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THE MORNING GUARDIAN

MONDAY, DEC. 24, 1900. DR. JAMES McLEOD.

The death of Dr. James McLeod of this city, which occurred on Saturday evening between seven and eight o'clock will cause wide-spread and general regret. It has removed from life's activities one of the foremost medical practitioners of the Island, a man of energetic nature and progressive views, who possessed a large measure of public spirit. Dr. McLeod was a son of the late Samuel McLeod, Baptist Minister of Uigg, and was born there on 30th June, 1845. He was educated at the old Normal School, Prince of Wales College, and McGill University, graduating at the latter institution in 1873. In the spring of that year he became associated with Dr. Jenkins of Charlottetown with whom he began the practice of his profession. Later he associated himself with the late Dr. McKelvie of Summerside, remaining there about two years. Returning to Charlottetown he again became associated with Dr. Jenkins for a time. On entering upon business for himself his practice extended rapidly in town and country, and continued to tax his energies to the utmost during the period of his active life. The exposure of long drives in the country in which he was often liable to storms and inclement weather, produced the too common effect of rheumatism from which he suffered so severely last winter that he was compelled to almost give up his practice. About Good Friday he became more seriously ill, and was compelled to keep within doors. In August last he removed to his summer home in Keppock, and for a time apparently made some progress toward recovery. But the hope proved deceptive, and recently his near friend became convinced that the end was near at hand. Dr. McLeod was married to Margaret Alma, daughter of Mr. John Henry Gates of this city, who, with two children are

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left to mourn a loss that is irreparable. Three brothers, Malcolm S. of Uigg, Norman S. of Montague Bridge and Duncan C. Barrister of this city, are also called to mourn. To all of these THE GUARDIAN tenders a sincere sympathy that is shared by the entire community. Mr. McLeod's death is indeed a public loss. Not only in his profession in which he was so useful, so distinguished and self sacrificing, will this loss be felt. He had rendered great service to the city by his earnest and able promotion of water works and sewerage, and of every movement for the promotion of the public health and general welfare. He was held in the highest regard by his fellow practitioners, and has passed out of life's activities with the esteem of all who were privileged to know him.

The population of Cuba as ascertained by the recent census is 1,572,797—something less than was expected and 60,000 less than when the last previous enumeration was made in 1887. The long disturbed

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Ask The Square Druggist (SUNNYSIDE) What you are going to give for Xmas? If its Perfumes, he has an elegant line and is giving sweeping reductions. A full line on draught try Deletraz 20th Century. In Ebony Goods he has Hat, Cloth and Brush Sets, Military Sets, Brush and Comb Sets. Besides this Good Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Hot Water Bottles, Fine Soaps, make useful presents, all at low figures. Pipes, Cigars, Cigar Cases, Tobacco Pouches, Fine Tobacco, etc. Walking Sticks—a new lot received by express, and they are nice goods. Sweeping reductions the order of the day. A. W. REDDIN, Phm. B. Central Drug Store, Sunnyside.

THE ONLY HELP.

A Victim of Bright's Disease for Many Years Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. NEEPAWA, Dec. 24.—Mrs. T. H. McKee, formerly of Listowel, came here as a last resort. Had suffered ten years with Bright's Disease. Reported to be part of a party for re-appearance on the street in a pleasant good health, was a pleasant surprise. The explanation given was that her little boy had insisted that she should use Dodd's Kidney Pills and prophesied they would cure her. She says: "From the first few doses I began to feel better, and after taking four and one half boxes, I say it with heart-felt gratitude, I am perfectly cured." Dodd's Kidney Pills is the only medicine in the world that has cured a case of Bright's Disease at such a stage.

condition of the country and the migration back to Spain of many Spanish citizens since the late war account for the decrease. Broadly speaking two thirds of the people are white and one third colored. This proportion is also a surprise in that the colored population is less than was expected. Sixty years ago the colored population of Cuba was 38 per cent of the total, and 100,000 more than now. Of the total population over ten years of age about half the white and one quarter of the colored people are able to read. The work of general education is making good progress, and the school attendance, particularly in cities, is fairly good.

COLDS THAT HANG ON Pneumonia is the result of neglected chest colds, colds that hang on and irritate the bronchial tubes and lungs. To promptly and thoroughly cure chest colds, tightness in the chest and all colds in the throat and bronchial tubes Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has proved itself the most effective remedy afloat. Its sale is simply enormous. 25 cents a bottle. Family size cents 60.

The Christmas number of the P. E. Island Magazine contains a baker's dozen of bright articles and contributions in prose and rhyme. The poetical pieces are: The Message of the Bells, by May Carroll; The Rampike, The Old Mill on the Dunk, by Webster Rogers. All the writers may yet hope for more than an ephemeral reputation. The prose articles include, Shipbuilding on St. Peter's Bay by J. D. McCarthy, giving informing glimpses of a once busy industry now passed away; Martin Dwyre's Christmas by J. Edward Rendle, a ghost story of the days of Governor Patterson; The Golden Age, by J. M., a pretty sketch of life at school; No. 4 of Our Feathered Friends, by John McSwain, a most engaging descriptive article on swallows; No. 6 of Be leque and its People, by L. U. Fowler, giving the original grant from the Crown conveying 500 acres of land to William Wright; A P. E. Island Halloween Story by Dan Casey, one of the incidents being the stopping of a chimney with straw; No. 2 of Our School System, to which further reference will be made; and an interesting continuation of Charlottetown Fifty Years Ago, by E. L. M. All these contributions are distinctly readable, and many of them informing and valuable. The Magazine itself steadily improves; it is serving a good purpose in developing native talent as well as in rescuing from oblivion many incidents and features of Island life and history that might otherwise be entirely lost. We would be glad to know that every family on the Island is among its patrons.

LOST.—On Saturday between Spring Park School and Mr. T. Walter Maszard's a ladies' gold watch in velvet pocket. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office. 24 31

Before leaving town you should call at the Gem Studio Queen Street to have your photo taken by Electric Light. New style on steel finish 6 nice photos for 25c. Open from 10 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Der. 18 Tu, Fri & w At Gay's stalls for Xmas Honey in the comb, Celery, Lettuce, Parsley, Lemons, Savory, Sage, Parsnips, Beets, Carrots, Cabbage, etc., etc. See 20 41

Go to Webster & MacKay's for your Xmas Confectionery. They have got the best assortment of fancy boxes in this city. 20 41

Purchase your presents at W. W. Wellner's and have them Engraved Free. 18 11

The most varied designs of salad bowls to be found in the city at W. P. Colwill's. 14 11

How about a dozen of "1847 Rogers Bros. A 1" knives forks or spoons, as a Xmas present to the friends at home? A full line at G. F. Hutcheson's. 17 11 d & w

Gentlemen:—The Photos I had taken by you are in such demand that you might print me a couple of million more and you will oblige yours sincerely, SANTA CLAUS.

P. S.—All the children should have their Photos taken for Xmas and New Year's and send me one. Six Photos for 25 cents. St. C.

The Gem Studio, Queen Street, will be open for business Christmas Day. English Golden Mistletoe.—Ladies your opportunity—small things lead to greater. It may eventually terminate in a proposal. By all means secure some Mistletoe at at Gay's stalls, and hang it up. See ad in this paper. 20 41

The prettiest boxes of confectionery to be had in the city are at Webster & MacKay's. 20 41

See W. W. Wellner's stock of Gold Filled Watches. 18 11

It Pays to buy at Perkins' SENSIBLE Xmas Presents FURS Fur Caps, Fur Collars, Fur Mitts, Fur Gloves, Fur Jackets, Fur Coats, Fur Ruffs, Fur Muffs, etc.

Presents for Children Children's Wool Overalls, Wool Hoops, Tams, Jackets, Boas, Muffs, Mitts Caps, Pinatores, Dresses, etc.

SUGGESTIONS Shopping Bags, Lawn Aprons, Needle Cases, Kid Gloves, Satin Stock Collars, Silk Ties, Lace Ties, Silk and Lawn Handkerchiefs, Satin and Silk Waists, French Fannel Waists, Ladies' Belts, Lace Collars, Lace Fishies, Dress Lengths, Waist Length of Silk, Gingham Table Covers, Silk Umbrellas, Blauket, Table Linen and Napkins.

FANCY WORK Battenburg Work in Centre Pieces, Table Covers, Yoke, etc, embroidered work in Doylies, Centre Pieces, Tray Cloths, Table Covers, Pin Cushions, Photo Frames, Handkerchief Cases, Cravat Cases, etc.

FOR MEN Ties, Mufflers, Kid gloves, Fur Gloves, Kid Mitts, Fur Caps, Fancy Braces, Collars and Cuffs, Fancy Shirts, Silk Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, Linen Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Cardigan Jackets, Fur Coats.

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Underwear—from the 25c kind to the finest wool fleeced that is made

Shirts—Colored Shirts in the newest colorings, stripes, checks, dots, etc

Sweaters—In plain and fancy patterns

Mufflers—In black silk, satin and plaids.

Neckwear—There is no more up-to-date Neckwear to be had than we are showing. We have very handsome ones put up in a box, suitable for a Christmas present, Puffs with pin, four-in-hand, Bows, flowing ends.

Gloves—Kid, Mocha, Buck Skin, etc., silk lined, fur lined, wool lined.

Fur Collars—Persian Lamb, Astrachan, Neutria Beaverette, we sell an Otter for \$6.

Raccoon Coats—You will find them to be the best value.

D. A. BRUCE, Victoria Row, Cameron Block

FOR XMAS GIVING Cobbler Seat Rockers from \$2.25 up Reed and Rattan Rockers from 2.75 up Childrens' Chairs and Rockers from 40c up Ladies' Desks in Oak and Mahogany from 8.50 up Hall Stands from 5.50 up Our Stock of useful and fancy goods selected for Xmas trade is the largest we have ever shown. The goods were well bought—our prices are right—and for cash we will name a good liberal discount—Come in and look round. Mark Wright & Co, Ltd. HOME MAKERS.