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**IT PAYS to buy in this Province.**

**WICKETS OPEN**—The Post Office wickets will be open until 9 p. m. from now until after Christmas.

**GENEROUS DONATIONS**—The Long Creek Branch of the Women's Patriotic Association takes this opportunity of extending thanks to Miss Katherine McNeill of Brookline, Mass. who so kindly donated the sum of ten dollars (\$10) to help along the good work of this society also Mr. Donald Buchanan of Seattle Washington a former resident of West River, who gave five dollars (\$5.00) Mr. Buchanan, who has been absent from the Island for thirty-eight years, has just left on return to Washington, after a visit here of some weeks, and deserves much credit for his loyalty and generosity to the Island boys. (Signed) Bertha McEwen, Secy, L. C. Branch W. P. A.

**PERSONAL MENTION**—Mr. John McKenzie, Scotchfort went to Charlottetown, Thursday evening and returned home by the evening express Friday—Mr. and Mrs. Pius McKenna, Fort Augustus were in the city Thursday—Mr. Leander Fisher, Scotchfort, who has been residing in New Glasgow for the past few months returned home Thursday—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDonald, New Glasgow, formerly of Scotchfort, arrived on the Island Monday on a short visit to friends in Mr. Stewart, they left on return to New Glasgow Thursday—Mr. and Mrs. Michael McDonald and family Afton Road, has moved to Charlottetown where they intend to reside in future—The many friends of Mr. Daniel McDougall, Blooming Point will regret to learn that he is confined to his home through illness.—S.

**WEDDING BELLS**—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Morton Lane, Melbourne, Lot 48, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, on the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 15th, when their only daughter Vera Pearl, was united in marriage to Mr. Benjamin Arthur Mallett of York. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. S. Weeks, in the presence of a large number of relatives of the contracting parties. The bride, who was given away by her father, entered the parlor to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. Vernon Wood, cousin of the bride. The bride who was unattended, looked exceedingly charming in a beautiful gown of emerald brodered white crepe voile, with trimmings of white silk, and wore a gold necklace with settings of emeralds and pearls, gift of the groom, and carried a lovely bouquet of white chrysanthemums. Miss Emma Lane, cousin of the bride, acted as flower girl and looked sweet dressed in white, with pink ribbons. The groom's gift to her was a gold chain with pendant. When the ceremony was concluded and the bride and groom had received the ordinary congratulations, the guests repaired to the dining room, where they were served to a delightful and sumptuous supper, served by six girl friends of the bride, after which music, speeches and friendly chat passed away the hours. The presents were numerous and costly, testifying to the popularity of both, among them being a beautiful bedroom suite from the bride's parents; also a cheque for \$25 from the bride's uncle, Mr. Wesley Lane, who accompanied by his wife and family and sister, Miss Edith Lane, arrived home from Penzance, Sask., on time to attend the wedding. Gold pieces were also received from her uncles, Mr. K. M. Jenkins, Sydney; Mr. P. M. Jenkins and Mr. J. S. Jenkins, of New Glasgow, N. S. The bride was also very kindly remembered by the members of the Choir of Pownal Methodist Church, of which she was an honored member who will be greatly missed. A very large number of seranaders gathered with the usual instruments for making a noise. The happy couple left amid showers of rice and good wishes for their future home in York.—Com.

**RED CROSS**—The Women's Patriotic Society of Hampton organized about four weeks ago to aid in Red Cross work is meeting with much success, the women are taking a deep interest in the work. A bean supper and entertainment was held in the hall on Friday evening, Dec. 10th at which the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) was realized; this sum has been forwarded to D. A. McKinnon, Hon. Treasurer of the Red Cross Fund, Charlottetown. The thanks of the society is due the young people of Melville Road and to Dixons Mills, who so ably assisted with supper and entertainment.

**PARCEL POST**—The Honourable T. Chas. Cagney, Postmaster General, has been successful, as a result of negotiations entered into with the Imperial Postal authorities, in effecting an arrangement with the British Government whereby parcels from Canada for Canadian soldiers in France and Flanders will be carried at the same rate of postage as applies to parcels from the United Kingdom for the Expeditionary Forces on the Continent, that is, for parcels weighing up to three pounds, 24 cents. For parcels weighing over three pounds and not more than seven pounds, 32 cents. For parcels weighing over seven pounds and not more than eleven pounds 33 cents. This means a material reduction on the cost of parcels, and it is hoped it will be a source of satisfaction to the Canadian public. This reduction has been brought about by Canada foregoing all postal charges for the conveyance of these parcels in Canada and on the Atlantic. The public are reminded however, in accordance with the circular issued by the department recently, until further notice, no parcel can be sent weighing over seven pounds.

**NARROW ESCAPE**—An accident which might have had a more serious ending occurred at Cranberry wharf on Tuesday night last when a gentleman from Fort Augustus who was engaged in fishing smelts at the former place had the misfortune of getting a cold bath in the icy waters of East River. It happened while he was engaged in straightening up his smelt polls at the end of the wharf, he being in a boat at the time. In company with others, while pulling on some part of the rig, he made a false step and in consequence took a tumble but not to himself, the other men rushed to his assistance and quickly had him pulled into the boat again not much the worse of his experience with the exception of a thorough wetting. Indeed, the accident was not without the humorous side for when the submerged man came to the surface and was got hold of, he exclaimed, "now haul away." Only a few days before this a gentleman from Mount Stewart Creek who is engaged in fishing smelts at Hayden's wharf was also emmersed while he was walking from the slip of the wharf to attend to his net and the walking in that particular spot being somewhat slippery it gave him the slip and in consequence he found himself deposited in about fifteen feet of water but not being struck on that kind of bathing he soon regained terra firma but not without getting at least his feet wet.

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To start with, here's an all Irish Linen, hand stitched for 10c or \$1.00 per doz.	A nice little White Lawn Tea Apron, tucked frill and pocket. .... 25c
Finer line all linen hand stitched ..... 2 for 25c	Fine white lawn lace edge with insertion ..... 30c
Irish Lawn handkerchief, embd. corner 4 for 25c	Here is an apron of good white lawn with lace edge and pocket. .... 32c
Very fine lawn embd. corner, narrow hem ..... 15c ea.	Fancy dotted muslin apron, very dainty trimmed lace ..... 45c
Here's a notable value, eighth inch hem, all pure linen 18c ea. or \$1.95 doz.	Fine white lawn with tucked frill and insertion ..... 50c
All linen with white and colored embd. corners 25c, 28c, 30c, 35c ea.	Fancy apron with beading and embroidery very pretty ..... 60c
Hand made Armenian Hdkfs. all linen ..... 40c ea. up	Large plain Aprons, Maid's Aprons, Kitchen Aprons.
Hand embd. hdkfs. 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c ea.	
Real Irish lace edge hdkfs. .... 65c to 1.25 ea.	
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## Only 5 Days To Christmas

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Remember we have everything you want for the baking—flour, cream of tartar, soda, spices, flavoring, candied fruits, nuts, raisins, currants—everything you need.

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Recruits are wanted for the Divisional Signalling Co. Men to be recruited are Operators, Linesmen, Electricians and Signallers.

Also more men wanted as Mechanical Transport drivers. Any men wanting to enlist as above will apply to any of the Recruiting Officers who will give them the necessary information.

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