

S. A. McDonald The Island's Leading Store.

New Arrivals of Spring Goods

We are constantly receiving new lines from the world's manufacturing centres. We want to keep you informed at all times as to the popular trend of fashions and a careful perusal of our store will supply you with the news desired.

Handkerchief Specials

Plain lawn, Irish manufacture, hand drawn, hem stitched 5c
Fine fancy hemstitched borders, all popular colors, each 15, 20 and 25c.

Cord and Ruching

Splendid variety of cord, gold cord, and cord and ruching.....12c

Little Bows

Red, blue, green, grey and black, detachable buckles. 45c



Tourist Frilling

A nice showing of Tourist frilling, white and pale blue per yard.....12c

Turbanettes

Latest Parisian flexible hair forms, no weight, uncrushable.....45c

Hair Switches

Just received by express hair switches in dark brown and mid brown..... \$3.50 and 3.75

"Fruitatives, the natural laxative. One gross of these popular laxatives just received direct from the makers. "There's virtue in freshness," buy here. The Mackinnon Drug Co., Druggists, cor. Great George & Kent Streets.

"Who Got the Prize? That is what you will say the morning after the first of April, when you see the announcement giving the name of the winner in Paton's Famous Broadcloth competition. Why don't you just try it? It will only cost you a one cent stamp. It will be worth while. There is \$10.00 in it for you. You might as well have it. 2-24dtf26trf.

Passengers for Winnipeg and West save 24 hours by taking the intercolonial to Montreal. See Rogers for rates, etc. 1-18dtf

"Brandnew stock mercerized sat-teen in black, cream, old gold, brown, green, navy and other standard shades, suited for linings, undershirts etc., bought when the cotton market was at its lowest. We are selling them at the old price. Paton's. 2-23dtf.

"They're still at it. Hundreds trying to find a name for Paton's famous Chiffon Broadcloth. 2-24dtf26trf.

ANOTHER SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

PHILA., Pa., Feb. 28.—Action that is fraught with possibly momentous consequence to Philadelphia, was taken by the Central Labor Union when that body, representing one hundred and forty unions, with a membership of 125,000, voted to begin a sympathetic strike next Saturday in aid of the striking street railway employees.

BRODEUR GOES SOUTH TO CONVALESCENCE.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—Mr. Brodeur, Minister of Marine, left last night with Madame Brodeur for South Carolina, where he will convalesce from his recent illness.

Cure Men and Women Alike

What Dodd's Kidney Pills Did For One Family.

Cured Chas. Bell of Rheumatism and His Wife of Inflammation of the Kidneys.—Mrs. Bell's Statement.

North Range, Digby Co., N. S. Feb. 28.—(Special).—That Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the Kidney ills of men and women alike is shown in the cases of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bell of this place. A short time ago Dodd's Kidney Pills cured Mr. Bell of Rheumatism from which he had suffered for ten years. This led Mrs. Bell to try them for inflammation of the kidneys and she makes the following statement: "I was troubled with inflammation of the kidneys for twenty-four years. Some few years ago I got worse and was laid up for a long time. When I was able to be up again the doctor told me I must on no account do any work. I suffered from Dropsy and my feet would swell so I could not wear my shoes. "My husband benefited so much from taking Dodd's Kidney Pills I decided to give them a trial, and though I have taken only three boxes I am well and can wear my shoes and do nearly all my own housework. I cannot say too much for Dodd's Kidney Pills." Dodd's Kidney Pills make weak Kidneys strong and sick Kidneys well.

"A cough is a little thing when it begins. This is the time to stop it. The longer you put it off, the harder it is to cure. The longer it lasts, the more serious it becomes. Let it run on, and there is no telling what the end will be. Hughes' Cough Mixture is the best remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat and lungs. Prepared and sold by Geo. E. Hughes, the People's Druggist. 3-1dtf.

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Reliable and Popular Route Between St. John and Boston
FARES
CHARLOTTETOWN TO BOSTON
First Class\$9.45
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Steel Steamship Calvin Austin Complete Steel Wireless Telegraph Equipment
Leave St. John Thursday at 8.00 a. m. or Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston.
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Through Tickets at proportionately low rates on sale at all Railway Stations, and baggage checked through to destination.
L.R. Thompson, T. F. & P.A. WM G. LEE Agent St. John

GOOD TEMPLARY IN RUSSIA

Report of International Chief Templar on Visit to Russia

There has been good reason for believing that we should not get permission to plant the Order in Russia. The experience in Finland 25 years ago proved this. But times change, and it seemed probable that the rulers would now be more willing to receive explanations than formerly. Believing this, I determined to make an effort, and went to St Petersburg a few weeks ago. Immediately after my arrival I went to the Swedish Minister in Russia, General Brandstrom, in order to ask his advice and guidance. I was received most graciously, and the Minister promised to do his best to prepare the ground. The following day, as I was the guest of the General and his wife, I learned that a representation of my purpose would probably be considered.

The Minister wrote to the Russian Prime Minister, His Excellency Stolypin, asking if he would receive me in audience to this end. The reply to our Minister's request to his Excellency Stolypin was very favorable. In the Minister's carriage, which was put at my disposal, I drove to the Emperor's palace on the Island of Elaguine, where Stolypin resides. I was received with the greatest kindness by the present powerful leader of the fortunes of Russia. He is a tall, strongly-built man of about 50 years, well preserved. His appearance commands respect; he has a pleasant, somewhat rough voice and an affable manner. On being asked in which language I wished to speak I said, "Preferably in English," and the conversation at once commenced. But first it concerned my nationality. The name betokened either Polish or Russian origin, said his Excellency, and this gave me a kind of introduction.

I gave a general survey of the Order's organization and manner of working. The name of the Order was not unknown to the Prime Minister, but he knew very little about the details of its way of working. He remarked that in Russia permission would not be granted for any part of the temperance work to be placed under the influence and command of a foreign chief (or leader). When I described the nature of my leadership, the event of my greatest objection to it disappeared. Among other prejudices that were brought forward, the principal was that the Order was a private (or closed) society. I explained that we were ready to allow the authorities to control the manner of our work, and I found it necessary to provide such Rituals for Russia as would allow the near relatives, parents or guardians of minors, to be present at the meetings. His Excellency accepted the Rituals in German, and the Constitutions in German and English, and promised he would look them over, and communicate whether the Government could accede to my request. I presume this will come through the Minister in St Petersburg.

During my stay in St Petersburg I insisted three persons in the Order, two Russians and a Swedish artist, K. Fallstrom, and I gained the interest of many others for the Order.

In Riga I was met at the station by a deputation from the Town Temperance Society, led by the architect and lawyer Friedenberg, whom we lately received into the Order in London.

The same day on which I arrived I gave an address in English and German on the Good Templar Order, in the beautiful home of the manufacturer Dembowky, before an audience composed chiefly of the well-to-do class. We now have a little group of seven Good Templars in Riga, and an equal number of persons not yet members who are only waiting for the permission to open a Lodge or take up any work that may be indicated. Nowhere have we more devoted or able champions of our cause than can now be found in Riga.

The lawyer Kempel, who has a leading position, together with Brother Friedenberg, have long been Prohibitionists on principle.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

If After Purchasing a Bottle of Our British Almond Pink

you do not find it the most healing, soothing and softening preparation of its kind you have ever used we will refund your money cheerfully. Gloves can be worn immediately after using.

The place where people get value for their money. A. W. Reddin, Phm.B., The Square Druggist, Sunnyside 2-28d&trf.

THE ROYALTY HAT The "Home of Good Hats" Our Spring stock of English hats are here, and the American ones are expected daily. To make allowance for the reputation of our big up-to-date hat department we had to order more than double the quantity of previous years. To be well dressed its absolutely essential to see our showing—to investigate the shapes and shades. Something decidedly new are the "TWEEN hats, between sizes or fine sizes for people who have difficulty in procuring a proper fitting hat. Besides we have in stock the TRESS, PARKER, with written guarantee inside; GLOVEFIT, with written guarantee inside; MARLOW, with written guarantee inside, WAFERLITE, ROYALTY, STANLEY, DOWNE'S and BRUNSWICK. With the above notable lines there's a certainty of satisfaction. There's a hat here for every face, a price for every purse. \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 to 5.00. BROWN KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE ARROW THE YOUNG MEN'S HAT

Good Laundry Work The daintiest pieces of material are handled carefully and expertly here. It's our business and we handle thousands of pieces—the immensity add variety places us in a position to do that delicate work of yours better and cheaper than you can do it. You certainly can't have patience to do it when you realize that our team is waiting your call. Phone 151. Star Steam Laundry, A. F. Webster, Prop.

Hard = Coal! Chestnut-size for base burners We have several cars coming in this week. Customers wanting this coal better order at once as this will be the only chance to secure hard Chestnut coal this season. We are selling at cost and for cash—\$7.50 per ton. A. PICKARD & CO. 2-25dtf Phone 240

COVERED WITH FLOWERS AND SURROUNDED BY THEM ALL, I WAS SORRY TO LEAVE RUSSIA. EDVARD WAWRINSKY. Int. Chief Templar. DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURE ALL KIDNEY DISEASES RHEUMATISM SPRAINS BRUISES DIABETES BACKACHE WATERBURY 23 THE PROPHETIC

COMING EVENTS. Red Rose meeting, Lodge Prince Edward, S. O. E. Feb. 22nd. NEW SPRING COTTONS AND LINENS. Wise women who, when occasions arise, always seem to be ready for them, are already alive to the fact that Easter comes this year almost three weeks earlier than usual. They have a special interest in these early showings of the new spring cottons and linens, and today from among these new fabrics we have chosen for special word a number that are notably little priced. Paton's. 2-24dtf. "British Beef, Iron and Wine—A great blood builder and tonic.—Full pint bottles 75c. A. W. Reddin, Phm. B., Sunnyside. 2-26d31. "The tiniest samples are getting us business every day by mail.—"If it was possible to attach the tiniest little sample of Paton's new French diagonal dress goods to this little reader so that the first 250 ladies could look at it and feel the quality we are of opinion that there wouldn't be a yard left in the dress goods counter within 24 hours from the time they see it. It is 44 inches wide comes in 13 different colors, only a few dress length of each. It is the most popular cloth of this season both of Paris and New York and there will be nothing better worth \$1.25 for 80 cents. Full dress length for \$7.80. Carriage paid to any station on the Island.—Jas Paton & Co. 2-25dtf

"QUALITY—Many are the abuses of the word. Still, when the goods feel right and look their class, you can't help realizing real quality when it is there. Paton's Chiffon Broad Cloth is quality produced and guaranteed to give quality service. Price \$1.75 so as to reach the demands of all. Usual cash discounts for cash. Paton & Co. 2-24dtf26trf. "\$3.75 Rattan Rockers for 2.75, one of five splendid bargains we are offering in rockers. We secured a manufacturer's surplus stock at a big reduction, other prices are, solid oak cobbler rockers 2.25 for 1.85, 2.75 for 2.10, 3.35 for 2.75, 4.00 for 2.95. Beer & Weeks. Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, Linens. 2-28dtrf. A PLEASING EXHIBIT. "First Big Shipment by a Big Liner, received per S. S. Tunisian, entered at the customs yesterday, put in stock today and ready for the most critical inspection, 3,450 yards of the best assorted shipment of colored gingham, zephers, drills, crepons, satens and other printed goods, all fast colors of the latest designs and colorings for season 1910. Prices run 15c, 22c., and 25c. See window at Paton's. 2-24dtf.

Lobster Packers Supplies Wholesale and Retail The Rogers Hardware Co. Ltd.

Big Wall Paper Remnant Sale Our Annual Sale of Wall Paper Remnants is now on. A great many small lots culled from our Wall Paper Department. All pretty patterns. Some have borders some have not. Done up in lots to suit any Room either Parlor, Hall, Dining Room, Office, Bed Room, or Kitchen every lot at HALF PRICE or less, and every lot a bargain. Take advantage of this Sale It only happens once a year. Early buyers get best selection CARTER & COMPANY Limited

Thanks We desire to thank all who contributed toward OUR INCREASED BUSINESS for the past year and trust that with an effort to please and to give the best value for every dollar, we will be favored with your continued patronage. With best wishes to all for a happy and successful new year. H. A. Tanton & Co 144 Great George Street 12-15dtf W. N. TANTON Jeweler Pomey 2 L

MR. HAYS OFF TO LONDON MONTREAL, Feb. 27. — C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk R. Co., recently for England. This will be the first visit of Mr Hays to London since he became president of the company. ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM is warranted to cure the most distressing cough. An specially pleasing exhibit of dress cottons is one of the first floor features, that no woman who cares for pretty things should miss. We believe that never before in this City were such lovely fabrics shown so early, they are just in time to place with your dressmaker for early delivery. Many of them will also be seen only at Paton's. 2-16dtf21 "FURNITURE COVERINGS at 20 p.c. off This offer stands good until March 15th, we want to do part of the spring upholstering now instead of doing all later on, the variety is very large ranging from the cheapest cretons to most expensive silks and tapestries. Beer & Weeks, Furniture, Carpets, Linens. 2-28d&trf.