but was quickly bought up. Prices were not much changed, chickens bringing \$1.25 to \$1.50; fowl \$1.50; turkeys thirty to thirty-two cents, and veal, lamb, pork, and beef about the same as last week. Eggs were a little easier but brought forty to forty-five cents a dozen, while butter brought from twenty-nine to thirty-two cents a pound. The fine weather today brought many farmers to the city.

### SPRINGER-McVAY CASE

The case of W. A. McVay, contractor on the government bridge at the reversing falls, who was charged by A. R. Springer with using abusive language, was before the police court this morning and was laid over for another week. Mr. McVay wishes it made clear that he was not held in custody but, when the charge was made, he merely appeared in the police court and made a deposit to guarantee his further appearance when required. He asserts that his arrest was illegal and he contemplates taking action for false arrest against those involved in the matter, in order to protect his own reputation.

### BOYS HAD GREAT TIME

One hundred and twelve boys, with nearly as many tin horns, made merry between the city and Brookville last night. They were members of the Every Day Boys' Club, and to be sure that they were members each showed his membership ticket before passing out of the hall into two big sleighs, which were crowded to their capacity. While they were away a strong committee of ladies and gentlemen made coffee in large boilers on two stoves, placed long lines of chairs down the hall, cut numerous cakes provided by generous ladies, and on their return the boys fled into their places and received their fill of refreshments. The cheers they gave for the Women's Canadian Club and for others made the ladies put their hands to their ears. A more favorable night for the drive could not have been selected, and one hundred and twelve happy boys were safely at home before ten o'clock.

## Attacked By Man In Street

### Serious Matter Now In Hands Of Police

### PADDOCK STREET IS SCENE

Young Woman Mistreated by Scoundrel—She Succeeds in Escaping After Hard Fight—Second Case in Which Apparently Same Man Figured

There was a very serious case of attempted assault upon a young lady in Paddock street last evening about ten o'clock.

She was going down Paddock street from Coburg, and when passing an alley a big, good looking man, smooth shaven, and wearing a heavy overcoat which was open, stepped out quickly and seized her. His motive was not robbery, the young lady, who is active and vigorous, struggled bravely against him. Her coat was nearly torn from her back, her blouse was torn, and she bears on her wrist the mark of a large ring which the man wore on his hand.

She got her hand free, pulled out her hatpin and stabbed at her assailant with it, kicked vigorously and finally broke away. She had, fortunately, but a short distance to go, but left behind her hat and a new silk muffler. As soon as she went in and told her story two men went out and searched, but could find no trace of the assailant or the lost articles. Some change, amounting to nearly a dollar, loose in her pocket, was scattered and lost in the struggle. Although it was only about ten o'clock, no one was in sight, as the street at that place is a quiet one, and there was also considerable fog. The case has been reported to the police. The man seemed to be between thirty and forty years of age.

This is the second young lady he has attempted to assault at the same place, but the first one also escaped after a brief struggle.

## MONEY, REVOLVERS AND CARTRIDGES STOLEN

Break at Emerson & Fisher's Looks Like Work of Boys

A bold robbery which is thought to be the work of boys was committed on Thursday evening when the hardware store of Emerson and Fisher, Ltd., in Germain street was entered and some goods were taken. It was found that about \$1 in change had been taken from the cash register which was broken open through several drawers had been stolen, as well as several packages of cartridges. The entry was made by means of a window in the rear of the building. As far as is known by the members of the firm no other goods were taken.

### GIVEN INGH; TOOK ELL

The Experience of Lady Who Helps Down-and-Out Lad

Just after the burning of the Metroville a lady took pity on a mere youth who had been staying at that shelter, and gave him a meal, telling him he might return whenever he was hungry, but warning him not to tell the others on the street that she did not care to have visitors of that sort in numbers and at all hours.

The youth returned for quite a number of meals, for a week or more, and then ceased. Others, however, came in his place and it was evident that before leaving the city, which he probably did, he had passed the word around that there was fairly good provision at such a number in such a street. The lady now regrets her willingness to open her door to the first comer.

### FOR THE ORPHANS

The following subscriptions for the St. John Protestant Orphans' Home are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer:

F. P. Starr.....	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allison.....	10
J. A. Tilton.....	10
J. E. Moore.....	5
E. S. Stephenson.....	5
Edward Bates.....	5
A. W. Adams.....	5
R. M. Smith.....	5
W. C. Cross.....	5
F. Neil Brodie.....	5
Cash.....	5
Robertson, Foster & Smith.....	3
J. Hunter White.....	2
Geo. A. Parker.....	2
Keirstead & Merceant.....	2
C. B. Lockhart.....	2
H. B. White.....	2
C. H. Smyth.....	2
Rev. J. A. McKeigan.....	2
Chas. Baillie.....	1
Fred A. Fleming.....	1
Mrs. F. E. Hanington.....	1

### DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Rev. Brother Fienish, of the Fathers of the Cross of Jesus, who has been on a visit to the houses of the order in Canada, was at the Bishop's Palace yesterday. He is on his way from Rimouski on return to France.

### CONFERRED AGAIN TODAY

W. A. Ewing, K. C., representing T. McAvity & Sons, Limited, had another conference this morning with the mayor and city commissioners regarding the terms of the agreement under which certain exemptions will be granted on the new plant which the company is to erect on the Marsh road.

### SIXTEEN DEATHS.

At the health offices this week sixteen deaths were recorded from the following causes: Pneumonia three, heart failure two, exposure to fire, phthisis, senility, anaemia, inanition, carcinoma, chronic nephritis, broncho pneumonia, whooping cough, valvular disease of heart, and thrombosis of blood vessel, one each.

STORE OPEN TILL 11 O'CLOCK TONIGHT

Tonight will see the finish of our Special Prices on

## Men's and Boys' Clothing and Winter Furnishings

Men's Rib Wool Unshrinkable Underwear—Regular price, \$1.00.....Now 79c. Garment	Men's Sweater Coats—Regular price, \$2.50.....Now \$1.89
Men's Rib Wool Underwear—Regular price, 75c.....Now 61c. Garment	Men's Sweater Coats—Regular price, \$1.50.....Now \$1.19
Men's Plain Wool Underwear—Regular price, 50c.....Now 39c. Garment	Men's Sweater Coats—Regular price, \$1.00.....Now 87c.
Men's Sweater Coats—Regular price, \$5.00.....Now \$3.89	Men's Leather Working Mitts—Regular price, 75c.....Now 59c. Pair
Men's Sweater Coats—Regular price, \$3.50.....Now \$2.49 Each	Men's Leather Working Mitts—Regular price, 60c.....Now 46c. Pair
	Men's Wool Socks—Regular price, 25c.....Now 19c. Pair

SPECIAL PRICES ON MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

## H. N. DeMILLE & CO.

199 to 201 Union Street OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

## Final Clean Up For Arrival of Spring Goods

Men's Tan Shoes, broken sizes, \$2.98 and \$3.48

Ladies' Tan Button Boots \$3.48

Ladies' Black Lace and Button Boots \$2.89

Slater Shoe Shop - 81 King St.

FEBRUARY 28, '14

## FINAL DAY OF FEBRUARY MONTH-END SALE

Today should be one of unusual activity, following, as it does, our busiest February, and being the occasion for the final clearance of many lots of Men's and Boys' Winter Apparel. Come early for the choicest selections. We would again remind you the bargains awaiting you are not confined to the printed list.

Fine Cashmere Half Hose worth 35c pair, Sale price 25c	Knitted Jersey Suits, 2 to 8 years, made from pure all wool worsted; colors are Navy and White, Gray and White, Brown and White. Clearing price \$1.65
Heavy Pure Nova Scotia Wool Shirts and Drawers, regular prices \$1.00, \$1.25. Sale price 79c	Stanfield's Medium Weight Underwear for boys.....1-3 off regular prices
Negligee Shirts, new Spring stock, Month end sale price 90c	Knitted Caps for Children, regular prices 35c, 45c, 50c.....Clearing at 25c
Leather Gloves for workmen, 50c kind for 37c; 75c kind for 59c; \$1.00 kind for 79c.	Children's Russian and Sailor Suits in Serge, Velveteen and Fancy Cheviot at Half prices.
All Wool Gloves, 50c kind for 37c; 75c kind for 59c.	Men's Winter Overcoats at Half prices. A collection of Men's Winter Overcoats in sizes 36 to 42, ranging in price from \$10.00 to \$22.50. Your choice now at one-half the former prices.
Men's Dog Skin Unlined Gloves, Sale price 84c	The balance of our complete stock of Men's Overcoats.....Clearing at 1-3 off
Men's Velvet Neckties 50c each, Sale price 25c	
Boys' D. B. Bloomer Suits, 8 to 16 years, regular prices \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, Sale price \$2.59	
	<b>FUR COATS—BARGAINS</b>
\$18.50 Black Dog Coats for.....\$14.95	\$22.00 China Beaver Coats.....\$17.85
33.75 Bulgarian Lamb Coats for.....27.40	40.00 Wallaby Coats.....32.50
27.00 China Wambet Coats.....21.90	60.00 Coon Coats.....45.00

ALL Fur Lined Coats Also at Reduced Prices.

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

## BOYS' SUITS

Regular Price \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00  
Reduced To \$1.98, \$2.65, \$2.75  
\$3.19, \$3.25

## BOYS' OVERCOATS

Regular Price From \$3.00 to \$7.00  
Reduced To \$2.63, to \$5.00  
At Our Retiring From Business SALE

## Fraser, Fraser & Co.

27-29 Charlotte Street

## EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS

We are giving exceptional bargains in all furs, but draw your particular attention to the Special Prices we have made on our Alaska Seal Coats and Persian Lamb Coats.

1 Alaska Seal Coat \$675.00 was \$900.00 1 Persian Lamb Coat \$265.00 was \$350.00  
1 Persian Lamb Coat \$265.00 was \$375.00

These coats are our own make and are finished in the very best manner and in up-to-date styles.

They are rare bargains at these prices.

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