

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Suits and Blouses in the Maritime Provinces.

A Special Sale of Ladies' Waterproofs

We are placing on sale this week a special purchase of one hundred Rubberized Paramatta Waterproofs, raglan sleeves, that would sell in the regular way about \$7.00. Our price, while they last, will be

\$4.50 each

We have been fortunate in securing these garments from one of Canada's best makers at a great sacrifice, and we are giving our customers the benefit of this advantageous purchase. This sale, coming as it does in the season when these garments are most required, will, no doubt, prove interesting.

DOWLING BROS. 95 and 101 King Street

DYKEMAN'S

Elegant Embroideries

The Handsomest Concepts From The Deft Hands of Artistic Workers

A large assortment of Hamburg Embroidery from the narrowest edging up to the widest flouncing, which is 48 inches wide.

Three and Four Inch Hamburg—Very dainty, new pattern, 8 cents a yard.

Twelve Inch Hamburg—Just the thing for babies' skirts, 15c., 18c., 23c. a yard.

Three and Four Inch Hamburg with nice fine work on a very fine quality of lawn, 5 cents a yard.

Hamburg for dresses and skirts, from 45 cents up to 98 cents a yard.

Flouncing—27 inches wide, at 35c., 47c., 55c., 75c. and 90c.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. 59 Charlotte Street

Easter Hats

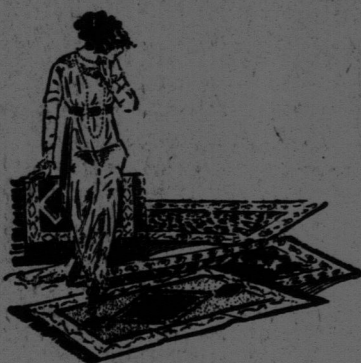
For Men in Derbies and Soft Hats—none but the best and latest.

Derbies \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 to \$5.00 Each. Soft Hats \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 to \$5.00 Each.

Children's Caps—Gray, Navy and Brown.

J. L. THORNE & CO. Hatters and Furriers 55 CHARLOTTE STREET

A Splendid Showing of New Floor Coverings



Not the least important a consideration for you in changing to a new season is the new coverings that you will wish to place upon your home floor.

No matter what room floor you may desire to cover, the kitchen with oilcloth, the outside hall with linoleum, the main hall with a runner, or your rooms with a rug, you will find a most interesting variety here.

We have taken quite a little effort in securing for you this season the latest ideas in floor coverings. And in order that you may see them, and really be convinced of the superior efficiency of our store, we are doubly anxious for you to attend this exhibition.

- Linoleum—(3 and 4 yards wide)..... 60c. and 75c. Sq. Yd. Linoleum—(2 yards wide)..... 48c. and 60c. Sq. Yd. Oilcloth—(1, 1-2 and 2 yards wide)..... 30c. Sq. Yd. Oak Oilcloth—(For bordering), 1-2 yard wide. 15c. to 30c. Yd. Tapestry Carpet..... 65c., 75c., 95c. Yd. Tapestry Stair Carpet..... 45c., 50c., 75c., 95c. Yd. Tapestry Carpet Squares..... \$9.75 to \$24.50 Each

S. W. McMACKIN, 335 Main Street

KITCHEN GETS LEASE OF CAPITAL TROTTER PARK

Fredericton Park Association Awards It—Jail Sentence For Scott Act Violation

(Special to Times) Fredericton, N. B., April 14—Fredericton Park Association has given two years' lease of trotting park to H. G. Kitchen. This decision was reached last night at a meeting in the Barker House. It is reported that a private soldier named Ivors, belonging to the Royal Regiment, on Friday last cut his throat with a razor. It is said he had deserted, and was recaptured and locked up in the guard house. His injury was found to be not serious. Bert Lint, of the City Hotel, was this morning sentenced to thirty days in jail for violation of the Scott act.

RAILWAY MEN LINE UP TO STANDARD AS HOSTS AT DELIGHTFUL FUNCTION

The first post-Lenten social function in Keith's suite took place last evening when the members of Division No. 65 of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees and Freight Clerks held a delightful assembly at which a fine time was enjoyed. There was a large gathering and all seemed to take much pleasure in the entertaining programme of dances carried out so successfully. The ball room presented a strikingly pretty scene with the handsome dresses. The affair was particularly well managed, and the committee having it in hand are deserving of praise for the manner in which they carried out arrangements and saw to it that all enjoyed themselves. The floor committee was composed of A. G. Shevans, director; W. J. McMahon, C. M. Coughlan, G. R. McCafferty, and J. J. McManus, and these with George McKee and W. G. Conway formed the managing committee as well. They well sustained the reputation of the order for doing things well. The chaperons were Mrs. Frank J. McCafferty and Mrs. Charles M. Van Wart. Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of Miss Catherine McQuade, Harry McQuade and Harry Bridgton, and their playing was favorably commented upon. Refreshments were served about midnight and it was an hour or so later that the gathering dispersed.

FIRST \$100 IS SENT FROM ST. JOHN FOR THE SEALING DISASTER FUND

After a meeting of the Newfoundland subscription committee held last evening the amount of \$100 which was subscribed at the meeting of Newfoundlanders on Sunday was forwarded to Mr. Bennett, the acting premier, to help all those who are in need because of the recent disaster.

MONCTON WOMAN UNDER ARREST AND RELEASED ON FURNISHING BAIL

(Special to Times) Moncton, April 14—An interesting case will come up in the Moncton police court tomorrow morning when Mrs. Hattie Hicks will be charged by her husband, Silas H. Hicks, with a statutory offence. Mrs. Hicks was arrested last week on her arrival in Moncton from Boston. A warrant was also out for the arrest of a young married man, but he was not found. Mrs. Hicks was released on \$900 bail.

The plaintiff and husband are both well known in Moncton, having carried on a cab business in this city. For some years they lived in Boston, returning to Moncton about seven years ago. They have been very successful in their cab business. Recently, it is alleged, Mrs. Hicks went to Boston and returned a few days ago. There is a dispute between husband and wife over the ownership of the cabs and horses. Mrs. Hicks was in the Clarke, of Albert county, Mr. Hicks is her second husband, her first husband being the late A. M. Gay. In the case now before the court, Mr. Hicks is represented by G. W. Fowler of Sussex and Mrs. Hicks by James Friel of Dorchester.

BRIDE COMES TO ST. JOHN FROM ENGLAND; WEDDING HERE TODAY

Marriage of Ralph W. D. Sandford and Miss Gorton—Groom's Parents Cross Ocean to Be at Ceremony

An interesting nuptial event was performed this afternoon at 8:45 o'clock in Trinity church when Miss Mary Gorton, of Instow, North Devon, England, became the bride of Ralph William Dehon Sandford, son of Rev. George W. and Mrs. Sandford, of Osbornes, Liphook-hants, England. The groom has been in this country since last December and is comfortably located on a farm which he purchased at Greenwich Hill, N. B., where he and his bride will take up their home.

Mr. Sandford was supported by Percy Townsend, of River Glade, and the bride was given away by Thomas Hasty of Greenwich Hill. Rev. B. Armstrong, rector of Trinity, officiated. After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the rector in Charlotte street. The bride arrived in St. John last week in company with the groom's parents, Rev. Mr. Sandford and wife, who will probably remain in this province about a month before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. Sandford received a substantial array of wedding remembrances from many friends.

Death of Bishop Penick Baltimore, M. D., April 14—Right Rev. Charles Clifton Penick, formerly missionary bishop to Africa for the Protestant Episcopal Church, died here today aged seventy.

LOOK BACK ON GOOD YEAR FOR THE HIBERNIANS

Annual Provincial Meeting Here Today—The Scholarships—To Deal With the Partridge Island Memorial

Matters of interest were dealt with today at the annual meeting of the provincial officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians who assembled this morning in the parlor of the Park Hotel, with E. C. Barry, of Fredericton, provincial president, occupying the chair. There was an encouraging attendance of county presidents and provincial officers, amongst those present being J. J. Smith, of Sydney; M. F. Haly, Fredericton; A. D. Francis, Sydney; Hines, C. B.; Frank Shortall, York county; J. J. Mahoney, Sussex; C. H. provincial secretary, and Rev. C. J. McLaughlin, provincial chaplain. There were also present several members of Division No. 1 A. O. H. and Division No. 2.

Reports were received concerning the past year and showed a most satisfactory condition of affairs. The financial standing of the order in the maritime provinces was reported to be very good, while there was noted a large increase in membership. Several new branches had been formed, and it is planned to have every county represented by a division during the forthcoming year.

Reports upon the A. O. H. scholarship board were presented this afternoon. It was shown that there were now eight boys in various colleges in the maritime provinces being educated through this scholarship fund. The matter of a memorial to be erected in memory of the Irish pioneers who died buried on Partridge Island and which has been under consideration before the order, will be further discussed this afternoon, and it is possible that definite action may be taken.

Last evening in the rooms of Division No. 1, in Union street, a delightful reception and social was given in honor of the visiting delegates. There was a large attendance and all present had an enjoyable time. An entertaining programme was carried out, and refreshments were served.

NEW YORK CHURCH WANTS REV. P. J. STACKHOUSE

Former St. John Pastor, Now of Amherst, Has Not Yet Decided.

Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, formerly of the Tabernacle Baptist church in this city, and for some years pastor of the Baptist church in Amherst, where he has one of the largest if not the largest Baptist congregations in New York, has received a call to a much larger field in New York. Mr. Stackhouse has not given full consideration to the call as yet.

His people in Amherst and Baptists in the provinces generally would regret his removal from Canada. He has done a splendid work in Amherst, and was one of the strong men behind the community programme carried out by John Bradford. The men's meetings on Sunday afternoon in his church, at which men of all creeds came together to discuss social problems, have been greatly appreciated by many others than members of his own denomination.

"BILLY" BURROWS MAKES HIT AT VICTORIAN FAREWELL

The concert troupe from the R. M. steamer Victorian gave their farewell concert in the Seaman's Institute last evening, and although the attendance was not very large, those who were there enjoyed the programme thoroughly. Perhaps the hit of the evening was little "Billy" Burrows, a bell boy on the steamer, who sang three songs and did a little step dance in the cutest manner imaginable. The Victorian Quartette, composed of Mrs. M. Kerr and Messrs. Carr, Lawson and Scott, gave several selections and were well received. Owen Edwards, who has not been here for two years, was on the programme and delighted the audience with his rendition of The Veteran Song. Others on the programme were Messrs. Harrison and Lingley, sketch and dance, and George Dean, solo. John S. Charlton acted as chairman, and O. E. Benn was pianist.

FAIRVILLE NEWS

Reports submitted by various organizations at the Church of the Good Shepherd annual meeting last evening, showed activities of each in a very satisfactory manner. Finances are in good condition with a fair balance on hand. During the year improvements have been made to the church, rectory and hall and further repairs of a more extensive nature are under consideration. Yesterday the new carpet in the chancel was in use for the first time. Among the plans for the coming season is the securing of a new church organ this work being undertaken by the Young Ladies' Society. Canon Smithers addressed the parishioners with reference to increasing their financial responsibility and a generous response was made to the appeal.

W. W. Bronnell and Chas. Lord went to Fredericton last night on business. C. S. Ingraham, principal of the Fairville school in the absence of Mr. Wetmore, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. McCavoy, 102 Germain street, during the holidays.

About 125 persons attended an Easter ball last night in Orange hall. A very pleasant evening was spent. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. W. Cheesman, Mrs. William Simpson, G. A. Croft and W. Fox.

TO WATERFORD FOR SUMMER George Scott, formerly engaged in newspaper work in St. John, but who during the last winter has been engaged in home missionary work for the Presbyterian church in Scotch Settlement, Westmorland County, is to be located for the summer at Waterford in Kings county. An ordained minister, Mr. Livingston, is to take up the work in Scotch Settlement and that section, as announced recently in this paper.

Macaulay Bros. & Co. King Street, St. John, N. B. Our Stores Open 8 a.m., Close 6 p.m. Saturdays 10 p.m.

Dress Fabrics that are Correct

For present and summer wear fashion decrees that plaids and stripes in dress materials will predominate, and of those fabrics we have prepared liberally, as we foresee the rush. Consequently our stocks are now complete with the most popular materials procurable.

SHEPHERD'S PLAIDS—Black and white, all-wool dress fabrics, in all size checks and various qualities.

TARTANS—Scotch Tartans, all-wool dress materials, in Gordon, Forbes, Campbell, Macaulay and mid or large Black Watch plaids.

STRIPES—White grounds with black or blue hair line stripes, in various widths. Also a full range of fancy Brocades in all the new season's colorings.

SAMPLES SENT ON RECEIPT OF POST CARD

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Swell Styles in Easter Footwear! Ladies' Patent Button, Cloth or Dull Tops \$4.00 and \$5.00 IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES AND LASTS.

Men's Slater Boots, in All Leathers \$4.00 to \$6.00

Slater Shoe Shop - 81 King St. R. P. SWEETMAN, MGR.

Advertisement for Greater Oak Hall featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and hat, and text describing the quality of their clothing and services.

Advertisement for Fraser, Fraser & Co. featuring text about a business sale and a list of clothing items.

Advertisement for Magee's Sons, Ltd. featuring text about the quality of their hats and a list of prices.