

BIG SLAUGHTER SALE!

The whole of our IMMENSE STOCK of Dry Goods, Furs, Millinery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, etc., at a straight discount of from 20 to 50 per cent. Hundreds of busy buyers through our store from morning till night making needful selections from a whole store full of bargains. We find it necessary to hold this sale in order to pay off the balance due our late partner who retired from the business some time ago. Terms of sale are strictly cash. No samples given. No goods on approbation or exchanged. Our books are closed during this sale.

33 1-3 off
Dress Gowns
Suiting Cloths
Jacket Cloths
Cloakings
Silks
Satin
Velvets
Velveteens
Ribbons

33 1-3 off
Corsets
Embroideries
Appliques
Fur Ruffs and Collars
Fur Jackets
Fur lined Capes
Fur Robes
Ladies Sacques
Ladies Suits
Shirts
Cloth Capes
Waists

33 1-3 off
Silk Waists
Wrappers
Waterproofs
Night Gowns

White Wear
Shawls and Rugs
Carriage Wraps
Umbrellas
Sunshades
Children's tams

331-3 per cent off
All small wares
Kid Gloves
Fabric Gloves
Purses
Bags
Chiffons
Black Ostrich Feathers
Eiderdown by yard
Blankets
Handkerchiefs
Drapery Muslins
Curtains
Table Covers
Portiers
Curtain Poles
Window Shades
Oil Cloths
Mats
Boys' Overcoats
Boys' Reefers
Boys' Suits
Collars
Cuffs
Ties
Braces

Colored Shirts
Knit Shirts
Black Sateen Shirts
Gingham Shirts
Sweaters
Pants
Overalls
Smocks
Men's Gloves
Men's Mitts

33 1-3 per cent off
Corduroy
Worsted
Serges
Tweeds

25 per cent off
Prints
Ginghams
Cottonades
Ducks
Drills
Grey Cotton
White Cotton
Fleecy Cotton
Denims
Sheeting Cottons
Pillow Cottons
Lawns
Organdy
Madapolins
Diapers

Quilt Cottons
Furniture Coverings
Furniture Sateens
Pickings
Cretonnes
Sateens
Satin Cloth
Wrappettes
Flannelettes
Flannels
Towels
Towelings
Table Linen

25 per cent off

Table Napkins
Dress Linings
Canvass
Gsnaburg
Stockette
Hosiery
Bed Spreads
Yarns
Mat Fringe
Checked Muslins
Linen
White Shirts
Cardigans
Stanfield's Underwear
Fleecy Underwear
Ladies' Underwear
Combinations

Trunks
Valises
Boots and Shoes
Slippers
Rubbers
Rubber Boots
Overshoes
Socks and Felts
Lumberman's Rubbers,

50 per cent off

All Ladies Trimmed Hats
All Ladies untrimmed Hats
Wings
Breasts
Birds
Ornaments
Colored Tips
All other Millinery Trimming.

50 p. c. off

Laces
Veilings
Guimp Trimmings
Braid Trimmings
Stamped Linens
Ladies' and Children's
Gaiters.

CARPETS.

We want a clean sweep in this department. So here goes.
2 pieces Hemp Carpet at 16c a yd for 11c
1 " " " at 20c " 13 1/2c
4 " " " at 22c " 13 1/2c
2 " " " at 24c " 15 1/2c
1 " " " at 28c " 18c
1 " " " at 32c " 21c
1 " " " at 35c " 24c
1 " Stair Carpet at 16c " 11c
1 " " at 25c " 16c
1 " " at 30c " 19c
2 1/4 yds Tapestry Carpet at 75c 5d for 45c
1 3/4 " " " at 40c " 25c
17 1/4 " " " at 60c " 39c
2 pieces Union " at 40c " 28c
1 " " " at 42c " 29c
3 " " " at 45c " 30c
1 " " " at 55c " 35c
1 " " " at 58c " 37c
2 " " " at 60c " 38c
3 " " " at 75c " 40c
1 " all wool " at 95c " 58c
Sugar sold only in 25c, 50c and \$1.00 packages.
23 lbs best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.
1 1/2 " " " " .50
5/8 " " " " .25
Tea 21c lb.
Kerosene Oil 21c gallon.
Best Porto Rico Molasses 40c gallon.
All other Groceries at 20 per cent discount.

McGougan & Wright, Summerside.

INFORMATION
Winter Steamers for P. E. Island
The winter steamers "Minto" and "Stanley" are now upon the route between Pictou and Georgetown. For the present one steamer will leave Pictou daily at 7 o'clock a. m. returning the next day, weather and ice conditions permitting.
The other steamer will leave Georgetown daily at the same hour in the morning, returning the next day, weather and ice conditions permitting and crossing favorable.
Further notice will be given if any change is made in the movement of the steamers.
F. GOURDEAU
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Ottawa, 5th January, 1904.
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Between Halifax, Truro, Pictou Junction, Pictou, Quebec, and Montreal, ensures a
SAFE SWIFT SMOOTH
Journey, and you will travel via **YOUR OWN LINE.**
Write for rates and time tables to G. A. SHARP, Supt. P. E. I. Railway, Charlottetown, P. E. I.
No. M. LYONS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Moncton.
R. TIFFIN, Traffic Manager, Moncton.

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Manufacture Superior BELL CHURCH, CHIME, SCHOOL & OTHER BELLS.

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JOHN R. NEAL & CO.,
Wholesale and Commission Dealers in
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21, 22, 23 T. Wharf, Boston, Mass.
11 24 dw 3m pd

J. PRICE. I. PRICE.
PRICE BROS.
Wholesale Commission Dealers in all kinds of
FISH
Smelts, Eels and Lobsters are specialties.
We have been handling smelts for 20 years. A trial solicited.
104 Fulton Market, New York
Consignments Solicited, Prompt Return

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JOHN DAIS
107 Fulton Market
New York,
Wholesale Commission Fish Dealer.
FISH!
Smelts and Eels a specialty.
All correspondence promptly answered. Stencils sent on application.
S. B. WILEY & SONS,
Boston, Mass., Transfer Agents.
References: Colonial Trust Co., Borough Bank of Brooklyn, or any Wholesale Fish House in the United States.
12 1 dw 3m pd

CHINESE ANATOMY.

It Puts Fire, Wood, Water, Earth and Metal in Man's Body—How All Diseases Originate.
No Chinese representative of the healing art ever dissected any portion of the human frame. Accordingly their ideas of anatomy and physiology are matters of faith, confirmed by images which have been reproduced during untold centuries. Their osteology teaches that the skull is formed of one bone. So is the pelvis. The number of ribs varies with the individual, and at the junction of the arm with the forearm is placed a cubital pannel.
According to Chinese splanchnology, the small intestine communicates with the cavity of the heart, while the colon, after describing sixteen circumvolutions, terminates by opening into the lung. The heart governs the vital processes. In co-operation with the cavity of the stomach it supplies all ideas and all pleasurable sensations. The liver is the habitat of the soul, and it is from this gland that all noble and generous sentiments emanate. The gall bladder is the receptacle of courage. Its ascent in the body is the cause of a fit of anger. They have an idea of the continuous motion of the blood, but it seems to be the product of an imagination more riotously Oriental than even that which created the other items of their physiologic knowledge. They do not know the pulmonary circulation. They naturally know nothing of the valves in the veins. They do not even appear to have quite grasped the motor function of the heart itself, but they nevertheless profess to differentiate no less than seventy-four varieties of pulse—simultaneously recognizable on the person of a single individual! In its ultimate structure, the body is composed of five elements—fire, water, earth, wood and metal. Each of these elements is in harmonious rapport with the corresponding members of the series of five planets, five metals, five solid viscera, five colors and five tastes. All diseases originate from disturbances of the primary and essential quintic harmonies of these correlations.—American Medicine.

In view of the fact that contagious diseases may be conveyed from mouth to mouth, many children in England now have on their husbands the words, "Please do not kiss me."

Fireproof Ballet Girls

Fire-proof ballet girls are receiving the attention of the County Council, says The London Express. Special arrangements have been made at the Alhambra with a view to reducing the risk of fire on the stage. As an additional precaution, it has been decided to make the ballet girls fire-proof as well. Their costumes are to be treated with a fire-resisting solution which has been used with great success on the continent. When properly treated with "fire-resister," it is said that the ballet girl's dress is practically free from danger. The above statement was shown to an eminent chorus girl, one who has had a long and honorable career in the "third row" at the Gaiety for many years. "Fire-proof clothes, is it?" she exclaimed, disdainfully. "What next for the poor, downtrodden chorus girl?"
"For years we have withstood the possible dangers of fire without the aid of appliances such as these. I am now talking of introducing. I am conservative in my methods, and see no reason why we should be otherwise attired than in the good old days. I made my debut in 'La Fille du Madame Angot'—never mind the year; and people were not then so particular about the chorus girl. They will put us into asbestos next, with fire grenades as decorations. Why not engage salamanders at once, and be done with it!"

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WHOLESALE COMMISSION FISH DEALERS.
Fish! SMELTS AND EELS A SPECIALTY.
All correspondence promptly answered, stencils sent on application.
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To Fishermen Fish Dealers— Kindly favor us with your name and address so that we may from time to time mail you information of value.
All correspondence answered. Free Lists, Shipping Card and stencils sent on demand.
We are established 40 years and refer you for standing to Dun's Mercantile Agency, Roadstreets or the Market and Fulton National Bank, or any wholesale dealer in the business.
18 Fulton Fish Market, NEW YORK.
11-30 dw 3m

List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown.
In default for assessment due on Real Property for the year ending 31st December, 1903, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them respectively, with a statement with the number of the Town Water Lot and Common Lot upon which or any part thereof such Assessment is in default.

Name of Rate Payer in Default.	Statement of Description of Property upon which Assessment is made.	Amount of Assessment due and unpaid.
Gardiner, Fredk. Est. of late	House and land on Common Lot No. 32.	4.67
Mugford, William G.	Houses and land on Common Lot No. 22	4.08

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Provisions of the Statute 51 Victoria, Cap. 12, Section 91, after 30 days publication of the above list being a list of the ratepayers of the City of Charlottetown who have failed to pay within the time prescribed the Assessment severally levied upon their Real Property in said City, I will make an application to His Honor the Stipendiary Magistrate of said City for judgment against each and all of the lands above described for the respective amount so levied against them and then unpaid, and that upon such judgment being duly entered, I will further apply for a warrant for the sale of such lands.
Dated this 22nd day of December, A. D. 1903.
ROBERT VANIDERSTINE,
City Collector

S. A. McDONALD'S GREAT HALF PRICE SALE ON CLOTHING CLOSES SATURDAY EVN'G, JAN. 23.

Men's Suits, half price; Men's Overcoats, half price; Boys' Overcoats, half price; Pants, half price; Shower proof Coats, half price; wearing Pants, half price; children's Fancy Suits, half price.

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