

# BLACK FOXES

are all right in their places but you will get more real comfort from a ton of PICKARD'S BLACK COAL, it's the heat making kind.

Keep your coal bin well filled this cold weather.

## A. Pickard & Co.

Phone 240.

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"Beer & Weeks' January Sale of table linens, sheetings, pillow-cottons, towels, blankets, furniture coverings etc begins today. The usual unparalleled values are being given. 20 per cent of our regular low prices—that means lowest prices in the city. Compare before you buy. Beer & Weeks, Furniture headquarters. 1-3metf.

"Beer & Weeks' 20 per cent sale begins today. You doubtless know the high quality standard of our household linens—you remember the wonderful values we gave last year. It's the same this year and we advise you to buy now and save money. All sheetings, pillow-cottons, table linens and napkins, bedding and blankets fancy linens etc reduced. 20 per cent off. 1-3metf.

"20 per cent off at Beer & Weeks. All household linens reduced during our annual linen sale. New fresh goods, sheetings, linens, bedding, blankets—all at 20 per cent off. Our annual linen sale holds the record for wonderful value giving. This year you will find our linens cheaper and best in the City. Beer & Weeks. 1-3metf.

## Send Us Your Prescription

Send your prescription to us. We will see that it gets careful and prompt attention. An expert will attend to the work and it will be sent to your home without any delay while the charge will be moderate.

Mail orders and phone orders filled with the same careful attention given personal calls.

### MacKinnon Drug Co.

## A Valuable Pile



Tobacco is a pile of HICKEY'S BRIGHT CUT smoking tobacco, Cool, Sweet, Mild, pure, clean, and wholesome. Better lay in a supply at present prices, and at a good run or your money. Made of the very best tobacco, and made RIGHT.

### Hickey & Nicholson Tobacco Co. Ltd.

## Reduced Prices on Balance of Ladies' and Gent's Skates

We have still on hand, after the biggest sale of skates we have ever had, a small assortment of the famous "Bokers" which we are offering to you at big discounts to clear, so as to make room for our stock for next year which we expect in a short time. Now is the time to get a pair of Skates at practically your own price. Call in to-day as the stock will not last long.

- Bokers' Tubular Skates fine quality, Tool steel runners, double heel support, hand Tempered \$4.00. Now \$3.00
- Bokers' Meteor Hockey Skates hand tempered, straight tubular with steel runners, full nickeled plates \$4.00. Now \$3.00
- Montreal Hockey Skate, made of extra fine quality crucible Tool Steel, double and heel supports fully nickeled plates and finely finished, a splendid skate, \$5.50. Now \$4.25
- Boker's Dominion, an old favorite double end skate with puck stop full nickel plated, \$2.25. Now \$1.75
- Boker's Peerless, double end Heal supports, small plate to fit ladies' and boys boots best quality Steel throughout \$1.25. Now \$1.00
- Spring Skates, a pick of any size for \$1.45
- Leader Hockey Skate, best quality steel runners, double end heel support with puck stop 75c. Now 60c
- Viking, Straight with puck stop, nickel plates, \$1.00. Now 79c
- Hockey Club, a cheap good skate for boys, best quality steel runners 45c. Now 39c
- Ladies' beauty, a splendid skate for women, nickel plated blade, fancy curved design, a very attractive skate \$2.00. Now \$1.50
- Hero Skate, same style as Dominion Nickel Plates 1.75. Now \$1.40
- Ladies' Charm, nickel plated fine skate and strong \$1.75. Now \$1.35
- Ideal, a strong serviceable skate, same as the Montreal used by leading Hockeyists \$3.00. Now \$4.00

### ROGERS HARDWARE CO.

## Hair Health

If You Have Scalp or Hair Trouble, Take Advantage of This Offer.

We could not afford to so strongly endorse Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and continue to sell it as we do, if it did not do all we claim it will. Should our enthusiasm carry us away, and our entire satisfaction to the users, they would lose faith in us, and our statements, and in consequence our business prestige would suffer.

We assure you that if your hair is beginning to unnaturally fall out or if you have any scalp trouble, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is without question the best remedy we know of to eradicate dandruff, stimulate hair growth and prevent premature baldness.

Our faith in Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is so strong that we ask you to try it on our positive guarantee that if your money will be cheerfully refunded if it does not do as we claim. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store, The McKinnon Drug Co.

"Everybody will be at S. A. McDonald's today to share in the bargains offered there. 1-3metf.

"S. A. McDonald's sale stating that they are to raise \$20,000 during the month of January means a big opportunity for the people of this Province. 1-3metf.

## Does Your Horse Cough

If so do not neglect it as it may develop into a chronic cough or the heaves.

### HUGHES'

## Horse Cough Remedy

is the most reliable and most successful Horse Cough Remedy. We prepare special remedies for special cases.

### Geo. E. Hughes

The People's Theatre.

## THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

ON SLIP.—The schooner Maggie Bell, Furness, Georgetown, is at the Marine Slip, Dartmouth, N. S.

SHIPPING.—Among the arrivals at the Port of Halifax on 9th inst. were the Brig. Maggie Bell, 99, Bangstar, Georgetown; Schr. Minnie D., 76, McLeod, Georgetown; Schr. F.B. Wade, Hamilton, Montague; Schr. Carl E. Richard, Kinross, Montague; Schr. Howard, Murray, Montague.

BACK TO NEWCASTLE.—Among the visitors at Hotel Miramichi is L. E. McMurdo of Calgary who is looking up old friends in the town, says a Newcastle exchange. He speaks very favorably of the industrial outlook in Calgary, where he now conducts a large business. He leaves for a visit to P. E. Island on Saturday, but will probably return to Newcastle for a day or two before finally leaving for the West.

NARROW ESCAPE.—Captain H. Boutillier of the schooner Minnie May, lying at Pickford & Black's wharf, reports the narrow escape of the Lunenburg schooner Alma Nelson, which was bound from P. E. I. to Mahone Bay. The latter schooner proceeded on her way a day or two ago and on Wednesday afternoon she ran on Ino rock a short distance off Sarnbro and she was rolling very badly, but when the tide rose a few hours later she floated off and proceeded on her way. The Minnie May, when she saw the schooner, was bound from Ingram Rocks to Halifax.

SKINS.—In a circular sent to J. D. Jenkins of Charlottetown from Becker Bros, N. Y., there is given a list of the comparative offerings for skins at the London January sales to be held between the 17th and 25th. The circular states that, "in view of the high prices the quantities are amply large and this, in conjunction with the uncertain political and financial European conditions, make the immediate future of the market more or less uncertain and that it is questionable if present prices may be sustained for any length of time." According to the comparative offerings for the January sales for 1913 and 1912, they find that this year, there will be offered—\$7,300 racoons an increase of 4000 over the previous year; 2,169, 650 muskrats, an increase of 765, 650; 530,800 skunks, a decrease of 27,000; 406,500 opossum, a decrease of 500; 34,404 mink, a decrease of 4000; 20,372 red fox, an increase of 3000; 7,685, grey fox, a decrease of 6500; 6,150 white fox, an increase of 1000; 100 blue fox, an increase of 60; 467 cross, that is patch fox, an increase of 333; 67 silver fox a decrease of 28; 7,558 white cat, an increase of 1000; there will be an increase in civet cat, fisher lynx, beaver and badger; and a decrease in martin, otter, bear, wolf, ermine. It is interesting to note that there will be 19800 house cat skins sold, a decrease of about 3000 for last year.

MRS. ALCHORN DEAD.—The many friends of Mrs. T. B. Alchorn, formerly of Charlottetown, will deeply regret to learn of her death which occurred at Wheaton, Ill., at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charlotte McKay, on Sunday, Dec. 29th, ult. The funeral took place on New Year's Day. On account of the lateness of the season, her son George C. Alchorn, well known in Charlottetown, now in the banking profession in the city mentioned, deemed it advisable to defer the bringing of the remains back to P. E. Island until the spring. Accordingly the casket containing the body was placed in a vault at Rose Hill Cemetery, Chicago, where it will remain until the last week in May, when it will be brought to the home of the deceased and laid to rest among her own people. The late Mrs. Alchorn had been failing health for over a year, although her condition was not considered serious. During last summer she began to fail noticeably and by the fall her physician had very little hope of her recovery. Through all her illness she did not suffer any pain but as the inevitable drew nearer she became very weak and on the evening of the 28th of December, it was noted that she fell into a deep sleep from which she never awakened and her spirit passed away about ten o'clock that night, to Him who gave it. All that could be done to comfort her and alleviate her sufferings was seen to by the very kind friends and relatives about her. She never forgot her Island home, says an exchange, and she often referred to Charlottetown and the friends whom she formerly loved and knew so well.

From Saturday's Evening Guardian: Miss Ball, Bishop's Street, says a Montreal exchange, has returned from Ottawa where she was the guest of Lady Davies. Miss Ball has many friends in Charlottetown.

SPECIAL LEAVES.—A special train left Charlottetown last evening at 8.30 for Georgetown to connect with the Earl Grey.

PARTIES having a large number of poles, stone or plank for sale should look up the classified column in this issue.

TICKETS.—The tickets for the grand concert in the Opera House on Jan. 17th are being eagerly bought as the pupils of Prince Street School are being well trained and a good program is assured.

## PERSONALS

D. W. Howard, Milton, was in Charlottetown Saturday.

Duncan Matheson, Vernon, was in Charlottetown Saturday.

Fontleroy Kennedy, Southport, attended the races in Pownal last week.

W. A. Dunsford, South Melville, was a passenger on the western train Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mary Mutch, Cherry Valley and Miss Lulu Ballem, Waterdale, were in Charlottetown Saturday.

Miss Enid Smith, Pownal, spent the week end at Tea Hill the guest of Miss Helena McRae.

Miss Ethel Percival, Charlottetown, is visiting in Summerside the guest of Mrs. J. J. McNally.

D. C. Morson Cardigan was a visitor to Charlottetown Saturday and returned in the afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Fisher, Scotchfort, was a passenger returning from Charlottetown Saturday afternoon.

Dr Herman was in Charlottetown, Saturday and returned to Murray River in the afternoon.

Fred S. Smith of Seattle, Wash., who has been visiting in Charlottetown left Saturday morning on a visit to Boston.

J. A. LeClair, Charlottetown, has left to resume his duties as teacher in St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish.

Misses Erma and Ruby Gay, Gaytown, have returned home after spending a few days with friends in Hazelbrook and Pownal.

John N. Wood, Govan, Sask., who is spending the winter with friends in Hazelbrook, was a recent visitor to Waterdale.

Miss Lavinia Ross, Vernon, and Miss Mary McNeill, Tea Hill, were the guests of Miss Hattie Gay during the past week.

Among the visitors to Charlottetown Saturday were B. Berrigan, Mrs. M. Berrigan and Miss Margaret Berrigan, Green Bay, Lot 30.

Miss Minnie Lamont, Eldon, passed through Charlottetown yesterday on her way to Central, Lot 16, where she has been engaged as teacher.

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## Good Tooth Brushes

When new a good tooth brush 'looks' about the same as a bad one.

The goodness appears under hard usage.

Our 25c brush can be used for six months and you will still have a good brush; the bristles do not break off or come out. If you buy one of these and it does not wear satisfactorily we will buy it back at full price.

We have some others, the best for the price anywhere—from 10c up.

### Johnson & Johnson

The Quality Drug Store.

## A Short Talk on Prescriptions

The services of the best doctor on earth would not be of much account if his orders were not carried out and his prescriptions filled accurately.

On the accuracy of our work depends the success of the physician. When you get your prescription filled here you have expert, certified pharmacists working for you. Your order is attended to without delay, every prescription is checked to insure accuracy and the charge is no higher than you would pay for slip-shod work.

Leave your next prescription here.

## Pies With A "Moreish" Taste

There's a purity and wholesome deliciousness to our pies that cannot be found in the common kind. That's because we use only the purest creamery butter, fresh, unskinned milk and choice pastry flour. There's a quality to every crumb of our pies—fine flavor from crust to core.

### Stewart's Bakery

167 Kent Street

### The 2 Macs

147 St. Geo. St.

"S. A. McDonald's grand clearing sale is announced this morning and will be continued during the month of January until the sales touch the \$20,000 mark. 1-3metf.

PARLIAMENTARY SITUATION RAISED IN PARIS.

PARIS, January 10.—The likelihood of the premier, Raymond Poincaré, being elected the president of the republic creates a political situation for which there is no precedent, and parliamentarians are much exercised as to what procedure should be adopted. But in any event it is certain that the present cabinet will retain power until February 17, when President Fallières' term expires.

In the event that M. Poincaré is elected by the members of the senate and of the chamber of deputies meeting in joint session at the national assembly at Versailles on January 17 for that purpose, it would be a somewhat delicate matter for him to continue to participate in parliamentary work while awaiting installation. At the same time, the ministerial crisis which his resignation would involve would create an exceptionally difficult parliamentary situation and it is understood that he would solve the difficulty by granting himself a month's leave of absence.

In that case Aristida Briand, the minister of justice, would take up the duties of the premiership and the foreign office, M. Poincaré collaborating with him at the foreign office.

Great Alteration **Moore & McLeod** Alteration Great  
The Millinery People  
Sale 119-121 Queen St. Charlottetown Sale

Anticipate your needs—save by securing wanted goods away under the value at **Great Alteration Sale**

SOMEBODY ASKED THE WRITER THE OTHER DAY "what are these alterations that you are talking about—I thought you had finished when you opened the new MEN'S STORE." In the idea that perhaps some one else is wondering the same way—we'll tell you a little more about it this morning. You remember the back part of the lower building—formerly Messrs Goff Brothers factory;—the contractors are hard at work behind that partition—rebuilding. When they are finished in a few weeks now you will have an almost entirely new store to shop in—plenty of room—plenty of light—and several entirely new departments.

Some of the present departments will be greatly enlarged—particularly the dress goods—silks—wash goods, etc. Meantime the contractors are pulling the store to pieces—making more disturbance and dust than a three ring circus. "Three whys" of the great ALTERATION SALE then—to repeat once more—

- 1 To get the goods out before dust damages them more than discounts:—
- 2 To avoid a big lot of moving otherwise necessary:—and
- 3 not least—to secure a pile of money to pay the bills.

## ONE-THIRD off all these Lines

HERE IS A KIND OF GUIDE BOARD to show you what items are reduced One-third during the GREAT ALTERATION SALE. There are choice goods all over the store—all new, all attractive, all desirable,—which you will find mentioned here—some are more fully described in another section of the advertisement—others not.

One third off Dress Trimmings and Ties	One third off Ostrich Plumes	One third off Cushion Forms
One third off Buttons	One third off Cloth Tams	One third off White Lace
One third off Smallwares	One third off Ladies' Cloth Coats	One third off Allover Laces
One third off Hair Switches	One third off Misses' Cloth Coats	One third off Veilings
One third off Hair Rolls	One third off Ladies' Silk Skirts	One third off Aviation Caps
One third off Cushion Cords	One third off Silk	One third off Child's Headwear
One third off Embroidery Hoops	One third off Millinery Ribbons	One third off Tullies, etc
One third off Black Lace	One third off Shell Hair Goods	One third off Child's Cloth Coats
One third off Embroidered Handkerchiefs	One third off Hair Puffs	One third off Cloth Skirts
One third off Ladies' Neckwear	One third off Stamped Linens	One third off Lingerie Waists

During the great alteration sale

## 20 per cent special discount Pants

20 off 100 pairs new men's Pants

ALL OF THE GOODS MENTIONED BELOW are yours at a discount of twenty per cent or just one fifth the price. That is to say, every article priced at \$1.00 will now be 80 cents, and so, in the same proportion through all these lines.

<h3>25 p. c. off</h3> <p>This offer means that on every dollar purchase you make a saving of 25 cents. The discount is given you on desirable goods all over the store—practically every line is discounted—and a large proportion at TWENTY FIVE PER CENT.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All Dress Goods</li> <li>All Linings</li> <li>Dress Muslins</li> <li>Serpentine Crepes</li> <li>Ginghams</li> <li>Wrappettes</li> <li>All Sateens</li> <li>Berlin Wools</li> <li>Beehive Wools</li> <li>Ivanhoe Yarns</li> <li>Andalusians etc.</li> <li>Embroideries</li> <li>Cashmere Hose (except Penman)</li> <li>Fabric Gloves</li> <li>Lined Kid Gloves</li> <li>Plain Handkerchiefs</li> <li>Umbrellas</li> <li>Linen Collars</li> <li>Men's Ties</li> <li>Braces</li> <li>Gloves and Mitts</li> <li>Men's Linen Handkerchiefs</li> <li>Men's Silk Handkerchiefs</li> <li>Men's Sox</li> <li>Sheep Lined Coats</li> <li>Cloth Caps all new</li> <li>Underwear (except Stanfields)</li> <li>Sweaters &amp; Sweater Coats</li> <li>Overalls &amp; Jumpers</li> <li>Men's Shirts</li> <li>Pajamas &amp; Night Shirts</li> <li>Boys' Overcoats</li> <li>Aprons</li> <li>Wool Shawls &amp; Scarfs</li> <li>Wool Toggles</li> <li>Ladies' Golf Coats</li> <li>Child's Golf Coats</li> <li>Silk Velvets</li> </ul>	<h3>25 p. c. off</h3> <p>A LITTLE STUDY WILL show you that a large proportion of the most desirable goods in the store can be bought at this discount during the next few days</p> <p>Go carefully through the list—come down early—make a list of the goods you want—you will be surprised at the speed with which you will be served.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Silk Waists</li> <li>Sateen Waists</li> <li>Net Waists</li> <li>Tailored Blouses</li> <li>All Wrappers</li> <li>Waterproof Cloaks</li> <li>Dressing Gowns etc</li> <li>White Table Linens</li> <li>Colored " "</li> <li>All Napkins</li> <li>All Towels</li> <li>All Art Sateen</li> <li>Table Covers</li> <li>All Portiers</li> <li>Curtain Nets</li> <li>Bear Coating Cloths</li> <li>Wool Blankets</li> <li>Silence Cloth</li> <li>Colored Felts</li> <li>Down Comforts</li> <li>Fancy Linens</li> <li>Wall Papers</li> <li>Pillows</li> <li>White Counterpanes</li> <li>White Lace Curtains</li> </ul>	<h3>20 p. c. off</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Print Cottons</li> <li>Denims</li> <li>Cottonades</li> <li>Flannelettes</li> <li>Oxford Shirts</li> <li>Galateas</li> <li>All Ducks</li> <li>White Cottons</li> <li>White Lawns</li> <li>White Linens</li> <li>White Dimities</li> <li>Flannells</li> <li>Grass Linens</li> <li>Ribbons &amp; Stag Silks</li> <li>Belding's Embdy Silks</li> <li>Velvet Ribbons</li> <li>Ladies' Kid Gloves</li> <li>Ladies' Dogskin Gloves</li> <li>Suit Cases &amp; Club Bags</li> <li>All Trunks</li> <li>Lounging Robes</li> <li>Honse Jackets</li> <li>Men's Mufflers</li> <li>Ladies' Whitewear</li> <li>Corsets (except 4 specials)</li> <li>Ladies' Underwear</li> <li>Children's Underwear</li> <li>Flannelette Gowns</li> <li>Veiv, teens</li> <li>Petticoats</li> <li>Rat Coats</li> <li>Pony Coats</li> <li>Fur Muffs</li> <li>Fur Neckwear</li> <li>Child's Slegb Robes</li> <li>Towelings</li> <li>Sheetings</li> <li>Pillow Cotton &amp; Ticking</li> <li>Blanket Coatings</li> <li>Floor &amp; Table Oilcloths</li> <li>Curtain Poles &amp; Shades</li> </ul>
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Please carry small parcels  
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No Appropriation  
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