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Pure Wool 42 inch Serges, 50 cents a yard.  
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44 inch, fine smooth Serge, suitable for dressy garments, 75 cents a yard.  
50 inch Coat Serge of a splendid texture, 98 cents a yard; different colors.  
46 and 50 inch Coat Serge, a very superior finish, made from the finest of wools, \$1.20 a yard.

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**20% Off Regular Price!**  
LATEST STYLES AND ONLY THE BEST.

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Now is the time to do your spring sewing  
Stock larger than ever before and prices right

Dress Ginghams, 12c, 15c, 20c, 22c yard.	Indian Head Suitings, 18c yard.
English Prints, 14c yard	White Waistings, in stripes and checks, 11c, 13c, 15c, 18c, 20c yard.
Canadian Prints, 8c, and 10c yard.	White Pique, 15c, 22c and 30c yard.
Mercerized Poplin (in Tan, Cream, light Blue and White) 18c yard.	Beaver Cloth, in light blue and white, 18c yard.
Shadow Cloths (white and colors) 28c yard.	Bagdad Suiting (in white) 22c yard.
Linen Suitings, 18c yard	

McCALL'S PATTERNS ..... 10c and 15c.

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**HOARSENESS**

is disagreeable and usually the first sign of a cold. If bothered with hoarseness go to your druggist and purchase a bottle of

### Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam

Use as directed on label and relief will be quick and permanent.

Two Sizes—25c and 50c.

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ST. JOHN, N. B.

### COLORED MEN IN MR. KELSO TELLS OF TORONTO WORK

A SERIOUS FIX OF TORONTO WORK

Assaulting and Robbing William London in Brussels Street is Charge—Police Court Cases

Eight School Buildings as Social Centres—Other Good Projects Bringing Results

"You two men have gotten yourselves into a very serious predicament," said Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning, when dealing with the case of Walter Jones, aged 26, and Ernest Bushlan, aged 22, charged with assaulting and beating and also robbing William London in Brussels street between 9 and 10 o'clock last night. "Several years ago," he continued, "a man was sentenced to fourteen years in Dorchester for robbing a man of a gold ring in the public streets. It is not the amount that you steal that makes the charge serious, but it is the fact that you hold the man up in the public highway. Citizens must be protected whether in their homes or on the streets."

The prisoners were remanded to jail, as the complainant was unable to attend court this morning because of his injuries. Hearing in the case will be begun on Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Both prisoners are colored.

Louis Jones, colored, charged with being drunk and using profane language, Union Alley last night, was fined \$8 or thirty days in jail on the first charge and \$8 or two months in jail for the profanity. He sought to explain to the court that yesterday was his birthday and he was "jest celebratin'," but his story did not go.

John Larsen was before the court, charged with being drunk and assaulting Leo Gilbert, a clerk in D. Bossen's store, 14 Charlotte street, last night about 8 o'clock. The complainant said that the defendant entered the store and asked to be shown some shirts. One was placed on the counter before him and he told the clerk it was no good. On the clerk's saying that it was good, the defendant caught him by the throat. He then put the defendant out of the store.

Policeman Powers said that he saw the defendant in Charlotte street in conversation with D. Bossen in front of the latter's store, and as a crowd had begun to gather, he asked the prisoner to move on. He did so, but stopped again, and on being asked again to move along refused to do so, and was locked up. The prisoner pleaded guilty to drunkenness, but denied the other charge. He was remanded.

The case of Joseph Stewart, charged with bigamy, came up in the police court yesterday afternoon and was further adjourned.

The Chinese assault case will be resumed in the court this afternoon at three o'clock. The case of Leon Smith and Lizzie Smith, charged with assault on William Dixon, will also be continued this afternoon.

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Everybody guaranteed absolute satisfaction.  
Money refunded when requested.  
Interest yourself in our new toggery.  
Look at our spring shirts.  
Let's get acquainted, you'll be glad.  
Excellent clothes for dressy men.

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FOR MEN \$4.00 \$5.00

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FOR WOMEN \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00

If you want the shoe that will give you comfort, the shoe that fixes 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.

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## ADVANCE SHOWING OF EASTER NECKWEAR

The Neckwear Cases are the point at which almost everyone stops, whether he means to buy anything or not. Just now they are in special trim with an advance showing of Easter Cravats.

We are showing for the first time new things in an unusually attractive assortment of four-in-hands and flowings made from Repps, Bengalines, Poplins, Fallies Fourards, Border Ends, Fancy Bias Repps. One of the very newest things is the Magador Stripe Frallies. This is the largest and best range of 50 cent Neckwear we have ever shown.

We are also showing the greatest range of 25 cent Neckwear to be found anywhere. All new goods.

Our range of Silk Knitted Ties is the best we have ever shown. Direct importations from the best London makers. 50c to \$2.00.

We are sole agents for the world famous Atkinson Poplin Ties, made in Dublin, Ireland.

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This Week Will See The Last of Winter Wear at This Store

To complete the entire clearance of our Winter Stock we are making such extremely Low Prices

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS		BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS	
\$ 7.50 Suits and Overcoats	Now \$ 4.98	\$ 3.50 Suits and Overcoats	Now \$ 2.18
8.50 " " "	" 5.48	4.00 " " "	" 2.48
10.00 " " "	" 6.48	4.50 " " "	" 2.98
12.50 " " "	" 7.48	5.00 " " "	" 3.38
15.00 " " "	" 9.98	5.50 " " "	" 3.88
17.50 " " "	" 12.48	6.00 " " "	" 4.18
20.00 " " "	" 13.48	6.50 " " "	" 4.48
22.50 " " "	" 15.48	7.00 " " "	" 4.68

Wonderful Values in Shoes and Rubbers

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Corner Main and Bridge Streets.

## Rough Finish Hats and Stiff Hats for Spring

We have just opened our first shipment of Hats for spring. The shapes are entirely new and different from anything that has been shown, and they are mighty snappy.

The very latest thing in Stiff Hats is finished with a bow on the back. These Rough Finish Soft Hats are in browns and greys and dandy shapes. Come and see our new styles.

STIFF HATS - - - \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00  
SOFT HATS - - - - - \$1.50 to \$5.00

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

### LOCAL NEWS

**THE NEW INFIRMARY.**  
Tenders will be called next week for the construction of the new infirmary for the Sisters of Charity on the property in Coburg street purchased by them from J. Walter Holly.

**TO USE AN X RAY.**  
Reports from the health survey are to the effect that Michael J. Walsh, who was injured at Sand Point yesterday, is resting very comfortably. An X ray photograph is to be taken this afternoon to ascertain the extent of his injuries.

**BROKE HER LEG.**  
While walking in her yard in the rear of her home in Glendale yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Wm. Donner slipped on ice and broke her leg. Dr. F. H. Neve attended her, and later she was removed to the hospital.

**POLICE REPORTS.**  
Frank Cole and Robert Brandy had been reported by the police for hauling ashes through the streets without having them covered.

John Doyle, John Richmond, William Dickett, L. Housers, J. Sutton, Albert Corbett and J. Neval have been reported for working in the city without a license, not being rate-payers.

**DEATH OF MRS. PLUMPTON.**  
The death of Mrs. Esther Smyth Bell Plumpton occurred this morning at her residence 88 Queen street. She is survived by three sons and two daughters. The sons are—George and William, both of Waterbury, Connecticut, and R. E. of this city. The daughters are Annie and May at home. Mrs. Plumpton was a native of this city and for many years an active member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, being the oldest member of that church.

**THOMAS W. ALLEN DEAD IN WOODSTOCK**

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 25—Thomas W. Allen, aged sixty-one, died this morning of pneumonia after an illness of eight days. He came here more than forty years ago from Nova Scotia and had been for years a faithful and efficient employe in Connel's foundry. He was twice married and leaves one son, Percy, of his first marriage. Mrs. A. W. Fields, Mrs. Hoy McLaughlin, and Miss Maud are daughters of the second marriage.

The funeral will be held on Friday. Mr. Allen was a much respected citizen and his death is deeply deplored.

**CARLETON WEDDING**

An interesting ceremony will be performed this evening at the parsonage of Rev. H. E. Thomas, in Carleton, when he will unite in marriage Miss Madeline McAllister, only daughter of the late Samuel McAllister of Lunenburg, and James Knight Galbraith, son of Samuel Galbraith of west St. John. They will be attended by Miss Helen Galbraith, sister of the groom, and Howard Cunningham. The bride will be attired in a very becoming costume of duchesse satin with pearl trimmings and will carry a shower bouquet of roses. Miss Galbraith as bridesmaid will be gowned in pink royal with satin trimmings. Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith received many handsome presents both useful and ornamental. The groom, who is a popular brakeman in the employ of the C. P. R. presented to his bride a beautiful pearl sunburst, to the bridesmaid a gold bracelet and to the bridesmaids a pearl stick pin. The bride and groom will reside in west St. John.

### CREARY MUST LEAVE CITY

Fredon on Suspended Sentence by Judge Forbes

Frederick Creary, charged with breaking and entering, and stealing from several stores, was taken before Judge Forbes in the County Court this morning and elected to be tried under the Speedy Trials Act. He pleaded guilty and was allowed to go on suspended sentence, on condition that he leave the city at once. If he returns within two years he was warned that he would be sent to Dorchester Penitentiary for five years.

The trial of the civil non-jury case of the Dunlop Rubber & Tire Goods Co. Ltd. vs. Fred C. Jones of Moncton was commenced this morning. This was an action brought to recover about \$150 for tires sold to the defendant. The defence contends that certain credits were not given. Mr. H. Sogras testified for the plaintiff and the defendant himself gave evidence. The case was resumed this afternoon. Geo. H. Y. is for the plaintiff and A. Wilson K. G. for the defendant.

### I. I. TAYLOR, TRAVELER WELL KNOWN HERE, IS DEAD

Montreal, Feb. 25—James Johnston Taylor, who was well known to the business community of Halifax, St. John and the Maritime provinces, died last night. He had represented the firm of Alexander Ramsay & Sons for many years in that part of the country. He left Montreal last fall to assume charge of the Vancouver branch of Messrs. Ramsay's business.

### ANOTHER POWER PROJECT?

Evidence of activity on behalf of various hydro-electric projects is turning up in various places. A short time ago two members of the Ingewood Pulp & Paper Company had a call from a gentleman with a proposal to purchase their property on the Musquash stream. The proposal was not a definite one, and nothing was done about it. The purchaser did not reveal the names of those for whom he was acting, but it was believed that the offer was made in connection with a power project.

### PORTER'S CORNER UNDER OPTION

The property known as Porter's corner, the corner of Union and Waterloo streets is again in the market. The property, which included the lot owned by James H. White and the building owned by Andrew Myles and occupied by W. A. Porter, was under option last spring but was not taken up. Recently local business men secured an option on it for Montreal interests who wished to establish a branch store here but the matter was not completed. The property is again under option.

### ARRESTED ON THEFT CHARGE

William Porter, aged 18, was arrested at noon today by Detective Killen on the charge of stealing a pair of boots with skates attached from the Victoria Rink. It is alleged that he took the boots and skates from the dressing room in the rink, and after detaching the skates from the boots sold the latter to twenty-five cents. Detective Killen recovered both the boots and skates.

### WINTERPORT NOTES

S.S. "Skokote" sailed this afternoon at 2 o'clock for the West Indies via Halifax with a large general cargo.

The Donson liner Saturnia arrived yesterday afternoon from Glasgow with 294 passengers and a large general cargo. Among the cargo were seventy-five horses and twenty-one ponies, all being shipped to the west. Andrew McCleod, a passenger, was taken ill on the voyage and was removed to the hospital on the arrival of the steamer.