

# MC 2035 POOR DOCUMENT

**DOWLING BROS.** The largest retail distributors of ladies' coats, skirts and blouse waists in the Maritime provinces.

## New Wash Goods

for spring and summer wear

**LENOX CORDED VOILE**, a thin gauze material, one of the popular fabrics of the season; comes in plain colors; pink, sky, champagne, mid blue, white and black, 25 cents yard.

**WHITE GLORADO CORDS**, glove finish, a variety of qualities in narrow and wide cords, 18c., 20c., 25c., 28c. yard.

**COMMODORE SUITINGS**, in navy, white, tan and light blue, 31 inches wide, at 14c. yard.

**MERCERIZED PONGEE LINENS**, colors, tan, cream, linen, light blue, gray, black, and champagne, 25 cents yard.

**ALEXANDRIA STRIPES**, comes in combination stripe effects, 28 inches wide, at 20c. and 25c. yard.

**DOWLING BROTHERS**  
95 and 101 King Street

**DYKEMAN'S**

## A Great Bargain in an Easter Silk Dress

You can buy them on Wednesday morning and after at \$3.95. The regular price is \$12.00. They come in black, navy, brown, tan and Copenhagen blue. All sizes. They are made from fine heavy quality of Palette Silk, are beautifully trimmed and thoroughly well made.

Another number is a very fine Striped Silk Dress of a superior quality which will sell at \$11.95. The regular price is \$16.00. Beautifully trimmed on collar and cuffs with imitation Irish point lace, is stylishly made and the workmanship is superior. Comes in three shades. Being shaded effects it is impossible to describe the shade.

An Easter Silk Waist at \$3.35, made from the finest of Palette Silk, beautifully trimmed collar and attractive new drop ornament on front. Comes in a very large range of shades and in sizes from 34 to 44.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.**  
59 Charlotte Street

## Sooner or Later

you are sure to want a new Spring Hat. The sort only to be found in a first class hat store—price, quality and finish right.

Our new hats for men meet every demand of good style.

A full line of the snappiest shapes, the taking kind for young men.

**J. L. THORNE & CO.**  
The Centre for Headwear 55 Charlotte Street

## Spring and Easter Opening

This fashion event of the spring season scored an immediate success. It is not surprising for the opportunity to purchase the newest and best of the spring styles seldom occurs at the very beginning of the season. The result of our careful purchasing was apparent soon after customers began making purchases. Every one made selections so easily and were so entirely pleased with their purchases that it was easy to see that the goods displayed were just to their liking—particularly so since very unusual values offered in all departments.

WHITE LAWN WAISTS, ..... \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65 up to \$2.50  
TAILORED WAISTS with soft collar and cuffs, white, tan, pale blue, cream and tan, 75c., 90c., \$1.15, \$1.25  
BLACK NET WAISTS, ..... \$2.50  
LADIES' KID GLOVES (guaranteed) ..... \$1.00  
LADIES' TAN CAPE OR MANNISH GLOVES, ..... \$1.00  
CHILDREN'S TAN CAPE GLOVES, ..... 75 cents.

**S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.**

**The Time to Check a Cough is at The Start**

Too many persons try to let a cough "take its course." This is a dangerous practice and is likely to end seriously. You can stamp out the complaint instantly if at the first symptoms you use

**Hawker's Tolu And Wild Cherry Balsam**

A sure and successful cough remedy, endorsed by druggists everywhere.

Comes in Two Sizes at 25c and 50c. Full Directions on Each Bottle

None genuine unless it bears register number 1295, together with our signature.

Manufactured Solely By

**The Canadian Drug Co., Ltd.**  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

### NEARLY HALF SNOW OF SEASON JUST CLOSING FELL IN FEBRUARY

Through the courtesy of D. L. Hutchinson, director of the Meteorological Observatory, the Times gives today a summary of the unusual snow condition of the winter just closing, and a comparison with the last twelve years. It will be seen that in only four of those years was the snowfall less than in the season closing. In 1907, the greatest amount fell, and that season was remarkable for quite a downfall in the month of May. Here are Mr. Hutchinson's figures:—

| Year   | Winter | Feb.  | Mar.  | Apr.  | May   | Total Inches |
|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|
| 1907-8 | 2.90   | 5.33  | 10.75 | 27.70 | 9.30  | 56.10        |
| 1906-7 | 1.80   | 8.00  | 11.20 | 3.25  | 11.90 | 36.15        |
| 1905-6 | 3.00   | 4.10  | 17.75 | 4.27  | 10.45 | 43.57        |
| 1904-5 | 1.70   | 11.50 | 11.70 | 27.40 | 12.25 | 64.55        |
| 1903-4 | 1.82   | 12.90 | 4.28  | 24.64 | 6.70  | 50.34        |
| 1902-3 | 2.60   | 10.35 | 5.25  | 14.30 | 12.85 | 45.35        |
| 1901-2 | 1.50   | 11.00 | 16.80 | 31.85 | 10.20 | 71.35        |
| 1900-1 | 2.00   | 10    | 8.70  | 9.90  | 4.00  | 37.60        |
| 1899-0 | 2.00   | 1.00  | 6.33  | 17.75 | 16.85 | 44.93        |
| 1898-9 | 1.10   | 10    | 18.15 | 3.20  | 3.80  | 36.45        |
| 1897-8 | 3.70   | 6.15  | 10.35 | 11.60 | 18.85 | 50.65        |
| 1896-7 | 1.85   | 7.70  | 21.75 | 19.25 | 8.70  | 69.35        |
| 1895-6 | 4.00   | 7.15  | 8.30  | 24.10 | 6.60  | 50.15        |

### LOCAL NEWS

#### THE PRIZE WINNERS.

The prize winners at the Prentice Boys' Fair last night were, in nine-pin, E. A. Duffy, 22; Tommie, 21; Tommie's bean toss, A. Lingley; air gun, Mr. Duffy; ladies' bean toss, Miss Lingley; bagatelle, Mr. Riley.

#### MAIL HELD UP.

During the last few days there have been arriving at the post office great quantities of English mail matter which has been stopped in its passage through the post by the authorities here, as it became known that the contents pertained to a lottery in England. About 5,000 of these letters have been received and have been forwarded to the department at Ottawa. Most were for local distribution.

#### HIS LORDSHIP HAS NO WORD YET.

The Lordship Bishop LeBlond has received no intimation as yet regarding the observance of a universal jubilee in commemoration of the religious toleration edict issued by Emperor Constantine in the fourth century. A despatch from Rome elsewhere says that it will be on Low Sunday and will extend through the year until the feast of the Immaculate Conception on December 8.

#### MISS ELIZABETH ROURKE.

The death of an elderly resident of Carleton, Miss Elizabeth Rourke, occurred late yesterday at the home of H. G. Smith, City Line. She was about seventy years of age and had been ill for about six months, following an operation for tumor. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Charles Emerson and Mrs. Henry Steves of this city, and one brother, Edward Rourke of Savannah. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock.

#### LECTURE GREATLY ENJOYED.

Hearty Appreciation of Address by Rev. Dr. Morrison Expressed in St. Matthew's

Rev. Dr. Morrison delivered his lecture on David Livingstone in St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church last evening. A large number were present and they were very enthusiastic in expressing their appreciation. In the introduction to his lecture Dr. Morrison spoke of the extraordinary number of men, who later became famous in their special lines, that were born around the same decade as Livingstone. It was a time of great intellectual activity and the weaver at Blantyre was a product of the fertilizing force of the spiritual and intellectual ideals that were then moving the people.

#### ST. JOHN CLERGYMEN AMONG SIGNATORIES.

Appeal Signed by More Than 300 Church of England Ministers

A Canadian Press despatch says: An appeal on behalf of Christian unity which was signed by more than 300 clergy of the Church of England in Canada, is now being sent to the laity of the Anglican church with a note of explanation that the appeal contains nothing revolutionary or of a radical character. A strong appeal for unity also comes from the young native churches (infant churches foreign lands) and the circular proposes the following steps as a basis for unity:

"By permission being given to members of other communions—being members in good standing in their communion—on occasion and without consent of the ordinary, to communicate in our churches. When all the signatures both of the clergy and laity have been obtained, it is the intention of the signatories to place the whole matter before the House of Bishops."

#### THE SHIPOWNERS' SCALES OF PAY.

The Imperial Merchant Service Guild have now been officially notified by the Shipping Federation of the following scale of officers' wages adopted by a committee of shipowners specially appointed for the purpose of dealing with this important matter:—

| Deadweight Tonnage | 1st Mate      | 2nd Mate      |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| 3,000 to 5,000     | ..... \$12.00 | ..... \$8.00  |
| 5,000 to 8,000     | ..... \$13.00 | ..... \$9.00  |
| Over 8,000         | ..... \$14.00 | ..... \$10.00 |

No recommendation is made regarding the pay of masters. Where a third mate is carried, the wages recommended are \$7, \$7.50 and \$8 according to the tonnage of the vessel as above.

#### TOOK WRONG MEDICINE.

Calais, March 18.—The death of John Hornbrook, which occurred on Thursday evening, was due, according to the report of the attending physician, to acute poisoning. Mr. Hornbrook had been in poor health, and on this occasion took what he thought was a dose of his own medicine, but made a mistake in the bottle and got an overdose of another kind of medicine which contained poison. In his weakened condition the dose proved fatal.

Store open tonight till 8 o'clock

## EASTER FURNISHINGS

that are absolutely right in every respect

Negligee Shirts, priced at 50 cents to \$1.50 each.  
Men's Gloves, in a great variety, suitable for any occasion, priced at \$1.00 to \$2.00 a pair.  
Easter Neckwear, priced at 25 cents to \$1.00.  
Black Cashmere Half Hose, 25 cents to 50 cents pair.  
Fancy Cashmere Half Hose, 40 cents and 50 cents pair.  
Fancy Lisle Thread Half Hose, 25 cents to 50 cents pair.  
Fancy Cotton Half Hose, 15 cents to 25 cents pair.  
Linen Handkerchiefs, priced at 20 cents and 25 cents each.  
Excelde Handkerchiefs, plain white and fancy borders, 15 cents each.  
Men's Braces, priced at 25 cents to 75 cents pair.  
Also Canes, Jewelry, Underwear, Collars, Garters, Hats, Caps, Sweaters, Men's and Boys' Suits, etc.

**H. N. DeMILLE & CO.**  
199 to 201 Union street Opera House block

FOR MEN \$4.00 \$5.00

**The Slater Shoe**

FOR WOMEN \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00

If you want the shoe that will give you comfort, the shoe that fits the highest and best in footwear fashion, get the Slater Shoe—A Canadian product acknowledged by everybody to be the world's best. We do not ask you to pay big, fancy prices for them but you get them at a "factory to wearer" price that will save you money on your footwear.

**E. G. McColough Ltd.** The Slater Shoe Shop  
81 King Street

## CORRECT Frock Coats

For Easter and Other Dress Occasions

If there is one thing more than another which tests the ability of a clothing manufacturer, it is the making of Cutaway and Prince Albert Frock Suits. These garments must be absolutely correct in style and cut to pass muster and critical dressers, and it requires the most expert tailoring to produce the right results.

No custom-tailored garments have more graceful lines or dignified style than you'll find in our Prince Albert and Cutaway Frock Coats.

Prince Albert Frock Coat and Vest - \$25.00  
Cutaway Frock Suit - \$12.00, \$15.00

**GREATER OAK HALL**  
SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED St. John, N. B.

## SPECIAL VALUES IN Men's Easter Suits

You can save money and at the same time provide yourself with better value in men's clothing at our Easter sale of Men's Suits than ever. Never before have we shown such a variety of colors in tweed effects, brown, gray, mixed, blue and black. The workmanship and trimmings are the best, while Fraser's prices make the combination all in your favor.

Our stock of Easter Furnishing Goods for men and boys is about as complete as our buyer can make it.

**MEN AND BOYS' TOGGERY**

**FRASER FRASER & CO.**  
27 - 29 Charlotte Street.

## YOUR EASTER HAT

should be bought from MAGEE'S because you can make a selection from more styles and get a better value hat than from any other store.

This year we are showing a larger assortment of shapes than ever and we feel sure we can satisfy the most particular man of any age.

We shape stiff hats to fit any head.

SOFT HATS, ..... \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00.  
DERBYS, ..... 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 5.00  
CAPS, ..... 75 cents, \$1.00, \$1.50.  
DENT'S GLOVES, ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Come in and see our new stock.

**D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd.** Manuf'g. Furriers 63 King St.