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Successors to Mark Wright F. C.

Special Sale This Week!

Lace curtains 20 p.c. off Curtain Muslins 20 p.c. off Cretons and Coverings 20 p.c. off Portiers 20 p.c. off

Twenty per cent off our low prices means a bigger saving to you than a bigger discount at the high price stores. A fact.

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THE PROVINCIAL ACCOUNTS.

A few no doubt public spirited persons are very desirous to know how the Province stands financially, or how it stood some months ago when the fiscal year closed. This is a proper and legitimate desire on their part. We are all shareholders in the provincial concern, and should be interested to know whether the receipts and expenditures balance, or whether we have a surplus or a deficit in the treasury.

It is, however, among the Opposition party that this anxiety to know the state of the public accounts is most in evidence. This is quite natural, as they are debarred from access to the sources of information. Or the ministerial side, in the inner circle at least, the state of the accounts is known in a general way, although not made public. These conditions are not new. They are as they have been for many years past and under various Governments, Liberal and Conservative.

In regard to the public accounts of the Dominion the people are not thus left in doubt. And the Dominion is a thousand times bigger than our little Province. Yet from month to month throughout the year the state of the public accounts of Canada is published in the Canada Gazette and in all the principal newspapers. Thus the humblest elector is privileged to know within a few days after each month's closes just what revenue was received during the month from customs, excise, post office, railways, public works and so on, and what has been the ordinary expenditure, the capital expenditure, and the increase of the public debt, if any.

Which is the better way, the way of the Dominion or the way of the Province in these matters? To ask this question is to answer it. There are thousands of our people who want to know the state of the public accounts and they have a right to know how the accounts stand. It is nobody's fault in particular that they do not know. Both parties have so far been content to allow these matters to run on in the old rut, but it is high time a change was made and we hope to see it made before long.

We have the Royal Gazette in which all official announcements of the Provincial Government are made just as the Canada Gazette makes public the doings and accounting of the Federal Government. There ought to be a monthly statement in the Royal Gazette, and this will be done when the people through their representatives demand it. We are not aware that this has been yet called for, in or out of the Legislature.

It is a good time to begin. We are in the twentieth century now, near the beginning of a new year, and with a new Legislature. We do not think the Government is disposed, any more than previous Governments, to pursue a policy of concealment. We believe that Premier Haszard and his colleagues would like to improve the public service. Here is an opportunity to effect a valuable and necessary improvement at very trifling cost, and one which would be popular and satisfactory among all those who take an interest in, or who are engaged in the discussion of public affairs. Let us have a statement of provincial accounts published monthly as is done by the Dominion.

A MOTHER'S REVERIE.

(By Lucy Gertrude Clarkin.)

A veil mist falls on the silent sea As the last fair hour of the day-light dies; A soft breeze sweeps o'er the perfume of the sea.

Oh! little one, little one close thine eyes. I hold thee safely upon my breast, And thy white lids droop as I softly sing; Now, this little baby, is sweeter rest Than any the years of thy life may bring.

Oh! joyous and pure, might I keep thee so Through the shadowy strife that I yet to be; But the future is God's and thine own I trow, And the onrush of the fight must be borne by thee.

I may hold thee a little while, dear heart, May kiss thee and sing at the close of day, May keep thee a treasure, untouched, apart, Then the whole world will call thee to go away.

So sleep, little baby, thy sinless sleep While God and His angels are guarding thee; Too soon to awaken, ah! yes, and weep, In the years that will keep thee apart from me.

CASTORIA

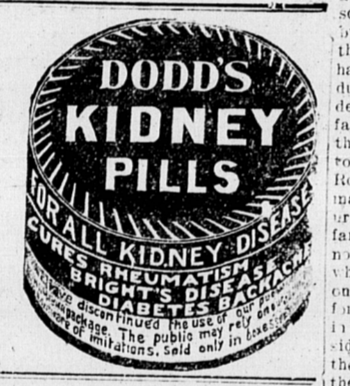
For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

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CHURCH COLLAPSES.

BERNE, Switzerland, Jan. 11.—During Divine service, the ancient church suddenly collapsed burying the worshippers among the ruins. Practically the whole congregation was killed or injured.

The wildest panic prevailed through the village, the people believing an earthquake had occurred. Forty bodies have already been recovered from the wreck, and sixty injured persons. Numbers of others have not yet been reached.



An unequalled opportunity to purchase table linens, bed linens, print cottons, white cotton, in fact anything you need for the spring sewing, 25 per cent off prices already the lowest to be found. Just step in, examine and compare. M. Trainor & Co. 1-4rtt

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Ladies! we have the goods that will keep your feet warm this cold weather in Felt Boots and Overshoes, made on neat but comfortable lasts, also Gaiters and Leggings in all the different lengths.

Colors, Black, Blue and Brown. Goff Bros

THE HISTORY OF THE HEARTZ FARM

Frank R. Hertz having disposed of the balance of the property on the St. Peters Road known as Hertz's Farm today advertises his entire stock of horses about 25 in number which he intends to sell by Public Auction in Charlottetown on Saturday April 10, 1899 Easter Market day. As the imported Clydesdale portion of this stock was personally selected by experienced men in Scotland, and as great care has been taken in the breeding of them during the last few years the farmers of this Island are to be congratulated on having this opportunity of securing such first class animals and their progeny.

By the burning of the buildings in October last and the dividing and partitioning up of this Farm now one of the land marks of this province is obliterated.

Since the late Benjamin Hertz established this farm on a small scale some 30 years ago, and as time went on gradually increased and enlarged the property, this Farm has been the home of noted stock both in horses and cattle. In 1882 Mr. Hertz imported from France a Stallion Romulus and some mares of the Percheron Class, later on this was increased by the importation of the Percheron Stallion Duroc, at that time considered one of the great animal painters. Rosa Bonheur to be one of the six finest horses in France and used by her as a model in her picture "The Horse Fair". About this time Mr. Hertz imported from Holland the first Holstein cattle brought to this Island. Later he bought out at great cost the entire herd of Jerseys of Mrs. Jones, located upon as the first Jersey Herd in America, and he also sent George Lightizer of this City to the Channel Islands and brought home a herd comprised of several Jerseys, Guernseys and Alderneys.

In May 1899 Mr. Hertz owing to other matters requiring his attention decided to dispose of the greater part of his choice stock and in that year sold these Jerseys, Guernseys, Holsteins and Percherons and their progeny distributing them all over the Province and thereby bringing up the standard of the Island animals.

After Benjamin Hertz's death in 1899 Frank R. Hertz continued the farm and immediately sent to Scotland bringing out eight mares and a stallion of the Clydesdale Class, considering that this was the best all round animal for the farmers of P. E. I. Mr. Hertz was getting a fine stock raised from this importation when on October last, the entire farm buildings comprised of some 700 feet frontage were entirely destroyed by fire, and these fine animals were rescued with great difficulty. These buildings were looked upon as among the finest farm buildings in Canada, having been erected at different times during the last 20 years. Mr. Hertz decided then to dispose of his entire farm property and contents and with this end in view sold some 90 acres to Edgar Hertz 48 acres to James Roper and now has disposed the remaining 72 acres to his farmer Arthur McEachern, who has lived on this farm ever since he was born, and is now to be congratulated on securing what is undoubtedly the richest land on the Island today, as Mr. Hertz for years hauled all the manure made in Charlottetown to this farm, besides the enormous quantity made on the place. The last one now will be the distributing sale of the Clydesdales and other Stock on Easter Market day as advertised.

Taking it all in all the farmers of the country owe a debt to Benjamin and Frank Hertz for the importation and distribution amongst them at different times of the finest and best lot of animals of different breeds that could be obtained anywhere in the world. Always making it a point to get the best that could be obtained and always going direct to the best markets to secure them.

"The two Mac's are showing a large assortment of English Chocolates in handsome packages for the holiday trade—As a pure and delicious confection they have no equal—This is the first importation of English Chocolates—You are invited to buy early as they are selling fast. For sale only at "The Two Mac's."

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G. D. Wright Funeral Director and embalmer—Miss A. Ferguson Lady Assistant—Personal Attention and Promptness Guaranteed. Ambulance calls answered at shortest notice. Specialties Disinfecting and Fumigating, Furniture Repair and Re-upholstering. Silent Salesmen made to order OFFICE—King Square, Phone, 3303 215 DENNIS King Square, No 2 de Phone 3924 1-11d21.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. *Aren't tonight, special skating, Sunday and Montague. *Attention is called to the ad of The Jas. Stewart Mfg Co., Ltd., Waco, Ont., which appears in this issue. *L. O. A. The annual meeting of the New Wiltshire District L. O. L. will be held in Tanton Lodgeroom, Brookfield on Tuesday, January 13th at 7 p. m. 1-11d21.

*VOICE SPECIALIST.—Prof. H. A. Tanton teacher of voice culture, piano and organ. Voice culture a specialty. Studio Great George Street. 10—5dmwfrwv.

*S. O. E. Joint installation of officers of Lodges Eton and Prince Edward Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested. F. M. Chandler District Deputy. 1-11d21.

PLENTY OF ROOM FOR ME AND THEE

Be Fair With Your Competitor

Never Try to build Yourself Up by Tearing Down Another—There is Plenty of Room for Both.

THE AD. MAN WAS TAUGHT THIS LONG AGO.

It is now six years since Paton & Co., offered their stock at a clearance price of 2 p. c., 33 1-3 p. c. and 50 p. c.

There have been sales, sales and sales year in and year out but Paton & Co did not object, always preferring to move along on the even tenor of their ways and always remembering that there is always room for Me and Thee.

SLAUGHTER SALE—The word SLAUGHTER has never been used in PATON'S ADS. They do not like the word and do not use it. It does not sound well between Me and Thee.

When Paton advertises a Discount Sale everyone BELIEVES the discount are given as advertised and Paton believes the people BELIEVE in him and he BELIEVES in HIMSELF, and the old saying "There is plenty of room for all" still holds good.

19 Fur Lined Coats and Jackets at 33 1-3 off

- Dark Green cloth, Sable collar, Hamster Lining size 36, \$75 for \$50.00. Navy Blue cloth, Squirrel Lining, Isabella Fox collar, size 38, \$85 for \$57.00. 1 Green cloth, Hamster Lining, Sable Collar size 34, \$75 for \$50.00. 1 Do Do Orenberg collar, Hamster Lining, size 35, \$75 for \$50.00. 1 Plain Blk cloth, German Otter Collar, Keluga Lining, size 38, \$38.50 for \$25.67. 1 Brown cloth, Squirrel Lining, No 1 Sable collar, size 38, \$85.00 for \$57.00. 1 blk cloth, Hamster Lining, German Otter collar, size 38, \$55.00 for \$36.67. 1 Blk cloth Keluga Lining, German Otter collar, size 40, \$55.00 for \$36.67. 1 Brown cloth, Sable collar, Hamster lining, size 36, \$78.00 for \$52.00. 1 Navy cloth, Sable collar, Squirrel lining size 36, \$85.00 for \$57.00. 1 Brown Tweed Farmer's Satin Lining, Beaver collar, size 36, \$36.00 for \$24.00. 1 Black cloth Farmer's Satin Lining, Sable Collar, size 35, \$32.00 for \$21.67. 1 Coon Coat Size 36, for \$15.00. 1 Electric Seal Size, 36 for 15.00. 1 " " Fox Collar, size 34, for 25.00. The Collar and Revers are worth \$30.00. 2 Bochara Sizes 36 and 38, \$58.00 for \$38.67. 2 Astrachan Fur Jackets, \$50.00 for 33.34. 1 Grey Persian Lamb, size 36, \$63.00 for \$43.50. 1 Musk Rat Coat, size 36, \$65.00 for \$43.50.

Lace Curtain Sale

400 prs Lace Curtains on Sale today at the following prices

Table with columns: Lace Curtain, yds Long, x, in. wide, Regular Price, 50c for, 34c for. Rows include various sizes like 2 1-2 yds Long x 30 in. wide, 2 1-2 yds Long x 40 in. wide, etc.

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