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CHARLOTTETOWN'S BIG DEPARTMENTAL STORE

DRESS GOODS

and the favorite novelties in fabrics make in themselves a noteworthy attraction. All the newest weaves and colorings are shown, and many of the designs are exclusive

Some of the latest arrivals in the Dress Goods Dept. cream lustrous for waists in stripe, spot and plain designs, cream, serge and cords.

Fancy lustrous, in brown, myrtle, blue, black. Chiffon broadcloth in brown, navys, greens, Wine and black, prices 65c 88c \$1.10, \$1.25, and \$1.65 per yard.

Newest suitings in invisible stripes, so much in demand for ladies' spring suits at 65c, \$1.10, \$1.35 to \$1.65 per yd.

Fine line of panama cloth makes a nice sheer dress in all the latest colors, golden brown, navy, green and black etc.

Newest patterns in Cravenette Cloth for spring shower proof coats, at \$1.50 to \$2.75 per yd.

WASH GOODS DEPT.

The New Spring Wash Goods

Make a Magnificent Showing



We have just opened the first consignment of our new wash goods stock not by any means the full range, but sufficient to make a most attractive showing.

These dainty fabrics come as a reminder of spring with their advent the wash goods department becomes brilliant with an infinite variety of delicate colorings.

Best English print cotton, guaranteed fast colors extra wide 14 1/2c per yard. Zephyr Gingham in pretty plaids check and stripe effects all the latest coloring 13 and 15c per yard.

Something extra nice in mercerized lawn (so much in demand for shirtwaists) eight colorings 26c per yard. Mercerized lawn in fancy stripes, for waists in light blue, pink, green and white special 24c per yd.

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THE QUEEN'S COUNTY GUARDIAN

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Miss Louise Essery, York, is visiting at Strasburg, Sask., the guest of Jack and Mrs. Hillman.

On the 8th of April next, Robert and Mrs. Vesey, York will have completed fifty years of married life.

The Eleventh Anniversary exercises of St. Stephen's Methodist Church, Kentville, were held recently. Rev. W. H. Hearty, President of the N. S. Methodist Conference, preached two very able sermons. There were large congregations present and a special hymn and beautiful anthems were sung by the choir.

Last week Inspector C. W. Kiely examined Hampton School. He reports the primary department to be in its usual thorough condition. The senior department to have made rapid advancement since last visit, the pupils giving evidence of careful teaching. Seven good candidates are being prepared for matriculation to Prince of Wales College.

The weather has not affected business adversely, says a correspondent from Covehead in writing to the Maritime Merchant in Halifax, and sales have kept up to the usual average at this season of the year. Recent developments in monetary affairs have not affected this section at all. The local industries are prospering, and there is a good outlook for Spring trade.

The death occurred at Upper Sackville recently of Ethel Bernice, beloved wife of Rupert Estabrook after a lingering illness of tuberculosis. She ceased to be the daughter of Rev. J. G. A. Belyea, stationed at Doaktown, N.B., and who was at one time stationed in this Province. She is survived by her husband and three daughters, also by her father, three brothers and four sisters.

The Hewson Wollen Mills, Amherst, are having troubles of their own. Lately a shaft of their engine broke, which necessitated them closing down for a few hours until repairs were made. A few days ago one of the delicate pieces of machinery in connection with the valves broke, putting the engine out of business. The mills were closed for a few days as the company had to send to the makers for the duplicate of the broken part. The break is a serious annoyance to the management, as orders from all points of the Maritime Province were coming in freely. The company, however, will have the repairs completed as soon as possible, so as to prevent delay to customers.

A merchant in this City writing to the Maritime Merchant says: "The roads have been in bad shape for travelling and the weather unfavorable since the opening of the year. Sales in December were good, but in January, poor. Indirectly, the influence of the financial stringency has been felt here. On account of the tightness of money, some buyers of produce did not take delivery, which caused a break in prices. There are not many manufacturing industries here, but such as are, apparently prospering. All are hopeful that Spring trade will be good. It is thought that produce prices will be fair, and of course the market for produce is everything in Prince Edward Island."

A most interesting meeting of Excelsior Farmers' Institute, York, took place in the hall at that place Saturday evening last. It was agreed that the Government will place a tax of \$1.00 to \$2.00 on all dogs (according to sex) in the country, and from the money thus collected to pay farmers for all sheep destroyed by dogs. It was also agreed that the sheep industry would be greatly encouraged. Ex-Pres. Brodie had proposed a tax on dogs many years ago, and did not think the canines were of any benefit to farmers. At a previous meeting a very strong resolution was passed condemning the running of those instruments of death called automobiles on the country highways. At the meeting the merits of the dairy cow will be fully discussed by competent speakers.

The home of Bart. M. Duffy, of Brockville, near St. John the well known skater, who has many friends in this City, was burned to the ground last week. Mr. and Mrs. Duffy were approaching the house just before ten o'clock when they noticed a glare at one of the windows. Mr. Duffy ran to the woodshed and seizing an axe, broke open the kitchen door and found the house filled with smoke. Fanned by the wind from the open door the fire broke into a blaze. Mr. Duffy turned to the door but found his escape cut off and after a hard struggle succeeded in reaching a window through which he made his exit. The house with all contents was burned to the ground, even the clothes belonging to Mr. Duffy and his family being destroyed.

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Hugh S. McKay, secretary of the Prince Edward Island Club, Winnipeg is visiting his home in Clifton.

Percy Crockett and Miss Alice Crockett have arrived home from Boston. Their mother is reported somewhat improved.

Dr. Sprague of St. John, who was elected at the recent special meeting of the Board of Regents of Mount Allison, to succeed Dr. Paisley as Dean of the Faculty of Theology, has accepted. Dr. Sprague's appointment is regarded with great favor in the University and town circles.

The many friends of Hector M. MacDonald who was drowned at Skagway, Alaska, Oct 31st, 1907, will be pleased to learn that his body was recovered March 3rd, 1908 on Skagway beach. To the bereaved family The Guardian tenders heartfelt sympathy in the loss of such a noble son and brother, as all who knew Mr. MacDonald can strongly testify. It is probable that Mr. MacDonald's remains will be brought to his old home for interment.

At Fairlyland tomorrow night, one of the most wonderful men in the world, a Hindoo by birth, a magician who has given long years of study in the occult sciences will give a marvellous performance presenting clever and difficult feats. His powers to entertain are simply boundless. Exchanges team with the most complimentary notices of his achievements. He leaves the beaten track of magic and is a man of mystery indeed. The Hindoos are the most wonderful magicians the world has ever known and Fairlyland is to be commended on their enterprise in bringing such a notable performer to the city.

The Eleventh Annual meeting of the P. E. I. Diocesan Branch of the women's Auxiliary takes place Wednesday and Thursday, March 18th and 19th. The meeting in connection therewith will be as follows.

Wednesday, March 18th, 3 p. m., St. Peter's Schoolroom, reports; presidents address; election of officers.

Wednesday, 7.30 p. m., St. Paul's Schoolroom annual meeting of the diocesan church society.

Thursday, March 19th, 8 a. m. St. Paul's Church; Holy Communion Presentation of Thank-Offering.

Thursday 10 a. m., St. Paul's Schoolroom. Addresses by:

Rev. Canon Simpson—"The Pan-Anglican Congress."

Rev. A. W. Nicolls—"The work of the W. A. in Canada."

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Thursday, 12 noon, Intercession for Missions.

Thursday, 12.15 p. m. Lunch to delegates of W. A. and visiting clergy by St. Peter's and St. Paul's Branches.

N. B. Delegates and their friends can obtain return passage free on P. E. I. Railway if they ask for a Standard certificate when they purchase their ticket.

That excellent monthly Rod and Gun the recognized magazine of the Canadian sportsmen and others interested in out door life in its current issue says—"Every winter we hear of Prince Edward Island's difficulties, and when in other parts of Canada we experience what is known as an old fashioned winter it is safe to say that Canadians throughout the Dominion feel much greater sympathy with the Islanders than they are wont to do. It would be right to say that the Islanders have cried "wolf" so long that the people generally are indifferent to the voice of their complaints. It is indeed believed that their cause is a good one requiring only the right method and the proper season to be selected to end the winter isolation of these people once and for all. Hitherto the effort made to break down that winter isolation have had but partial successes. Prince Edward Island came into confederation on the distinct understanding that her winter disabilities were to be relieved and for the maritime Provinces should be undertaken and carried through with all the strength and power of the Dominion. Stronger and more hearty have been put on the service but neither the Stanley or the Minto have succeeded in more than partial breaking down the long intervals when the island is cut off from all communication with the outside world. It may well be imagined that after all other efforts have failed the people pin their faith to a tunnel. Less than seven marine miles separate Cape Traverse on the Island from Cape Tormentine, New Brunswick and with all the feats of modern engineering in one's memory it would appear that the work is not only feasible but comparatively easy.

We Have finished taking stock

and will give bargains on lines in which we are overstocked.

Look out for bargains next week.

Johnson & Johnson

Moore & McLeod

The Millinery People

Bargains in Wash Goods at the White Goods Sale

DECIDEDLY the largest and best equipped wash goods department in P. E. Island offers you of its best at sharply reduced prices during this sale. Every good sort of washing material specially priced cut for you and only a few mentioned on account of cramped space—come early for these bargains won't long remain.

White Cottons at the White Goods Sale

7 1/2 inch white cotton nice soft finish special	7c
7 1/2 inch white cotton soft finish English fabric special at	8 1-2c
36 inch "Times" Longcloth fine, smooth, special	10 1-2c
36 inch "Queen's cloth" a splendid fabric for fine underwear, special	12c
36 inch "Queen's cloth" very fine good weight smooth as silk, thoroughly shrunken special	14 1-2c

White Lawns at the White Goods Sale

40 inch lawn in very fair grade, special	10c
38 inch Victoria Lawn "Heavy" finish special	15 1-2c
38 inch Victoria Lawn fine smooth sheer fabric, special	17c
India Linen, very fine sheer fabric 3 1/2 inches wide, special	22c
India Linen, very choice finer than the last 3 1/2 inches wide special at	24c

600 Yards Dainty 12c Muslins at 8c

This is a notably attractive offer of dainty little muslins in floral designs, effects of blue, greens, mauves and greys on a white ground. Especially adapted for waists and dresses, for misses and children 27 inch fabric worth 12c 8c

Dainty and Organdies at the WHITE GOODS SALE

A notably attractive range of all these goods recently received at special price cut for the White Goods Sale.

Dainty pin stripe white dimity correct width and texture special at	20c
usurine Lawn a soft fine dainty fabric for man's puposes special	26c
Nainsook, 36 inches, fine soft beautifully finished fabric special	21c

Save on Linens At the White Goods Sale

Shrunk shirt waist suit linen, very choice, special	25c
40 inch, pure linen shirt waist suiting very fine, good weight special	50c
36 "Draweasy" linen very even thread pure linen, price cut to	69c
36 inch Linen Lawn, fine sheer pure linen price cut to	90c

Organdie Crisp, dainty sheer attractive special at

Organdie in particularly choice fine sheer finish and dainty special 33c

Special 39 cent Persian Lawn a notably fine offer of fine sheer fabric special

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Duck Suitings At the White Goods Sale

27 inch Duck suiting good heavy weight, nice finish, special cut to	17c
27 inch white suiting drill, very effective costume fabric cut to	17c
Tucked Lawns in 36 inch width—somewhat soiled and crushed—very nice fabrics, nicely made, neatly tucked, splendid for aprons, worth 25c for	15c

"The Mark the Gun"

While it is important that your repairs and re-upholstering should be done by trained and competent workmen, it is also important that the man who makes the charge for the work done should understand his work—no need to say too much for this class of work here. Mark Wright's prices are in evidence in repair work as well as in new furniture.

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BOILER WORK

Realizing the necessity of having a first class man as foreman of our boiler work, we have secured Mr. David Cochran, who holds a technical certificate for boiler construction from the Technical College, Glasgow, Scotland, and also had charge of the boiler works of the Grange-Mouth and Greenock Dockyard Co., of Grange-Mouth, Scotland. He has a wide experience in the building and repairing of Marine and Stationary Boilers. When in need of repairs to a new boiler write or call us up by telephone. We will give your work our immediate attention.

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