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DRUGGIST,  
The Medical Hall.

# Card

To the Electors of Ward Five

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—I take this first opportunity of thanking you for returning me as your representative in the City Council for the seventh time and I will discharge my duty faithfully. To those who did not see fit to record their votes in my favor, I can assure them that I harbor no resentment, as I accord to them the same sacred privilege I enjoy myself, namely, to vote as they think right.

D. L. HOOPER.

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(For 1906)

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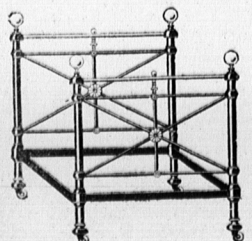
## Reduction Sale OF Boots and Shoes

We have on hand a lot of broken lines of Men's, Women's, Boy's, Misses' and Children's Boots and Shoes and Slippers which we will clear out at cost to make room for spring stock.

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# CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1906.

## LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES.

We regret to hear of persons allowing their life insurance policies to lapse because of the recent revelations. The life companies that have been the subject of investigation are still entirely solvent, and abundantly able to pay all just claims that may be presented against them. Certain officers of these companies had abused their trust and misappropriated money. These men have as a rule lost their positions, and in a number of cases been compelled to make good the amount of their unlawful gains.

The investigation has done great good, exposing illegal practices that had crept in and there is good reason to believe that the big companies upon which the search-light has been turned are now upon a sounder basis than before. Dishonest officers have been dismissed, inordinate salaries and commissions have been cut down, leaks have been stopped, and new restraints imposed to keep matters straight and honest in the future.

Nothing has transpired that could affect the solvency, so far as we know, of any insurance company doing business in this Province. The moneys misappropriated in some American companies while large in amount, are small when compared with the vast and increasing assets of these companies. Among the results of the exposure will be either a reduction of the cost of insurance or larger profits for policy holders, or both.

Under these circumstances insured persons will do well to keep the policies they have and continue the payment of premiums. Life insurance is not discredited; it is still as important and commendable as it always has been. The man who abandons his policy to take a new one in another company must necessarily lose by the change. He will lose the accrued profit for the years that he has been paying, and he must pay the higher rate which increased age demands for his new policy.

## SECTION THIRTEEN.

There may be something after all in the traditional distrust of thirteen as an unlucky number. At least the thirteenth section of the amended Prohibition Act seems to confirm that impression. It formed the subject of a clerical onslaught and much correspondence some months ago, and now it figures in a noteworthy decision of the Stipendiary Magistrate who confesses some doubt as to the meaning of its words. We shall not now enter upon a discussion of the meaning. The point we wish to accentuate is that the obscurity ought to be cleared up so that the intention of the Legislature shall be made perfectly clear. As that august body is now shortly to meet the opportunity will be offered at an early day and we trust that then it will receive careful attention. The law is a good one, and it has also been demonstrated that it was "good politics" to pass it and to enforce it. We believe both the Government and the Legislature will cheerfully endeavor to remove any existing obscurity and make the law still more effective.

## DROPPED ALL OTHERS.

"I dropped all liniments but Nerviline because I found Nerviline the quickest to relieve pain," writes E. S. Benton of St. John's. "If my children are crampy or sick, Nerviline cures them. If a case of neuralgia, rheumatism and all kinds of aches and pains, it's as good as any doctor." The great Canadian remedy for the past fifty years has been Polson's Nerviline—nothing better made.

The white crocheted quilts at Stanley Bros. white sale—best qualities ever offered here—\$1.35, \$1.50 and \$1.65—worth fully 25 percent more. Handsome patterns, good weavers, and easily washed. 172d

## FREE RURAL DELIVERY

General R. C. Hawkins in the North American Review puts a serious damper upon the free delivery of mails in rural districts. He states that the system was first tried in the United States in 1897 with four routes and an appropriation of \$40,000. In January 1904 there were 21,536 routes and the total cost was \$12,921,700. The receipts were but \$2,001,815, showing a loss of over ten millions. The cost was five times the amount of the receipts.

This is surely discouraging. But the system is being extended. Gen. Hawkins anticipates that by 1915 there will be 100,000 rural delivery routes in operation, whose carriers and other employees would be able to control half a million votes besides their own, and would give the party in office irresistible power. This is equally an indictment of the public ownership of railways, telephones and other utilities under the party system. Thus party is more and more shown to be the bane of good government. But the cost of the free rural delivery system seems to be rather alarming if judged by the United States experiment.

A letter from Prof. Readey on the potato question, which is unavoidably held over from this issue will appear on Monday.

## HOW TO MAKE BABY SLEEP

The baby that cries half the night does not cry for nothing. It cries because it is not well, and the chances are the trouble is due to some derangement of the stomach or bowels, which would be speedily removed if a dose of Baby's Own Tablets were given the little one. These Tablets make children sleep soundly and naturally, because they remove the cause of fussiness and wakefulness. They bring relief to the tired, worried mother. Mrs. A. G. Abbott, Hudson's Heights, Quebec, says: "I have found Baby's Own Tablets a splendid medicine for stomach and bowel troubles, from which my little one was troubled. Thanks to the relief the Tablets have given my baby now sleeps quietly and naturally, and is in the best of health." And the Tablets are absolutely safe—they always do good—they cannot possibly do harm. They will cure the ailments of a new-born baby or a well-grown child. Sold by druggists or sent by mail at 25 cents a box by writing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## IS THIS RESULT OF REVIVAL

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—Is it an effect of the phenomenal weather, that accounts for the record breaking attendance at many of the Sunday schools?

Those who furnished the information are inclined to credit the former. Nevertheless there has been a noticeable increase commencing about Jan. 21.

Since that date at the Devereux Baptist S. S. the attendance has been increasing on an average of six per cent Sunday, until on Sunday it reached 506. In this school about 40 have declared themselves, and eight have received baptism. On the Sunday previous 40 from College street, 31 from Ossington avenue, and about thirty from the Memorial Baptist schools were taken into the church.

## DEATH OF AGED TORTOISE

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Just about the time that the Galapagos Islands were discovered by the Spanish not quite 400 years ago, a bright young elephant tortoise was born there. It died recently in the Zoological Gardens.

Though, comparatively speaking, he was but a newcomer at the gardens, he claimed to be a personal friend of Sir Francis Drake. When in good health he would eat as much green food as an average cow.

He is supposed to have died on a Monday but, owing to the sluggish habits of the species in winter, the exact date when sleep merged into death is uncertain. He assumed age, 350 years, was painted on his shell, but he claimed to be fifty years old.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVES, signature is on each box, 25c. 12-14 1/2 ts 6m

## SETTING AN EXAMPLE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Chief of Police Collins will issue a general order to the department instructing all police officers to see that no boy or girl under 18 years of age is allowed hereafter in a public dance hall unattended by his or her parents.

## TESTIMONIAL

St. Eleanor, Nov. 16, 1901. This is to certify that I was taken down with the second attack of inflammation of the bowels. I sent for Prof. H. S. Hamilton; in ten minutes after he arrived I was able to go to my work. I highly recommend the Prof. to all sufferers.

I am yours truly, WILLIAM PICKERING, St. Eleanor, St. Eleanor. Prof. Hamilton has his Rooms on Fitzroy St. between Great Geo and Queen. 1711 1/2 tw 2d

# GREAT BRITAIN'S GREAT SHIP

PORTSMOUTH, Eng. Feb. 15.—The Dreadnought, the largest and most powerful battleship in the world, which will cost when finished, \$7,500,000 was commenced on Oct. 2nd, 1905. The Dreadnought is an experiment resulting from observations in the Russo-Japanese war and will be rushed to completion within a year.

She will throw with unparalleled force twice as much metal as any foreign warship now afloat, while her armor will, some assert, resist torpedoes at the usual battle range. The details of her construction are kept secret. Not an item of the design is revealed. She will have a displacement of 18,500 tons. Instead of four 12-inch guns throwing 850 pound shells, she will have ten of a new type with a muzzle energy of 49,500, as compared with 33,022 of the guns carried by warships of the Majestic class and increase in power of 50 per cent.

## FRAUD ON AN INSURANCE CO.

VICTOR, Colo., February 15.—J. J. McEachern, whose death was reported on January 22nd, and life insurance policies paid, was arrested at the home of his sister here last night by City Marshal Naylor for a fight, in which McEachern was wounded by a bullet. McEachern was reported to have been killed by the accidental discharge of a gun, but investigation by fraternal societies in which he was insured disclosed that the body of Robert Speed, who was killed two days previously in a mine, had been unearthed, taken to the tunnel in which McEachern was working and blown to pieces with gunpowder. The authorities were informed that McEachern was the victim of the discharge and an old line company paid a policy on his life.

## Indigestion

Stomach trouble is not really a sickness, but a symptom. It is a symptom that a certain set of nerves is ailing. Not the voluntary nerves that enable you to walk and talk and act—but the AUTONOMIC STOMACH NERVES over which your mind has no control.

I have not room here to explain how these nerves, that control and operate the stomach, how worry breaks them down and causes indigestion. How misuse wears them out and causes dyspepsia. How neglect may bring on kidney, heart, and other troubles through sympathy. I have not room to explain how these nerves may be reached and strengthened and vitalized and made stronger by a remedy I spent years in perfecting—now known by physicians and Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative, (Tablets or Liquid). I have not room to explain how this, remedy by removing the cause, usually puts a certain ailment to indigestion, belching, heartburn, insomnia, nervousness, dyspepsia. All of these things are fully explained in the book I will send you free when you write. Do not fail to send for the book. It tells how the solar plexus governs digestion and a hundred other things every one ought to know—for all of us, at some time or other have indigestion. With the book I will send free my "Health Token"—an intended passport to good health.

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Dr. Shoop's Restorative Tablets—give full three weeks treatment. Each form—liquid or tablet—have equal merit. Druggists everywhere.

## Dr. Shoop's Restorative.

## ANOTHER SALARY GRAB.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—According to rumors from inside circles, the Roblin Government are preparing for a big salary grab. It is understood that a bill will be introduced later in the session increasing the seasonal indemnity from \$500 to \$1,000, and giving the ministers a substantial raise.

## Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

## COMING EVENTS.

City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. E. E. Kelly Mayor. W. W. Clarke, City Clerk.

Adjourned meeting of Lodge Prince Edward, Red Rose degree, Tuesday, February 6. Business of importance.

Iron Ox Tablets are for sale at the Apothecaries Hall. 7d 1/2

White organdies, and swiss mulls at Stanley Bros. white sale. 172d

Taylor's bookstore is slaughtering the whole stock of wall paper saved from the fire—every roll must be cleaned out. In the lot are some magnificent papers in perfect condition. This is the chance of a life time to get wall paper, but you must come in quick if you want the pick of the stock. The sale is now on and it is up to you to take advantage of the snap at Taylor's Bookstore. 1741w

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STOCKINET—Nearly all sizes in all qualities including heavy rib, worsted and cashmere, 42c for 28c, 32c for 21c, 24c for 16c, 16c for . . . . . 11c

INDIGO DUCKS—A few pieces of navy and white and black and white ducks, plain navy and plain black, a splendid wearing and washing fabric, regular 1 1/2 yd, now only . . . . . 9c

QUILTED SATINS—Fine satins, quilted in various patterns, black, brown and grey, regular \$1.15, \$1.20 and \$1.55, now 58c, 60c and . . . . . 78c

FRENCH FLANNELS—Plain in fancy colors in fine 58c French flannels, including plain pink, black with white stripe, cream with blue stripe all now per yard . . . . . 25c

VELVETEENS—Three pieces of plain velveteen nice quality, colors fawn, pink, grey, sold regularly at 50c, now only per yard . . . . . 23c

OSTRICH TIPS—pretty Ostrich Tips, black and colored, good size and quality, worth up to 75c each, now for only . . . . . 5c

EMBROIDERY—About two hundred yards embroideries and insertions, various widths, worth up to 50c a yard, now 5 yards for . . . . . 9c

BONE BUTTONS—Large sizes suitable for coats, etc., in brown, fawn, etc., two dozen on each card. Card for . . . . . 5c

SHAWL STRAPS—Strongly made, with nickel plated handle, long straps of selected leather, 32c for 21—20 for . . . . . 13c

UNDERWEAR—Ladies' and Children's Underwear mostly fine grade, consisting of vests, drawers and combinations—range from 60c to \$2.00 each—now 30c to . . . \$1

## BARGAINS FOR MEN!



WITH A SAVING ON EVERY ITEM OF 1/2 TO 1/2 its not surprising that shrewd men buyers are snapping up our Fire Sale Bargains. The well known high class goods we carry in this line adds to the attraction. Good choosing still in Hats and Caps, Silk Neckwear, Lined Gloves, Flannel Shirts, Waye's Mufflers, Cashmere Hose, White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Unlined Gloves.

BRUSH BRAIDS—Quite a range of colors in best quality Brush Braids—Sell regularly at 5c to 10c yd—all now at . . . 2c

SILK HANKERCHIEFS—Plain and initial silk hankerchiefs at half price; finest pure silk, 98c for 49c, 70c for 35c, 55c for 28c, 38c for . . . 19c

GIRLS' SWEATERS—Half a dozen Women's and Girls' all wool sweaters, turtleneck over shoulder. Colors, white, green and navy, \$1.60 for 80c, \$1.20 for . . . 60c

LACE—A table full of all sorts of pretty lace, wide and medium widths. Formerly sold up to 25c yard, now any at . . . 10c

DRESS GOODS—Double width, 54 inch, all wool suiting cloths in black and colors—Regular prices \$1.15 to \$2.20 yard, now any for . . 69c

SILKS AND SATINS—Remnants of silks and satins in almost every color—including values up to \$1.50 a yard—All at 38c

SILK LACE—A basket full of pure silk lace—all widths—white, cream, butter, worth up to 25c a yard. Now only . . . . . 10c

GLOVES—A basket full of lisle thread and taffeta silk black and colored gloves. Formerly sold 20c to 30c, now . . . 10c

WORSTED DARNING—Best black worsted mending, very strong, worth 6c each ball, now 3 balls for . . . . . 10c

HOOBS AND EYES—Large size, a dozen and a half on each card, worth 6c, now the card for . . . 2c

HANKERCHIEFS—Pure linen with 1/2 and 1/4 inch hemstitched border, half price, 42c for 21c, 35c for 18c. Pretty hemstitched embroid red linen lawn hankerchiefs are half price 24c for 12c, 18c for . . . . . 9c

WARM GLOVES—A basket full of all kinds cashmere and heavy knitted wool, worth up to 30c the pair, now only . . . . . 15c

CHILDREN'S MITTS—Of grey and black Astrachan with deep gauntlet cuff, very warm and comfortable, worth up to \$1.00 pair, now only . . . . . 48c

EVENING GLOVES—Elbow and full length gloves of pure silk; colors, pink, sky, helle, cream, and white, 38c for 19c, 42c for 21c, 52 for 26c and 74c for 37c

CORSETS—40 pairs of Corsets, made of fair quality jean, good fitting, all sizes up to 25, worth to 35c the pair, now only . . . . . 21c

SILK VELVETS—Fine Silk Velvets, all colors, and including some very pretty fancy velvets, worth \$1.15 to \$1.20 all at, per yard . . . . . 65c

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