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This is the time of year that shoes for evening wear are in demand. As usual we are well prepared to fill the wants of young men in this as well as in other lines of footwear.

- Men's light sole evening shoes \$1.40
  - Men's light sole, better grade, \$1.85
  - Men's light sole, J. & T. Bell's make \$2.65
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  - Men's French Calf, patent leather shoes \$3.50
- In the patent leather shoes we carry two shapes — round and pointed toe.

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- X X X Malt—48c per gallon.
  - Best English Malt—72c per gallon.
  - French White Wine—60c per gallon.
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  - Cider Vinegar—40 per gallon.
- Special low prices for large quantities. Also all kinds of Whole and Ground Spices, Turmeric, etc., for pickling purposes at lowest prices.

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But It's True!

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But High Prices  
Are Blown in the Air.

Our great sale will continue for a while yet, as we find that small profits and quick sales pay every time. All kinds of good crockery selling all the time. The people know all about our prices, no need to dwell on that subject.

**W. P. COLWILL,**  
The Crockery Man.  
Sunnyside, Charlottetown.

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Barristers, Attorneys, Solicitors, &c.  
D. C. McLEOD, lately of the firm of M. and D. C. McLeod.  
W. E. BENTLEY, lately of the firm of Mathison and Bentley.  
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Oct 21/1900

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## THE MORNING GUARDIAN

MONDAY, OCT. 22, 1900.

### FOR A PURE ELECTION.

In the election campaign now rapidly nearing its close there is one vital point in which both the welfare and the credit of our fair Dominion are deeply concerned which has too much escaped attention. We refer to the necessity of a pure election. It is the shame of Canada that in the past so many electors have been bribed, that so many election agents have used corrupt influences and that in some cases the honest ballots of electors have been stolen from the boxes and other ballots substituted. These vile practices have infected both parties, each of which charges the other with being the worse and more flagrant offender. The fair-minded and intelligent reader knows and must admit that both parties have been guilty in every count of the indictment for corrupt practices in elections.

We take it that the large majority of the electors, whether Liberal or Conservative are honest in their convictions that their party leaders are abler and more patriotic and that their party policy is better for the country, than are the leaders and the policy of the party opposed. But between the two parties, caring little for leaders or for policies or for the country, is another class whose simple desire is to convert their voting franchise into money, or it may be into rum, who will vote for the man who bid the highest in the dirty market where votes are bought and sold. And it is to be deeply regretted that in some constituencies where the division of the honest electors as between parties is close, they are sufficient to turn the scale and elect the man for whom their votes are purchased. Sad indeed is the lot of that electoral division where the corrupt and corrupting elements thus hold the balance of power. For the purpose of the majority of the honest electors is defeated and submerged and a representative is seated who represents simply the basest materials in the country.

Politicians will excuse themselves for pandering to this vote. They say if we do not buy them or part of them the other party will do so and we shall be defeated. The corrupt electors in their turn will seek to save their consciences by claiming that they are only taking pay for their day, or that they have been offered a larger sum to vote the opposite way. These flimsy excuses and pretexes afford no more justification than they would for the villain who would attempt to buy, or the jurymen who would propose to sell his verdict in the jury box. In either case a crime against the country is perpetrated—a crime which if it became general would assuredly involve the ruin of the state. Buying and selling votes, treating, and the offer or demand of money, refreshments, office or employment as a consideration for voting or refraining from voting are alike in violation of the law of the land, which provides heavy penalties for such offences, and are dangerous to liberty, to justice and to honest Government. A country whose supreme Parliament is elected by corrupt means would speedily become infamous.

We need an awakening of the public conscience in regard to corrupt practices in elections. Parents, teachers, preachers, the press, ought to teach the lessons of an inviolable franchise; that the vote-seller is as despicable as the thief and that the vote-buyer is as contemptible and vastly more dangerous to the public weal than the burglar. We are about to build a new Parliament, which will constitute and maintain the Government of the entire country during the next five years. The supreme control of all our public affairs is vested in the great fabric we are about to construct. If the foundation which we lay at the polls is laid in dishonour and corruption, what hope can there be for the superstructure, for the state itself? Let us have an honest election and we shall have an honest Government. An aroused public conscience can do much to prevent corruption and fraud in elections. It can make the bribers afraid, and some at least of the vote-traffickers ashamed. It can do more. It can bring the criminals, if such there be, to justice when the election is over. Let this, too, be done, for upon a pure and honest election depends the security of our institutions and of the country itself.

### LINEMAN DUNN.

Of Dundas, Endorses Dodd's Kidney Pills for Rheumatism.

Dundas, Oct. 22.—"Gentlemen—I have been troubled with Rheumatism for a year past, and have used many so-called cures. None of them did me a particle of good, however, until I started on a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Since then my sufferings have been brief as my story is. Three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me completely, and you are welcome to make my statement public. William Dunn, Telephone Lineman.

Here is information, more precious than a gold mine to men who follow the same occupation as Mr. Dunn, and who are great sufferers from Rheumatism. Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure them as they cured Mr. Dunn.

### GERMAN IMPERIAL CHANCELLORSHIP.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—President reports said to be based upon semi-official information are current to the effect that Prince Hohenlohe's resignation of the Imperial Chancellorship is pending. Count von Bulow, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, arrived at Homburg this morning, and was immediately received by the Emperor William.

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Of suffering relieved is as many days. Corns cause in the aggregate as much suffering as any single disease. It is the magic solvent power of Putnam's Corn Extractor that makes it so speedily successful in removing corns. Take no substitute, however highly recommended. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor is the best. Sure, safe, and painless.

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Good Astrachan Coats and plenty of them at \$18, \$20 and \$25.

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Fur lined Capes at SPECIAL PRICES.  
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- 1 Red Beaver Cloth with squirrel lining, Sable collar, \$19.00.
- 1 Black Brocade Cloth with squirrel lining, Sable Collar and trimming, \$27.50.
- 1 Royal Blue Beaver Cloth Cape, squirrel lining, Blue Opposum Collar and trimming, \$21.00
- 1 Black Beaver Cloth, squirrel lining, Black Opposum Collar and trimming, \$21.50.
- 1 Green Beaver Cloth, with squirrel lining, Sable Collar \$22.00.
- 1 Black Brocade Cloth Cape, squirrel lining, Black Opposum Collar, \$25.00.
- 1 Black Beaver Cloth Cape, ermine lining, Thibet Collar and trimming, \$26.50.
- 1 Gray Beaver Cloth Cape, squirrel lining blue Opposum Collar and trimming \$21.00.
- 1 Brown Beaver cloth with Ermine lining, Sable collar \$18.50
- 1 Black Beaver cloth with Black Opposum trimming, squirrel lining \$12.00
- 1 Blue Beaver cloth with Astrachan Trimming and squirrel lining, \$22.00.
- 1 Black Beaver cloth with opposum trimming and squirrel linings, \$13.50.
- 1 Blue cloth with grey opposum trimming and squirrel linings, \$12.00.
- 1 Fancy brocade cloth cape, squirrel lining, Astrachan trimming, \$31.50
- 1 Brown Beaver cloth with grey opposum trimming, squirrel lining, \$22.00.

## Jas Paton & Co.

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Sales exceed that of any other in the Lower Provinces.



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Big Clearance Sale of W. H. STEWART & Co's stock of Boots must close in a few days as we have to give up the store.

## Everything Must go, Boots! Boots! Galore

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### Willow Market Baskets.

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Lower Queen Street.

## Political Meetings.

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Murray Harbor South Hall, Nov. 6th, at 7 p. m.

Saint Mary's Road School House (near Mahar's Corner) Nov. 5th, at 7 p. m.

ALEX. MARTIN,  
Conservative Candidate.

Referring to the above, I will be happy to attend these meetings on the days named, except the one at Murray Harbor South, which I will attend on Tuesday, 6th Nov., instead of Sunday, 4th, the date mentioned in the advertisement.

[The advt. as given above as it appeared in the Pat. and Examiner.

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## Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Hillsboro Skating Rink Co., will be held in the Board of Trade Room, McEachern Building, Queen Street, on Friday evening Nov. 2nd, 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m.

A. A. BARTLETT.

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