



It Pay to Buy at Perkins

# For Xmas Gifts

MONDAY



## SHIRTS

New silks that will make beautiful Xmas presents, strikingly handsome designs—dependable quantities always  
 Hatutai silks 25c per yard  
 Fancy Broche silks 40c per yard  
 Fancy striped silks 55c per yard  
 Checked Taffeta silks 65c per yard

## 3 Large Dolls for 25 cents

TUESDAY



## 20 to 30 per cent Discount

off the balance of our Ladies Jackets as our prices this fall were lower than any other store in the city, we had a large sale, but we have a small lot left which we'll clear at 20 to 30 per cent discount.

## SHIRTS

Now what would be more acceptable to a gentleman than a present of say, 3 fine white laundered shirts. We sell

## 3 White Shirts for \$1 50

WEDNESDAY



## Gents Gloves

Mens ringwood gloves 18c per pair  
 Mens all wool gloves 36c per pair  
 Mens lined kid gloves 55c per pair  
 Lined Mocho gloves \$1.10 per pair  
 Lined Reindeer gloves \$1.25 per pair  
 Silk lined Mocho gloves \$1.60 per pair  
 Fur lined Antelope gloves \$2.25 per pair

## Gents Neckwear

Washable four-in-hand ties 8c each  
 Washable bow ties 8c each  
 Latest styles in bows 20c each  
 "Nobby" string ties 25c each  
 Handsome flowing-end ties 60c each

THURSDAY



## Fancy Goods

Fancy Glassware, Metal Ornaments, Fancy Baskets, Leather Goods, Picture Frames, screens, etc.

TOYS

Dolls for 5c each  
 Dolls for 10c each  
 Dolls for 25c each  
 Dolls for 50c each  
 Dolls for \$1.00 each  
 Dolls for \$1.80 each  
 Dolls for \$2.00 each and upwards

FRIDAY



## Sale of Ladies Wrappers

We are selling two job lots of Ladies Wrappers at less than wholesale prices. 95 Ladies Wrappers well made, neatly finished, in pretty shades 98c each.  
 72 Ladies Wrappers, well lined waists, skirt measures 3 yds, in very pretty shades our price \$1.50 each.

**F. Perkins & Co**  
 SUNNYSIDE.

# THE DAILY EXAMINER

DECEMBER 20, 1898.

## CANADA'S TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN AND THE STATES.

A statement has been submitted to the United States Commissioners at Washington showing the relative trade of Canada as to Great Britain and the United States, based upon the returns of 1898. Here are the figures as collated by the Mail and Empire:

Total exports.....\$141,079,469  
 Total imports.....130,678,307

Balance in our favour.....\$10,401,682

Upon our dutiable imports the Customs duties were these:

Duties collected, 1898.....\$21,956,059  
 Duties collected, 1897.....19,891,996

Increased taxation.....\$2,064,063

The rate of duty on dutiable goods last year was 29.42 per cent., in the previous year it was 30 per cent.

There has thus been a reduction of fifty-eight hundredths of one per cent., in the rate levied!

Our imports in 1898 were as follows:

From the United States.....\$78,863,504  
 From Great Britain.....32,898,893

Excess from United States over Great Britain.....\$45,864,111

On the other hand we exported as follows:—

To Great Britain.....\$93,002,901  
 To United States.....39,760,944

Excess of exports to Great Britain over United States \$53,241,917

So that while we sell nearly three times as much to Great Britain as to the United States we buy more than twice as much from the States as we buy from Great Britain.

From Great Britain the value of goods admitted free was \$9,891,375; on the other hand, \$40,589,424 worth of goods were admitted free from the United States.

The dutiable goods from Great Britain aggregated \$22,458,651; the dutiable goods from the United States aggregated \$37,674,980.

On all British goods the rate of taxation was 20.05 per cent.; while on all United States goods the rate was 12.05 per cent.

The dutiable British goods were taxed 28.06 per cent.; the dutiable United States goods were taxed 25.04 per cent.

The Canadian commissioners are trying to prove that the so-called British tariff is better for the United States than for Great Britain, and as the Mail and Empire remarks, they are certainly succeeding admirably.

—We agree with the Montreal Witness that the very pointed remarks of the Earl of Minto at the banquet given him by the Toronto Club regarding the militia department must, and should, be felt by Canadians in general, and by the members of the Canadian militia in particular, as at once a reproach and an appeal. Lord Minto's words are worth repeating and emphasizing:—

Gentlemen, there is another department of the State in which I shall always take a special interest, and that is the Militia Department. I am bound to say from what I have seen I feel sure that there is a great future for the militia force of the Dominion, judging from what I know of the Minister of Militia, and of the intentions of the general officer commanding that force. I may say that General Hutton is a very old friend of mine, and if energy and tact and knowledge of the soldier's profession can ensure success, then he is bound to succeed. But, as I am sure many of you know, the appointment of general officer commanding the militia is no sinecure. It rests with the people of Canada to insist upon the fact that to obtain military efficiency, military machinery must be entirely unhampered by political influence.

These remarks were, we are told, greeted by the audience in Toronto, which is second only to Montreal as a military centre in the Dominion, with great applause.

Store open every evening this week.—Moore & McLeod

## NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Ex-Mayor Robertson, of St John, estimates that 8,000,000 bushels of grain will be shipped from St. John this winter.

—The good offices of the Charlottetown Board of Trade have again been exerted on behalf of the movement of mails and passengers between this Province and the mainland. In response to a telegram from the Board, despatched yesterday afternoon, Sir Louis Davies has directed that the Stanley shall ply between here and Pictou and be on hand to help the Gaepesia out in case of need.

—With the view of affording Colonial artists an opportunity of introducing their work to the notice of the Mother Country, the Editor of the Studio, the well-known Magazine of Fine and Applied Art (5 Henrietta Street, Covent Garden, London) is offering prizes for a competition open exclusively to artists and art students residing in the British Colonies and dependencies. Particulars of the conditions of the competition will be found in the December number of the Magazine.

—Commenting on the fact that the Bank of Nova Scotia is about to establish a branch at Boston. The Boston Post says: "It will be the first time in the history of local finance that the territory will have been invaded by a Canadian institution, and the success of the venture will be watched very keenly. The promoters necessarily feel that there is a field for business, else they would not come, and if they get business it must be at the loss of local institutions. The traffic, and hence exchange, between Canada, the Provinces and Boston is annually on the increase, and there has been some rivalry to obtain the desirable business."

## ESTEEMED EXCHANGES.

Toronto Globe: Dreyfus is still the terror of France, or of the small political and military coteries that regard itself as a nation. There must be justice in the cause of a young, inferior officer who can excite so much fear.

Vanity Fair: Over England during the past few weeks a great wave of patriotism has spread. We have awakened to our national responsibilities, and every cheer that has gone up for Lord Kitchener has been an expression of this fact. The beneficial effect of this Sirdar "boom" has been very great. It has strengthened the hands of the Government in their political dealings of late. It has given the nation the tonic it required. Above all, it has shown to the world that the stolid shop-keeping John Bull of today is just the same John Bull who bred Nelson and Wellington, who splashed the map of the world with red, and is just as ready now as he was in days gone by to maintain his plain rights—even at the cost of war.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.—There was a large audience present in the parlor of the First Methodist church last evening to hear Mrs. Anderson, President of the Woman's Council, speak on "Woman's Work in the World." The address began with a consideration of the past position of woman as contrasted with the opportunities she has at present. The benefit of organization was pointed out, and some of the reforms that have been effected through the agency of the Woman's Council were started. The address was interesting and instructive from beginning to end, and was greatly appreciated by all present. The discussion which followed was participated in by Mrs. Richard Johnson, Mrs. Henry Smith, and Messrs. Percy Pope, L. L. Beer, Dr. Anderson, W. E. Bentley, and Rev. Geo. M. Campbell. During the evening, Miss Lewis rendered a vocal solo in good voice and to the evident satisfaction of the audience. Dr. Taylor occupied the chair.

With regard to an editorial appearing in our esteemed morning contemporary, we held a little chat with a member of one of our principal dry goods houses, Messrs Moore & McLeod. He read the article, smiled a smile, and remarked, "We aren't giving any advice like that. The ladies of Charlottetown, are as welcome here as fine weather, any day and every day except Sunday. We like to be busy—we're so used to crowds—that we would not feel comfortable without them. Tell them to read our ads and come in just as often as they want to; we are always glad to see them."

Tonight at 8 o'clock, the Charlottetown Baptist Church, will tender a reception to its new pastor, Rev. G. P. Raymond, M. A. A number of city clergymen, as well as well as neighboring Baptist pastors, will be present and participate in the service. Special music will be furnished by the choir. Among other items on the program will be a solo by Miss Amy Earle.

**ALL HEADACHES**  
 From whatever cause cured in half an hour by  
**HOFFMAN'S HEADACHE POWDERS**  
 10 cents and 25 cents at all druggists.

## SANTA CLAUS' PROCLAMATION

Know all men and an equal number of women and children that I, Santa Claus, the only real and original bona fide Santa Claus, do make this proclamation:

From this time forth let no man say that he alone is vendor of my wares or holds monopoly in the distribution of my favors. Time was when business might be done that way. 'Tis different now. This proclamation, authentic, emphatic, unsolicited, is made in the interest of truth and justice. Alleged interviews and bogus telegrams misled to the impression that my Christmas work is but a little matter. Such, indeed, is not the case. A dozen places now can scarcely do the work.

MOVING WITH THE BUSINESS.

Trade is moving—ever moving. A quarter of a century ago I found the active business men away down Queen Street. Baldwin sold the hardware, W. R. Watson the drugs, Bremners did the printing and Harvie made the almanacs. A sure, though gradual, moving brought the business centre up—first south side, then west end, now Sunnyside. Aye! Sunnyside, that's my name, my disposition; and that's the spot—Sunnyside; corner to corner, Hughes' to Crabbe's—Sunnyside. I love the word. It cheers and charms—Sunnyside.

A LOVELY SPOT.

It is an ideal spot for work like mine, since every phase of trade is represented here,—druggists, jewelers, grocers, confectioners and dry goods, photographer, china book and printing, and furniture store; each of which I've stocked in rich profusion with everything in their particular line, and lots of specialties not just in line. With Hughes I've left choice pipes, tobacco and cigars. A B McKenzie & Co, have everything for clothing man or woman in tip-top style. Wellner's immense display of jewelry and silverware will make you wish that Christmas would last all the year. Stewart & Gates have all the staple and dainty delicacies for the table. Hutcheson the fruit and candy—thousands of tons of which I use each year. No stocking is complete without it. Lewis the photographer has china and fancy goods galore, equal in quality, to his photos. Reddin, "the central drug store, has dainty atomizers and perfumes, with a rich array of fancy goods. Colwill's spacious store is packed with everything that's pretty in either china, glass or crockery-ware. Johnson & Johnson "The Duggists" have exquisite perfumes and atomizers, and photograph supplies; and if your health is not first-rate their Everybody's Pills will fix you up. Jury & Co. have trumpets, toys and fancy goods in grand display. Ransey can dress a man from top to toe, with special care in shoes and ties. Perkins' variety is just immense; but then in millinery they lead. If what I left with them don't suit, Miss Mutch will make it right for you. Hazard & Moore have high class leather goods, toys, dolls and fancy stationery. Somewhere along the row you will surely find just what you want. If not, Mark Wright & Co. have a factory similar to my own. They'll make it for you.

IMMENSE PRESS OF WORK.

One man to do the distributing? Well I should smile. Why I'd never get round in the old way. I've had to discard the old picturesque reindeers (eight in hand) and construct an electric and pneumatic automobile van, and an automatic chimney elevator, that runs down with a swish and up with a bang. But talk of machines—you should see my latest. It's a patent elliptical, high-act and buffum double compounded stocking-filler and presser. Oh out it's a dandy, guaranteed to fill seven-teen stockings in ten seconds; works like Dr. Ayer's tooth plugger or Antony Stewart's tongue when defending a client. As a marvel of mechanism nothing in the city approaches it except the electrical pen of the Sunnyside Sanctum.

THE WEATHER.—Fair and cold today, light to moderate winds. Wednesday, fresh to strong east to south winds, with higher temperature and some snow or rain.

The words of praise bestowed upon Hood's Sarsaparilla by those who have taken it prove the merit of the medicine.

Dolls, 15 inches long, bisque heads, well made. 10c each, 3 for a quarter—Moore & McLeod.

## One Great Big Rush

to Hazard & Moore's for

Books

Toys

Dolls

Xmas Calendars and Fancy Goods

THIS IS A BIG WEEK and a Bargain week. Everybody come.

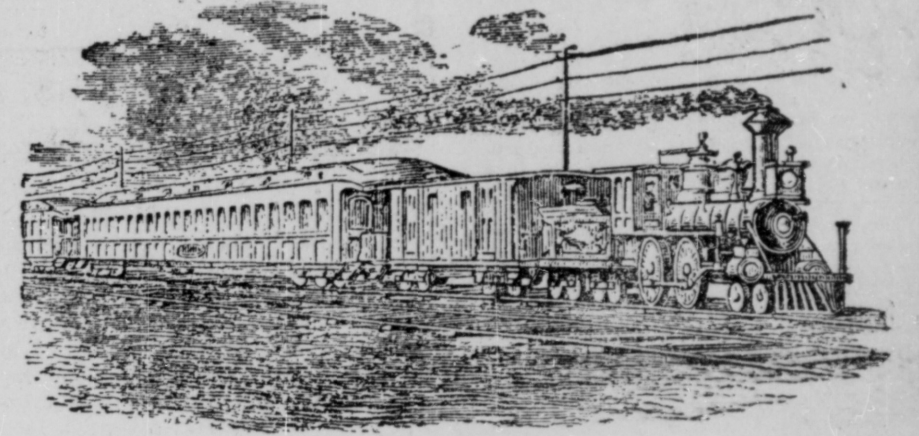
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SUNNYSIDE.

# A Free Pass

.....ON.....

## The P. E. I. Railway



All aboard for Paton's & Co

## Great Christmas Bazaar

A Free Pass From Tignish  
 A Free Pass From Summerside.  
 A Free Pass From Georgetown.  
 A Free Pass From Souris and all points on P. E. I. Railway  
 Everybody given a chance to see our Xmas Decorations and Mammoth stock of Dry Goods.  
 See special advertisement in this issue.

MAIL ORDERS—Promptly and carefully attended to

Special Notice—The store will be open until 9 p. m. every evening.

## Good Ready-to-Wear Clothing

We have prepared an unusually large stock of



**W**ell Selected  
 Well Made  
 Well Fitting Garments

Men's Overcoats in Brown, Blue and Black Beavers with Silk Velvet Collars. Prices to suit all purses at \$4.50, 5, 6, 7, 7.50, 10, to 18.50

Men's Overcoats in Gray, Black and Brown, Scotch Chevoits, with Black Silk shoulder lining at \$15, 12, 13.50.

Men's Long Ulsters in all the newest colourings with large Storm Collar (IRISH FRIEZE) at \$5, 6, 7, 7.50, 10, 12 and 15.

Men's Irish Frieze Pea Jackets, strong lined, large Storm Collar, good for skating or driving at \$3, 3.50, 4, 5, to 9.

Here is a list with prices of Winter Clothing that will make splendid Christmas Presents that will be appreciated

For \$4.50 Your choice of about 139 Men's Frieze Ulsters, with storm collar and warm lining

For \$6.00 Your choice of about 150 Men's Single or Double Breasted Beaver Overcoats, velvet collar and checked lining.

For \$5.00 Your choice of about 50 Men's Single or Double Breasted, all wool Tweed Suits, newest patterns and splendid linings.

For \$3.50 Your choice of about 350 Men's Nap, Beaver or Frieze Pea Coats, with extra heavy tweed linings.

For \$2.00 Your choice of about 385 Men's all wool heavy striped Tweed Trousers.

For \$1 75 Your choice of about 25 Men's Fancy Corduroy Vests with heavy flannel linings.

For Boys Special lines of Frieze Ulsters from \$3 up and special line of Boys' Blanket Overcoats with Capuchin from \$3.50 up.

Christmas Clothing Prices for Boys' and Youths

Boys' Long Pant Suits

—ages 14 to 18 years all wool, extra well tailored, well worth \$8.00. For the holidays only

\$5.95



Special Overcoat Offer

150 Men's heavy Pilot Overcoats, well lined and trimmed. Regular price, \$8.00, to day only

\$5.50



**J. Paton & Co**

Open till 9 p. m. HOLIDAY WEEK.

Me I orders pers nally attended to.

# Practical Holiday Gifts

They are here. The kind that please and satisfy—The kind that guarantee physical comfort and tickle the fancies of fashionable minds. Easy to buy this week.

**Mark Wright & Co., Ltd**

Home Makers.....