

THE DAILY EXAMINER. DECEMBER 23, 1881.

WHAT is believed to be one of the richest coal mines yet discovered were a few days ago found at Bridgeville, East River, Picou County.

In connection with the West Northumberland election, the usual charges of corruption and intimidation are made by the defeated Grit.

It is pleasing says the St. John News, to learn that the Chignecto Isthmus people are manifesting a lively interest in the ship railway project. For ourselves, we should prefer to see the construction of a Cape Tormentine railway and a Bay Verte canal of the required dimensions.

THE match made up between Prince Leopold, and one of the many poor German Princesses, does not give great satisfaction at home. It is said that he would have done better had he selected one of the many rich daughters of his own country; and a correspondent thinks that no "surer method of immovably fixing the throne into the England of the next century could have been devised than to marry it into our nobility of English nobility and the untitled nobility of the colonies."

MR. BLAKE boasts that he refused the honor of knighthood. In other words, as the Mail says, "he despises the honor of a title, even when offered by his Queen; he declines the responsibility of a title which would commit him to more of loyalty to the Crown of Great Britain than he is willing to pledge." Or perhaps Mr. Blake feels that he is unworthy of such a distinction. Though a fine speaker, he has performed no remarkable public service; and he knows it.

OUR "Minister of Agriculture" seems determined to be worthy of the name. He has affected another purchase in England of pure bred cattle for the improvement of his splendid herd. In addition to the polled Aberdeens he brought to this country last fall, he has purchased seven of the best specimens of the same breed to be found in Great Britain; and paid for them about \$3,500. An English correspondent writes: "Your Agricultural Minister in his batch has secured, without doubt, the best classed two-year-old bull to be seen at the present moment the whole of the British Kingdom through. This is Proud Viscount, son of the celebrated Young Viscount, now stock bull at Ballinalloch farm."

GUTHRIE (by request) reviewed his trial for a Sunday paper. He considers Judge Cox "just the man for the case"; says he has "an unusually bright jury"; denounces the District Attorney for the "mean, deceptive way he has conducted the prosecution"; compliments Mr. Davidge as "a high-toned lawyer and a fine gentleman"; does not admire "Judge Porter's style"; thinks that Mr. Scoville has done well, considering his inexperience; "opines" that he lays too much stress on hereditary insanity, and says "it is not the shape of one's head nor the hang of the tongue, but the spirit that takes possession of one, that makes them sane or insane. The serenity of spiritology is more important in this case than craniology, although craniology may have an important bearing on it. Mr. Scoville nurses the foot theory as tenderly as a mother would her infant. I expected two or three first-class lawyers on the case, but we have been forced to go on without them. In the interest of truth and justice I have had to do a great deal of talking myself."

THE Annual meeting of the Charlottetown Young Men's Christian Association, was held in their parlor on Monday evening last. The Reports presented by the President and by Chairmen of Committees, show the Association is doing a good work. We regret we have not space to-day for the Report of the President, but will endeavor to publish it at an early date.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were:

- President—F. S. Moore, re-elected. Vice-Presidents—T. C. James, F. W. Hales, Charles Palmer, Archibald Kennedy, Joseph Knight, S. S. Peterson. Honorary Secretary—E. R. Brow. Treasurer—Henry J. Cundall. Executive Committee—Judge Hensley, John Ball, Henry Smith, William Turner, John Dorsey, George H. Taylor, Nathan Davies, A. W. Sterns, John W. Pickard, Richard Pickard, John Scott, George Bremner.

We direct attention to the advertisement, in another column, of the entertainment to be given by the Methodist Sabbath School, in the Basement of the Church, Prince Street, on Wednesday evening next. The entertainments given by this school in past years have been deservedly popular and we anticipate a good time this year.

A TELEGRAM to Mr. Henry Boyver, Southampton, reports that the schooner "Lavinia Elizabeth," owned by Mr. W. T. Roome, of Halifax, and loaded by Mr. Boyver, bilged on the beach at White Head, N. S., on the 22nd. The cargo will be a total loss. Vessel and cargo are partially insured.

MR. VINNICOBER's benefit concert takes place on next Friday evening, the 30th of December, instead of Jan. 2nd, as previously announced in consequence of that date being included in the "week of prayer." The programme will be published in this paper tomorrow.

The inconvenience complained of by our correspondent "Farmer" was remedied to-day; but the ice drifted into the course made, and stopped the steamer from running this forenoon. This afternoon, however, the ice separated, and the steamer is again running.

"Prize" bath her victories," etc., and Gen. A. T. Sharpe, of Ottawa, Kansas, so says the "Republican," of that city, has found more substantial benefit for severe muscular rheumatism, by using St. Jacob's Oil, than from any other substance he ever tried.

Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, December 23—10 a. m. Cloudy weather with rain, followed by snow; northerly wind, increasing to gales. Don't forget to call at Dr. Gray, Goff & Co. for your Christmas boots and slippers.

OUR CHRISTMAS BOX.

THE FESTIVE SEASON UPON US—A BUSY DAY TO-MORROW—WHERE TO SELECT THE MOST USEFUL AND APPROPRIATE PRESENTS:— WITH THE "EXAMINER'S" ADVERTISERS.

THE holiday season is upon us, and with the experience of to-day we predict that to-morrow will be a busy one at the stores, which are bountifully supplied with handsome, valuable and useful goods. Indeed, we have never seen them so well stocked with holiday presents as they are this season. The stores on Queen Street and along Queen Square, present a gay appearance. The windows are elegantly draped and decked with displays of Christmas goods, which are really fascinating, and everyone seems anxious to outstep his neighbour in the brisk competition.

Having spent a few hours among our merchants, we are convinced that while the fancy goods, jewelry, toys and other articles are vastly superior to those heretofore shown, they are considerably lower in price. Those who have not already made purchases will give their attention to the following:—

LONDON HOUSE. This house, which is among the finest in the Provinces, has, in addition to the large and varied assortment of dry goods, a line of holiday presents. They consist chiefly of Satsuma and Caga ware, in flourpots, jewel cases, vases, workboxes, cabinets, trays, plates, etc. All are beautifully ornamented with Chinese and Japanese art, which is so fashionable in Europe. The ladies will be pleased to know that a few of these rich tippets are still on hand, and will be sold at reasonable prices. To the gentlemen we would intimate that these valuable tippets and muffs would be a comfortable and acceptable Christmas present or New Year's gift.

W. E. DAWSON & CO. are to be found at the large and well arranged store, corner of Great George and Kent street. They are opening one of the largest stocks of hardware ever imported by them. It will be ready for inspection in a few days. In the meantime prices in search of valuable and handsome gifts, should call at the new store where they will find a really beautiful selection of glass and silverware, in ice-pitchers, cruetes, cheese and biscuit boxes, butter-coolers, vases, jelly and fruit dishes. They have also a splendid stock of nickel-mounted granite ware, and some elegant porcelain and nickel-lined coffee and teapots. We would advise the sportsman, in search of an outfit par excellence, to go to W. E. Dawson's and examine the line of sporting equipments. They sell all lines of goods, cheap.

PERKINS & STERNS. This firm are always disposing of the most seasonable dry goods and millinery at the most reasonable prices. They have a very nice line of holiday goods, gloves, ties, handkerchiefs, etc., in connection with their well filled dry goods department. But in the millinery department we observe a change, which is very pleasing. Here is to be found an excellent stock of holiday gifts, consisting of Japanese goods in great variety, a choice selection of glassware, handsome pictures, a large assortment of birds, shells, flowers, etc., encased in glass. These, with a full line of millinery, shawls, and knit wool goods, which are, we are informed, set down as a bargain, should warrant a call from parties seeking useful Christmas and New Year's Gifts.

APOTHECARIES HALL. Here, beside a full stock of drugs, etc., is to be found one of the choicest stocks of temperate beverages ever imported to the city, viz: Vin Sante, unfermented wines, English Salutaris water, etc. These beverages, while quenching the thirst, are pleasant and wholesome to drink. Now, since the "Scott Act" is in force, and many thirsty souls are seeking relief, we would advise all who wish to give their callers a wholesome draught, to leave their order at Apothecaries Hall. In this establishment there are also a splendid selection of gold spectacles, toilet sets, ladies companions, and a varied stock of all kinds of pipes, tobacco and cigars.

W. & A. BROWN & CO. have looked carefully to the wants of their customers this season, and have opened a large holiday department on the second floor of the store. It has, with dry goods department, been well patronized, and only a remnant of the many choice vases, flower pots, toilet sets, bouquet vases, handkerchief boxes, fancy pockets, lusters, etc., remain unsold. The firm has also a large stock of ladies' and gentlemen's furs, to which they invite inspection, as well as a choice selection of fancy woollens and knit goods. Give them a call.

HENRY BEER, ESQ. The store of Henry Beer, Esq., surpasses everything in the city for variety. In it can be found the best of hardware, the choicest groceries, and a full stock of exquisite holiday gifts. Mr. Beer's stock in all lines is complete, and embraces in part: fancy glassware, lamps, vases, handsome lusters, and bouquet holders, paper mache and Japanese tea trays, cruet stands, painted flower pots and baskets, unique clock cases, sleigh robes, whips and bells, and all the requisites for the Christmas and New Year's pudding and cakes. Those who give him a call will find it to their advantage.

W. R. WATSON, ESQ., is showing at his well known Drug Store, Queen Street, a very handsome stock of goods well adapted for the season's trade. This stock is composed of dressing cases, cases Her Majesty's toilet perfumes, cases of bridal souvenirs, cases comb and brush, metallic bristle toilet brushes, unequalled for their variety of patterns, superior finish and fine material, perfumery, hair oils, pomades and cosmetics, hand mirrors, &c. The articles mentioned above are all of excellent pattern, were recently imported, and will, we are informed, be disposed of to the advantage of the buyer.

MR. J. E. MACDONALD'S Store, Queen Street, is among the finest dry goods houses in the city. He has not opened a special line for the holidays, but during the season will "give great bargains" to his customers, who require goods such as men's and boys' clothing, shirts and drawers, white and fancy shirts, woollen and silk scarfs, handkerchiefs, braces, gloves, fur caps, knit caps, ladies' dress goods, shawls, fancy wool scarfs, squares, silk velvets, plushes, ribbons, feathers, flowers, silk ties and purses. Don't fail to call, as McDonald informs us the entire stock will be offered at a great reduction.

MR. ROBERT YOUNG'S well-known millinery and ladies' outfitting store, on Queen Street, is one of the popular houses of the city. At present the proprietor offers the goods most in demand for the holiday season, including silks, satins, velveteens, and the newest styles of dress goods, furs, etc. Mr. Young has also a goodly assortment of Christmas cards which, being of good design and sold cheap, are in great demand.

MEDICAL HALL. has one of the finest importations of mulacco canes ever offered in the city. They are silver-mounted, headed with buckhorn and ivory, and are very handsome. The selection of pipes, tobaccos and cigars here to be found is very large, and the stock is offered at twenty-five per cent. discount. There are many handsome plate mirrors, toilet sets, perfumery, etc., all of which will be sold cheap during the holiday season.

MESSRS. BEER AND GOFF. Have the store tastefully decorated for the season. They are offering to the trade every article to be found in a first-class grocery store. These goods they guarantee to be of excellent quality, and of the best flavor. They sell at bottom prices.

W. A. WEEKS AND CO. This firm has not opened a holiday department this season; but instead, are selling their immense stock of seasonable dry goods, gentlemen's outfits, etc., at holiday prices. This house is well known as one of the best in the trade, and we believe that all who patronize it will receive the utmost satisfaction in their purchases.

FRASER AND REDDIN. The new Drug Store on the South Side of Queen Square, is well worthy of a call from those in search of Christmas and New Year's gifts. The stock is personally selected, and is A. I. Give our young friends a call. Owing to the press upon our columns, we are obliged to leave over notices of Jewelers, Stationers, and a number of Dry Goods and Hardware dealers.

A fine Assortment of Thompson's New York, Celebrated Gun Cases, Leather and Waterproof Cartridge Belts, Game Bags, Shooting Coats, etc.—W. E. Dawson & Co. Dec 22 31

NUISANCES.—Small boys and girls skating on the sidewalks, shoving handbills, with or without babies aboard. Vehicles standing in front of crossings at Beer and Goff's, Adam Murray's, and other places, forcing foot passengers to walk around them through the mud and slush.

Miss HUGHES acknowledges with thanks the many contributions which she received from her friends for Tea Table No. 2, in which she took part, in aid of the Baptist Tea and Fancy Fair on Wednesday last.

A few handsome Coal Vases, new style, personally selected and opening ex S. S. Prince Edward, at W. E. Dawson & Co's. [dec 22 31

A LABORING man named James McLeod had his right arm broken above the elbow this morning, while at work on board the "Prince Edward."

Mr. A. P. FORBES has been appointed Deputy Inspector of raw hides for Georgetown, and Mr. F. Morrow has been appointed for Souris.

Most useful present you can make is a pair of Dorsey, Goff & Co., slippers. "Prince Edward."

SIX cases and one cask Fancy Glass, China and Hardware, suitable for Christmas and New Year's Presents, now opening at "Cheapside," ex "Prince Edward," from London. Call and see them. HENRY BEER. Dec. 21.—tf

THE CHRISTMAS PUDDING!

COME TO FRASER & REDDIN

for Fresh Essences, Spices and Candied Peels.

They also have a large and select stock of Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes. Lubin's, Atkinson's, Chalmers' and other Perfumes. Bulb Perfum's twenty cents per ounce. Charlottetown, Dec. 23, 1881.

MUSICAL AND LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.

THE PRINCE STREET METHODIST SABBATH SCHOOL will give one of their highly popular entertainments in the

Basement of the Church,

—ON—

Wednesday Evening, the 28th inst.

Vocal and Instrumental Music, Solos, Choruses, Readings, Recitations, &c. A good programme. Come and be entertained. To commence at 8 o'clock. Admission only 10 cents. [de 24 31 fr m w

P. E. Island Railway.

Christmas Excursion.

EXCURSION TICKETS AT ONE FIRST-CLASS FARE will be issued from all Stations to all Stations on the Prince Edward Island Railway, on the 24th inst., good to return on the 26th and 27th inst. L. B. ARCHIBALD, Supt. Railway Office, Ch'town, Dec. 20, 1881. [tu th fr, pat w]

WE INVITE ALL!

WHO MAY Favor us with a Call,

TO AN INSPECTION OF OUR STOCK OF GROCERIES FOR FALL & WINTER,

WHICH IS NOW COMPLETE, and which we offer at Bargains to Cash Buyers.

Everything warranted as represented or no sale.

Remember the place—"SIGN OF THE CROWN," South Side Market.

ROBERTSON & CAMERON.

Dec. 13, 1881—1m eod

WE ARE REMOVING

TO OUR OLD STAND,

AND WILL OPEN ON

FRIDAY, THE 16th INST.,

SHOWING THE

Largest Stock Ever Imported by us.

W. E. DAWSON & CO.

Charlottetown, Dec. 14, 1881.

A POSITIVE MARK DOWN!

In order to reduce my very heavy Stock of

DRY GOODS!

THIS SEASON.

I will sell the following lines at special rates of discount:

- HEAVY CLOTHS, NAPS, &c., 20 per cent. discount
- MEN'S and BOYS' ULSTERS, 20 per cent. discount
- LADIES' SHAWLS and SKIRTS, 20 per cent. discount
- KNIT WOOL GOODS, 10 to 20 per cent. discount
- TWEEDS and DRESS GOODS, 10 to 20 per cent. discount
- READYMADE CLOTHING, 10 to 20 per cent. discount

Several Other Lines at Reduced Prices.

As this is a positive mark down sale, customers can rely on getting rare bargains.

OWEN CONNOLLY. Dec. 9, 1881.

APPLES.

I WILL sell by AUCTION, on SATURDAY, the 24th December, inst., 11 o'clock, A. M., in front of my Auction Room, Market House, A lot Montreal Apples (Fameuse.) E. NEEDHAM, Auc'tr Dec. 22, '81.

CRACKED FEED.

Cracked Oats, Wheat Bran, Cracked Barley, Wheat Shorts, White Oats, Black Oats. For sale by HORACE HASZARD. Charlottetown, Dec. 21, '81—1m eod

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

Just Opened at Rankin's Drug Store,

DIRECT FROM PARIS, a large assortment of FANCY ARTICLES in Glass China, Plush, &c., suitable for Christmas and New Year's Presents.

DRESSING CASES, IVORY HAIR BRUSHES, PLUSH ODOR CASES, TOILET SETS, JEWEL CASES, VASES, PERFUMERY, &c., &c., &c. [de 14, '81]

300 BBL'S SUPERIOR EXTRA FLOUR. For sale by the subscriber. A. H. YATES. Water Street, Nov. 30, '81.

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A. A. Baldwin & Co.

—WISH TO—

CALL ATTENTION

TO THE FOLLOWING

Seasonable Goods!

WHICH THEY OFFER

AT VERY LOW PRICES:

100 pairs Acme Club Skates,

100 pairs Common Skates,

FRET SAWS—for hand and foot power.

WOODS—in Walnut, Hickory, Ash, Cherry, Red Cedar and Holly.

JOSEPH RODGERS SONS TABLE CUTLERY.

SILVER-PLATED WARE, by standard makers. Dec. 22, '81—31

IF YOU GIVE A TICKET

—IS THE—

Holiday Gift Enterprise

To your Wife, or Child, or Friend,

You may give a valuable Holiday present.

E. H. BABBIT, Manager. Dec. 22, 1881—31

NOTICE.

STEAMSHIP "PRINCE EDWARD," with general cargo from Liverpool, G. B., docked at Packer's No. 2 Wharf this forenoon, 21st December. After she is discharged will load with cargo of oats and will sail from Charlottetown or Georgetown,

On or About Saturday, the

24th December, inst.

Should the weather continue favorable, will sail from Charlottetown direct. Parties wishing to ship

LIVE STOCK

on the Upper Deck, on freight, to Great Britain have an opportunity of doing so. For freight and other particulars apply to

PEAKE BROS' & CO., Managers. Dec. 21, 1881.

St. Lawrence Hotel.

THE above Hotel is now RE-OPENED, having been thoroughly repaired and refurnished in the best style. Being centrally situated and within three minutes walk of the Railway Depot and Steamboats, it offers inducements to the travelling public. Permanent and Transient Boarders accommodated unsurpassed by any other Hotel in the city. WM. E. HICKEY, Proprietor. Ch'town, Dec. 21, '81.

Prince Edward Island Railway

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE a Passenger Train for Georgetown, to connect with steamer "Northern Light," will leave Charlottetown at 4.50 p. m., daily, Sundays excepted. A Passenger Train will also leave Georgetown for Charlottetown daily, Sunday's excepted, on arrival of the "Northern Light." L. B. ARCHIBALD, Supt. Railway Office, Ch'town, Dec. 15, 1881—tf

'81 Xmas & New Year '82

I HAVE JUST OPENED A

Large Assortment of Goods

SUITABLE FOR

Christmas and New Year's Presents.

COMPRISING:

Dressing Cases, Cases Comb and Brush, Florence Brushes, inlaid with To-on-shell and Mother of Pearl, ARGENTINA, a Metallic Bristle Toilet Brush; ASHWORTH'S Metallic Comb Brush; Gosnell's, Kent's and Bidwell's Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, unequalled for their variety of patterns, superior finish and fine material, cases Her Majesty's Toilet Perfumes and Bridal Souvenir, Conday's, Piver's, Bertrand's, Lubin's, Plesse & Lubin's, Rimmel's and Atkinson's Perfumery, Hair Oils, Pomades and Cosmetics, Hand Mirrors, &c. WM. R. WATSON, City Drug Store, Victoria Building, } Dec. 17, '81—pat 61

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED by a Lady who writes a firm legible hand, employment as a copyist. Address, "Copista," Post Office, Charlottetown. d20 41

COOK WANTED—A good plain Cook wanted. Apply with references to Mrs. R. R. FitzGerald, Knocknour. de 16

FOR SALE—A stylish CARRIAGE Horse, color dark chestnut. Will be sold at a bargain.—D. REDDIN, jr. d15 1w

WANTED—An experienced Clerk. Must be well recommended. Apply, in writing to SELWYN & MONSON, Charlottetown. [de 12

TO LET—The office in the Union Bank Building lately occupied by Edward Bayfield, Esq. The use of a cellar, in which there are now two tons of coal, to go with same. Terms reasonable. Apply at this office. [de 13 pat 2aw

TO LET—A valuable Business Stand in Souris East, consisting of a Shop, Dwelling House, Warehouse and Stable. Possession given in mediety, if required. For terms apply to R. BERRITT, Bridgetown, P. E. I. [no 24 1m