

**Our Annual Fur Clearance Sale Starts Friday,  
January 3rd, and Will Continue  
Till January 11th**

## Ladies' Fur Coats

Astrachan, .....	\$50.00	were \$65.00
Greenland Seal, .....	\$80.00	were \$75.00
Marmot, .....	\$60.00	were \$75.00
Near Seal, .....	\$80.00	were \$75.00
Near Seal, .....	\$75.00	were 90.00
Black Pony, .....	\$60.00	were \$75.00 and \$85.00
Black Pony, .....	\$75.00	were \$90.00 and 110.00
Blended Rat, .....	\$85.00	were \$100.00
Natural Rat, .....	\$90.00	were \$100.00
Klondyke Beaver with Fox collar .....	\$120.00	were \$150.00
Persian Lamb, .....	\$220.00	were \$250.00
Persian Lamb, .....	\$300.00	were \$350.00
Hudson Seal, .....	\$160.00	were \$200.00
Mink, .....	\$250.00, 350.00, 450.00,	Less 20 p. c.

These Coats are mostly 50 to 52 inches long

## Muffs

Marmot, .....	\$8.00	were \$10.00
Squirrel ties, .....	\$3.50	were \$6.50
Blue Wolf, .....	\$27.50	were \$35.00
Black Martin, .....	\$10.00	were \$12.00
Dyed Coon, .....	\$15.00	were \$20.00
Dyed Oppossum, .....	\$9.00	were \$13.50
Marmot, .....	\$9.00	were \$12.00
Marmot, .....	\$8.00	were \$10.00

## Men's Fur Coats

Men's Coon Coats,	\$75.00, 100.00, 110.00 up to \$150.00 Less 10 p. c.
Men's Fur lined coats all reduced.	
Rat lining, Otter collar,	\$100.00 were \$115.00
Rat lining, Otter collar,	\$70.00 were \$85.00
Rat lining, Persian Lamb collar,	\$50.00 were \$60.00
Rat lining, Rat collar,	\$38.50 were \$47.50

**REMEMBER**—Our Furs are all manufactured on our premises and we **guarantee** everything just as if the regular price was paid

## NEW YEAR'S EVENTS IN ST. JOHN

New Year's Day was quietly observed at St. John. Rain fell in the morning, but cleared away in the afternoon and evening saw better weather.

Leutenant-Colonel McAvity and the members of the 62nd Regiment held an at home in their messroom in German street yesterday morning. It was a very enjoyable time and was called a very enjoyable time he held.

The members of the local order of Mysocophiles had an open house yesterday, any of their friends called and were welcomed. P. H. Barry, Polatenau, welcomed.

The children of St. Patrick's Industrial school, Silver Lake, were treated to a very enjoyable party after the Christmas programme was enjoyed. Those present were: John O'Brien, St. Joseph's Industrial school, and John O'Brien, by His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, Rev. J. O'Neill, Commissioner Angus, Thomas O'Neill, and others.

The members of the school also gave a very enjoyable party to the members of the St. John Club.

The members of the St. John Club enjoyed a smoker and a banquet in the evening. The Temple band played a choice programme of music. A programme of songs and readings was given. The music was fine and a large bonfire lighted. During the evening Communion was administered.

and Edward Beinfelding, the steward, received a piece of gold from the members of the club.

The members of the club attended the watch night services.

The firemen and members of the Salvage Association had a house yesterday. Several of the companies exchanged visits and enjoyed the hospitality of their fellow firemen. The members of the club were at each of the fire stations. Among the visitors to the station were Commissioner Angus, Rev. J. O'Neill, and others.

The employees of the Water and Sewerage Department also entertained their friends yesterday afternoon.

The Opera House and the Grand Theatre had crowded houses for all persons.

The children of the Presbyterian and Congregational Sunday schools held their annual rally in St. David's church. Rev. J. H. MacVicar, Rev. Geo. A. Ross, and Townsend and Rev. C. S. Rudick assisted. The devotional part of the service, and addresses were given by Rev. E. Scholfield, Rev. H. S. Bridges and Rev. J. H. MacVicar. Rev. Geo. A. Ross and Rev. C. S. Rudick presided.

The Methodist gathered. Telegrams of greeting were exchanged with H. R. H. of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Roman governor.

The Methodist Sunday school united with the Central and the Roman governor. H. E. Thomas presided, and addresses were given by Rev. J. L. Dawson and Commissioner Angus. Rev. J. O'Neill and Rev. D. G. Prosser presented greetings from the Presbyterian body.

The members were

at home to their friends during the afternoon and evening, and large numbers of guests enjoyed their hospitality. In the basketball game the home team of the school ball team defeated a team of U. N. B. students by 33 to 9. In the evening a social and dancing was given by the Y. T. H. O'Brien, Gordon Smith and E. A. Belding, assisted by the school band. Cook and gramophone selections was given by the band.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Y. T. H. O'Brien.

The Last Chance Dance, given by the home team of the ladies of the Golf Club to their bachelor friends, was held on Tuesday evening proved a most enjoyable affair. The dancing was supervised by W. H. Harrison and H. H. Harrison. The band was composed of W. H. Harrison, guard and charm were presented to Bandmaster Murray Long.

The Y. T. H. O'Brien boys and youths of the Every Day Club had a very enjoyable New Year entertainment last evening. The programme included instrumental selections by G. C. Humberst and A. F. Belding, E. A. Belding, recitations by Doris Brindle, Fred Smith and Harrison McFarlane, and songs by Fred Smith and Harrison McFarlane. The programme was supervised by George Scott. Miss McFarlane presided at the piano. Mr. Brindle announced the programme and the programme was down to a more interesting programme for each evening and these would also be enjoyed by the boys and youths of the Every Day Club. The boys and youths of the Every Day Club had a very enjoyable New Year entertainment last evening. The programme included instrumental selections by G. C. Humberst and A. F. Belding, E. A. Belding, recitations by Doris Brindle, Fred Smith and Harrison McFarlane, and songs by Fred Smith and Harrison McFarlane. The programme was supervised by George Scott. Miss McFarlane presided at the piano. Mr. Brindle announced the programme and the programme was down to a more interesting programme for each evening and these would also be enjoyed by the boys and youths of the Every Day Club.

## MORNING LOCALS

E. J. Cronin left for Montreal last night where he has accepted a position with the Boucher, Waugh, Co., furriers. On Tuesday evening friends presented to him a handsome diva, a traveling bag. The presentation was made by W. J. Mahoney in the Dufferin Hotel.

The funds for building the new Sunday school in connection with the German street church, St. Michael's, were being raised.

F. W. Norcross, local agent of the Dominion Express Company, has been appointed assistant superintendent of the Atlantic division, headquarters here.

A decorated Christmas tree in the home of William O'Hara, Main street, on Tuesday night, caught fire, and damage to the contents of over \$100 was done to the furniture.

Gibson, Lee; P. A. P. B. No. 37 has elected, W. M.—Lorne Dunbar; D. M.—Goodridge Jarvis; Treas.—John Haines; Rec. Sec.—Edward Jugh; Fin. Sec.—Charles Titus; Inside Tyler—Wm. Flower; Outside Tyler—Frank Cowie; Chaplain—Earl Dunbar; Librarian—Fred Brillon; Committee—Chas. Titus, Henry Boyd, Chas. Atkinson, John Haines and Lorne Dunbar.

During the year of 1912 there were fifty-nine business failures in New Brunswick, with total liabilities of \$299,290, and assets of \$159,634, as compared with 1911, when there were 59 business failures, with liabilities of \$292,820, and assets of \$681,000. The business failures in Nova Scotia last year numbered fifty-eight, with liabilities of

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One scorching hot day, when his comrades were nearly prostrated a soldier was seen carrying his own and another man's two cartridge bags, two knapsacks and a dog. The colonel stopped him.

"Look here, you marched all yesterday and you fought all last night, the colonel said.

"Yes, sir," said the young soldier respectfully.


"Well, then, what are you carrying the dog for?"

"Because, colonel," said the soldier, "the dog's tired."

## WHAT IT MEANT

A Member of Parliament has been showing round a letter that he has just received from one of his constituents. The writer is evidently worried about the provisions of the Deceased Wife's Sister Act, and in the course of the letter he asks if it is compulsory.

"By that I mean," he goes on to explain, "if my present wife dies, am I compelled to marry her sister?"



CLOSED SEASON FOR  
BEAVER IN ALBERTA  
EXTENDED TO 1916

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 2.—Benjamin Lawton, chief game warden for Alberta, has issued instructions to trappers and hunters that the closed season for beaver, protected since 1908, has been extended from December 31, 1912, to December 31, 1915. He reports also that the beaver has multiplied rapidly, during the last few years, notwithstanding raids by law-breakers. The regular hunters and trappers in the north country, he adds, have not killed game out of season, but have assisted in the extermination of the poachers.

There are many who believe that the beaver, the standard by which all other furs was rated in western Canada until a few years ago, is doomed to extinction.

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ination are seen in the decaying stumps, the broken dams and the deserted lodges along the upper waters of the Fraser and Peace rivers, which may be considered the last home of the patient animal, which for more than two centuries, contributed largely to Canada's substantial advancement and stimulated enterprises, and laid

## PAVING BLOCKS BY MAIL

Six Thousand Sent by Parcel Post Under New System

Gary, Ind., Jan. 2.—One thousand concrete paving blocks, each in a separate stamped parcel, will be the first installment of parcels post mail to leave this city. Two days, carrying the blocks wrapped and addressed; backed up to the post office today and the local post office forced to carry the 6,000 pounds of blocks into the office to have the stamps cancelled.

They are being sent out as samples by a manufacturer who found that he could send them out cheaper by parcels post than by express.

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