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Mothers will find exceptional savings in this stock of coats for the little ones.  
Plenty of warmth and particularly stylish.

Red Cloth Coats (Sailor Collar, trimmed with braid) . . . \$3.00 to \$3.50  
Plain Red or Green Coats (with braid trimmings) . . . \$3.00 to \$3.50  
Red or Navy Cloth Coats (with belt of same) . . . \$2.99, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75  
Grey Cloth Coats . . . . . \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25  
Navy or Red Blanket Coats (with colored collar, lapels and pockets),  
\$2.35 to \$3.95.  
Navy Pilot Cloth Coats, (Sailor collar) . . . . . \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50

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You and Your Wife Are Both Invited Here To See Our \$3.00 Shoes

Perhaps you'll be surprised to see the Shoes we are selling at \$3.00. We believe you will. Our great \$3.00 Shoe is our Regent Shoe—it's our leader. It's made in a Ladies' Shoe and Gentlemen's Shoe, and if there is a better shoe on earth sold for \$3.00 tell us about it and we will throw this shoe out and sell the better one, but until we do find it we'll stick to the Regent Shoe. The winter styles are here, made from the best stocks and on the new lasts. All sizes and widths, and on the foot you can't tell our \$3.00 Shoes from a \$5.00 pair.

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## NEW DAIRY INSPECTION POLICY ANNOUNCED TODAY

Hon. Mr. Landry Will Cut off Free Inspection for St. John by Government Officials and City Will Have to Pay—In Effect After April

St. John is to lose the advantage which it enjoys at present of having the dairy herds from which the city's milk supply is derived, inspected by the officials of the provincial department of agriculture. This announcement was made today by Dr. Landry, commissioner for agriculture, whose department has attended to this important work for the last few years. When the legislation requiring the inspection of all dairy herds and premises from which milk supplied to the city was passed, it was made necessary for the dealers to employ a veterinary doctor to make the inspection. In order to relieve them of this burden and to make the inspection more uniform, legislation was secured authorizing the dairy inspectors to do the work free of charge, and this procedure has been followed for several years.

In giving his reasons for making the change, Dr. Landry said that he had never approved of the system, and the legislation authorizing it had passed against his judgment. His objection is that the whole province is paying for the services of the inspectors and it is not just that their time should be spent in attending to work which is for the benefit of St. John alone. As it is he has to take men from other work to attend to the dairy herds and if other places asked for the same privilege the province would have to support an army of officials.

"St. John wants the inspection the city should pay for it," he said. "If there is any difficulty about reaching the dealers who are outside of the county, special legislation could be provided to meet the case and St. John has never been backward in asking for special legislation when it was wanted."

The annual inspection is supposed to be completed by the end of April in each year, and Dr. Landry said this morning that he would allow the officials to complete the work of this season before cancelling the arrangement. The legislation does not require his department to do the work, but merely authorizes them to do so, and it is for him to say whether or not they will do the work.

## POLICE REPORT MATTER TO SECURE ACTION

Family in Destitute Circumstances on Navy Island, But do Not Want to Leave

A particularly sad case that is now occupying the attention of the police and the S. P. C. A. authorities is that of David Guthro, his wife and ten year old child, who for some time have been living in a little hut on Navy Island, with little visible means of support. The S. P. C. A. officers have tried to get them away from the island but without avail.

This morning Police Sergeant Finley of the West Side reported them as vagrants, living on Navy Island without any visible means of support and in destitute circumstances, and also stopping in a house which is in no way tenable and no shelter from the wind or weather. This charge is laid for the purpose of getting them away from the desolate place somewhere where they will be better off.

Only a few weeks ago Guthro was released from jail and soon after he was taken sick and is now a patient in the General Public Hospital. Mrs. Guthrie and the little girl have been living on the island since then and had been existing on the few neighbors gave them. The place where they lived is a thinly boarded shack. It is the aim of the authorities to have Mrs. Guthrie and the child placed in a home, but so far she has declined. The matter will now be brought up in the police court.

## LOCAL NEWS

**C. M. B. A. LECTURE.**  
The date for the lecture to be delivered by Rev. Chas. McLaughlin before the C. M. B. A. Dec. 10. H. McInerney will lecture on "Gladstone," on December 17.

**EVERY DAY CLUB.**  
All members of the Every Day Club are urged to attend at the hall this evening. Walter Brindle will introduce the general discussion on True Manhood. Each member is asked to invite a young man to attend with him.

**EAST ST. JOHN.**  
Up to the present East St. John has not been blessed with either churches or schools. To overcome this deficiency the hall heretofore known as the "Wagon dot" has been secured for Saturday evening next at eight o'clock when E. F. Moore of Staten Island will give a graphic address. All citizens residing in that locality are invited to attend.

**DEATH OF A CHILD.**  
Many will join Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. McFarlane in sorrow for the loss of their bright little boy, Phillip L., whose death occurred last evening at their home in Middle street. He had been ill for some weeks. A lovable child he will be missed in the household. The funeral will be on Friday afternoon.

**DIED IN EAST BOSTON.**  
Mrs. Robert Thompson, of Marsh street, received a telegram at noon yesterday, informing her of the death of her father, Wm. Crawford, formerly of this city, of late years a resident of East Boston. Mr. Crawford was well known in St. John as a ship carpenter. He is survived by his wife and six children—Mrs. J. J. Smith of Chelsea, William and Harry at Hazel at home, Mrs. Robert Thompson, of Marsh street, and Stanley Crawford of the I. C. R.

**WINTER PORT NOTES**  
All the immigrants arriving on the Donaldson liner Athena passed the immigration tests here satisfactorily and left for the west last evening. Some of them are going to Quebec and the remainder to Ontario.

Three passenger steamers are expected to reach port within the next few days, the C. P. R. S. Empress of Britain, the Allan liner Granparan, and the Donaldson liner Katrina.

Leon Fontain, of the C. P. R. passenger staff arrived yesterday.

**TEA A SUCCESS.**  
The tea conducted last evening in the school room of St. Columba's Presbyterian church, Fairville, was a distinct success, and all who attended were very much pleased. A tempting supper was served by the ladies in charge, Mesdames Leggett, Joseph Henderson, Edward Duff, John Duff, Archibald Cameron and James McLaughlin, assisted by a number of other ladies of the church. A short programme was carried out, in which those taking part were: Miss Joanne Gouge, Mr. and Miss Duff, and Rev. Mr. McLean.

**HERE FOR PORT OPENING**  
R. B. Teakle, local manager for the Allan line, was expected to reach the city with his staff on the maritime express this afternoon. Capt. and Mrs. Elliott arrived this morning. Captain Elliott is connected with the C. P. R., and is here to meet the Empress of Britain. R. P. Harrison, United States immigration agent came to the city this morning. His staff will be the same this year as last. It is thought that all the officials of the C. P. R. and Allan line will have arrived by tomorrow.

**I. L. B. PLANS.**  
At a meeting of the Irish Literary and Benevolent Society last night it was decided to hold a smoker on the evening of Friday, December 1, in the rooms, Union street. A committee composed of T. O'Brien, John O'Brian, George Stafford, Thomas Gorman, and Roy O'Neil was appointed to make arrangements. The presidents of other city societies are to be invited. It is also intended to hold an assembly a little later and to make preparations for this the following committee was appointed: F. J. Casey, John Daley, L. A. Conlon, E. Barry and W. Harris.

## MEN'S WINTER CAPS

IN THE VERY NEWEST SHAPES AND PATTERNS

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Men's Caps, at 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

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Men's Heavy Top Shirts, . . . from 50c. to \$1.25  
Men's Negligee Shirts, . . . . from 50c. to 1.50

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Lot Ladies' new Cloth Skirts in grey, mixed tweeds, navy and black Serge, navy and black Venetians in the latest cuts and perfect fit.

Also lot Ladies' Umbrellas most suitable for Xmas Gifts in all the new handles, the Long Directoire in ebony with gold and silver mounting, the shorter handles with Rich Gold and Pearl handles, now is time to make selections and have your monogram work done before the rush. All prices from \$1.00 up to \$5.00 with nice Taffeta Gloria and Silk tops.

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Muskrat Coats - - \$60.00 to \$90.00	Hudson Seal Coats 165.00 to \$225.00
Black Pony Coats - 70.00 to 100.00	Brown Squirrel Coats - - - 145.00
Brown Pony Coats - 90.00 to 125.00	Black Astrachan Coats - - - 65.00

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