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BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS gifts at the Orphanage Tea Thursday Doors open at 4 p. m. Tea at 5 p. m.

WE DO OUR OWN engraving so buy your gifts of us.

1 DOZEN SKIRTS, tweeds and poplins, on sale special to clear at \$3.75 each.

BUY A VICTROLA for your children this Xmas.

OUR ENGRAVERS will engrave in any color on Ivory bought of us.

ON ACCOUNT OF LACK of cold storage accommodation the P. E. I. Egg & Poultry Association has stopped taking Live Poultry.

LED HIS CLASS.—In reporting the West Kent School list for November Alexander Stewart came first in Miss J. McDonald's class but his name was incorrectly given.

THE S. S. "CANADIAN SEALER" sails from Halifax, N. S. December 15th for St. John's, Newfoundland.

SUCCESSFULLY OPERATED UPON.—A telegram received in this city by Mrs. J. MacDonald of Keppock from Edmonton, Alberta brings the news that her sister Miss Catherine M. McKenna, of St. Theresa's Parish, P. E. I., has been successfully operated upon.

BETTER THAN USUAL.—It is gratifying that business in Summer side is as usual.

ELLIOTVALE DEBATING SOCIETY.—The Elliotvale Debating Society held its opening debate of the season in the School House, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 30th.

NEW STORE FOR MILLER BROS.—Workmen are busily employed fitting up the ground floor of the Rodd building, on Great George St., into a fine roomy store which will shortly be occupied by Miller Bros., Music Dealers.

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MEN'S WEARABLES of all kinds for Xmas lavishly displayed at Paton's.

EVERY WOMAN LIKES a new Handbag or purse for Xmas.

A DRESS LENGTH in silk or wool is a thoroughly appreciated gift.

GLOVES AND stockings are acceptable gifts, see Paton's fine showing for Christmas.

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THE GIFT.—You will decide on stationery when you see Johnson & Johnson's stock.

ATTRACTIVE DISPLAY.—The finest line of stationery in this city. See it at Johnson and Johnson's.

RESERVE DEC. 22 — Reserve Wednesday, Dec. 22 for concert and Christmas Tree at Union.

COLD HAM, CHICKEN, vegetables and other delicacies at the "Red" Tavern, 107-109 Main St.

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An excellent assortment of holiday gift goods are now on display at our store and we cordially invite you to come in and inspect same while the various lines are unbroken.

OUR ASSORTMENT IS ENDLESS and contains suitable gifts for everybody, but it is especially strong in articles and intrinsic worth.

While our stock is very large, the most distinctive thing about it is of worthy quality—is worth giving.

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IT PAYS TO BE PROMPT

Come early while the assortment is complete and avoid the usual worry and disappointment which always is experienced by eleventh-hour purchasers.

You resolved last year to do your shopping early this Christmas.

LIVE UP TO THIS GOOD RESOLUTION and induce your friends and neighbors to shop early too.

OUR LARGE AND CAREFUL BUYING has enabled us to place prices on Holiday goods which cannot be equalled.

COME IN AND SEE OUR BEAUTIFUL STORE AND OUR CHRISTMAS GOODS WHETHER YOU ARE PREPARED TO BUY OR NOT.

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CURRENT COMMENT

utes to tariff influences. If for instance a Nova Scotia coal mine ran out from exhaustion, would the Guide follow the crazy course of attributing its close down to the National Policy. If not, when the lands of a province prove less productive than in the virgin days, and the people divert themselves to other phases of industry why blame the conditions upon causes which had no relation whatever to it, as it seeks to imply the depression of agriculture in the Nova Scotia was caused by the protective tariff, how goes it that under the same tariff agriculture in P. E. Island, as the Guide admits, has made such rapid strides forward under the same tariff conditions? Our friend can see from this where its inconsistent argument will lead it.

If from the same reasoning manufacturing increased in Nova Scotia and decreased in P. E. Island, how can the Guide logically argue that both were due to tariff influences in point of absolute fact the decline of manufacturing in this province was caused by confederation, AND THE REMOVAL OF THE PROVINCIAL PROTECTIVE TARIFF WHICH OUR FACTORIES THEN ENJOYED and the ESTABLISHMENT OF FREE TRADE BETWEEN THIS PROVINCE AND THE REST OF THE DOMINION, by which our markets were opened to the big factories of Canada whose cheaper cost of production enabled them to sell at a lower price and thus squeeze out our local factories just exactly the same as will happen if Canada throws her markets open to the extensively equipped factories of the United States, they will wipe out the smaller industries of this country exactly as the removal of the customs barrier by our entering the union reduced the industries of P. E. Island. Likewise in the same process, protection in creating great industrial centres has given us the home markets under which agriculture in this province has made such great strides towards prosperity.

A suggestion has found currency which we sincerely hope is ill founded, that the dismissal of caretaker Jay is the beginning of the end of our Prince of Wales College, and that this noble institution is to be sent to the scrap heap to keep company with Government House, Sanatorium, Convalescent Home, Consolidated School, the Mud Digging Pant and all the other wrecks of the Bell government. There are features which give substance to the probability or possibility of such a calamity. It is known that the teachers ultimatum has been for months plainly before the Government, that through the good offices of Mr. Rattenbury the difficulty was temporarily bridged over, that

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the understanding upon which the staff resumed charge of the institution has not been carried into effect by the treachery of the Government, and that a final walk out of the staff will be the same result of further vacillation.

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