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The beneficial effects of a good soap cannot be over estimated. We keep good soaps. In addition to our regular assortment we have just received a line of medical soaps which are especially valuable for inflamed conditions of the skin, such as chaps, eczema, sunburn, roughness, pimples, dandruff, etc., and for nursery use in allaying itching and preventing those distressing skin and scalp diseases that children are so peculiarly liable to.

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## PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

The Draft Address—Able and Exhaustive Speech by Mr. Shaw.

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of the public funds of this Province a monument will be erected to their memory on the Square in front of this building in order that while the whole community knows how these boys lived—the babe on the mother's breast and the children yet unborn may learn how they died. Their parents have the sympathy of every member of this House as well as of the whole Province; while their boys will never return they have the sweet consolation that "to live in hearts we leave is not to die."

Mr. Sinclair spoke after Mr. Shaw. He said the Government deserved credit for the assistance they had given to the dairy industry. Keeping ferry communication across the Hillsborough River has been costing the country much. The contract entered into with the Federal Government would cost the Province \$10,000 a year, which would be greatly reduced by toll. Mr. Sinclair thought there should be a thorough change in the manner of spending money on our roads, and he was convinced that tens of thousands of dollars have been squandered. Our roads are not in so good a state as they would be were the system amended. It would be advisable to have the districts let by contract and a road machine given to each contractor. The amount tendered for would be subject to the approval of the Supervisor and Commissioner of Public Works. The Supervisors themselves thought the contracts would range from \$450 to \$600. The speaker said he knew some members would oppose this change, believing that the abandonment of statute labor in the districts would be unpopular with the people. But unquestionably there is too much money lost by continuing the present system, and statute labor in many districts is worth but little. In regard to education the Government has done well. This Province is expending a very large amount of money on this head; but our education must be kept at its high standard, and an educational tax must be levied to uphold it.

Mr. Desroches followed Mr. Sinclair. It was, he said, a fact that there were very good crops last year, but the markets were a failure, and there was no improvement this spring. The great boom in trade

that was promised when the Liberals came in is not forthcoming. When troops were called for service in South Africa more than twice the number required volunteered. Among the thirty brave Islanders now in active service in South Africa are three Frenchmen. It was highly improper to raise the race cry, and he hoped that he had heard the last of it. Some of the leading Liberals had said the French were disloyal; that they were pro-Boers. It was said that (Mr. Desroches) was a pro-Boer, but he repudiated the charge with indignation. The French-Canadians were loyal to the core and it was highly improper for any one to say otherwise. The raising of the race cry is calculated to create a bad feeling in a mixed community. The race and religious cry must be kept down in the interests of the country. The Liberals must have some object in view in acting as they did in this regard. It was an insult to bring the race cry into this House. There are more pro-Boers among the Liberals than the Conservatives. The Hon. Edward Blake, a former Liberal leader, voted against the British Government on the war resolution. The war was also denounced by Stead, of the Review of Reviews, Mr. Labouchere and others. But he did not wish to pursue the matter further. It was, as he said before, an insult to the French-Canadians to have the Liberals bring the matter up in the House. Before concluding his remarks Mr. Desroches spoke of the bad state of the roads, especially those in Prince County, which were a disgrace.

Recess was taken at 6 o'clock.

## LETTER FROM MR. CLARKIN.

DEAR SIR,—In the Guardian of the 17th inst. there is a communication from Jeremiah S. Clark re four cases of trees lying in the wind on Steam Navigation Co's wharf for several days, as Mr. Clarkin told him so. Mr. Clark states what is not a fact. The only reference to those trees was made by himself. He expected an inclosure in some consignment and made several calls to see if the trees had arrived. During one of his visits he saw the trees on the Railway cars, and he made the remark that they should not be exposed to the wind. They came here to go by the Jacques Cartier to country places as is customary each year to be taken aboard same day or at farthest next day. I expect that Mr. Clark will withdraw this statement as early as possible.

P. CLARKIN.

May 17th, 1900.

## PERSONAL

Dr. Darrach, of Kensington, is in the city.

Mr. W. Richards, of Bideford, is at the Davies.

Mr. D. R. Sutherland, of Pictou, is at the Davies.

Mr. Horace Hazard returned from Halifax last evening.

Mr. W. A. Brennan, of the Summerside Journal, is in the city.

Mr. Lawrence Whalen, representing N. Rattenbury in Sydney, came to Charlottetown yesterday.

## To Hotel and Boarding

### House Keepers

If all those who are desirous of accommodating summer tourists and others during the coming season will send their address to THE EXAMINER office we will be happy to compile a list and forward to the different agencies which make a business of furnishing such information to the travelling public. Particulars regarding rates, distance from Charlottetown, surroundings of hotel, water, beaches to railway and bathing, etc., should be mentioned when writing.

## Local Notices.

Auction sale of property—L E Prowse's property will be sold at 12 o'clock on Wednesday next, the 23rd of May. This will give you a good chance to secure a good home at a moderate price. 6105

The shoes you want are here. Either they'll wear longer than other shoes or they'll leave more dollars in your pocket to buy a new pair when they do wear out.—J B McDonald & Co.

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Pineapples, rhubarb, oranges and lemons at W. F. Carter's. 114 3i.

Now for GARDENING.—The best garden seeds are at Carter's Seed Store.

## DIED.

At a View, Lot 20, on April 24th, David Pickering, aged 74 years.

At Darnley, May 12th, in the 22nd year of her age, Ida May, daughter of James and Charity Clarke. She died in the blessed hope of eternal life through Jesus Christ.

"SOME DEVIL is inside of me, tickling my throat with a tether," said a good deacon with a sad cough. "Well, this is the holy water that will cast the devil out," said his wife, as she produced a bottle of Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam. 25c. all druggists.

Frilled and plain curtain materials—the latest and best in immense assortment, 10c to 40c per yard at Stanley Bros.

Hats for every one, American hats, English hats, Canadian hats, the very nicest styles at R. H. Ramsey & Co's.

## Local and Other Items.

ARTILLERY.—No 1 Company will meet for drill tonight at 7.30.

C. O. F.—Regular session of Court Charlottetown tonight in Foresters' Hall, Prowse Block.

POPULAR prices, popular people, popular pieces at the popular place of amusement, the Opera House on Monday 21st.

S. O. E.—The regular meeting of Lodge Eton, Red Rose degree, tonight at 8 o'clock. Initiation and other important business. Every member requested to be present.

CHEESE BOX MAKING.—Mr. Martin McKinnon has been engaged in rafting lumber up the Montague river to McDonald's Mills where he will make cheese boxes this summer.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.—The Legislature until after midnight last night, when the draft address was adopted after the rejection of several amendments submitted by the Opposition.

SOME FINE CATTLE.—Mr. William Ross, one of the enterprising and progressive farmers of West River, brought to the city yesterday seven very nice cattle whose total weight amounted to 8,250 pounds. They were purchased by Messrs. Thorne Bros.

SOME WAR RELICS.—We have been shown by Mr. J. T. Mellish two Boer bandoliers sent home by his son, Arthur. One is the regular Mauser cartridge bandolier, having twelve pouches for five cartridges each. The other has single pockets ranged side by side for fifty-four cartridges. Both bandoliers are of leather and are very strong and well made.

EXCURSION.—One of the pleasantest outings for the 24th will be the excursion to New Glasgow by the S. S. Princess. Those going will enjoy a pleasant sail and will have four hours in New Glasgow and an opportunity to witness one of the hot test football games yet played in the Pro-Glasgow and our own Abbies. One of our city bands will accompany the excursionists.

## TWENTY-FOURTH MAY.

We the undersigned merchants of Montague Bridge hereby agree to close our respective places of business on Thursday, the Twenty-fourth day of May, 1900. Customers will kindly govern themselves accordingly:—

(Signed.)

Poole & Thompson  
H A Ellis  
A S Fraser  
Donald McKay  
W A Johnstone  
D G Cameron  
F S McDonald  
A S McLeod  
F S Robertson  
D J McLeod  
J D Bell  
Mrs McQueen  
Geo Wightman  
P Kelly  
Donald Forbes  
A S Lantz.

## THE SALUTE YESTERDAY

At the Turning of the First Sod of the Southern Railway.

The following are the gun groups who fired the salute yesterday on the occasion of turning the first sod of the Belfast and Murray Harbor Branch Railway:—

No. 1 Gun.	No. 2 Gun.
T L Aitken	Frank Muncey
Donald Fraser	M T Riggs
A J Houie	Rowland Meikle
Bert Newsome	Chas Harper
Chas Campbell	Neil McKenzie

We may add that the salute was admirably given, under the direction of Major Hodgson, though one of the cannons—that supplied by Hon Mr. Rogers—persisted in tumbling over backwards after each shot.

New lace curtains in elegant and exclusive designs at Stanley Bros

**ON MAY 19th.**

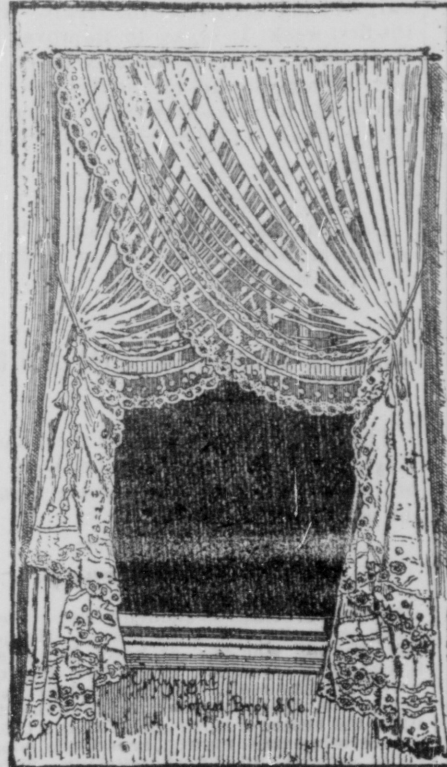
We will close our down town store in the New Prowse Block.

During this week we will give liberal discounts on articles mentioned on handbill, at both stores.

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Do You Wish Good Conservative Advice in Your Operations?

We are in a position to give it and solicit correspondence. Stocks are depressed just now on account of Gold Shipments and Railroad Stocks should be a good purchase on any sharp decline from present prices.

Accounts handled on 3 per cent margins.

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Price \$3.50.

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