

Bargain Week

Below is only a partial list of the many bargains we are offering on Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, etc. It will pay you to buy from us during this week.

- 50c. Bayers' Aspirin Tablets 19c.
- 50c. Chase's Nerve Food 43c.
- 50c. Carter's Pills 19c.
- 50c. Fruitatives 39c.
- 60c. Hind's Cream 49c.
- 40c. Castoria (Fletcher's) 29c.
- \$1.00 Eno's Fruit Salt 89c.
- 25c. Cuticura Soap 23c.
- 35c. Listerine 30c.

THE ROSS DRUG CO., LTD.
100 King Street
"WE ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU"

TOMORROW FINAL CLEARANCE

of 10 only WINTER MODEL HATS \$4.00

These are mostly large black silk velvet dress shapes with attractive trimmings; made to retail around \$15. They arrived late, that's why we have to sacrifice them tomorrow at way less than cost.

Cash only—every sale final.

MARR MILLINERY COMPANY, LIMITED

Ladies Persian Lamb Coats

By a very fortunate buy we are able to offer you a limited number of these desirable Coats at very special prices.

These garments are made from those skins having a beautiful lustre and the most desirable curls.

To the lady requiring a large sized Coat this is her opportunity. These Coats with one exception, have large deep shawl collars and cuffs of Alaska Sable. Sizes 36 to 44.

Prices Range from \$400 to \$500.

F. S. THOMAS
539 545 to Main Street

Half Price Sale

We are selling the balance of our stock of men's and boys' winter overcoats at half price in order to clear our racks.

Come in and let us show you what we can save you.

TURNER, 440 Main St., Cor. Sheriff

Supper at the Royal After the Show

brings the crowning touch to the evening's pleasure. And you can have anything, beautifully cooked, from just a light supper to a good, substantial repast, at the

Garden Cafe, Royal Hotel!

Give a Toboggan Party

The keen excitement and healthful pleasure of tobogganing makes it an ideal winter sport and provides an excellent method of entertainment.

THE FAMOUS PAQUET TOBOGGANS made in Canada, are without a peer, being well and strongly made of seven perfectly clear birch slats, 3-3/4 inch thick. The slats are screwed to cross-bars underneath the toboggan, giving an absolutely smooth surface. The head has two outside slats turned in underneath the other slats, giving the toboggan a graceful appearance and protecting the head. The body of the toboggan is thoroughly oiled and the head is varnished. This describes the favorite "Duchess" model, priced as follows:

- 6 foot length.....\$6.00
- 8 foot length.....\$8.15

TAKE THE ELEVATOR TO THE SPORTING DEPT.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.
Hardware Merchants
Store Hours—8.30 to 6. Close at 1 p.m. on Saturdays during January, February, March.

CITY COUNCIL'S AID TO A NEW LOCAL INDUSTRY

Recommend the Purchase of Water Pipe Manufactured in St. John by T. McAvity & Sons—Increase in West Side Insurance—Claim for Damages from Explosion.

The city council this morning decided to encourage the creation of a new industry in St. John by recommending the granting of a contract to T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., for the purchase of some new six and eight-inch water pipe, to be manufactured in the city and delivered before June.

Commissioner Jones, in making the motion said that the firm had sent a delegation to the council, in which they said they would start the industry here, employing twenty-five to thirty men, and eventually adding to this number as their business increased. He said that although the price quoted was \$1.50 a ton higher than the lowest tender, he thought that the firm should be encouraged to manufacture locally in order to increase the industry of the city.

Asked regarding the proposal for the establishment of a new fish industry on the west side, Commissioner Bullock said that he expected the city solicitor to be present to give his opinion on the request for reduced taxation. The matter was not dealt with, however. Commissioner Frink said he understood that the project was to be opposed by Leonard Brice, John Sealy and other fish dealers.

It was decided to take up discussion of the 1922 estimates at the weekly meeting tomorrow afternoon.

West Side Insurance.

Commissioner Bullock referred to the recommendation of the board of trade regarding the placing of more insurance on the west side sheds. According to a survey made by the city engineer, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 sheds, he put the replacement value at \$275,000, and insurance now carried was \$175,000. Commissioner Bullock said that it was advisable to carry insurance to eighty per cent. of the value, which would increase the amount carried by \$50,000, and he had made allowance for an additional premium of \$2,166.80 in his estimates for 1922.

On his motion, it was decided to recommend to council the addition of \$50,000 to the amount now carried.

Claim for Damages.

Commissioner Jones reported on the matter of the claim of Charles A. Donald for damage done to his house in Adelaide street by an explosion of dynamite last summer. He said he submitted the facts to the solicitor and asked for his opinion.

The explosion occurred while excavation operations were being carried on by A. George Moses, who had been employed by the city for deepening New-man's Brook. As a result of this mishap a lad, who was handling the dynamite stored close to the highway bridge, lost his life. The concussion caused considerable damage to the buildings in the neighborhood. Mr. Moses, the contractor, got into communication with those whose properties suffered damage and rectified them.

The solicitor wrote to the effect that there could be no liability without negligence, and it was his opinion that it was that of the contractor, not of the city. The explosion was not a part of the operation of deepening New-man's Brook, but consisted in the discharge of explosives stored in a building near the scene of operations. Under the circumstances he did not consider the city was in any way liable for anything that happened to the dynamite the contractor had stored.

Mr. Jones therefore moved that Mr. Belyea be so advised. Carried.

Pipe Purchase Authorized.

On motion of Commissioner Jones it was decided to purchase from Frank Garson 1,000 feet (45 tons) of twelve inch cast iron water pipe, slightly used, at \$88 a ton, subject to the inspection and approval of the city engineer on arrival here. Mr. Jones explained that the department required 8,000 feet of pipe (137 tons) at a cost of \$7,200, for water main renewals. He said that the city was \$15 a ton less than new pipe and it was guaranteed as good as the original article. He said that the city could not be compelled to take it if it did not pass the test of the engineer. Under these conditions the motion was carried.

Support Local Industry.

Commissioner Jones said that it had frequently occurred to him since he became commissioner of the water department, that he should make an effort to ascertain from industrial firms if it would not be possible for them to engage in the manufacture of cast iron pipe in the city, instead of following the practice of sending orders for this material to outside firms and corporations. Last summer the department was obliged to take from stock quantities of pipe. It would be necessary now to restore this material and to do this he had invited tenders from dealers handling these goods. A number of bids were received including one from a well known local manufacturer. There was a difference of \$1.50 a ton between the highest and lowest figures. Tenders were asked for about 187 tons at an estimated cost of \$7,200.

The local firm referred to was T. McAvity & Sons whose bid was next to the lowest. He said he was assured by a member of this firm that, if given this contract, they would within a period of three months, be in a position to turn out from their own establishment a portion of the order to enable the department to continue operations without interruption until the order was completed.

He therefore moved that the city purchase from T. McAvity & Sons 1,500 feet of 6-inch and 8-inch cast iron pipe, to be of their own manufacture in the city of St. John, delivery to be made not later than June, to be paid for out of unexpended balances. He said that their price was \$1.50 a ton higher than the lowest tender.

Commissioner Frink said he was supporting the project on account of the possibility of the birth of a new indus-

LOCAL NEWS

ARE AT PLATTSBURG.

Walter Coughlan received a telegram this morning from Frank White saying that Tommy Tebo and Leonard arrived safely last evening at Plattsburg.

FOR 1922.

The Times is in receipt of a handsome calendar from the New Zealand Shipping Company, through their local agents, J. T. Knight & Company.

AWAIT COMPLETE RETURNS.

All the returns were not in at a meeting of the Local Council of Women this morning in the Board of Trade rooms about the matter of the badges sold for the two days' skating at Lily Lake last week. It is understood that another meeting will be held in the near future.

EMPLOYMENT.

There were no registrations this morning at the St. John registration and employment office. Five applications for workers were received, and three positions, two permanent and one temporary, were filled. It is expected that two more will be filled this afternoon.

A PLEASANT TIME.

On Saturday evening those living in Ten Eyck Hall and their friends enjoyed a delightful sleigh drive to Torryburn. Between thirty and forty bundled into the big sleigh, and spent two hours in singing, racing at the stars, "and everything." On the return to the hall, a delicious turkey dinner was served, and after the turkey in the clear, frosty air, full justice was done to the monarch of the poultry kingdom. Following the dinner, a short musical programme was carried out. Before the company broke up, votes of thanks were extended to the committee in charge, and to the host and hostess.

START MADE ON 1922 ESTIMATES

Those of the Ferry Department Presented to Council, but Action Deferred Until Tomorrow.

The common council this morning started the consideration of estimates for 1922. Those of the ferry department were presented, but no action taken. Consideration will be resumed tomorrow afternoon.

Ferry Department.

Ladlow painting.....	1921	1922
Gov. Carleton hull.....	2700	2700
Ladlow repairs.....	2000	2700
Gov. Carleton.....	2500	2700
and machinery.....	2000	2000
East toll house repairs.....	1500	1500
West toll house repairs.....	1000	1000
Filling east side.....	5000	700
Piling west side.....	500	800
East side floats.....	2000	2000
East side floats repairs.....	2500	1000
Lighting east and west.....	1000	1500
Coal, steam and heating.....	80,000	25,000
Salaries twelve months.....	39,000	39,000
Insurance on plant, etc.....	800	800
Printing and lecturing.....	990	800
26 pay roll wages.....	7500	1800
Prov. Compensation.....	1000	1800
Total.....	\$105,050	\$89,900
Less estimated revenue.....		\$45,000
		\$54,900

Salaries 1922.

2 captains, \$145 a month; 2 mates, \$130 a month; 2 deckhands, \$120 a month; 10 engineers, \$150 a month; 3 oilers, \$120 a month; 3 firemen, \$120 a month; 1 watchman, \$120 a month; 4 collectors, \$112 a month; 4 gatemen, \$120 a month; 1 foreman carpenter, \$4.80 a day; 1 assistant foreman, \$4.05 a day; 1 shore watchman, \$3.75 a day; 1 machinist, \$3.60 a day; 1 char woman, \$2.25 a day; 1 typist, \$2.10 a day.

Commissioner Bullock said that he expected a deficit of \$2,000 to \$3,000 on the harbor finances for 1921.

POLICE COURT

Two men pleaded guilty today to a charge of being drunk and were remanded. One of them was the same man who gave a speech on the disadvantages of the capitalist system last week. After he had been taken below the magistracy remarked that he hadn't said anything this morning and suggested that he thought he wasn't remembered.

Joseph Boudreau pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing a coat, the property of Frank Bisby, from the Dufferin Hotel. Detective Bidcombe said that as a result of a complaint received from Mr. Bisby who was staying at the Dufferin, he had gone to several second hand stores and in Williams' store in Dock street, had found the coat in court. Later he received a phone call and on going to the store he was informed by Max Williams that a man leaving against the counter was the one who had brought in the coat. This man was the defendant and he had with him two bottles, one of which had contained wood alcohol and one was half full of turpentine. He arrested the man who said his name was Boudreau. He said he had not stolen the coat but could remember selling it to Williams. He could not remember where he got it because he had been drinking just before that. He said the drinking accounted for his signing the wrong name on the second store book. When the defendant was searched they found on him two letters, addressed to Bisby, four small books, a pair of glasses, a pair of scissors, a key which the defendant said belonged to the Dufferin Hotel, and \$2.10 in cash. The case was postponed until other witnesses could be present.

The magistracy spoke of people being out late last night in spite of the storm. He also said he thought the city must be going crazy about dancing because the other day a little girl was arrested for being out early on Sunday morning and said she had been to a dance hall and later into a restaurant for a meal. He also mentioned a case where three young fellows said they had just come from a dance at between three and four o'clock in the morning.

The firm should be encouraged as it was a reputable firm with a long record of good business. He said, however, if the firm proposed to import the pipe, he was opposed to the proposition.

It was pointed out by the mayor that the resolution protected this feature. The motion was

UNUSUAL VALUES

Besides our Free Hemming Sale and White-wear Sale, which are now giving such unusual values, we have taken several lines of goods and placed them on sale at such big reductions you will agree with us they are most unusual values.

VOILE BLOUSES—In several pretty styles and of excellent quality..... 98c. Each

SEPARATE SKIRTS—Several styles of these skirts have been reduced and are now on sale at \$3.98 and \$6.98

KNIT UNDERWEAR—Splendid values in drawers, vests, combinations and bloomers at greatly reduced prices.



Quality, Service, Value

Macaulay Bros & Co. LIMITED

Our Aim is to Please.

Further Reductions in Granite Cooking Utensils

Enable Us to Offer You 1914 Prices

Bring this list with you it will assist you in making your selection.

9 qt. Stove Pot.....	\$1.00	8 qt. London Kettle.....	89c.	14 qt. Dish Pan.....	75c.
6 qt. Potato Pot.....	\$1.00	6 qt. London Kettle.....	79c.	10 qt. Dish Pan.....	50c.
4 qt. Potato Pot.....	89c.	7 Cup Tea and Coffee Pot.....	79c.	12 inch Round Roaster.....	80c.
3 qt. Double Boiler.....	\$1.00	4 qt. London Kettle.....	69c.	6 qt. Tea Kettle.....	\$1.00
2 qt. Double Boiler.....	89c.	17 qt. Dish Pan.....	89c.	3 qt. Wash Basin.....	50c.

At such extremely low prices these goods will move quickly. Be on hand early and get your supply.

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Glenwood Ranges

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155 UNION STREET
PHONE M. 1545
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Oak Hall's 33rd Anniversary Sale

Continues to be the most interesting selling event of the season, more bargains being added to our sales counters every day; new, fresh merchandise bought especially for this sale and at prices that appeal to the most modest pocketbooks.

SPECIALS FROM OUR WOMEN'S SHOP:

Women's Fine Tailored Suits.....	Sale Price, \$35.00
All-Wool Scotch Tweed Skirts.....	Sale Price, 8.98
Ship-on Flannel Dresses, various colors.....	Sale Price, 11.85
Fine Voile Frilly Front Blouses.....	Sale Price, 1.79
Lisle Hose—Brown, Navy, Grey, Black.....	Sale Price, .58
Black Cashmerette Hose, good quality.....	Sale Price, .58
Black Silk Hose, plain or ribbed top.....	Sale Price, 1.19
Regulation Jack Tar Middies.....	Sale Price, 2.78

Underwear, Underskirts, Umbrellas, Sweaters, House Dresses, Gloves.

All at Sale Prices.

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OAK HALL - Scovil Bros., Ltd.
King Street.

Pursuant to our policy of giving our customers the very best values obtainable anywhere, we are continuing this stupendous

Pre-Stock-Taking Sale

until a large part of our stock has been liquidated.

Regardless of cost to us or of production we are offering the finest period and modern furniture at prices that will not be duplicated in years.

Wise buyers will take full advantage of this sale—shopping all over the store for the most pronounced bargains fitting their needs.



A. Ernest Everett
THE HOUSE FURNISHER
91 Charlotte Street

A. B. C. ELECTRIC WASHERS on demonstration.

They say a man of fortune is set in his habits. If true, isn't it reasonable to assume that after sixty years of making reliable furs precludes our making them otherwise?

Then, too, just now all our furs are so liberally discounted it's really the best possible reason for the continued depletion of our stock.

HUDSON SEAL COATS, Grey Squirrel Trimmed, \$250.00

MOLESKIN COATS, \$360.00

THE FINEST MUSKRAT COATS, Raccoon Trimmed, \$365.00

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