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**DYKEMAN'S**  
A great opportunity of securing  
**Ladies' Summer Dresses**  
both in white and colors at a big discount

off the regular price is being given now at the sale of Summer Goods in our Ready-to-wear Department.

White Dresses, a very large variety to select from, all daintily and well made in the most up-to-date styles. Many of them made of all-over Hamburg embroidery prettily set with insertion, others made from fine lawn with Hamburg and al. trimming. All this season's make. We are anxious to clear out these Dresses while the season is on and are giving our customers a big cut in price in order that we might accomplish this end. Prices now range from \$2.25 to \$10.00. The prices formerly ranged from \$3.25 to \$13.00.

A big lot of Colored Dresses, all prettily and well made from good materials. The prices now run from \$1.50 to \$4.50.

Among these Colored Dresses is a very pretty Voile Dress. This is made from the bordered voile with nice val. lace yoke, high waist line, a very stylish dress. Price now \$2.50, was \$4.50

Also a very special line of White Lawn Dresses combined with pale blue chambray making a very attractive combination. Price while this sale lasts only \$1.99.

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**SNAPS IN PANAMAS**

To clear the balance of our Panama Hats, we have Reduced the Prices to figures that mean Genuine Bargain Values. All the Standard Qualities are represented in the lot which includes every shape and style, from the high crowned, broad-brimmed variety for the stout, round-faced man, to the narrow brim and lower crown, best suited to the man of slight features and slender build. The Prices Speak for Themselves.

Regular value \$ 6.00	Sale price \$4.00
Regular value 7.00	Sale price 4.50
Regular value 9.00	Sale price 6.00
Regular value 12.00	Sale price 9.00

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**MEN'S SUMMER UNDERWEAR**

A collection of the country's best underwear. And we guarantee that just as much time is spent in selecting and improving medium-priced underwear as in the higher priced. Because the garment is low-priced is no reason that it should be skimpy in length or breadth.

BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, 25c. and 50c. a garment.  
BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, short sleeve and knee length, 50c. a garment.  
POROUS KNT SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, 45c. a garment.  
MERINO SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, 50c. a garment.  
NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS (light weight), \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.45 a garment.  
NATURAL WOOL COMBINATIONS, \$2.50 each.  
BALBRIGGAN COMBINATIONS, \$1.00 Each.  
BATHING SUITS, 50c. and 75c. Each.

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

Another Great Bargain Sale In  
**Slightly Used Pianos and Organs**

1 Nice Upright Piano, medium size, 7 octave, rosewood case, good tone, beautiful piano for a child to practice on—original price \$375.00—now \$75.00—terms \$10 down and \$6 per month.

Also a number of slightly used Organs while they last from \$25.00 up on very easy terms. Call and examine the instruments and be convinced that they are the best values ever offered in St. John.

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

**LOCAL NEWS**

**POLICE COURT.**  
One lone prisoner was arraigned in the police court this morning. He is charged with drunkenness and was remanded.

**COMMISSIONERS' MEETING.**  
At the meeting of the City Commissioners this morning the time was devoted to the public safety department. Commissioner Wigmore presided in the absence of his worship the mayor.

**PLUMBERS DEFEATED MASONS.**  
The Plumbers' team took the Masons' into camp on the Marathon ground last evening, defeating them in a fast game of ball by the score of 3 to 1. Harold Brooker was the battery for the Plumbers and Sprout and Price for the losers.

**BUILDING LOTS SOLD.**  
The sale is reported today of five or six building lots in the subdivision of Alexandra Heights in Lunenburg. The purchaser is a Boston lady and her intention is to build during next spring. The sale was made through Messrs. Jarvis & Rive.

**PATIENTS IMPROVING.**  
The condition of Walter Crosby, who was injured in a motor boat accident on the river on Sunday last, was somewhat improved at the hospital this morning. Patrick Trainor, who was injured by falling over the South Wharf still continues to improve.

**AMATEURS MAY TRAVEL.**  
The St. John amateurs who played Men and Women at the Opera House here this season with much success, have received a tempting offer to play at Charlottetown in the near future. They have not decided whether or not they will accept the offer, but they may go to Halifax during the month of October.

**A PRESENTATION.**  
A great number of friends of Fred Fowler gathered last evening at the home of Miss L. H. Byles, Victoria street, and tendered him a surprise party. During the evening Mr. Fowler was presented with a handsome travelling companion. He has been employed for some time with the C. P. R. here, and will leave at the last of the week for Calgary, where he has accepted a position.

**INTERESTING THE CHILDREN.**  
It was a pleasing sight at the Aberdeen playgrounds last evening to see a group of eager children gathered around Miss Poulis, who told them stories and kept them deeply interested, despite the attraction that drew others to the swings and slide. Story telling is one of the special features of playground work in American cities.

**MAKE WAY FOR LADIES.**  
A lady who was compelled to stand, and who saw another lady standing with a baby in her arms at the King Square band concert last evening, while two benches beside them were filled with men, asks the Times why this should be. It would not be if the men were a little more thoughtful. Perhaps a policeman could be detailed to see that this is the rule in future, unless the man is old or infirm.

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.**  
In the Commercial League series this evening the Bats & Bets' Grays' Sweets will line-up against T. H. Estabrook's Roses. Both teams will have a good line-up and a fast game is expected. The game will be played on the Barrack Square. Maher and Lawlor will be the battery for the Bats & Bets' Grays' and Rowley for the Roses. The game will be called at 7 o'clock sharp. H. R. Henderson will umpire.

**CANADIAN CLUBS.**  
While in Fredericton yesterday, Horace A. Porter, secretary of the St. John Canadian Club, endeavored to see Dr. W. S. Carter in connection with the meeting of the Federation of Canadian Clubs which will be held there on September 18 and 19, but was unable to find the chief superintendent. The programme, however, Mr. Porter says, has not been drawn up and it will be some little time yet before it is.

**SAILORS ARE SCARCE.**  
Sydney Post—Captains of steamers arriving at Sydney declare that not in many years has it been so difficult to obtain crews sufficient to man their ships as at present. Whether it is the wages paid or the fact that there are fewer men engaged in the business of sailing nowadays than formerly that is responsible for the scarcity is difficult to say, but the fact remains sailors are very hard to obtain.

**MONEY IN PEARL DIGGING.**  
The Chatham Gazette tells of thousands of dollars worth of pearls being taken from clams at the clam beds in the Tobique river. Some years ago Thomas O'Brien found a pearl that sold afterward for \$700, and a party of Shelburne people who have been at work are said to have secured one that sold for \$900. The Gazette says that while the work has gone on quietly it has leaked out that last season's operations yielded some thousands of dollars.

**HEBREWS PLAY BALL.**  
A group of young Hebrews, whose politeness clearly indicated that they were not picked up on the streets of St. John, called on the Times this morning. They desired to state that on Hazen Avenue Park the Young Athletics were defeated by the Pond Street Stars by a score of 12 to 1; also that the battery for the winners were Garson and Regor, and for the losers Goldberg and Holtzman. An error by Garson was described as the feature of the game, but there may have been others. Nobody batted the umpire.

**STEEPLE JACKS AT WORK.**  
The work of a steeple jack on the chimney of the Cornwall Cotton mill was watched yesterday afternoon by many people, and the daring acrobats made by spiking one ladder into the chimney, climbing it and then spiking another from the head of the first ladder, was as good as a circus feat to most of the spectators. The jacks are the two White brothers, who have been doing similar work throughout the province. They came out to New Brunswick about eight years ago from Scotland, where they had established a reputation in the trade in the large cities. They make their headquarters at Miramichi.

**WOLGAST AND McFARLAND WILL MEET SEPTEMBER 10**

Milwaukee, Wis., July 31.—"Ad" Wolgast and Puckey McFarland have been matched to fight ten rounds at New York, September 27. Papers will be signed at once, as McFarland is satisfied with Wolgast's offer to let him weigh in at 145 pounds at three p.m. the day of the fight.

**FREDERICTON PLANS BIG DISPLAY FOR ST. JOHN EXHIBITION**

**Board of Trade Will Have Industrial Exhibit—Lots of Entries For Live Stock Department**

That Fredericton business houses and manufacturers will be well represented at the big fair here in September, was made evident by the cordial reception of Horace A. Porter, secretary and manager for the St. John Exhibition Association, who returned from the capital yesterday. Though everybody was pretty well taken up with the preparations for their Old Home Week, the merchants and manufacturers showed a keen interest in the exhibition here. Mr. Porter discussed with Fredericton men the outlook for their "Made in Fredericton," and Board of Trade exhibit, and appreciation seemed to be general of the advertising Fredericton would derive from the scheme. As soon as the Old Home celebrations are over the business men of the capital will take up matters in connection with the exhibition here.

While it is early yet to make comparisons with former seasons, present indications are that this year's show will be a fine one. A look into the manager's office this morning showed a big batch of entries. The live stock show is expected to exceed anything in some years. Enquiries are pouring in from live stock breeders and farmers all showing a great interest and asking for entry blanks. Many of these are new, not having exhibited here previously.

**READY TO CARRY HERBERT CASE TO PRIVY COUNCIL**

Montreal, July 31.—J. Lefebvre, counsel for Eugene Herbert, one of the principals in the famous marriage annulment suit, announced this morning that he was ready to carry the case through the privy council if his client was willing. Mr. Lefebvre pointed out that he has already entered an appeal against the decision of Judge Charbonneau, quashing the annulment of the marriage, by Judge Laurendeau. The hearing of this appeal comes up before the court of revision in October. If appeals are to be continued through the privy council financial assistance will have to be given Mrs. Herbert. She is at the present time out of the country, though her lawyers say they can easily secure her attendance when her case comes up.

**WILL PROSECUTE VICTIMS' FRIENDS FOR TRESPASSING**

Moncton, July 31.—(Special)—C. O. Posa, divisional engineer of the Grand Trunk, was in both ways and in the street, instructed E. A. Rath to start prosecutions against the persons who were with Chas. M. Steer, who was killed on Saturday afternoon last while running a gasoline trolley on the G. T. P. It is alleged that they had no permit to run the trolley over the road.

**ACCIDENT TO TRAIN AT UNION STATION**

As the Montreal train was pulling into the depot today at noon the rear wheels of the last car were run onto the wrong track, caused by the switch closing too soon. Several passengers were in the last car, and had the train been going here, doubtless several would have been injured. As it was the car was later lifted one side, the front wheels being lifted from the track. The accident caused some delay and a great deal of inconvenience to the crowds coming home to dinner, as the train was lying across Mill street.

**MONTREAL INDUSTRIES TARETATED BY STRIKE**

Montreal, July 31.—Unless the iron foundries of the city grandly, a ten per cent wage increase, exacted from Saturday labor, and a change from piece to time work, one hundred pattern-makers declare they will walk out tomorrow morning, and stay out until their demands are granted. Twenty manufacturing establishments in the city will be affected.

**DEATH OF JOHN GOOD**

(Special to Times)  
Moncton, N. B., July 31.—John Good, a well known and respected citizen, passed away at his home, Robinson street, about twelve o'clock last night in the eighty-seventh year of his age. Mr. Good was quite active for a man of his years, had been in failing health for the past year, but death came quite suddenly and unexpectedly. He was a native of Millstream, Kings County, but had resided in Moncton since 1880. About 1882 or 1883 he entered the service of the I. C. R. here and had been employed there continually up to about three years ago, when he retired under the provident fund act. The deceased was an active member of the Reformed Baptist Church and laid the corner stone of the Moncton church twenty-three years ago. He is survived by his wife, four sons, Alfred of the I. C. R., Moncton; Seth of Boston, William of Killians' Mills, Westmorland County, and Cyrus F. of St. Stephen, and two daughters, Mrs. Allan Goughlan of Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. Alphonse of St. John. The body will be taken to Millstream and the funeral will probably take place Friday morning.

**WEDDING OF INTEREST**

Montreal, July 31.—The marriage of the Hon. P. S. G. MacKenzie, Quebec's provincial treasurer, to Miss Catherine Penfold, daughter of the late Jaffey Penfold, of Montreal, for many years manager of the Bank of British North America, is to be celebrated this evening at the residence of the bride's mother, at Melbourne, Que.

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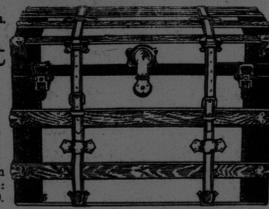
No. 6. Black enamelled and marbled iron covering, hard wood slats, paper lined. Prices: 28 inches, \$2.00; 32 inches, \$2.50; 36 inches, \$3.00.

No. 65. Waterproof Canvas, black enamelled iron binding, heavy hardwood slats, brass plated steel trimmings and lock, imitation cloth lining. Prices: 28 inches, \$2.80; 30 inches, \$3.15; 32 inches, \$3.50; 34 inches, \$3.85; 36 inches, \$4.20.

No. 67. Waterproof Canvas, black enamelled iron binding protecting all edges, heavy hardwood slats, brass plated corners and clamps, excelsior lock, iron bottom and rollers, imitation cloth lining. Prices: 28 inches, \$3.65; 30 inches, \$4.00; 32 inches, \$4.35; 34 inches, \$4.70; 36 inches, \$5.05.

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This is the semi-annual clearance sale that is now on in our merchant tailoring shop. The sale that men who value good clothes and have an appreciative eye for good tailoring wait for. Every suit we make will be tailored as well in every particular as if we charged the full price. Every suit will be made to please and satisfy you or you needn't take it. There is absolutely no risk. So get your orders in early.

Assortment of woollens from which you can make a choice includes the best fabrics that foreign mills have produced for this season. Many of the smart patterns are exclusive with us. An early choice means the best choice of course.

**\$25, \$26 Custom-made Suits..... Now \$20**  
**\$22, \$20 Custom-made Suits..... Now \$18**

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

JULY 31, '12

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We are showing advanced styles of Fur Coats, Stoles, Ties and Muffs in all Stylish Furs for Season 1912-1913, and we invite your inspection.

The Coats are shown in Mink, Persian Lamb, Muskrat, Seal, Pony, etc. plain and with collar, revers and cuffs of other furs.

The Stoles, Muffs and Scarfs are in Sable, Mink, Persian Lamb, Fox, Ermine, etc. Every garment and article finished in the best possible manner.

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