



# Buying Early

more than doubles the pleasure of gift saving. The true spirit of the Christmas season is enjoyed to the fullest extent by those who are far sighted in having their gifts selected, wrapped, ready to send, along the early part of the month. You have everything to gain by choosing your gifts early and nothing to lose. We strongly urge you to do your shopping early—for both our sakes.

Wellners Jewelry Store



## Some Sensible Gifts

Here are sensible, reasonable gifts for men and boys that make Christmas gift giving practical and appreciable as well as timely and appropriate.

### —for Men

Invictus boots, recognized as the best boots for men on a continent, fit perfectly, don't creak, smart or burn, need no breaking in. \$6.00  
Gun metal pumps, a splendid assortment \$4. to \$5.90  
Slippers in felt and kid, warm snug cushions of down for the feet 65c to \$3.00

### —for Boys

A splendid line of hockey boots for boys, best assortment in the city today, sizes 1 to 5, 2.00, 2.50 and \$3.00  
Small boys size 10 to 13, price 1.75, 2.00 and \$2.35

Alley & Co  
135 Queen Street

"THE PERFECT tailoring and correct models of our Suits, our splendid Hats and choice Haberdashery will speak for themselves the moment you see them at our Unloading Sale. National Clothing Co. 2970-12-1mtf.



## Your Heating

and cooking apparatus will last much longer if you use our coal. We have now on hand all kinds of fresh mined coal free from slate and stone. Send us your address and we will quote prices.

Phone 111  
G. Lyons & Co.



## High Grade Coal

is the only kind we carry. It does not matter, when you order you can be sure of getting satisfactory coal if you come to us. We have on hand just now some exceptionally good coal for ranges and kitchen use in Risco Screened; Runin mine and Mill Coal also a good stock of highest grade American Coal in every size and chestnut sizes. How much do you need? Prices lowest. Send in your order today, and satisfactory delivery will be made.

Buntain Bell & Co  
Agents Dominion Coal Co. Ltd.  
Black Lion Road, S. E. Line  
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## 14 Days to Xmas

Call in and have that photo taken today.

Cook Studio  
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WE CAN FINISH YOUR Photographs for Xmas.

Make appointment to-day at the Bayer Studio Phone 192J

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Prof. H. A. Tanton  
Teacher of Voice Culture Piano and Organ  
"Voice Culture" a specialty.  
Studio 116 Great George Street  
2448, 11, 13 Mt St. Wks.

## Business For Sale

We offer for sale the Stock in Trade and good will of our General store at Elmira. This is the best country business stand on the Island and affords a grand opportunity to any one who can give the business the required attention. Any information needed, will be gladly furnished on application.

EASTERN TRADING CO  
Elmira  
2900, 11, 27 Mt St.

## Elegant Photos for Xmas at Moderate Prices

No need to wait for a fine day, however. With the equipment of the modern Studio, you can be taken one time as well as another.

A. E. Lyon Studio  
107 Queen St. Ch'own  
Don't Forget Baby  
40 11-1Mt 122M

## The Human Eye

The Eye is one of the most delicate and complicated of the human organs, and yet, probably through ignorance of this fact, it is being constantly ill-used and overworked.

## Eye-Strain

Be wise and do not ignore any of the symptoms of Eye-Strain; headaches or pains in the region of the eyes, inability to read or sew for any length of time, blurred vision.

Allow us to Examine your Eyes. We will give you expert reliable advice.

This is our business.  
G. F. Hutcheson  
Optometrist  
99 Grafton St.

# THE EASTERN GUARDIAN

...IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

...THE MORNING DAILY Guardian can be obtained at W. A. Johnston's, Montague.

...T. GORDON IVES is Guardian agent in Montague. His office phone is 18 and residence phone 20.

...MR. GEO. McDONALD will be at Murray River to buy geese on Tuesday, Dec. 16. Highest prices will be paid. 3187.

...XMAS GOODS.—Be sure and call to see my selection of Christmas goods before purchasing elsewhere. Urban Hynes, O'Leary. 3191.

...MR. ED. D. FEEHAN Guardian representative in Souris will gladly receive subscriptions and advertising matter at the office of undertaker W. L. Dingwell. His phone number is 5.

...SUBSCRIBERS should renew a week or two before the time they have paid for has expired and thus not miss an issue, as all papers are discontinued promptly on expired date.

...SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR.—The bazaar at Lower Montague on Wednesday night in aid of the Presbyterian Church was a grand success. Quite a large number of the young people of Montague drove down in the evening to attend the concert.—B.

...NEW MANAGER.—The Souris fox men have induced Mr. Edmund Clay, Bridgetown, to take charge of their ranch in Souris which goes to show how very foxy they are; for they have secured the service of a man who knows the fox and his habits, besides being a man full of that determination to make anything he takes in hand to pan out to its fullest capacity.

(From yesterday's Evening Guardian) ...SELLING SMELTS.—Mr. Theodore Stewart was in Souris Tuesday with a quantity of smelts, which he disposed of to Mr. Vincent McIsaac.

...SMELT SHIPMENT.—Mr. Vincent McIsaac shipped a large consignment of smelts to a firm in Summerside on Tuesday. Mr. McIsaac is to be congratulated upon the success he is making in this business.

...SCHOONER ARRIVES.—Captain Lannigan brought his schooner Albana to port Monday. She hails from Halifax and has a cargo of coal for Mathew & McLean Co. She is now discharging at their wharf. The Albana left port some two weeks ago with a cargo of produce which has been disposed of to advantage.

...COUNTY COURT.—The County Court was held at Souris on Tuesday, 2nd inst. The case of the Trustees of Glencorrodale School vs. Neil McPhee and others, occupied the attention of the court all day. In the case the Trustees brought action for an amount deducted from the teacher's salary on account of deficiency in the average attendance. A large number of witnesses were examined and great interest was taken in the case. At the conclusion Judge Blanchard announced that he would give a decision at Georgetown. Mr. Fraser appeared for the plaintiffs and Mr. Innman for the defendants.

## EASTERN PERSONALS

...Mr. Hazen Molton, of Ottawa, is spending a few days in Montague.—B.

...Miss M. McDonald, St. Peter's, returned from Charlottetown by the express Monday evening.—

...Messrs George Pierce and Augustus McDonald were passenger from Charlottetown, to Souris Monday evening.—

...Mr. J. Stewart, General Merchant, New Zealand Station, was in Charlottetown Monday on a business trip.—

...Mr. Ross McEwen, was a passenger to St. Peter's Monday evening returning from a business trip to Charlottetown.—

...Miss Gerlie McAulay, Tracadie, returned by the express Monday evening from a business trip to Charlottetown.—

...Miss T. Campbell, East Point, who has been in Charlottetown, was passenger on the eastern train Monday evening.—

...Mr. Andrew Dogust, of Boston, Mass., who for the past few weeks has been visiting his old home in Rollo Bay, left on return Monday afternoon.—

...Mr. Austin McGuigan, Principal Emerald High School, who has been visiting friends in York, was a passenger on the Souris train Monday.

...Mr. Charles Meurant, accompanied by his sister Miss Susie and his brother Andrew, was a passenger to Mt. Stewart Monday. He returned on the express the same evening.

...Mr. A. J. McAdam, of the firm of Davis and Fraser, who spent Sunday at his home in Selkirk, was a passenger by the express Monday morning returning to Charlottetown.

...SALT CARGO.—The schooner Beatrice arrived last week from Halifax in command of Captain Watson O'Harrow. She brought a cargo of salt for Mathew & McLean Co., and during the early part of the week was moored at their wharf where she discharged. She reports meeting with rough weather; so rough that she could carry but little sale. The Beatrice left port over a week ago with a cargo of fish, owned by Mathew & McLean, Co. This she discharged in Halifax.—

...MONTAGUE RESTAURANT.—Mrs. McKinnon has just opened a grand display of new fresh groceries, confectionery and Christmas goods. South-end of new steel Bridge. 3193-12-12m2i.

...TEA AND BAZAAR.—"Don't forget, Bazaar and Tea in Montague Hall on Tuesday evening 16th." 3195-12-12E21M1i.

...HAVING PLANNED extensive improvements in the interior of our store after the Christmas rush is over, we have determined to reduce our stock as much as possible. To do this quickly we now offer choice dry goods, clothing, etc., at discounts ranging from 20 to 30 per cent. for cash. This is a rare opportunity to secure genuine bargains before Christmas. McLeod and McGregor, Montague. 3150-12-10M1i.

From yesterday's Evening Guardian) ...Mr. Joseph McIsaac, Bear River, paid a visit to Souris Tuesday afternoon.—

...Mr. Frank Feehan, Mt. Stewart, was a passenger to Charlottetown, Monday.—

...Mr. Maynard Fraser, South Lake, was in Souris Tuesday on a business trip.—

...Mr. Harland Keady, West River, was in Souris Tuesday transacting business.—

...Mr. D. Gidries, Magdalen Islands, was a passenger on the Lady Sybil Monday.—

...Mr. Peter Chaisson, Bear River, was among the visitors to Souris Tuesday evening.—

...Mr. M. J. Haggarty, agent for the Catholic Record, recently spent a few days in Souris.—

...Mr. Joseph McDonald, St. Andrews, was a passenger from Charlottetown on Monday.—

...Mr. F. H. Perley, Sackville, was a visitor to Souris last week. He registered at the Sea View Hotel.—

...Mr. William Harris was a passenger to Elmira Tuesday evening, re-

turning from a business trip to Souris.

...Miss Adeline McDormack, Georgetown, was a passenger to the city Monday, returning home in the afternoon.—

...Mr. George Keefe of the firm of Hughes & Keefe, Bear River, was in Souris Monday in the interest of his business.—

...Miss Clara Ryan, teacher, was a passenger on the express Monday evening returning from a visit to her home in Morell.—

...Mr. George W. Beers, Principal Mt. Stewart School, returned Monday morning from a visit to his home in North Wiltshire.—

...Miss Florence Fisher, teacher at Scotchfort, who has been spending a few days in Charlottetown, returned to her home Monday evening.—

...Messrs. Richard, St. John, John Creamer and E. Monaghan, representing S. D. C., were passengers to Souris on the eastern train Monday evening.—

...Messrs. Joseph E. McPhee and Hugh McDougall, Clear Spring, returned home Monday evening after spending the past four months in Sebols, Maine.—

...Miss Addie Dingwell, who has been in Charlottetown for the past few months, arrived Saturday evening on a visit to her parents in Bay Fortune.—

...Mr. M. Campbell, Elmira, visited Souris Tuesday, and returned home on the evening train. Mrs. Campbell, who accompanied him, remained in Souris over night.—

...Mr. George Mellick, who is employed on the Government Dredge Montague No. 9, spent Sunday at his home in Souris. He was a passenger to Cardigan Monday morning.—

...The many friends of Dr. F. S. McDonald, V. S., Souris, are pleased to see him around again. He was a passenger to Souris by the evening train Monday, returning from the P. E. I. Hospital, where he has been under treatment for some days.—

# Here Are Gifts That Please—But Cost Little

These are gifts for you to buy—gifts that will please the most particular—the ones that will give the greatest pleasure. Our Shelves are filled to overflowing with practical Xmas goods, and our prices are finest obtainable. For wife or mother, sister or brother, here are gifts that will please, satisfy and delight. Come here for your Xmas supply, You can buy more for one dollar here in gifts than any other store in the city. Drop in to-day. It costs you nothing to look around.

### Pleasing Gifts For Boys and Men

Kind Air Rifles for Juniors. Made very strong with Polished Steel Barrel, Nickel Plated and Walnut stock Each ..... 60c  
King Air Rifles, Single Shot shoots B 3 Shot or Dusts, nickel and polished Steel Barrels Walnut stock Ea. .90c  
250 Shot Repeater. This is a dandy for the boys Hammerless Automatic, Nickel Steel Barrel, Walnut stock Each ..... \$1.25  
500 Shot Repeater Similar to above—Each.....1.50  
1000 Shot Repeater " " Each ..... 1.75  
Rimington Gallery Rifle, for 22 shot and long Cartridges, Break down style, Nitro Steel Barrel, Walnut stock Each ..... 3.50  
Rimington Gallery Rifle 32 Calibre, Each ..... 4.00  
Very Special Rifle. A 12 Gauge Single Barrel Beech Loading Rifle Gun, Shoots buck or smokeless powder. Xmas price ..... 4.49  
Shot Guns, double Barrel, strongly made with Nitro steel barrel, and strong walnut stock \$25. to \$50. \$14 up.  
Tobin Hammerless Guns The best made, used by all the leading Sportsmen everywhere. See our large assortment. Gun cases, Cartridge Belts, Gun Bags, Re Loading Sets, etc. etc.

### Hockey Skates Are Sure To Please

Strong Spring Skates, made of good quality, and are the real thing to begin with. Sizes 8 to 12's ..... 50c per pair  
Hockey Club Skates, Screw on the boot good quality; per pair ..... 50c  
Viking Hockey, a very attractive skate, Nickel plated Steel and puck stop. All sizes per pair ..... \$1  
Peerless Hockey, double end style with puck stop, Nickel Plates ..... 1.25 per pair  
Dom's Hockey, the old reliable and used by leading hockey is s. Nickel plate, and guaranteed ..... 2.35 per pair  
Novo Hockey. This is a dandy and compares favorably with other 5.00 skates. Strong and Serviceable Guaranteed ..... 3.00 per pair  
Montreal Hockey, made of extra fine crucible tool Steel, double end heel supports, fully nickel plated, and finely finished, guaranteed ..... 5.50 per pair  
Ladies' Hockey Charm, Beauty and Fairy. All guaranteed. Nickel Plated, and strongly made, 17.5, 2.25 and ..... 2.50 per pair  
Hockey Sticks, Shin pads, Pucks, Club Boosters, Etc, etc.

### Perfection Oil Heaters

What would be more pleasing than to receive one of these pretty heaters? The Perfection is guaranteed SMOKELESS, ODORLESS and perfectly safe. It has a fuel indicator which regulates the oil in the tank, and latest improved burner. The Perfection gives you entire satisfaction at small costs. 3 sizes 3.45, 4.00 and..... 4.60

### Serviceable Foot Warmers

Clark's Foot Warmer, would be very acceptable for those who drive in cold weather. A few minutes heats the charcoal and then you have foot warmth throughout the longest and coldest drive. can be used in automobiles, carriages and sleighs. 3 sizes to choose from. 2.00, 3.00 and..... 3.50  
Charcoal bricks for use with serviceable ..... 10c ea.

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