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We are clearing out at phenomenal prices the balance of the season's stock of Coats, including many of the most exclusive styles, all made of the most fashionable materials—Chinchillas, Camelhair, English Tweeds, Scotch Mixtures, heavy Cheviots, Diagonals and Kerseys.

The thermometer will very soon have a sinking spell and those who are unprepared will find no other such opportunity anywhere to supply their needs at such low prices.

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STANDARD PATTERNS are the most economical to cut from.

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Cloakings at This Store in Abundance

while they are scarce at other stores. We cabled for repeats and they are here now at all prices in generous quantities and just the colors that are now in style and just the colors that you have been asking for and could not get.

Fawn and Grey All-Wool Cloakings, 56 inches wide, \$1.15 a yard.

Fawn, Green, Grey Reversible Cloakings, English made goods, very stylish, \$1.60 a yard.

Extra heavy Sponge Cloth Reversible Cloakings, in a large variety of colors, \$2.10 a yard.

Chinchilla Cloakings with reversible back, \$2.60 and \$3.75 a yard.

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59 Charlotte Street

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Remember, the Better Grades are Cheapest in the end, because they are more durable and retain their good appearance much longer than cheaper ones.

In our showing of this season's styles, which now awaits your inspection, you will find all the most favored effects in Mink, Alaska, Sable, Persian Lamb, Fox and Lynx. These come in splendid qualities, and at the prices marked, will appeal to you as Exceptional Values.

J. L. Thorne & Co. The Centre for Seasonable Headwear
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Women's & Children's Underwear

Whatever is needed in Under Garments for Women or Children will be found in the splendidly complete McMackin Underwear Stock.

CHILDREN'S Vests and Drawers . . . 25c. to 75c. Corset Waists (knee lined) . . . 25c. Nanseth Waists . . . 25c. Infants' White Ribbed and Roller Vests . . . 25c. to 60c. McCALL'S PATTERNS 10 and 15c.	WOMEN'S Union Vests and Drawers, 25c., 40c., and 50c. Wool Vests and Drawers 75c. and \$1. Stanfield's Vests and Drawers, 85c., \$1.00 and \$1.25. Knit Corset Covers 25c.
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Now is The Time

If you are thinking of purchasing a Piano for a Christmas Present, be sure and see the beautiful assortment of

Heintzman & Co. Pianos and Wormwith & Co. Pianos
which we are offering at special prices and terms.

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co.
53 Germain Street
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NOW FOR NEW HOUSES THERE

Douglas Avenue Sewer Extension Obstacle Has Been Removed—Boom Next Year

The city commissioners have to their credit the accomplishment of a task which common councils have been wrangling for the last eight years. This is the completion of plans for the extension of the sewerage system to the end of Douglas Avenue. For many years this has been demanded by property owners who wish to build there. A difficulty was regarding an outlet for the sewer and it was not until this morning that the last obstacle was removed.

A route for the outlet has been approved but it led through private property and a right of way had to be secured. Arrangements were made with all the property owners except the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton and this was accomplished today. A committee consisting of W. M. Jarvis, J. Roy Campbell and W. A. Ewing appeared before the commissioners to settle the matter. The committee had power to act and an agreement was reached with them regarding the right of way.

The way is now opened for the work and the excavations for the sewer will be proceeded with.

The completion of the sewer will lead to building operations on a large scale in Douglas Avenue. As lease for property owners have announced their intention of commencing operations next year.

DANIEL GILSON DIES IN ACCIDENT

Well Known Teamster Crushed to Death Between Boiler and Cart

While employed about 11 o'clock this morning in the hauling of a large boiler to the wharf of the Dominion Coal Company, from a siding in the I. C. R. yard, Daniel Gilson, a well known teamster met almost instant death by being crushed between the boiler and a coal cart, in what way is not definitely known.

He had started out with a span of horses to convey the heavy piece of machinery to the wharf to be used in connection with hoisting from the scows or about the wharves. He had it as far as the yard of the company, with the assistance of his son, Daniel, who was standing only a few feet away from his father when the fatality occurred, and who was powerless to avert it.

Although there were more than a dozen men employed in the immediate neighborhood just how the accident happened could not be definitely described. It is supposed that Mr. Gilson was standing alongside the boiler or working at one side of it, and that a coal cart just a few feet away, was backed up and badly braked about to drive Mr. Gilson forcibly against the boiler and jam his body so that life quickly departed.

His son and another workman, William Swanton, rushed towards the dying man and carried him into a nearby office where Doctor T. H. Lunney was called. But it was too late. The shock had been too severe and hadly bruised about the head and shoulders, the man soon passed away. Coroner Harriman was summoned and gave permission for the body to be removed to P. Fitzpatrick's undertaking establishment. Later it will be brought to his home in Mill street where the funeral will take place.

Mr. Gilson, who was about sixty-five years of age, had a great number of friends about the city. He was one of the best known teamsters, and in addition had com- manded the Depot House in Mill street some time. Besides his wife he is survived by two sons, Daniel P. and Hugh L., both at home, and four daughters, Mrs. Wm. Dacey, Mrs. T. Callahan, Mrs. John Wilson, all of this city, and Mrs. L. J. Rickie of Boston.

LOCAL NEWS

TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE
The Royal Gazette contains notice that Rev. James Colburn of Glassville, Carleton county and Rev. J. A. Morrison, of St. John, N.B., have been registered to solemnize marriages.

IN FIVE SECTIONS
The Montreal train coming to the city today brought a great number of passengers for the steamer Empress of Ireland and Canadian. The train came to the city in five sections, four of which went to West St. John with the steambest passengers and the other, the regular train, came to the depot.

MRS. J. V. BORGAN
The death of Mrs. Fannie E. wife of Jeremiah V. Borgan, occurred this morning at her home, 84 Marsh Road, after an illness of about two weeks. She was respected by a large number of friends. Besides her husband, she is survived by four children, four sisters, and two brothers.

SCOTS FROM ST. JOHN
St. John's Courier.—The members of St. Andrew's Society will observe St. Andrew's night with a banquet at the Grosvenor hotel this evening, at which Rev. Gordon Dickie will speak for "The day and all who bring it." Mr. Dickie will come from St. John to furnish the enchanting music of the pipes and Fred McNeill, of St. John, will render popular Scottish songs of the day.

THE FIRST SNOW STORM
A little more than an inch of snow fell during the first snowstorm of the season in the city yesterday. Snow early falling late in the afternoon and continued until early this morning. A heavy gale blew along the coast of the Bay of Fundy, and the storm was quite severe in Yarmouth, Halifax and several other places in Nova Scotia. The gale fortunately did not strike here so severely. The snow was too light to provide good sleighing.

THE POLICE COURT

Three sailors, Karl Anderson aged 24, Andrew Anderson, aged 24 and Oscar Johnson, aged 24, were strapped in the police court this morning on the charge of absenting themselves without leave from the schooner Harry which is lying at Starr's wharf, and also with refusing duty on board. The men were given in charge by Captain A. Ostrom. He said that the men were all articled seamen and that they had been signed on in New York.

The men contended that the schooner was not fit to live in and was very unsafe. His Honor ordered that if they did not go back to the ship that they could be sent into jail for eight weeks without a fine. One of the men told the court that he would rather go to jail than return to the ship. The men were told by the court that they would have to return to the ship, and instructed the captain to have come repairs made to the forecabin. The men were remanded to jail, until this afternoon when they will be called for by the captain and taken on board.

Agnes Cunningham, charged with being drunk in Brussels street was fined 88 or two months in jail. Besides this fine she will have to pay one of \$60 or three months in jail, as she was recently before the court on the charge of being in charge of a house of ill repute in Sheffield street and was allowed to go on suspended sentence. His Honor ordered that this fine should also be imposed this morning.

One prisoner charged with drunkenness was fined 88 or two months in jail.

WINTERPORT NOTES

The C. P. R. liner Empress of Ireland, with between 1700 and 2000 passengers, and a very large cargo on board, will sail from Sand Point about three o'clock this afternoon. Four special trains arrived at Sand Point this morning with passengers and the Point was a very busy place.

The C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain is due to leave Liverpool today on her first voyage to this port this season. She is bringing out quite a few passengers and a good cargo. She is due here on Friday next.

The S. S. Oceano, Captain Coffin, arrived in port last night from the West Indies with a few passengers, and a fairly large cargo.

The Allan liner Corsica is due to sail from port tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock for Liverpool direct.

The Allan liner Victoria was reported forty-four miles north of Sable Island at 8:30 o'clock this morning, and is due to arrive in Halifax at six o'clock tonight. After landing passengers at Halifax she will proceed to this port.

The S. S. Manchester, in cooperation from Manchester is due to arrive tonight. She will load here for Philadelphia.

An all the year steamship service between St. John and Manchester, England, is to be established by Manchester Lines, Ltd., according to Charles R. Mitchell, traveling freight agent of the company, who is now in the city. At the conclusion of the present winter service the regular summer sailings will commence.

FORMERLY OF ST. JOHN

Wife of Captain J. H. Weldon is Dead in Dighton, Mass.

A telegram received by relatives in the North End brought the sad news of the death of Mary J., wife of Captain J. H. Weldon, of Dighton, Mass. Captain Weldon and his wife were natives of this city and many friends will hear with regret of the death of Mrs. Weldon. She is survived by her husband and five sons and two daughters. The children are Capt. J. H. of Fall River, William M. and Frederick L. of New York, and James S. of Anson, Mass., and Leslie, at home. Mrs. Sarah of New York and Mrs. Harry Rich of Taunton, Mass.

ST. JOHN YOUNG WOMAN DIES IN WOODSTOCK HOSPITAL

In the hospital in Woodstock on Thursday Miss Mabel Kaye died of typhoid fever. She was aged twenty-four years. Her mother, Mrs. Malcolm Kaye, lives at 50 City Road. Miss Kaye was taken ill in Woodstock about six weeks ago. Her recovery was confidently expected until a few days ago. On Sunday she took a bad turn, which resulted in her death yesterday afternoon. The family are members of Leinster street Baptist church.

CARLETON WEDDING

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Clifford Price in Watson street, West End, on Wednesday when Rev. W. H. Sampson united in marriage Miss Helena Mechan, formerly of Lunenburg, Scotland, but now of this city, and James Oscar Price, also a resident of St. John. The bride was attended by Miss Letta DeLong and the groom was supported by William Mosher. After the wedding a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Price will reside at 275 Watson street. Both the bride and groom received many handsome presents, including one from the groom's fellow employees in Taylor & White's.

Store open tonight till 8 o'clock

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We always put the importance of Quality before Price. But our prices are low when you consider the quality. As people grow more careful in buying, the surer we are of their trade. We are now showing a range of men's winter overcoats, that will appeal to the very best dressers.

Men's Winter Overcoats Price at \$7.50 to \$20.00

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LOT 1—Men's Imported Scotch Heather Half-Hose, made by one of England's best manufacturers. Unshrinkable and nicely finished, a splendid hose for Winter wear. Worth 30c per pair. **Special Price, 3 Pairs for 57c.**

LOT 2—Men's Fine All Wool Black Cashmere Half-Hose. A very reliable make, guaranteed pure wool cashmere. These hose will give splendid wear and satisfaction. Worth 30c per pair. **Special Price, 3 Pairs for 59c.**

LOT 3—Finest Imported Black and Heather Mixed Half-Hose, made by one of England's reliable makers. Every pair guaranteed unshrinkable, made from a splendid soft worsted yarn a little heavier than the cashmere hose. Splendid for Winter wear. Worth 40c per pair. **Special Price, 27c Per Pair, 4 Pairs \$1.00.**

Those Night Shirts and Pyjamas That We Advertised Last Week

We have a few of these left and, while they last, we will sell them at the same bargain prices. We have never seen better values.

\$2.00 Pyjamas and Night Shirts, \$1.48
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We have always had the largest and best stock of Ladies' Fur Coats, and this year our showing is far ahead of previous years. Every garment has been made right here and we know that better values are not to be had in any place. **QUALITY CONSIDERED.**

Near Seal \$75.00, 90.00, 110.00	Klondyke Beaver, Pointed Fox Collar . . . \$150.00
Marmot \$75.00	Greenland Seal, Coon Collar and Cuffs . . . \$75.00
Marmot with Coon Collar and Cuffs . . . \$125.00	Muskkrat \$90.00, 100.00, 125.00
Klondyke Beaver, Oppossum Collar . . . \$150.00	

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