

Candy For the Bairns

and for older people as well. Our assortment of XMAS CANDY is larger than ever—prices lower too. We have 12 different kinds of mixture Xmas mixtures. Choc. Creams in all flavors. French Bon-Bons. Candy shapes and Toys. White's pure choc. creams. Molasses Kisses and other kinds too numerous to mention.

FRUIT

Our display of Fruit is up to the mark as usual, large juicy Florida Oranges, sweet Jamaica and Valencia Oranges, Figs, Dates, Prunes, Grapes, Layer Raisins, and all the kinds of nuts. All fresh goods. Get your Xmas supply at.

Sanderson & Co. Pure Food Sellers.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SALE

Our store is now in full bloom with every necessity for the holidays. This is the place to get up-to-date goods.

- ...IN... Dinner sets, Tea sets, Water sets, Berry sets, Toilet sets. Beautiful lamps all styles very cheap. All kinds of new Fancy China and Glass. ...ALSO... A splendid lot of Fancy Goods in Albums, Dressing Cases, Manicures, Necktie boxes, Photo frames &c. &c. All kinds of Dolls, Toys and Games very cheap. ...PHOTOS... Don't forget we are making Cabinet Photos either on flat or glossy paper for \$3.00 per doz.

C. LEWIS Sunnyside. North Side Market House.

AUCTION

Don't forget to attend Jas. McKinnon's sale at Long Creek, on Wednesday, 28th inst., commencing at 12 o'clock sharp, of Land, Crop, Stock and Farming Implements; also one fat Cow and 40 Lambs; 9 miles from Ch'town. 2:30 p.m., day to & fri

Gold, Crown and Bridge Work

Reliable work, Moderate Prices. Dr. J. P. Murray, QUEEN STREET.....

Sale of Papers.

The annual sale of papers and magazines the Catholic Literary Institute will be held at the Institute's Rooms on Thursday evening 22nd inst., at 8 o'clock. The files contain the leading newspapers, magazines and quarterlies of Canada, United States and Great Britain. J. M. SULLIVAN, Secy Dec 19th 2:35 dy 4 ns

Prices Cut in Two

Is heard on all sides. We'll meet and lead. All Competition From now until Jan. 1st, our immense stock of Fancy Goods, in all lines, will be sold at CUT PRICES.

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Strict attention to business and prompt returns made. Special attention given to the sale of Pork, Poultry, Eggs, Hides and Wool Skins. Market quotations given on application. Address all consignments and correspondence to. I. S. SANFORD, 46 an 48 Argyle St. HALIFAX, N. S. ESTABLISHED IN 1880....

Rumored Duty on Tea

(Montreal Witness.)

It is said that a duty on tea is now almost a certainty and that the rate should be fixed at 4 cents a pound, on black, and 6 cents a lb. on green tea which is identical with the rate collected by the MacKenzie Government. As nearly all the green tea comes from Japan this would mean a difference of two cents a pound against that country, and Consul-General Moose, the Japanese representative, has protested to the authorities against such discrimination. The reason the different rates were imposed during the MacKenzie regime was that cheap green teas were supposed to be more adulterated than black, but this does not appear to be the case now.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Davies: D M Kerr, Montreal; L B Senz, do; J A Choquette, do; H E Ellis, St John; A S McLean, Toronto; Henry McGregor and wife, Lot 48; L C Owen, City.

Queen Hotel: M O McKay, Man tobs; J G Farcy, Halifax; W Huestis, Boston; W L McLaren, Mount Stewart; I N Schurman; Summerside.

Store open every evening this week.—Moore & McLeod

LOCAL NOTICES.

Fur collars and muffs for Xmas 25. per saved on all purchases. W A Weeks Co 3 ins

Buy buying your presents at Weeks & Co., you save 20 per cent to 50 per. We have lots of goods suitable for presents and the most acceptable kind; something useful. W A Weeks & Co. 3 ins

Toys had a busy time Saturday. The toy bazaar was crowded to its utmost on Saturday with children and their parents and the multitudes of toys bought was enormous.—Jas Paton & Co.

Gents' mufflers, silk ties, just opened for Xmas; good goods. Fur capes, regular prices \$1.75 now \$1.00; a good Xmas present for man or boys. Bargain Corner, W D McKay.

Silk handkerchiefs—We have a very large assortment of either ladies' or gents' silk handkerchiefs in all the latest designs from 25c up.—Prowse Bros. 296 St.

They wish for fancy goods to Carters. If you want a good electric lamp you must get the buckeye, and that is only sold at the City hardware store.—R B Norton & Co. 295 St.

Ladies' hockey boots at Jost's. Our hockey boots are first-class.—R K Jost.

S D C—Skating tomorrow night. Buy your skating boots from us; bargains in all kinds.—R K Jost.

Watches for the boys and girls at G H Taylor's.

Ladies of the city—we invite you to our store. We want your trade and your kind recommendations. Come on market day or any other day and as many times as you wish. Bring the children to see the toys and fancy things. We like to have you in our store; we are used to it, especially in the holiday season.—Geo Carter & Co.

New English mince meat for sale by pound at Beer & Goff's.

Cooking figs 10 cents a pound, dates 10 cents a pound, pure mixed cake 10 cents a pound at Beer & Goff's 293

Everybody invited to Carter's Xmas goods and toy bazaar. Come early often.

Unparalleled Offer Free Trip on P. E. R. TO JAS PATON & CO'S CHRISTMAS DISPLAY.

From All Points on The Line.

Messrs James Paton & Co. to-day make the following unprecedented offer a free trip from any point on the P. E. R., beginning on Wednesday morning Dec. 21st to give every person on the Island an opportunity of seeing their magnificent Xmas display.

Here is the announcement. Visitors coming from points between Summerside and Tignish, have only to buy goods to the amount of \$20.00 to \$30.00.

From Hunter River and between it and Summerside, \$10 to \$20.

Stations between Royalty and Hunter River, \$5 to \$10.

From Souris \$15 to \$20.

Between Souris and St Peter's, \$10 to \$15.

Between Mount Stewart and Georgetown \$10 to \$15.

Between Mt Stewart and Charlottetown, \$5 worth of goods. Visitors by presenting the return portion of their ticket after purchasing their dry goods. The cashier will refund you the price paid for the ticket. This offer is good till Saturday morning, the 24th, inst. JAMES PATON & CO.

PERSONAL

Mr M O McKay, of Manitoba, was a passenger from Picton by the Princess this morning. He goes west this afternoon.

Mr W L McLaren, is in the city arranging for a shipment of butter to Glasgow by the Gaspeia. He is at the Queen Hotel.

Mr Arthur G Peake left this morning on a visit to Boston, N-York and other cities of the United States. He will return for several months.

Mr Fred Hazard was a passenger by the Princess this morning, coming from Montreal to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents in Charlottetown.

Miss Ella Palmer and Miss Lillian Dodd were passengers by the Princess this morning returning from an official visit to Boston, N-York and Washington.

The Rev F X Morrison, D D, a native of P E Island, and brother of Rev Dr Morrison, of the Cathedral, Charlottetown, who has been for some time past attached as curate to St Peter's Church, San Francisco, has been adopted into this diocese, and has already left San Francisco for Antigonish. Dr Morrison was educated at Laval, where he took his degree some two or three years ago.—Antigonish Casket.

It is stated that Mr Hiram Wier, news editor of the Halifax Evening Mail, expects soon to come into possession of quite a sum of money. A few days ago Mr. Wier received a letter from Dublin lawyer informing him that a cousin of his mother had died, bequeathing a portion of a valuable estate to his mother's children. Mr. Wier's friends in this province will join with THE EXAMINER in congratulating him upon his good fortune.

Things to Make a Note of

Ce-cents.—Don't forget the meeting tonight at 8.30. Important business. Full attendance is requested.

Court Mount Stephen, I O F.—The regular meeting of this court will be held tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. Two initiations, payment of dues and other business. As this is the last meeting for the year 1898, it is important that there should be a large attendance.

L O A.—Boys' Lodge meets tonight at 8 o'clock. Election of officers and other important business. A full meeting is urgently requested.

Opening Night at St. Dunstan's Rink—Splendid ice in the S D C Rink. Don't forget the opening night. First skate of the season on Wednesday night. College band in attendance. Admission 15 cents. Special train between city and college.

WOMAN UNDER THE BED.—When Mr Emil Marx entered his flat in Brooklyn, New York, one night last week he saw two feet protruding from beneath his bed. He ordered the intruder to come out, and Mrs Pauline Bergama obeyed the order. She had packed up all Marx's valuables, and was a burglar caught in the act. She pleaded on arrest that her husband had deserted her; that she had stolen to save her children from starvation. The police found and cared for the children.

CRAINED PRIESTS.—Six young clergymen were raised to the priesthood at St Luke's Cathedral, Halifax, on Sunday last, among the number being Rev W White, of St Paul's, Charlottetown, and Rev W J Cox, of St Peter's Cathedral. The clergy present in the chancel and assisting in the ordination were His Lordship Bishop, the Reverend the Dean of Nova Scotia, Rev E P Crawford, rector of St Luke's, and Rev E A Harris, rector of Mahone Bay. The ordination sermon preached by the rector of Mahone Bay, took for his text, Cor. 4-2: "Moreover it is required in stewards that a man be found faithful." The discourse is described as a scholarly and forcible one, was received with deep attention.

MR SPENCER'S LECTURE.—The audience at the lecture given by Rev Spencer in the schoolroom of Zion church evening was not so large as the importance of the subject demanded. The subject was "Woman," and it was more than usually interesting by the lecturer as he took his audience, in imagination, through the various countries of the world and described the different customs, the fashions, matrimonial systems, etc. He also showed the position woman held in the world and incidentally touched upon the question of divorce. All present greatly appreciated the lecture, and after complimentary remarks had been made by Messrs J T MacKenzie, David Schurman and Revs T F Fullerton and J R McLeod the lecturer was tendered the hearty thanks of the audience. Mr J M Campbell presided.

What She Wants

Is a nice perfume Atomizer or a bottle of Good Perfume. There is no place in town where you can get better value for your money in these articles than at our store. Every Christmas for some years past we have made a speciality of these goods and know just what odors are most popular and will give the best satisfaction. Dressing Cases, Puff Boxes, Tobacco Pouches, Cameras, Pipes, Cigars, (10 in a box), Shaving Brushes, Ebony Goods, etc., etc., have all received careful attention by us.

Johnson & Johnson DRUGGISTS

Local and Other Items

THE KINDERGARTEN.—Closing exercises, for the Christmas holidays, tomorrow.

MEASLES.—It is said that German measles are prevalent among Prince of Wales College students.

FROM PICTON.—The Princess arrived about a quarter of eight this morning, bringing mails and passengers.

MARKET DAYS.—During this week and next the market will be open on Fridays and Saturdays, to facilitate the holiday trade.

ADVANCE IN EGGS.—At the market, today, eggs sold at from 22c to 24c per dozen. This is an advance on last week's prices.

SHORT WASN'T IT.—From the declaration of war between the United States and Spain until the signing of the treaty of peace a period of 232 days elapsed.

ATHLETICS OVERDONE.—It appears to be the consensus of opinion as expressed by the press that athletics as represented by the brutal six-day bicycle race very much overdone.

IMPORTANT.—Halifax Skating Rink stockholders are reminded of their meeting tonight in Board of Trade rooms, Masonic Temple. Matters involving the future of the Rink are to be settled.

ONLY A KEYHOLE VIEW.—Uncle Sam's idea of an open door policy is that other nations should open their doors to him while he allows them to inspect his premises through the key-hole.—Ottawa Citizen.

THE STANLEY.—The Stanley left here for Picton at seven o'clock this morning. She will leave Picton on return after the arrival of the noon train and will be due in Charlottetown about five o'clock this afternoon.

LOTS OF RECRUITS.—According to the report of the secretary of the province of Ontario, just issued, there were in 1897 four hundred and one appointments to office. The Ottawa Citizen thinks this is a pretty good record for one year in the shape of recruits to Hardy's army of healers.

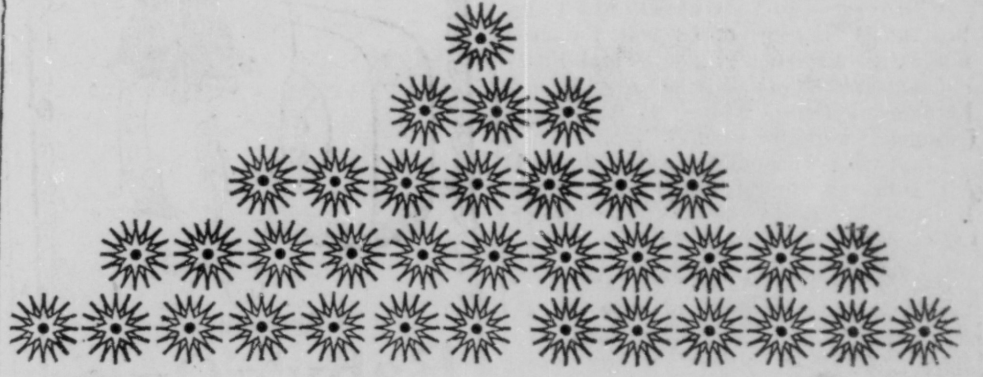
FREE RAILWAY TICKET.—James Paton & Co's offer to defray the expenses of customers' railway tickets, is a new departure in modern advertising methods. The ideas of the store are always good and in this instance will prove of undoubted benefit to the public. Particulars will be found in another column.

BENGUOH SIZED UP.—If the Toronto Globe did not have the cartoons of J. W. Bengough it would be a great newspaper. Bengough is a back-number of the Bourbon type. He seems to forget nothing and to learn nothing. Twenty years ago he was a caricaturist. For some years he has been only a partisan.—Ottawa Journal.

THE GASPEIA.—The steamer Gaspeia is expected here at 6 o'clock, and she will sail for Liverpool and Milford Haven on Friday. She will take a large outward cargo made up of hay, canned meats, apples, butter, cheese, bacon, poultry, cattle and sheep. There will be several passengers outward. The Gaspeia is a very fine ship. Her keel length is 383 feet, breadth, 43 ft, depth 33 ft, gross tonnage, 3,835 and net registered tonnage 2,309. Her crew consists of 71 men.

RAILWAY TELEGRAPHERS.—A division of the Order of Railway Telegraphers has been organized in Charlottetown with the following office-bearers: Chief Telegrapher, A Kelly; Asst Chief Telegrapher, H McEwen; 2nd Asst Chief Telegrapher, N Campbell; Secy Treas, S F Muncey; F S., J M Nicholson; O S., J J Trainor; Marshal, G R McMahon; Representative to Grand Division, J H Byrne; Substitute to Grand Division, J McTague.

A PAYING GOLD MINE.—The Ottawa Citizen says: The shareholders in the Olive Gold Company, of Seine River, Ont., had their hearts made glad yesterday by the receipt of cheques for another dividend of one per cent. for the month of December, and at the same time received the pleasing information that the January dividend of one per cent. was already earned, and would be paid promptly. Hon George E Foster is president of the company, and amongst the other prominent shareholders in Ottawa are Senator Clemond and Mr John Cates, president of the Ottawa Gas Company. It is understood Sir Richard Cartwright lately invested in a large block of this stock.



Christmas Buying

has started in earnest and we are prepared for it with a grand assortment in all departments. Everything here is the latest and best in our line.

Ladies' Kid Gloves. Men's Kid Gloves.

We show a stock that is absolutely unapproachable in this city. We sell only the best. We sell the latest. All the new shades just received

New Blues, New Greens, New Tans, New modes. 1.35

all sizes in 3 push button fasteners and lacing; this lot includes gloves at \$1.50 and \$1.60

TANS, Greens, Ox-Bloods and Browns. 1.20

These are a heavy make with assorted colored stitching and weltings, 2 push button fasteners; sizes 6, 6 1-4, 6 1-2 and 6 3-4.

Light Tans, Dark Tans, and Browns. 1.10

7 hook lacing, with weltings and assorted colored points, only \$1.10.

Suede Gloves

Blacks, Tans and Modes. 1.10

This glove is equal to any Suede we have ever sold at \$1.40.

Ladies' Umbrellas, Lace Hd f ks, Lace Scarfs, Ascot Ties, Bows, Furs, Dresses,

etc, etc, etc.

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Are full laundered lines from bands best Cotton buttons, fitting and Tailor made. \$1.00 Each

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