LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

See Beer Bros. bargain corner.

Victoria Division.—Meeting tonight.

The Supreme Court meets tomorrow.

I. O. O. F.—St. Lawrence Lodge tonight.

See "After the Ball" on Wednesday evening.

Hear "The Clang of the Forge" on Wednesday.

Band at the Rink to-night. Ice in fine condition.

Read an important announcement on first page.

The New Years Festival in St. Joseph's Convent begins tomorrow. Don't fail to patronize it.

Civic.—The regular monthly meeting of the City Council will be held this evening at the usual hour.

I. O. A.—The members of St. George's Lodge will remember the adjourned meeting to-night at 8 o'clock.

100 Cents for a Dollar.—You will get your money's worth at St. Joseph's Convent Bazaar Jan. 9 and 10.

Crescents.—Don't forget the meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, as arrangements will be made for the club's winter sport.

Bazaar.—Those having charge of the Bazaar at St. Joseph's Convent intend to make it eclipse anything attempted heretofore in amusements and attractions.

For the 25th.—Professor Vinnicombe has sent away for special music to be rendered by his orchestra at the Scottish Concert on the 25th inst.

Peake Bros. & Co. are arranging for a sailing vessel or steamer, to be on the berth at Liverpool, G. B., for spring goods. Will advise shippers later on.

Silsby Hose Co.—The postponed annual meeting of this Company will be held at their rooms this evening at eight o'clock.—Jas. Hennessy, Sec'y.

Scotch Concert.—A Scotch concert will be given in Eldon Hall on Friday, the 12th inst., in which some of Charlottetown's best singers will take part. Mr. Daniel McDonald, of Vernon River, will dance Gillie Callum in Highland costume. Admission ten cents.

Funerals Yesterday.—There were two funerals to the People's Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral of Mr. William McGarrigal left his late residence at two o'clock, and that of Mrs. Charles Brown left the residence of Mr. Charles McGregor an hour later. Both funerals were largely attended.

Rough on Rats Again.—It is reported that a girl about seventeen years of age, niece of Mrs. Susan Coffin, who lives on the corner of Water and Hillsborough Sts., took a small taste of "Rough on Rats" on Saturday night, and Dr. S. R. Jenkins had to be called in, some time later to relieve her. The doctor soon brought her around again, and she is now out of danger. It is said she told the doctor she only took the stuff to see how it felt, and had no intention of committing suicide.

The Grip.—The grip is very prevalent in this city at present. To-day Mr. Chas. Dalziel, Officer Carter and Mr. Fred J. Nash, of the Patriot, are among those reported "laid up." Councillor Crabbe, who has been ill for several days, is still confined to his bed, and Stipendiary Magistrate Haszard does not expect to be able to get down to Court before Wednesday. Hon. David Laird, who was unable to be out on Saturday or Sunday, is at work to-day. Mr. Duncan McLean, of the Water Commissioners office, is also out again, after several days illness.

Concert.—The concert in Eldon Hall, on Friday, the 6th inst., was quite a success, although the attendance might have been better. The programme was interesting and amusing throughout. The Rev. Mr. Sinclair's address on "The English People" was instructive, witty and to the point. The dialogues were very well given and were received with rounds of applause. Perhaps the prettiest piece of the evening was a solo by Miss Bertha Longard, "A Little Summer Shower," which received a well-merited encore. In fact, where all did so well, it is hardly fair to particularize. We understand that the same committee intend giving a select concert in the hall next Friday evening, 12th inst. We would advise all persons that can to attend.

Entertainment at Morell. — A very successful social and entertainment was held on New Year's night in the new hall at Morell, under the auspices of the Young Men's Society of Christian Endeavor. The handsome sum of ninety-seven dollars was realized. Several nice recitations were delivered. A solo by Mr. George Hooper, with organ accompaniment, is worthy of honorable mention; also two solos by Mrs. Howard deserve special praise. The most amusing part of the programme was a dialogue (Pat and the Magistrate) between Mr. Aylmer McEwen and Mr. Hammond McEwen. The manner in which these two gentlemen represented their several characters was highly creditable, and they received continuous applause from the audience. The committee beg to thank all who attended the social and helped to make it such a grand success.

Had Relatives Here.—The New Glasgow Chronicle says: On Saturday last an old man was brought here from Merigomish by Wm. Sutherland. He appeared to be in a dying condition, and being a total stranger little or nothing could be learned about him. He was placed in William Smith's (jailer) charge. The man died on Sabbath night, and was buried on Monday, Rev. Mr. Rogers performing the last and solemn services over the friendless and destitute stranger. From papers found in his possession it was gathered that his name was William Ross, that he was a native of Scotland, that he was well educated and had seen better days, evidently. It appears from the evidence given at the coroner's inquest that Ross told a man named Barratt he was a nephew of a member of the House of Commons at Ottawa, and had relations in P. E. Island, and was in the fur business.

As Previously Announced,

we have to-day placed our whole stock of Fur Trimmings on sale at

33 PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

Natural and Black Opossum,
Black and Brown Goat,
Black and Brown Coney,
Nutria, various widths,
&c. &c. &c.

—ALSO—

1 Sable Cape,
1 Persian Lamb Cape,
1 Nutria Cape,
1 Baltic Seal,
1 Astrakan Cavalry do.,
1 Astrakan Derby do.,
1 Greenland Seal do. (small).

At very low prices to clear.

BEER BROS.

Weather Bulletin.

Toronto, Jan. 8, 10 a. m.

Fresh westerly to northwesterly winds; generally fair and decidedly cold.

THE HAWAIIAN QUESTION.

The total population is reported as 80,990, the details of which run:

Native	34,436
Half castes	6,186
Chinese	15,301
Japanese	12,360
Portuguese	8,602
Americans	1,928
British	1,344
Germans	1,034
Polynesians	588
Other foreigners	816

The American representation is thus about one in forty-five; and shows very little larger than the British colony.

The minority portion of the House of Representatives Committee on Hawaiian affairs has prepared a report. It is a rather keen document, assailing at length and with vigor the whole action of President Cleveland. It makes great use of what it declares to be a fact, viz: that the President has exceeded his powers in sending, without the consent of the Senate, to Hawaii, a paramount diplomatic officer to supersede a Minister, leaving the latter only routine duties to discharge. The minority argues that if he can do it in the case of these islands, he can do in the case of Great Britian, Germany, or any of the other great powers. The report concludes with a preamble setting forth what the President has done in this regard, which preamble is followed by a resolution to the effect that the action of the President in interfering with the civil or military affairs of the nation, "without the authority of Congress, is a dangerous and unwarranted invasion of the rights and dignities of the Congress of the United States and a violation of the laws of nations; and, further, that the manner of such attempted intervention by the executive, and methods used, are unworthy of the executive department of the United States, while the confessed intent of such intervention is contrary to the policy and tradition of the republic and the spirit of the constitution."

Parrsboro, N. S.

D. S. Howard, the well known merchant of Parrsboro, N. S., sends The Hawker Medicine Co'y the following unsolicited testimonial: Some months ago, when suffering from a severe cold, I was advised to try Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry and Hawker's Liver Pills, which I am thankful to say completely cured me. I have recommended Hawker's Balsam to very many suffering from Lagrippe and severe colds and in every case it has proved to be effective. Sold everywhere, 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

Bronchitis and Influenza are quickly cured by Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam.

S. O. E. B. S. On Thursday night last the following officers were successfully installed for the current year by District Deputy J. H. Bell:

W P P—Geo Worthy.
W P—Geo Snelgrove.
W G P—C Turner.
Chap—W Peardon.
Treas—D Richards.
Sec'y—E Lucas.
1st G M—J Clarke.
2nd do—Geo Ledwick.
3rd do—W Coles.
4th do—J Johnson.
5th do—T Goodwill.
6th do—W Batt.
I G—Ed Hobbs.
O G—D Wright.

Y. M. C. A.—In the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon Mr. R. R. Fitzgerald, Q. C., gave the first of the new series of "talks" to be delivered at the Sunday afternoon meetings. His topic was "Environment," and included an extract from Prof. Henry Drummond's essay on that subject. At the close of Mr. Fitzgerald's address, which was well given and listened to with great attention, Mr. Percy Pope made a few remarks dealing with the subject.

Thermometer Readings.—The coldest recorded between Saturday night and Sunday morning was three above zero, and the coldest during Sunday night and Monday morning was eight above. The warmest between these dates was seventeen above. At ten o'clock this morning nine and a half above zero was marked.

Civic Reform.—It is said that a bill has finally passed the Quebec Legislative Council, taking the election of Montreal's Mayor out of the hands of the people and vesting that honor in the City Council. Each ward will elect two instead of three Aldermen.

Prowse Bros. large business enables them to sell cheap. So if you want clothing for any age, man or boy, come direct to Prowse Bros.

BIRTH.

At Montague on the 5th inst., the wife of Edward Parkman of a son.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's brother, Murray Harbor North, on Dec. 7th, 1893, by the Rev. A. Kin, George Irvine, of Murray Harbor South, to Sophia Clinton.

DIED.

At the residence of her grandfather, Mr. John Stumbles, Hillsborough Street, on Sunday, the 7th January, 1894, of bronchitis, Nina Louisa, second daughter of Samuel R. and Amelia Fanny Stumbles, aged fifteen years.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, the great Blood and Nerve Remedy

WE WANT IT

to be understood that our aim is to keep the BEST and PUREST DRUGS and CHEMICALS to be found in the city. We buy carefully and in the best markets, and so are able to give our customers PURE DRUGS AT LOWEST PRICES.

Johnson's Drug Store.

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SPEAKING of the TARIFF!

opinions vary as to the wisdom of high protective duties. One thing we know,—applying tariff terms to prices on furniture, the people want good goods, but the price asked must be for revenue only. Big profit prices are not wanted. We have revised the tariff. Deal with us, we will tax you lightly.

Mark Wright & Co., Ltd.

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Card of Thanks!

PROWSE BROS.

take this opportunity of thanking their many customers for their very liberal patronage during the past year, and trust that all have been well satisfied with the treatment they have received. The year upon which we have entered shall outshine all previous efforts to please the people. We live to please our customers. We live to let our customers live, by giving them good goods at low prices. This year our Store shall be Headquarters for Bargains in many lines of goods.

OUR SPECIALTIES:

Carpets, Clothing, Hats and Gents' Furnishings.

The past year has been the best in our experience, and we are bound, if possible, to make this one go one better, and we ask the reader to help us.

PROWSE BROS.,

The Wonderful Cheap Men.

Charlottetown, January 8, 1894—m w f

FRUITS!

Florida Oranges, Lemons, Pineapples, Dates, Table Prunes, Stewing Prunes, Apples, Layer Raisins, Fresh Figs, all fresh and at low prices.

SANDERSON & CO.,

Charlottetown, Dec. 20, 1893—m w f — VICTORIA ROW.

1894.

NEW! NEW!

Cheap Eight-day Clocks, beautiful tone; Luminous Dial Alarm Clocks; Watches for $4.50 and $5.50; Genuine Waltham, $7.50 and $9.00; Gold Watches, cheap and good.

See our Gold Filled Case Watches, also Gold Filled Spectacles at less than half the price of gold ones.

E. W. TAYLOR,

Charlottetown, Jan. 4, 1894—2i — CAMERON BLOCK.

ASTRAKAN JACKETS,

at Reduced Prices.

FUR COLLARS,

at Reduced Prices.

FUR MUFFS,

at Reduced Prices.

MEN'S FUR

GAUNTLET GLOVES.

FUR-LINED CLOAKS,

at Reduced Prices.

A few MEN'S FUR COATS

at Immense Reduction.

ALL FUR GOODS

at Low Prices to clear this month.

HARRIS & STEWART,

London House.

Charlottetown, Jan. 6, 1894—dy

MISS MARY DOULL,

STUDIO, STAMPER BLOCK.

Instructions given in the various branches of Drawing and Painting.

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You Meet in Our Stock.

Quality, Quantity, Price.

We keep everything a first-class Clothing Store should keep. We not only sell at moderate prices, but fill and deliver orders promptly and carefully.

Inspection of our Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Suits will convince you we are fully up to the wants of the people of P. E. Island. Give us a call.

McKay Woolen Co.

Charlottetown, Nov. 17, 1893.

Dollars Away

You are throwing by not using

WOODILL'S GERMAN BAKING POWDER.

IT IS EQUAL TO COSTS LESS THAN ANY OTHER ON THE MARKET.

Try a Five Cent Package.

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TRY

D. A. BRUCE

—FOR—

Custom and Readymade Clothing.

HATS & GENTS' FURNISHINGS!

A Large Assortment to Select from.

Charlottetown, January 5, 1894.

FELT BOOTS!

We have a lot of GOOD, WARM FELT BOOTS, in Men's and Women's Laced and Congress, that we are clearing out very cheap. If you want anything in this line just see them; you will be sure to buy a pair remarkably cheap at

J. B. MACDONALD & CO'S.

Charlottetown, January 3, 1894—m w f & wky

FURS.

We are closing out the balance of our FURS at

SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES!

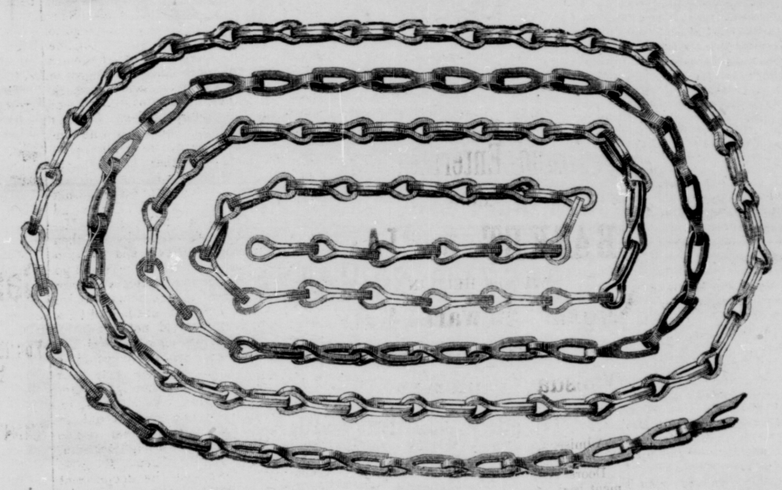
If you want a BARGAIN, see the goods and get our prices.

MOORE & McLEOD,

Successors to Perkins & Sterns.

Charlottetown, December 13, 1893—m w f

City Hardware Store.



R. B. NORTON & CO.

Charlottetown, November 21, 1893.

SILVERWARE

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

We are giving BIG BARGAINS in the above line of goods, as we have a large stock on hand.

C. C. JURY,

North Side of Queen Square, - - - - Opposite the Post Office

Charlottetown, January 4, 1894—dy & wky

Don't Talk!

but call and inspect our New Parlor, Drawing Room and Bedroom Suites, Chairs, Tables Bedsteads, and odd pieces of Furniture.

Don't Listen!

but remember that we sell the Cheapest, and are determined to give the best bargains every time at JOHN NEWSON'S, the Cheapest Furniture Store on P. E. Island. Quality of goods guaranteed. No trouble to show goods

JOHN NEWSON.

Charlottetown, January 4, 1894.

FOR SALE

1. The DOMINION HOUSE, on Great George Street, Charlottetown, now in possession of the subscriber.

2. Town Lot No. 59, in the 5th Hundred in Charlottetown, south of Euston Street and near Bayfield's corner, with four tenements.

3. Part of Common Lot No. 22, between Euston and Chestnut Streets, having a width of 156 feet 6 inches on Chestnut Street and 51 feet 9 inches on Euston Street, including the large building of four tenements on Chestnut Street.

4. That Feld in the Royalty, with Red Barn, adjoining Mr. Maurice Blake's, containing three acres.

5. Farm of 75 acres on Township No. 38, in King's County, adjoining the rail road and next the farm of the late Donald McEachern.

6. Building Lot and House at Summerside, south of Church Street, now occupied by John E. Delaney as tenant to the subscriber.

All or any of the above properties will be sold on terms to suit purchasers, and possession given forthwith.

For particulars apply to M. & D. C. McLeod, or to the subscriber.

H. B. SMITH,
Dominion House.

Ch'town, Dec. 18, 1893—tu w th 1m

Latest and Best World's Fair Book.

Unequalled for superb Illustrations and complete History. Over 600 pages, 8x10½ inches. Articles by prominent officials and portraits of all, men and women. Won't appear in any newspaper coupon scheme. Send outfit of such, or 50c. (returnable) for handsome outfit.

G. R. E. KENNEDY, Publisher,
jan4—4i — Stanstead Junction, Que.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island will be held at its Banking House, Great George Street, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of January next A. D., 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock, a. m.

Proxies must be left with the Cashier at least one day previous to the meeting.

WM. McLEAN,
dec7—fri tu & wy — Cashier

BANK STOCK

Merchants' Bank P. E. Island.

Forty Shares of the increased Capital Stock of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island—allotted to Shareholders but not accepted—will be sold at Auction at their Banking House, Charlottetown, on TUESDAY, 9th January next, at 12.30 o'clock, immediately after Annual Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

R. BEARISTO,
dec30 — Auctioneer.

The World's Columbian Exposition.

1. The whole civilized world has been interested in the Great Celebration. The crowned heads of Europe, the governments of all the famous nations of the globe, the lands of the Orient and the islands of the sea have all been co-operating to render the Exhibition worthy of the greatest event of modern times. Its magnitude and marvelous character can only be described by saying that it has comprised all the rarest products of land and sea, the most dazzling wonders of nature and the grandest productions of human genius.

2. The Great Fair which celebrates the discovery of America by Columbus has never been equalled. It was larger and more magnificent than any similar exhibition ever held. Over twenty million dollars was expended in its grand spacious buildings, and the result was the most attractive Exhibition the world ever saw.

3. This gorgeous display is vividly portrayed in our PICTORIAL HISTORY OF THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION. This captivating volume is a brilliant panorama of the Great Fair which has awakened such a world wide interest.

This wonderful work is a royal octavo volume of over 800 large double-column pages, 10½ inches long by 7½ inches wide. It contains nearly twice the amount of matter in an ordinary quarto book, and is therefore equal to a large volume of 1600 pages.

It contains a complete history of the World-renowned Exposition at Chicago; captivating descriptions of the magnificent Buildings and marvellous Exhibits, such as Works of Art, Textile Fabrics, Machinery, Natural Products, Latest Inventions, Discoveries, etc., with a full description of Chicago, its wonderful Buildings, Parks, etc., by ex-Governor Wm. E. Cameron, of the World's Columbian Exposition History Co., with an introduction by Hon. Thomas W. Palmer, ex-U. S. Senator and ex-Minister to Spain, including a chapter on the Women's Department by Frances E. Willard, President of the World's and National Woman's Christian Temperance Unions.

CONDITIONS—It is printed from clear, new type, on fine calendered paper, and is embellished with a large number of BEAUTIFUL ENGRAVINGS, which charm everyone who sees them.

This grand work surpasses anything that has yet appeared in this line, and will be sold by subscription only. Wait for it; take no other.

MRS. W. A. STEWART is Sole Agent for this city. — dec27

NEW FRUITS.

300 boxes fine O. S. Valencia Raisins
1560 " selected " "
300 " layer " "
50 barrels Currants,
100 cases "
50 boxes Dates,
20 " Oranges,
20 kegs Grapes,
20 bags Nuts (Filberts).

N. B. & M. RATTENBURY.
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An Important Appointment Contemplated.

The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company of Canada purposes establishing a Provincial Agency here. Its desire is to give the appointment to a citizen of this Province. This Company is now doing the Accident business of this country. Its Premium Income last year was the largest reported to the Dominion Government by any Canadian Company. It now has the lead, and is determined to maintain it. District Agents also wanted. For further information apply to

J. B. PATON,
Charlottetown.

Office—McLeod, Morson & McQuarrie's
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P. E. Island Railway.

and after FRIDAY, 15th December, 1893, trains of this Railway will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:—

Read down M.	Leave	Read up Arrive P. M.
	Charlottetown	3 40
	Royalty Junction	2 50
	North Wiltshire	1 59
	Hunter River	1 43
	Bradalbane	1 07
	Emerald Junction	12 58
	Freetown	12 42
	Kensington	12 20
	Summerside	Lv 11 45
P. M.		A. M.
	Lv Summerside	Ar 6 50
	Miscouche	10 29
	Wellington	10 06
	Port Hill	10 29
	O'Leary	8 40
	Bloomfield	7 34
	Alberton	6 55
	Tignish	Lv 6 00
P. M.		A. M.
	Lv Charlottetown	Ar 10 30
	Royalty Junction	10 10
	Ar Mount Stewart	Lv 8 50
	Lv Mount Stewart	Ar 9 05
	Cardigan	7 55
	Georgetown	Lv 7 10
P. M.		A. M.
	Lv Mount Stewart	Ar 8 55
	Morell	8 17
	St. Peters	7 48
	Souris	Lv 6 20
P. M.		A. M.
	Lv Emerald Junction	Ar 8 20
	Ar Cape Traverse	Lv 7 30

D. POTTINGER,
Gen. Mgr. Can. Govt. Railways.

J. UNSWORTH, Superintendent.

Charlottetown, Dec. 14, 1893.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c

Advertisements under this heading charged five cents per line.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework. To a suitable one liberal wages will be paid. Apply to Mrs. W. T. Huggan, Upper Prince Street. — 3i pd—jan6

LOST—A bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. — dec30

HOUSE TO LET—On Dorchester Street East, containing five rooms, with a good yard. Rent moderate. Apply to Patrick J. Dogherty. — 3i pd—dec29

WANTED—A boy about fifteen or sixteen years old to attend a horse and make himself useful about a house. Apply at this office. — dec27—tf

LOST—Last week, a lady's watch, between Mark Wright & Co's. Factory and Conductor Ryan's house. Finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office. — dec27

FOR SALE.—A light, new double sleigh, trimmed, pole and shafts, for sale cheap at McInnis Bros', Carriage Builders, Kent Street. — tf—dec19

WANTED—A canvasser of good address to canvass the city. Please reply right away to P. O. Box 71, city. — dec16

HOUSE TO LET.—Consisting five rooms, good stabling attached, on Richmond Street West. Apply on the premises to Nicholas Murphy. — tu fri tu pd—nov28

STRAY R M.—There has been a stray Ram on my premises the past month. The owner may obtain same by paying expenses. If not claimed before the 20th of November, inst., the Ram will be sold on that date.—Roderick McNeill, Vernon River. — nov17—wky

FOUND.—A Chubb Lock Key. Apply at this office. — dec1