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During the last few weeks we have added to our stock a few hundred more Coats, making it the most extensive and complete stock of high-grade new Fall and Winter Coats that we have ever shown. The collection includes

MAGNIFICENT FALL MODELS

from the world's fashion centres, including every conceivable style on which Dame Fashion has set her approval. Do not fail to come and inspect them carefully.

PRICES RANGE FROM

\$7.90 to \$37.50

DOWLING BROTHERS
95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S

Another Extraordinary Pillow Happening

They go on sale Thursday morning at nine o'clock and the sale will last until the pillows are all sold, which may be an hour or it may be less.

They are real feathers encased in art sateen ticking and are worth considerably more than double the price we are going to sell them for.

Two sizes. The five pound will be 50 cents each and the six pound will be 80 cents each.

When these are gone you can get no more so we advise an early call.

The last sale we had of these pillows many people were disappointed because they came late.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
59 Charlotte Street

Regular Autumn Opening of Ladies' Fur Coats

You will be delighted with the smart appearance of our present showing of Ladies' Fur Coats, which are fashioned from the latest models of highest style authorities. In every garment only the choicest pelts are used, and the workmanship is faultless throughout. Back of each coat stands our absolute guarantee. We offer a well varied range for choice, including Mukrat, Marmot, Astrachan, Persian Lamb, Hudson Seal and Electric or Near Seal, in Semi-Fitting Skirt Lengths.

If you don't find just what suits you, we'll be pleased to make, promptly, anything you want.

J. L. THORNE & Co., 55 Charlotte St.
The Centre For Seasonable Headwear

DRESS GOODS

We do not pose as experts in high-class dress goods, but we do excel in medium priced goods. Our stock this fall is large and varied. Besides the ladies' dress materials, we have a good variety suitable for girls' school and other dresses.

Heavy Tweed Suitings, in fawn, brown, and mixed colors, 30c and 35c yard.

Navy Serges, 55c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 yard.

Venetian Cloth in plain colors, 60c, 75c, and 80c yard.

Serges (in various shades) 55c, 60c, 75c, 80c yard.

McCull's Patterns, 10c and 15c.

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 MAIN ST.

Great Bargains in Used Pianos

No. 1 Upright Piano by D'Almeida good Piano for child to practice on original price \$300.00 now \$65.00. Terms \$7.00 down and \$5.00 per month.

No. 2 Upright Piano by Arthur Allison, good tone nice case original price \$380.00 now \$115.00. Terms \$7.00 down and 6.00 per month.

No. 3 Square Piano by Wm. Bourne beautiful case and excellent tone, original price \$650.00 now \$100.00. Terms \$5.00 down and \$5.00 per month.

No. 4 We have also 3 or 4 more lightly used Upright Pianos of different makes which we are offering at exceptional low prices to clear.

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co.
53 Germain Street
Royal Hotel Block - ST. JOHN, N. B.

LOCAL NEWS

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.
Thomas Quinn of Smythe street fell a few days ago and dislocated his shoulder badly. Dr. T. H. Lunney attended him.

SHOT FINE MOOSE.
A. J. Estabrook of St. John, who has been hunting in the Canad Woods, has been successful in shooting a fine moose with an excellent antler spread.

COAL AT THE BORDER.
Schooners Alice Holbrook from Philadelphia, with coal for the Maine Central, and Roger Deury from New York, with coal for St. Stephen, arrived at Calais on Monday and are discharging cargo.

THE LOTTIE R. RUSSELL.
The schooner Lottie R. Russell, Captain McDonald, River Hebert to New York, has put into this harbor in distress, with less of sparker. The captain wished to be reported.

THEY WANT MR. BEDFORD.
The directors of the Y. M. C. A. in Fredericton have decided that the position of physical instructor should be offered to John Bedford of Amherst who has been prominent in boys' work throughout the maritime provinces.

FIRST BREAK INTO NEW STREET.
Excavation work has been commenced already on the new pavement in King street. Although the street has just been completed it was found necessary yesterday to dig a hole in the street in front of J. M. Humphrey & Co.'s office to locate a water stop-cock.

TO NEW PASTORATE.
Rev. S. J. Perry and his wife and son have been spending a few days in the city the guests of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Vanwart, Victoria street. They will leave tomorrow by steamer Grand Manan for Campbellton where Mr. Perry will take charge of the Baptist church.

A FACTORY REBUILT.
The Woodstock Woodworking Co.'s factory has been rebuilt and the latest machinery installed for the manufacture of doors, sashes, mouldings, flooring, school desks, church pews and building material of all kinds. Twenty-five men are employed.

RETURNING FROM ENGLAND.
Rev. Thomas Stebbings and his daughter sailed from Bristol for Quebec on the Royal George on the 2nd inst. after spending ten weeks in the old country, mostly in the south of England. They will arrive in St. John on the 15th inst. Mr. Stebbings will take up his work in his new pastorate in Albert county.

CANNOT SELL PARTRIDGES.
Many people are asking whether partridge may be legally sold in this province. The answer is that they cannot. Through a clerical error the year 1912 was inserted instead of 1913 in the regulation and this has been rectified. The Royal Gazette announces that neither partridge nor woodcock can be legally sold before Sept. 15, 1913.

SATURDAY'S BIG RACES.
Entries already in for the Every Day Club twenty mile bicycle races on Saturday afternoon include Oulton of Amherst, who now holds the cup, Cochrane of Bloomfield and McAvour of St. John. For the ten mile road race, the entries include Coward of Fredericton, Stirling, Chambers and Victor Williams of St. John and Smith of East St. John. Entries close at noon tomorrow.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE.
About eleven o'clock this morning a street car collided with Walter's motor wagon at the crossing at the corner of St. James and Carmarthen streets. The driver did not see the car, and the motor man could not stop quickly enough. No damage was done beyond throwing the wagon aside, but the incident suggests that cars should approach crossings with great care.

WAY CLEAR NOW FOR THE EXTENSION

Agreement for Crossing I. C. R. Received by Manager Hopper—Street Railway Has Constantly Been Striving to Get Crossing Rights

H. M. Hopper, manager of the street railway this morning received from D. Pottinger a signed copy of the agreement under which the street car company's line to Kane's corner is to cross the Intercolonial's spur track by a double-diamond crossing. This dispenses of the trouble about crossing the I. C. R., and so soon as the city engineer has given the street railway, in proper form, the definite location of the track, work can be begun.

The steel double diamond crossing was to be manufactured in Great Britain, but now Mr. Hopper says it will have to be made in Montreal in order to save time. He says also that as his company has from \$35,000 to \$38,000 worth of material waiting for this extension, on which it will have to pay interest without return for some time, it ought to be clear that the company is anxious to get its cars running without delay. The time required to complete the work will depend on the supply of labor and the speed with which the diamond crossing can be secured. The distance to Kane's corner is about two-thirds of a mile, and it is regretted by many that the city and the street railway could not have agreed concerning the double track and so made one job of it. From Kane's corner to Lee's brickyard, about two miles, is a matter between the street railway and the county authorities and it is now believed they will have no further difficulty.

No doubt railway's file of letters, telegrams and telephone messages shows clearly enough that the company has, ever since last February, been pressing the Department of Railways to get the master of crossing the I. C. R. cleared up. The day has been at Ottawa rather than here, as an inspection of the documents clearly proves. As it stands the I. C. R. authorities have insisted upon a stiff agreement and the street railway has consented to almost everything proposed. There is talk among business men of seeking to reopen the negotiations for double-tracking to Kane's corner in order to leave no doubt regarding the will of the people. The vote cast was not large but was larger than had been expected in view of the general indifference of the citizens.

It is said to be unlikely that any further steps will be taken in the matter. A union of the clerks has been suggested. The total number of votes cast was 2917 of which 1068 were in favor of the proposed law and 1849 against, a majority of 781 in favor of the measure. An error was caused in the morning papers by a mistake made by the returning officer in Brooks ward who returned his figures in announcing the results and who did not turn his box in at City Hall until this morning.

The boxes were opened this morning by the common clerk and the official announcement of the result made as follows:

	For	Against
Lansdowne, No. 1	90	45
Lansdowne, No. 2	88	44
Lorne, No. 1	75	45
Lorne, No. 2	75	33
Victoria, No. 1	69	36
Victoria, No. 2	58	32
Brooks	21	48
St. J. Bay	38	58
Stanley	9	13
Sidney	54	67
Kings	67	101
Dukes	39	142
Dufferin, No. 1	64	75
Dufferin, No. 2	58	88
Queens, No. 1	55	88
Queens, No. 2	33	79
Wellington, No. 1	51	120
Wellington, No. 2	58	109
Prince, No. 1	28	123
Prince, No. 2	38	112
Totals	1068	1849

EARLY CLOSING WAS DEFEATED BY 481

An Error in Carleton Ward—The Corrected Figures in Yesterday's Voting

The early closing law submitted to the electors yesterday under the provisions of the initiative clause of the new city charter was rejected by a majority of sufficient size to leave no doubt regarding the will of the people. The vote cast was not large but was larger than had been expected in view of the general indifference of the citizens.

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PRINCE WILLIAM STREET PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS

Armstrong & Bruce Buy From D. Lynch Estate; Also Duck Cove Land—Other Transfers

Armstrong & Bruce today completed two purchases of valuable properties, one in the business section of the city and the other in the suburbs.

The first mentioned is the lot on the western side of Prince William street between Duke and Princes, opposite the board of trade building, 45 to 46 1/2 feet wide. This is a brick building of three stories and basement on the property, occupied on the ground floor as stores and the other floors as dwellings. The price is said to be more than \$10,000. The property was bought from the David Lynch estate.

The same firm has also purchased from J. S. Gregory about thirty-five acres of land in Lancaster facing on the Duck Cove road. This property is very well situated and will be made into attractive building lots. The price is understood to be in the vicinity of \$700 an acre.

The following property transfers have been recorded:

Sepulchre Foreign Mission Board to A. R. Carlisle, \$4,000, property in Duke street.

Cassie Hannah to T. E. Bishop, \$4,000, property in Union street.

Morton MacLaren, to Mrs. O. J. Tippett, property in Lancaster.

J. R. MacLaren, to M. A. MacLaren, property in Langster.

John Ross to Johna Tobin, property in Brussels street.

John Ross to Herbert Guernsey, property in Brussels street.

W. B. Tennant, to G. N. Breen, property in Simonds.

Admiral H. D. Troop to Mrs. W. B. Tennant, property in Orange street.

An Ottawa syndicate have purchased eighty building lots in Fairville from the Eastern Terminal Realty Co., paying about \$2,000 an acre. It is said that they intend to erect workingmen's cottages on the property.

STETSON DAY

The annual field day at the Golf Club-Stetson Day—comes tomorrow. The ladies will play in the morning and there will be mixed foursomes in the afternoon. The final for the Stetson cup will be played by F. A. Peters and Dr. O. Nise in the afternoon—18 holes, match play, handicap. This is the first year in which the top-notchers have not been represented in the final for this cup. They fell by the wayside in the earlier stages of the match.

PARTRIDGE ON BED POST

When Mrs. Crawford heard her little child crying in a bedroom in the home of her father, Thomas Williams, of Moncton, she went in and found a partridge sitting on the bed-post. It had flown through the open window. The bird was given its liberty.

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AN EYE OPENER

That's just what our Fall Overcoats are said to be, and they must be, for they are selling to men who pride themselves on their good judgment in clothing. An Overcoat made as our coats are made is a coat of which you may be proud, wherever you may go.

Drop in and take a look, we'll be glad to show you the newest ideas in Top Coats.

Men's Fall Overcoats at \$7.50 to \$20.00

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199 to 201 Union street, Opera House Block

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For Men \$4.00 to \$6.00
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OCTOBER 9, '12

Every Underwear Need is Prepared for in the Stocks Here and Ready Just When Underwear is Needed

Doctors tell you that a sneeze is nature's alarm bell and that a shiver is the first intimation that you have caught a cold. Don't catch cold!

Have the right underwear at hand before the mercury drops—many a doctor's bill and much time lost from daily duties have come from doing it "tomorrow" instead of today!

Everything needed in underwear by men is here—all the weights desired—and at less than you can buy as good elsewhere.

Heavy Elastic Ribbed Shirts and Drawers made from selected Canadian wool, absolutely unshrinkable, great value at the price 75c
Heavy Merino Shirts and Drawers, guaranteed all wool and unshrinkable, another great value 75c
Stanfield's Unshrinkable Shirts and Drawers, in many weights for winter wear, \$1.00 to \$2.00 per garment
Penman's Pure Lambs Wool Shirts and Drawers, nicely finished, only 75c, \$1.00 per garment
Penman's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers 50c, 75c per garment
"Wolsley" all wool Shirts and Drawers, England's best make and that means the world's \$1.50 to \$3.00 per garment
Dr. Jaeger's Light Weight Pure Wool Shirts and Drawers \$1.50 per garment
Medium Weight Merino Shirts and Drawers \$1.50 per garment
Penman's Celebrated Heavy Weight Merino Shirts and Drawers \$1.25 to \$1.60 per garment
Penman's Closed Crotch Combinations \$2.25, \$2.50 suit
Stanfield's Combinations \$2.50 to \$4.00
Wolsley and Dr. Jaeger Combinations \$3.00 to \$4.25 suit

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

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Just what you need these cool days until it gets cold enough for an Overcoat. We have them in great variety.

Men's 98c, \$1.18, \$1.38, \$1.48, \$1.68
\$1.98, \$2.38, \$2.88, \$2.98

Boys' 48c, 58c, 68c, 88c, 98c.

Underclothes too, at saving prices

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We are showing a large stock of stoles—scarfs and muffins in all popular furs in stylish shapes.

Persian Lamb Ties \$12, 15, 18, 20, 25
Black Lynx Stoles \$35, 40, 60, 75, 90
Persian Lamb Stoles \$45, 50, 55
Isabella Fox Stoles \$25, 30, 35
Black Wolf Stoles \$30, 40
Mink Stoles \$40, 60, 75, 90, up.

Also Sables, Ermine, Martin and other furs in great variety.

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