

TO ADVERTISERS.
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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.
SEE XMAS tables at Beer Bros.
ATTEND THE KERMESSE this evening.
THE NORTHUMBERLAND arrived at Halifax at 10 o'clock this morning.
THE "Y" meet this evening at 7.30 in the parlour, Grafton street.
LOST TEN TRIBES found on Thursday evening in Phillimore Hall. Tickets 10c each, three for 25c.
BASKET SOCIAL at Kelly's Cross on Monday evening next. A pleasant evening is assured all who attend.
SCOTT ACT.—To-morrow will be a "field day" at the police court. The docket includes seven Scott Act cases.
C. O. F.—Court Charlotetown will meet this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Payment of dues and election of officers.
MORE COAL.—The schr. Howard L. arrived today from Sydney with a cargo of run of nine coal for Frake Bros. & Co.
BUSINESS MEN enter the gymnasium class at the Y. M. C. A. Classes held on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 4.30 p. m.
THE event of this evening—Judge Fitzgerald's lecture in St. James hall. Doors open at 7.30; lecture at 8. Admission 15 cents.
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ANOTHER PRIZE.—The St. John Record says: There is a man in Lower Cove, this city, who is 90 years old. He is now cutting his third set of teeth, and after being bald headed for a number of years his hair is coming in again as fine as silk.
SALE OF PAPERS.—Remember the sale of all periodicals in the reading room on Thursday next at 5.30. The sale is open to the public and the purchaser will receive the publication for the year 1896, each number to be delivered on receipt of next at the reading room.
P. E. HOSPITAL.—Attention is directed to the programme of the entertainment in aid of the Prince Edward Island Hospital, to be given in the Opera House on the evening of the 27th December. It is a good one, and will be well rendered. Let there be a large attendance.
REMEMBER THE DATE.—A Christmas Tree and Bazaar will be held in the hall at Carling's Bridge, on Wednesday, Jan. 8th, for which arrangements are now being made. The committee of management are determined to make this entertainment a success in every respect, and a large attendance is desired.
THE FORESTERS.—Hawthorn last week was organized at Long Creek last week with the following staff of officers: Arthur Wright, C. R.; Thomas Lowther, V. C. R.; James McKinnon, R. S.; T. A. Stewart, F. S.; John McFarley, Treas.; N. McFadyen, Chap.; A. F. McNeill, S. W.; J. C. McKenzie, J. W. S. Beaton, S. B. Dr. A. J. Marchison, Physician; Geo. Howard, P. C. R.
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