

LAST MONTH THE GUARDIAN

The school children's competition for \$100.00 Cash presents offered by The Welcome Soap Co., St. John, N. B. closes on the last day of May and is causing quite a lively rivalry among the school girls and boys of the Maritime Provinces who have an ambition to earn some easy pocket money for the holidays.

This seems to be an excellent idea, as an incentive to those who have a literary inclination, to test their ability and style as well as an effective method of increasing the publicity of the famous and well liked Welcome Soap.

The conditions seem very simple and are;

1—First present of	\$25.00
1—Second "	15.00
1—Third "	10.00
5 Presents of \$5.00 each	25.00
10 " 2.50 "	25.00

For the best essays not to exceed 1000 words, subject "Soap" to be written by regular school attendants either boys or girls under 16 years of age, all essays to be sent in before May 31st, when they will be submitted to a committee of three disinterested leading teachers upon whose decision the presents as above will be awarded. Essays to be written plainly with pen and ink, signed with name and address, also statement of age of the writer and that the essay is his (or her) unaided work, name and grade of school attended, and name of teacher, this statement to be certified to by one parent or teacher.

All essays must be accompanied by 50 Welcome Soap Wrappers.

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CARVELL BROS.
Ch'Town May 10, 1899.—21

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WEDNESDAY MAY 10, 1899.

THE VACANT JUDGESHIP.

Much interest is felt in the question of who will succeed to the position vacated by the death of the late lamented Judge Alley. The position is a good one with a salary of \$2,400 attached, to which is added \$200 for travelling allowance. It is quite natural that there should be a number among the active legal men in the Liberal party who would be glad to receive the appointment and who are said to be pressing their claims upon the government. Among those mentioned in this connection are Hon. H. C. McDonald, Attorney General; F. L. Hazard, Q. C. Recorder; H. James Palmer, Stipendiary Magistrate for Queen's County; J. H. Bell, M. P., and others. A capable, impartial and just Judge, it would seem might be selected from among the gentlemen named, and one who would give good satisfaction to all concerned in that position.

While in a general way all appointments to the judiciary of the Island might be held to be matters coming within the right of all the Liberal representatives in Parliament to advise upon, it is pretty clear that in this case Sir Louis Davies will probably exercise the right of choice. The vacancy being in his own constituency, and he being our only representative in the Federal government, his choice when definitely made will no doubt be concurred in by his ministerial colleagues.

Other considerations will naturally occur to the minds of those who consider the matter. It is not usually desirable needlessly to retire a prominent member from a provincial cabinet or to open a Commons seat but recently filled. The relative strength of various claims upon the party in power, the amount of pressure from political friends and various other influences may be taken into account. There will be probably time enough to take all these matters into consideration and weigh them fairly before an appointment is made.

POWER FROM LIQUID AIR.

Frequent mention has been made in these columns of the marvels of liquid air and recently the possibility of liquid air becoming the great motive power of the future has been touched upon. As before stated Prof. Tripler claims wonderful possibilities for it as a power, and already, even at this distance an effort is being made to sell the shares of a liquid air power company on the Charlottetown market. It is therefore proper to state the claims of liquid air as a motive power are boldly challenged by a prominent publication in New York, known as Power. This journal asserts, and gives reasons for the assertion,

that no more power can be extracted from liquid air than has been expended in making the liquid. If this view is a sound one, liquid air will be quite as wonderful in many respects as has been described, but as a motive power it will be of no use.

In the scheme for extracting gold from sea-water the people were deceived. The Keeley motor enticed capitalists to invest hundreds of thousands of dollars, year after year in the undertaking which we now know was fraudulent. It may therefore be well to await further results in regard to liquid air before investing money in enterprises which propose to utilise it as a motive power.

Mr. Harry R. McLellan, son of the late Hon. David McLellan of St John, has recently made application for a life policy in the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, for \$100,000. The Telegraph tells that this makes \$120,000 which Mr. McLellan has in the company named, and brings his total of life policies up to \$257,000.

Referring to Tourist Associations the Monetary Times of Toronto says: The main things to be borne in mind by the tourists' associations is that new-comers, especially if families, wish first to be assured of comfortable accommodation. Climate is all very well, and scenery will attract many but a good table is essential, and the conveniences of life must be provided, not necessarily as our American friends understand them, but in such degree as will make an ordinary man or woman of middle age comfortable. The younger people can "rough it" in the summer, and it is likely to do them good.

Constipation, Headache, Billousness, Heartburn, Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

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25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

CARD

To the Electors of the City of Charlottetown;

HAVING been solicited by a number of citizens to nominate as a candidate for Water and Sewerage Commissioner, in place of D. Laird, resigned, I beg to say that I have accepted the nomination, and, if elected, will do all in my power to serve the best interests of the citizens.

I hereby solicit the votes and support of the citizens, as I may not be able to make a personal canvass of each individual.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN WHEATLEY.
May 10th.

AUCTION

The well-known carriage stallion, Black Diamond Knox, will be sold by auction at the Market Square, on Friday, 12th day of May, at 12 o'clock noon.

R. BEARSTO, Auctioneer.
1 wkly, 10 tl Fri.

EXCURSION TO SUMMERSIDE

If a sufficient number of people will deposit ONE DOLLAR each, by noon on Friday next, at the Drug Store of Mr. A. W. Reddin, a special train will take them to Summerside to witness the performance of

"A BOGUS WIDOW" that evening. Train to return to Charlottetown after performance. 10 31

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Tailor-Made Something New.

Dame Nature and Dame Fashion decree that at this time of the year our winter apparel should be laid aside, for now the heavy coat begins to feel burdensome and shows of wear, and we instinctively desire something new. Where may your desire be more perfectly gratified than here—the spring buying is now at its height and crowds testify daily that this is the place where honest value and lowest prices may be found together. Below we enumerate a few items for you to consider and compare.

NOBBY SPRING SUITS.

Men's Scotch Mixed Suits. All wool, also blue and black chevots made in new four-button sacks, a splendid suit for spring, advertized and sold by the tailors. Our remarkable low price only \$14.00.

Popular Blue Serge Suits. All finished worsteds and blue and black chevots, in fancy mixtures and broken plaids, single or double-breasted sacks. We know these suits to be superior to many at \$12 and \$15; here only \$10.00.

DRESSY TOP SUITS.

Covert top Coats. Natty new coats in correct and popular spring shades, also Oxford, chevots, cassimers and overplaids, in new dark and medium colorings, all with hair sleeve lining, strapped seams and French faced, would be excellent value at \$16.00, here only \$12.00.

Whipcord Top Suits. Also chevots and imported worsted addie satin lined, handsome tailoring strapped seams, hand padded collar and fitting perfectly about the neck this is the best medium priced coat to be found. You will see them at the tailors. Our price is \$14.00.

CONFIRMATION SUITS.

Appropriate Apparel, Thoroughly Adapted for the Occasion.

Boys' short pants confirmation suits of pure 18-oz. bark clay worsteds, chevots and blue and black thibets, sizes 8 to 16—a proper suit for dress, at a very low price.

Three pieced vest suits for boys 11 to 16 years, a pretty dress-up suit and especially adapted for confirmation and "best"—real value.

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Another large shipment of Navy Blue Serges in a day or two. 300 more Children's Suits. Our little Suits Galitia Suits are going fast. Little Skirt Suits for little Tots, 3 to 5 at selling prices.

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Over 100 head of choice **Jerseys, Guernseys Aldernays & Holsteins** Will be sold without reserve, rain or shine.

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CARD TO ELECTORS

Having been solicited by a number of citizens, to nominate as a candidate for Water and Sewerage Commissioner in lieu of the Hon David Laird who has resigned, I beg to say that I have accepted the nomination, and if elected will do all in my power to serve the best interests of the citizens.

I hereby solicit the votes and support of the citizens as I may not be able to make a personal canvass of each individual.

Yours Respectfully,
JOHN NEWEON
9 th.

A Slaughter Sale

—OF—

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For 30 days I will sell Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Chamber Sets, Jardiniere, Cheese Dishes, Fancy China, Lamps, and all kinds of Glassware cheaper than ever sold before in this city

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