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You can pick a pleasing present from our large and attractive display of watches...

Our stock is replete with the latest ideas in jewelry art--selecting a gift from our large stock is easy and will prove profitable and satisfactory.

Special prices during Holiday season--store open evenings.

W. N. Tanton Jeweler--Sunnyside

Sweater coats for ladies. All individually made--handwork of experts. \$1.75, \$1.85, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, 50 inch long knit coats \$8.75.

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RELIABLE AND POPULAR ROUTE Between St. John and Boston

PARIS CHARLOTTETOWN TO BOSTON First Class \$3.70 Second Class \$2.20 State Rooms \$1.00

Commencing December 1st. STEEL STEAMSHIPS CALVIN AUSTIN Complete Wireless Telegraph Equipment

Leave St. John Thursday at 9 a. m. for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. Returning leaves Union Wharf Boston, Mondays at 9 a. m. and Portland at 5.00 p. m. for Lubec, Eastport and St. John.

Celery and Lettuce

Celery and Lettuce--Many of our customers were anxiously inquiring whether we would have celery and lettuce for Xmas, and we are pleased to announce that we will have (as far as we can see) an abundance of both, still sales are so large at this season it would be advisable to buy now.

Our special cut prices on ten pound lots of onions or more stands good to the last of this month. Expecting Holly and Mistletoe every day. We are headquarters for Cape Cod Cranberries, Apples, Oranges, Beets, Carrots, Parsnips, Potatoes, Turnips, Onions, Cabbage, etc.

P. E. I. RAILWAY

Commencing December 27th, 1910, trains of this Railway will run as follows:

Table with columns for Train Outward, Stations, and Return. Lists routes to various locations like Kennington, Ar. S. Side, etc.

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Hard Coal We are now discharging Hard Coal from the Arthur N Gibson. Customers should order and take delivery of their coal this week as the price advances after 1st October.

C. Lyons & Co

THE ROYAL LINE Between Halifax and Bristol.

Table with columns for Ship Name, Date, and Class. Lists Royal George, Royal Edward, etc.

Rates of Passage First Class \$82.50 and up Second Class \$51.25 and up Third Class \$31.25

HYNDMAN & Co.

Charlottetown, P. E. I. 12-22dtstf

XMAS GOODS

Beautiful Xmas presents all new, consisting of toys, games, dolls, fancy china, hand-made stationery, photo frames, novels, post card albums, purses, necklaces, calendars, sheet music, music books, and all kinds of musical instruments.

H. A. Tanton

141 Great George St. 12-15dtstf

Smelt Fishing Supplies

We keep The following in Stock END MARLINE RIGHT and LEFT 1/4 Ply. Cotton Net Twine Cotton Seine Twine 6, 9, 12 and 15 thread Extract of Bark and Cutch The Old Established House

Bruce Stewart & Co. Ltd. Successors to A. Kennedy & Co. Box 243 Phone 177

COMMONWEALTH HOTEL

Opposite State House, Boston, Mass



Offers rooms with hot and cold water for \$1.00 per day and up, which includes free use of Public shower baths. Nothing to pay in advance. Rooms with private baths for \$1.50 per day and up; suite of two rooms and bath for \$2.00 per day and up. Dining rooms and cafe first-class. European plan

ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF

stone floors, nothing wood but the doors Equipped with its own Sanitary Vacuum Cleaning Plant.

Long Distance Telephone in Every Room Strictly A Temperance Hotel

Send for Booklet Commonwealth Hotel Inc. STORER E. CRAFTS GEN'L MANAGER

MINNETTES CANADIAN PACIFIC ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS

ST. JOHN--LIVERPOOL

Table with columns for Ship Name, Date, and Class. Lists Empress of Ireland, Empress of Britain, etc.

DIVORCE A HABIT

Divorce is developing into a habit. Some people are even beginning to look upon it as the inevitable corollary of marriage. "Of course, I shall expect your daughter to divorce my son as soon as he desires it," said a modern mother to the father of her "daughter-in-law elect."

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Reform in the marriage laws, like all reforms, must begin with individuals. It must begin at the primal cause of all blundering and misfortune, as it is of all joy and happiness--character. Great men, philosophers and sages of all time, are unanimous on that point, if on no other. "The stars of our fortune are in ourselves," said Helene, while Schopenhauer says: "Every man carries with him the reward and the disgrace that he deserves."

It may be argued, however, that the possession of a good character does not prevent one from making matrimonial mistakes; that the upright man not infrequently finds himself mated to a fool or a worthless woman. But when one talks about character one does not refer to the moral rectitude alone, though it is the first essential. The truly developed character possesses wisdom, understanding, intuition. It never permits itself to be clouded with the senses.

Maeterlinck speaks somewhere of people who have a "sixth sense," the possession of which is a safeguard against disaster. If such people--people of high ideas and developed understanding--choose for their life-partners husbands and wives who ultimately develop insanity of physical diseases, they have no desire for divorce. They choose the people they really love, when it alteration finds." Robert Hichens in one of his books paints the picture of a beautiful woman who met with an accident which rendered her face hideous to behold. The man who worshipped her, not influenced by this affliction, overtook the person one really loves tends to increase rather than diminish devotion.

One feels inclined, therefore, to agree with Sir James Crichton Browne, that divorce is desirable only in very few instances. The man who can shut his wife up in an asylum, then marry some one else, does not alter his love, when it alteration finds." Robert Hichens in one of his books paints the picture of a beautiful woman who met with an accident which rendered her face hideous to behold. The man who worshipped her, not influenced by this affliction, overtook the person one really loves tends to increase rather than diminish devotion.

There might be a diminution in divorce also if there were fewer plays presented and fewer novels published dealing with this sordid and unsavory subject. Most of these glorify the heroine and present her as a romantic figure--or, worse still, treat the subject with levity, as in the case of many musical comedies of the baser sort.

"I should like you," said Wagner to a young dramatist who read for his approval a play dealing with an unattractive subject, "I should like to see you turn upon the ideal world, more important than the real for artists like us, the same searching gaze with which you have penetrated the material world." The more we keep our gaze fixed on the ideal, the more likely are we to ultimately achieve it.--Selected.

WHITE ORPINGTONS.

It has often surprised me why few farmers seem to trouble about their fowls, says an English writer. So long as a few eggs are forthcoming and immediate wants supplied, little notice is taken whether they pay their way, or are just kept complete without them. In the selection of breeds for laying, great notice should be taken of the position of the land, the nature of the soil, and the partiality that some varieties seem to have for certain conditions which to others would be most unsuitable.

It has long been acknowledged that persons with plenty of land have the best chance of making poultry-keeping a success. It is here where the stock-raiser with many acres partially occupied, the rent of which can be made apart from fowls, stands out as the man to make best profits from poultry. Why so few people in this line study the subject I am at a loss to know. No class of men are more anxious to make the best of things than farmers; still, they seem to neglect poultry terribly as a source of revenue.

Egg production in winter is the chief desire of nine-tenths of poultry-keepers, and in this article I will deal with a breed that is worthy of all possible support, and one that will make handsome profits if handled properly. White Orpingtons may not as yet be very popular with farmers, but this is only because their many excellent qualities have not become sufficiently known to obtain a place on the farmer's favorite list. White Leghorns, White Wyandottes, and Buff Orpingtons are as common as roses in June, but not one of these breeds can excel the White Orpington as a general all-round fowl. Most people like a decent-sized hen. Leghorns are too small, and only poor layers in bad weather. The White Wyandotte is a good winter layer, but the flesh and legs are yellow, and this somewhat reduces value from a table point of view, while on many occasions we have noticed the eggs to be on the small side. It is well known people do not like little eggs, even if they be brown ones. The Buff Orpington is a fair winter layer of nice brown eggs, a moderate table bird, yet a terrible hard sitter in summer. We have seen when the persistent winter stand out as one of the very best breeds for general purpose. They are exceptionally hardy, admirably suited to room at will over the splendid grass land which most farmers have at liberty, are handsome in appearance, and, above all, really wonderful winter layers. The eggs frequently average seven to the pound, and, being of a nice brown color, they command a ready sale. In the North of England, where during the last few years they have had long over again that for really good laying, either on a bleak hill-side or in a shady meadow, one must have the White Orpingtons.

It would be foolish to suggest that all specimens of this variety are splendid layers, and that it only requires a sufficient number to gain a fair taken on the whole, White Orpingtons are one of our best breeds for winter laying, and, given a good laying strain at the beginning, the results would seem well up to expectations. I have never attached much importance to individual egg averages. Odd birds in most any breed could be found that have made records, but really this is a minor detail. What is wanted is a variety that will produce sufficient eggs in winter to leave a handsome profit, and always be thoroughly reliable. If the farmer will give the White Orpington a fair trial, adopt no special system of management, but just the same as meted out to the other here, there is little doubt that some of the older varieties would very soon be replaced.

Public attention having been drawn to the impure water in the wells used by Chinese gardeners at Fremantle, Western Australia, for cleaning vegetables, the Chinese contended that the water was good, and, according to the British Australian, drank it (Dr. Parry et) says that a theory that gains considerable support holds that the Chinese, through centuries spent by generation after generation in equal or silt, have become immune to the effects of typhoid and similar germs, and can live, eat and drink under conditions which would mean death to the more civilized white people. The council has served notices on the Chinese, requiring them to erect standard weatherboard houses and to observe other canons of sanitary decency.

"For your railway ticket see Rogers, 84 Great George St. Save you time and money. 12-29d51.

Flour and Feed

Our Winter's Stock is now complete, consisting of the following Brands:

FLOUR

Five Roses. Royal Household. Glenora. Star. Beaver. Queen City. Phoenix. Crescent.

FEED

Bran. Cornmeal. Cracked Corn. Chopped Feed. Oil Cake Meal. Cotton Seed Meal. Oatmeal. Rolled Oats. Middlings. Feed Flour.

all of which we are now offering at specially low prices, on terms to suit our customers.

Wholesale and Retail A. Horne & Co. 12-8tdstf

FACTS ABOUT THE BIBLE.

The first complete translation of the whole Bible into English was made by John Wyclif, in 1380-1382 A. D. The first book ever printed was the Bible. The first Bible was printed between the years 1450 and 1455, at Mentz, by Gutenberg, the reputed inventor of printing.

The first New Testament printed in English was that of William Tyndale, 1525-1536 A. D. First Bible printed in English was Miles Coverdale's, 1535 A. D. The American standard Bible was published by the American members of the international revision committee, in 1901.

Other translations and editions of the Bible have appeared from time to time, of more or less merit, and having a greater or less circulation. Those named above, are, however, the only "standard" versions. There are 23 books in the Old Testament and 27 in the New Testament, or 50 in the whole Bible. The Bible contains 1,189 chapters, 31,173 verses, 773,692 words and 3,566,480 letters.

The middle book in the Old Testament is Proverbs; in the New Testament is II Thessalonians. In the whole Bible Micah and Nahum are middle books. The shortest book in the Old Testament is Obadiah, and the shortest verses I Chronicles I; 1. The shortest book in the New Testament is III John; and the shortest verse, John 11:35. The longest verse in the whole Bible is Esther 3:3.

GIVING A LADY A SEAT. Nobody suggests that a man is a weakling because he prefers to give a seat to a lady. Certainly no one gets up and offers his seat to a lady because he is a weakling. It is not the plain fact that a man who gives a seat to a lady is a weakling. It is not the plain fact that a man who gives a seat to a lady is a weakling. It is not the plain fact that a man who gives a seat to a lady is a weakling.

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ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of King Edward Farmers Institute will be held in Winslow Hall, on Saturday, December 31st, 7 o'clock p. m. Every member is earnestly requested to attend as important business is to be transacted, and the subjects of immediate interests to our farmers to be discussed. WILLIAM J. BRYANTON, President. 12 d21, 23 d22

FOR SALE

at Murray Harbor, three acres of land with Store, Dwelling, Warehouse and outbuildings, all in first class repair. There is a splendid orchard and garden on the property. For full particulars apply to Geo. A. Hughes, 100 Prince Street, Charlottetown. 12-31d17

REMOVED

We have removed from 120 Euston Street to 180 Queen St. to stables formerly occupied by Fred. Cameron, trainer. These stables are situated between the tailoring establishments of John T. McKenzie and James Callaghan, most convenient to everybody, large and roomy, having in connection eight large stalls, where horses can be tied in perfect safety. We will be pleased to meet all our old and new customers with better accommodations and facilities than ever for first class work. Thanking you and all for their past patronage I take this opportunity of soliciting a continuance of same J. A. HENDERSON, Horse Shoer. 12-18drtf

Handkerchiefs

as usual we have a nice range of these displayed for Christmas buyers and now the time to make your selection. The variety is large and the prices are small. Neck Ties We advertise because we want you to know that this is the best plan to get what you need along this line. Braces We have these done up in pretty boxes which make a nice Christmas present for any young man besides being a suggestion to him to brace up and shoulder some responsibility. Aprons White lawn aprons beautifully trimmed with Cambric embroidery also dark pleated cotton aprons all made from good washing prints. Wool Sweater Coats; Wool Stocking Caps, Hose, Collars, Cuffs, Fancy Col-lars, Jabots.

W. C. Turner & Co

The Low Price Store Sunnyside Ch'Town. 12-18drtf

You Were Never Offered Such Really Big Bargains Before

This sale is now drawing to a close and when it ends there also ends your opportunity to make the greatest savings ever experienced in furniture buying. This sale will go down in history as one of the biggest bargain events in the history of retail furniture selling in the city.

Don't postpone your visit to this store any longer. Bargains are being secured and if you don't act right now you'll be too late altogether.

Remember--our whole stock goes at discounts of one third and more. Nothing reserved. Call in today--upstairs, Newson's Block.

Upstairs MARK WRIGHT Upstairs

Newson's Block--Victoria Row--Newson's Block

"Those dainty shopping bags are meeting with ready sale, the most popular Christmas gift of this season. They come in about 20 styles, the mountings are of the newest and the linings are choice. Priced from 65c. to \$4.50 in all the leading colors. Paton's. 12-17dft.

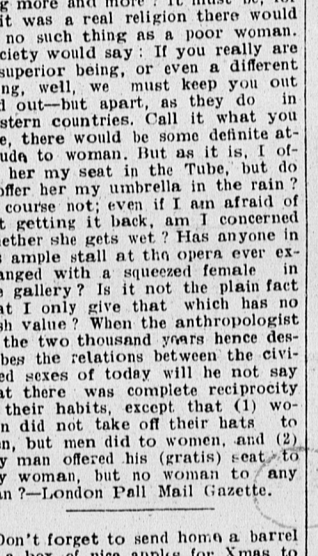
Silk gloves also 7 kid gloves all ready boxed in pretty boxes ready for mailing. Christmas gloves galore at Paton's. 12-20d31.

"The gent's furnishing man is meeting with ready sale, the most thicastic at the reception given his mammoth display of gentlemen's suits. They come in about 20 styles, well neckwear. The ladies keep him busy suggesting and showing them what would suit their gentlemen friends. Ladies visit this booth if you want the correct thing in neckwear. Paton's. 12-17dft.

"Everybody should see the confectionery counter at F. J. Holman & Co's. 12-22d21.

FREE HATS FREE HATS

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ON SATURDAY DEC. 24 ALL DAY

we will give to every purchaser of a man's Suit or an Overcoat a \$2.50 HAT FREE of charge. Now take advantage of this Xmas offer of a new Hat to go with your new Suit or Overcoat. Suits From \$5.00 to \$15.00 Overcoats From \$8.50 to \$15.00

National Clothing Co.

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