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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 1909.

## DOWLING BROS.

The Largest Retail Distributors of  
Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Skirts  
Waists in the Maritime Provinces.Fine Wool Blankets  
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICESSTOCK-TAKING finds us with too many **BLANKET COMFORTS**. Now you get them when most needed at a **Great Saving in Price.**20 pairs **White Wool Blankets**, worth \$4.00  
Now **\$3.00 a pair.**40 pairs **Superfine White Wool Blankets**,  
worth \$3.75. Now **\$2.95 a pair.**15 pairs **White Wool Blankets**, worth \$3.50.  
Now **\$2.50 a pair.****SHAKER FLANNEL BLANKETS**; Full Sizes,  
at 98¢, \$1.15, \$1.25 and \$1.35 a pair**Dowling Brothers**  
95 and 101 King Street

## DYKEMAN'S

STOCK-TAKING FINISHED TODAY

Watch Things Happening  
Around This Place in The Next Few WeeksWe are going to give you the **Biggest Bargains in Dry Goods**  
that St. John has ever known.We Will Start on Monday Morning  
With **150 White Shirtwaists at 95c.** each that are  
worth \$1.50, and **300 Nice Fine White Cor-  
set Covers**, beautifully trimmed, at **25c.**These are distinctly January Sale Prices, and it would  
pay everyone to anticipate their wants in the Whitewear  
line and patronize this sale.**F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.**  
59 Charlotte Street

## Great Sheetting Sale

We wish to announce to our many patrons that  
our **Great Sheetting Sale** is still on, and to re-  
mind them that a great saving can be effected by  
buying their**Sheetting, Towels and  
Table Linen**  
From Us at the Present Time

HEMMING FREE OF CHARGE

**S. W. McMACKIN,**  
335 Main Street, North End

## STOCK TAKING SALE!

FURS, CAPS  
and GLOVESDuring the next 10 days we will allow liberal reductions on all  
prices. All new stock.  
WE are not doing much **BLOWING**, but WE have the  
goods. YOU call and be convinced.  
Special line of **Curl Cloth Tams**, regular 75c. Sale Price 25c.  
"Garments made to order a specialty."**ANDERSON & CO.**  
Manufacturing Furriers 55 CHARLOTTE ST.

## Diamonds

## Watches

## Jewelry

And all lines of goods carried  
by first-class Jewelers. When  
purchasing goods in this line,  
visit the most convenient store in  
the city. All goods guaranteed  
at lowest possible prices.**DAVIS BROS.,**  
Reliable Jewelers.  
63 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.

## WE HAVE IT AT LAST!

Only  
\$5.00A PLATE YOU CAN EAT WITH. HELD  
IN POSITION BY OUR NEWLY IMPROVED  
QUADRUPLE ATTACHMENT.  
People don't want artificial teeth to carry  
around in their pockets or deep in boxes  
in their bureau drawer so they will know  
where to find them when the door bell rings,  
they want teeth for service.If you have a plate that no dentist has  
been able to make fit, why not try us; we  
have satisfied thousands and why not you?  
Our teeth are so natural in size, shape,  
color and the expression they afford to the  
features as to defy detection. EVEN BY A  
DENTIST unless closely examined.  
Our new attachment holds them as solid  
almost as though they were riveted in the  
mouth.**DR. J. D. MAHER,**  
427 MAIN STREET,  
DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor,  
Tel. 623 and 722 Main.WINTER PORT BUSINESS  
SHOWS BIG INCREASEStatement of Exports Sent Forward in Twenty Nine Steamers  
Shows an Increase of Over Half a Million — Grain and  
Cattle Shipments Heavy.The following is the list of twenty-nine  
steamships that have made their returns  
to the Customs house up to date for the  
season. It also shows the value of United  
States products as compared with last  
season, which will show a considerable in-  
crease for this year.

Steamers	Value
Empress of Britain	\$2,075,000
Tunisian	1,140,000
Algerian	1,140,000
Manchester Importer	1,140,000
Barbadoes	1,140,000
Victoria	1,140,000
Montreal	1,140,000
Lake Erie	1,140,000
Empress of Ireland	1,140,000
Granman	1,140,000
Kanawha	1,140,000
Restonia	1,140,000
Monmouth	1,140,000
Sardinian	1,140,000
Corsican	1,140,000
Yule (South Africa)	1,140,000
Manchester Mariner	1,140,000
Empress of Britain	1,140,000
Parthenia	1,140,000
Lake Michigan	1,140,000
Tahiti	1,140,000
Tunisian	1,140,000
Shannon	1,140,000
Lake Manitoba	1,140,000
Manchester Trader	1,140,000
Dunmore Head	1,140,000
Montreal	1,140,000
Pomeroon	1,140,000
Empress of Ireland	1,140,000

Gain for 1908 . . . . . \$625,537  
Value of Canadian goods . . . . . \$1,200,000  
Value of foreign goods . . . . . \$3,500,000  
Total . . . . . \$4,700,000  
The value of goods for the first 29  
steamships last season was . . . \$4,125,000

## THIS EVENING

Italian Singers, pictures, etc., at the  
Nigel.  
Cameras at the Opera House.  
The Thistle and St. Andrew in annual  
Curling Match.  
St. John Art Club meet in studio, Union  
street, to complete organization.

## LATE LOCALS

Donaldson line steamer Tritonia will sail  
for Glasgow, tomorrow, Sunday.William Short was committed for trial  
yesterday afternoon at the police court.No. 3 storm signal was up at the cus-  
toms house at 1 p. m., indicating heavy  
easterly gales.Registrar Jones reports six marriages  
during the present week; also, 18 births,  
ten of which are females.A "Fire-side song service" will be held  
in the Y. M. C. A. Sunday evening at the  
close of the church service.Rev. J. Healey will deliver an address  
this evening at the St. John's Institute on  
the subject of temperance.Mrs. Henry Ingram, of Newcastle, is  
spending a few weeks with her brother,  
Charles Robinson, 106 Elliott Row.There will be a temperance meeting in  
the Every Day Club as usual on Sunday  
evening at 8.30 o'clock.Donaldson liner Kastalia now in port  
will load grain and other cargo at the  
I. C. R. wharf for Glasgow.Allan line steamer Corsican, under charter  
to the C. P. R., arrived at St. John at 2.30  
this morning. She is due here this after-  
noon.The concert party of the Allan line  
Corsican are preparing a programme for  
a concert to be given at the Seamen's In-  
stitute Tuesday evening next.The session of the board of education  
to decide matters in dispute between the  
International Railway and the New Brun-  
swick Railway Company, were adjourned  
yesterday until February 9.Mayor Bullock has had a number of  
men fixing up the Weldon school lot at  
lower cost for open air skating. It was  
again flooded last night and today there is  
a perfect sheet of ice.At Chubb's corner today Auctioneer  
Lantaula sold at auction, a firehold lot  
situated on Burpee Avenue for \$2,000, to  
H. H. Pickett; also, five shares Bank of  
New Brunswick stock for \$274.18 per  
share, and another five shares of the same  
sold for \$274.14. Other properties offered  
were withdrawn.The opening meeting of the St. John  
Art Club will be held this evening at  
8 o'clock, in the studio, 140 Union street,  
when organization will be completed and  
brief addresses given. Refreshments will  
be served by ladies of the executive com-  
mittee. All members and friends inter-  
ested in art are cordially invited to be  
present.The story of Lohengrin, by Miss  
Homer, with musical illustrations, Mrs.  
Kent Scovell, will be repeated in the Na-  
tural History Rooms, Union street, on  
Monday, January 18th, at 4 o'clock. All  
those who were unable to attend before  
on account of the disagreeable weather,  
which prevailed, will have an opportunity  
of hearing this excellent lecture.W. F. Hatheway, M. P. P., will lecture  
on "Friends and English Colonization in  
North America" in the lecture room of  
the Natural History Society, next Tues-  
day evening. The troublesome days of  
the finding of the continent when so many  
hardships is always full of interest. The  
public are invited to hear these days dis-  
cussed, by so well known a speaker.

## DEATHS

DALEY—At his residence, 51 Murray  
street, on Jan. 15, John Daley, aged 46 years,  
leaving a wife and two children.  
Service at the home at 4 o'clock. Monday.  
Friends and acquaintances are invited to at-  
tend.McPARTLAND—On January 15 at his resi-  
dence, 777 Prince William street, James  
McPartland, aged 72 years.  
Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 p. m.SULLIS—At Lynn, Mass., January 12th, Ma-  
tine, wife of Herbert Sullis, and daughter of  
the late Henry Sullis, formerly of West  
St. John, after a lingering illness.CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS  
(See Late for Classification.)  
WANTED—A NURSE, MUST BE OVER  
25 YEARS OF AGE, AND HAVE BEEN  
MRS. F. R. FAIRWEATHER, 179 Duke  
street.Bala for 1908 . . . . . \$ 625,537  
The amount of grain gone forward in  
the above steamers this season is 1,535,094  
bushels.The number of cattle shipped in the  
first 29 steamers is as follows:—7,092 head  
cattle, and 27 horses.There have arrived in port 28 steam-  
ships up-to-date, with a tonnage of 139,  
707, against 32 steamers last year, with a  
tonnage of 128,010.Allan liner Granman left this port last  
evening for Liverpool, via Halifax with  
four saloons, 30 second cabin and 86 steer-  
age passengers. She has 700 bags of Cana-  
dian mail, 200 packages parcel post and  
275 boxes of business mail. The steamer  
has on board 300 cattle and a large wheat  
shipment. The steamer will load 5,000  
bushels of apples at Halifax.The Manchester Importer, which is load-  
ing at No. 2 berth, will take away 280  
head of cattle.Furness steamer Rappahannock, now on  
her way to London from this port, took  
away a cargo valued at \$3,720. She had  
among her freight, 20,000 bushels of wheat.  
Furness line steamer Kanawha is now at  
Halifax. She made the passage to this  
port in nine days. She will come here af-  
ter discharging her Halifax cargo.The mail steamer Corsican, which sail-  
ed from Liverpool on Friday last, has 25  
days, 115 second and 215 third class pas-  
sengers. This Allan line has been char-  
tered as a C. P. R. steamer. Most of her  
passengers will land here.VERY SAD CASE  
OF DESTITUTIONA Woman Over 86 Years of  
Age Living Alone in Abject  
Poverty.A case of destitution that would seem  
to warrant action being taken by the  
proper officials has been brought to the  
attention of the secretary of the Alms  
House Commissioners and the board of  
health. According to the report, a woman  
over 86 years of age, Mrs. Bachelor, is  
living all alone and practically unable to  
help herself, in a garret at the rear of 98  
Winter street. She is said to have a son  
and daughter in Boston who occasionally  
send her money, but being very old and  
feeble she is practically unable to make  
use of it and the neighbors fear that in  
her present state she may freeze or burn  
herself up if lightning, fire or any other  
disaster should befall her.Her place of abode is said to be in a  
filthy condition, and she is unable on  
account of her feeble condition to take  
proper care of her dwelling house.The case is being investigated by the  
alms house commissioners and the inspec-  
tor of the board of health is inquiring  
into the charges of uncleanness. The  
neighbors feel that the woman should be  
taken care of at the alms house.PA'S LANGUAGE  
WAS DREADFULMr. Editor:—If you had been here when  
Pa came home from the post office today  
you would have said he was "a very fluent  
speaker," and that he was "disturbingly  
riddly." He was shaking his fists in the  
air and shaking his thigh now and then,  
just as he did one time last summer when  
a horset had crawled up one of his trous-  
ser legs.I asked Ma what was the matter with  
Pa.She said he was talking with the post  
office inspector.I said I didn't see no post office in-  
spector.

Ma said he was in St. John.

Now St. John is ten miles away, and he  
must have come as big as barn doors if  
he heard what Pa said, though I admit  
that he talked quite distinctly and "flu-  
ently," as you would say.Our mails are supposed to be taken by the  
I. C. R. to some station or other be-  
tween St. John and New Brunswick. No  
one is employed to take them to Clifton,  
where our learner's route ends, and if  
some kindly disposed person who is going  
to Clifton does not pick them up (there  
are mails for eight or ten post offices),  
and bring them along—why, we go with-  
out.The neighbors begin to talk about Pa,  
and I admit the language he used is scan-  
dalous, more especially so since he is a  
deacon in our church, and Ma says he  
used to be looked upon as a "model citi-  
zen" of the town.I have heard of the "power of the  
press" and I will be very grateful if you  
will use it in behalf of poor Pa.MARY ANN,  
White's Mills, Kings Co., Jan. 11.

## KINGS CO. LODGE L. O. A.

The annual meeting of Kings County  
Lodge, L. O. A., was held Thursday  
evening in the hall of Dominion Lodge,  
No. 28, Greenwich Hill. There was a  
large attendance and the election of offi-  
cers resulted as follows:—George S. White, county master; Man-  
ford Pitt, deputy county master; Titus  
Parker, chaplain; Robert Pitt, sec. secy.  
J. A. White, fin. secretary; Reynolds  
White, treasurer; B. B. White, D. of  
C.; David Burgess, lecturer; J. E. Par-  
ker, 1st deputy lecturer; Isaac Haviland,  
2nd deputy lecturer.The officers were installed by Warren  
W. Williams, past county master.The election of officers of the Royal  
Scout Chapter resulted as follows:—  
George S. White, W. C. in command;  
David B. Miller, E. C. in command;  
David Burgess, chaplain; A. A. White, C.  
scribe; J. Crawford, C. treasurer; Man-  
ford Pitt, 1st herald; K. A. A.; Richard  
Seely, 2nd herald; Titus Parker, 2nd  
lecturer; Reynolds White, 1st conductor;  
Isaac Pitt, 2nd conductor; W. L. Belyea,  
inner herald; S. E. White, outer herald.  
Warren W. Williams, P. M. W. in com-  
mand, installed the Scout Chapter offi-  
cers also. It was decided to hold the next  
annual meeting at Wallace's Lodge, 108,  
Long Road. The first quarterly meeting  
of the year will be held at lodge No. 90,  
Westfield.

## BENSON GUILTY

Bellast, Me., Jan. 15—Guilty of assault  
with intent to kill, was the finding of the  
jury in the Supreme Court tonight in the  
case of George E. Benson, who shot Miss  
Stella E. Moore, on December 7, 1908.  
Benson will be sentenced tomorrow.GRITZ  
WAFERSInto two cups "Gritz," rubb two rounded teaspoons butter,  
add about one-half cup sweet milk and a small teaspoon  
salt. Let them stand one-half hour, then roll *Very Thin*,  
cut in round cakes, and bake in a moderate oven fifteen or  
twenty minutes. If desired use less butter, or cream in-  
stead of butter . . . . .

## DRESS GOODS SALE

You can buy any piece of Dress Goods on our shelves from  
50c to 70c yd., at 47c yd. on Monday and Tues-  
day, for two days only.Stripe and Mixed Tweeds, Plaids, Fancy Lustres, Vicunas, Venetians, Foy  
Serges, Henriettas, Satin Cloths, Roxanas, Giovete, Etc. These Are  
Bargains You Will Do Well to See Early**ROBERT STRAIN & COMPY**  
27 and 29 Charlotte Street

## Mid-Winter Clearance Sale

**FINE CLOTHING FOR MEN  
and BOYS**  
AT LOWEST PRICES EVER OFFERED

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The  
EVANGELINE

Cor. Main and Mill Streets.

The most complete NEWS STAND in the  
city, and the only

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in the Maritime Provinces.

If we haven't got what you want today in our  
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Proprietor

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**W. H. THORNE & Co., Ltd.**

Market Square, St. John, N. B.

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A lot of Colored Negligee Shirts for Men, cuffs attached and  
detached, figures and stripes in Madras, Prints and Gingham.  
Neat, dressy, well-fitting shirts in all sizes. A few have starched  
bosoms. All bright, new shirts, sold regularly at \$1, \$1.25  
and \$1.50. All reduced to one price, each

Boys' Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, genuine bargains, per garment,	25c
Scotch Finish Shirts and Drawers, all wool, reduced price, per garment,	35 and 50c
Heavy Elastic Ribbed, all sizes, unshrinkable, reduced price, per garment,	35c
Sanitary Wool, Fleece-Lined, reduced price per garment, 45c; extra quality,	7c
Plain All Wool, medium weight, double breasted, reduced price per garment,	65c
Boys' Coat Sweaters, exceptional value, Grey, Navy and Brown, with colored trim- mings, all sizes, reduced price per garment,	60c
Heavy Lined Mitts for Men, special value, a pair,	37c, 60c, 75c, \$1.25
Mocha Gloves, seamless knit lining, reduced price a pair,	75c
Wool Gloves, a few, white and colored, reduced price a pair,	35c
Men's Umbrellas, real bargains, stout frames, good coverings, stylish handles, reduced price each,	75c

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