

DIED.

At Crayand, on the 19th inst. after a few hours illness, Annie Matilda, aged 2 years, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Waddell.

Been waiting for the new Jackets? They're here—and they're beauties.—Moore & McLeod.

Remember the social and entertainment this evening in the Y. M. C. A. hall, in aid of the P. E. Island Hospital. Admission 10 cents. Cake and coffee, 5c.

Ladies Spring Coat—a second shipment arrived to-day at James Paton & Co.

Scrap butter for cooking only 12 cents a pound at Beer & Goff's.

John Newson's big sale is genuine as he is positively going out of business. Buyers will be sure of bargains. The best choice is for those who are quick. 923ns.

FOR SATURDAY—120 pairs of Ladies' White Kid Gloves with black stitched backs, 50c a pair at Stanley Bros.

WEEKS & CO DISPLAY OF New Spring Millinery.

is now ready for your inspection. We are showing a magnificent assortment of the very latest in

English Trimmed HATS & BONNETS

A large selection to choose from.

BEAUTIFUL NEW FLOWERS NEW LACES, NEW RIBBONS, NEW PLUMES, NEW HATS, etc

All on view in our NEW MILLINERY SHOW ROOM, on first floor.

Our New Milliner

Miss Van Stone

Came to us highly recommended. Miss Van Stone has recently visited the leading millinery displays. We ask you to drop in and inspect her work. If you intrust your orders in her care—we know you will be well pleased.

New Millinery Show and Work Rooms on first floor

30 CASES ALREADY OPENED

New Caps, Dress Goods, Silks and Velvets, Prints, Frillings, etc., etc.

INSPECTION INVITED

We will be pleased to show you our new goods.

WEEKS & CO

Successors to W. A. Weeks & Co. The Peoples' Store,

Thanks to the Ladies

A very large increase in sales has already resulted from the advice given in last advertisement to us—nothing but

Sunlight & Lifebuoy Soaps

in housecleaning; and high praises as to their superior washing qualities are being sung by hundreds of new patrons.

Now for your laundry; take some further advice, keep on using Sunlight and you will always have beautifully clear and healthy clothing, etc. the texture of which will not be ruined by strong Alkalis, for remember that every bar of this world renowned brand carries with it a \$5000 guarantee of absolute purity.

Try Sunlight and Lifebuoy for toilet use. None better can be had

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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leader. He (Mr. Shaw) did not think the Minister of Agriculture was to be thanked for the visit of Professor Robertson and Macoun. In coming here they were simply acting within the lines of their duty, in the same way that Professor Robertson came here in 1891. These meetings in 1891 were not attended by the present leader of the Government, yet he to-day claims credit for the success of the dairying industry in his province. Like Rip Van Winkle, the Leader has been asleep for many years, and now when the industry is in full swing he accompanies Professor Robertson to public meetings and tries to reap what he has not sown. But the farmers know the truth, and will not be gulled. He (Mr. Shaw) thought an instructor rather than an inspector was needed for the dairy industry, and he was glad to know that action in this direction is about to be taken. Last year he advocated the appointment of an instructor, offering on behalf of the factories to pay part of the cost; but his suggestion was not acted upon. Now, at the eleventh hour the Leader seems to be about to repent. But there is only one case mentioned in Scripture where such a man was saved. He was glad to note the reference to the Hillsborough bridge. The Liberal party is committed to this work and to the Southern Railway. Sir Louis before the Board of Trade, said he could not ask for a bridge unless the Provincial Government paid half, viz., \$400,000. Although the Government claims that the Dominion owes us \$2,500,000 yet we are asked to assume a large expenditure in connection with the bridge in order that the Dominion Government may keep their promise regarding the railway. The people on the South side of the Hillsborough, are entitled to a railway and bridge. He believed the tolls on the bridge would not be as large as the receipts of the ferry. If you have a railway and bridge the people from the southern section will travel by train and receipts will go to the Dominion, and the Province will not be benefited. However, when the details are before the House this matter can be taken up. The promises regarding the fisheries were something like those respecting the arbitration of the claims, and the reference thereto in the speech was misleading. In regard to the promised improvements concerning road, he contended that the roads were in a bad condition, and that the Road Act should be amended. There was a large expenditure in the Bedoune and New London districts last year, when elections were on. He regretted that there was no reference in the speech to exhibitions, and pointed out the benefit these shows were to the farmers. In the other provinces, and other places worthy of the name, exhibitions were held. Our people participated in the Nova Scotia exhibitions to the extent of several thousand dollars, yet the Government, which is saving at the sight and losing at the bung, cannot reciprocate in this matter. Why, he asked, were no the stock Farm cattle sent to the Nova Scotia exhibition so as to advertise our stock and add to the good name of the Island province? He was also disappointed at not seeing a reference in the speech to the annex to the Hospital for the Insane. When a former leader of the Government (Hon. Mr. Peters) issued debentures for \$75,000 it was given out that \$20,000 of the amount was to build this annex. But this money was spent and not one stone of the annex has been laid. He was greatly surprised that there was no reference in the speech to Mr. Wise's mission to Great Britain. Perhaps in all their party, they could not find a better man for the mission. Common courtesy should have caused the Government to put a reference to the mission in the speech

He thought the paragraph regarding our prosperity was inconsistent. It speaks of abundant prosperity; and yet it says the harvest was not abundant. How can it be said that an agricultural country is prosperous when the harvest is a failure? If Canada is enjoying prosperity, to whom is it due? Is it due to the gentlemen who sat in opposition for 18 years? Not at all. The measure of prosperity which Canada now enjoys is due to the statesmanlike acts of the great Liberal Conservative party. They inaugurated the National Policy, and the Liberal party to-day dare not lay their unbold hands upon it.

Mr. F. Peters, referring to the criticism of the previous speaker, said they never blamed the late government for their delegations but did censure them for what they cost and the little they accomplished. The Opposition speak of Sabbath desecration and Sunday cars, but they forget that one of their own delegations travelled on Sunday and made the country pay for it at the rate of \$8 a day. It was quite true that he (Mr. Peters) travelled on Sunday. He found the Stanley at Pictou on Sunday morning and came to Georgetown upon the same way that any other member of the House would have done. He wondered if the last speaker (Mr. Shaw) would come all the way from British Columbia to represent a district in this province. Speaking of the opposition criticisms regarding the results of the bye elections, he pointed out that it was impossible to get up the same enthusiasm at a partial election as a general election; but in one of the two elections contested the Liberal candidate had been returned. In 1891, he went on to point out, the Liberal Government had a bare majority of one; but in 1899, after two elections had been contested, they were still in power and had a good working majority. He (Mr. Peters) did not regret that he came across the continent to take his seat. The people of his constituency had given him the right to do so. Everyone whom he met said he had done what was right,—just what they expected he would do. The hon. member from New Perth spoke of the sin of travelling on Sunday; yet he (Mr. Peters) was met and greeted at Georgetown by the Leader of the Opposition and Mr. A. J. McDonald. He was also met and greeted at several of the stations on the way to Charlottetown. He did not know what the Stanley went to Pictou for. All he knew was that he found her there on Sunday and took passage by her. There was one matter in the speech to which he wished to make special reference, and that was the bridge across the Hillsborough and the railway to Belfast. This matter had been before the country for many years. Senator Ferguson at one time got some young men to lay off a railway, but they were stopped by the farmers. At last however the Dominion has taken the matter up in a business like way. They say if there is to be a railway there must be a bridge. A large sum must be expended on the ferry service if it is to be properly maintained. A bridge is wanted and the Dominion is willing to enter into a bargain with us regarding its construction. On the one hand the expenses of the ferry can be got rid of, and on the other hand the Dominion is willing to make a bargain with us that is not made with any other section. We are to get the bridge we want for traffic besides a railway bridge and a railway. If the ferry service is continued much longer a large expenditure will be necessary. A new wharf will have to be built on this side. The people south of the Hillsborough are entitled to all the conveniences possible. They paid for the present railway system and should have a line of their own. The government are only required to pay the interest on a reasonable proportion of the cost of the bridge. Its construction means the expenditure of about a million dollars in this province, and this of itself would be a good thing. If a toll is necessary one might be imposed for a short time. From one end of Canada to another, said Mr. Peters, prosperity is evident. Is not the dairy industry in this province prospering? Are not the farmers of Ontario prospering? The same is true of Manitoba and the Northwest territory. Immigrants are coming from the United States, Russia and other parts of the world, and all are well pleased with this country and its resources.

Mr. Campbell was the next speaker. He reviewed the recent campaign in the New London district and spoke of the tactics pursued by his opponents in that contest. He had to fight single-handed the Leader of the Government, the Attorney General and other leading lights on the government side of the House and they had come out second best. During recess, continued Mr. Campbell, there were two delegations to Ottawa and what have they obtained? When they do as well as the Conservatives did by these delegations it might be in order for them to taunt us regarding ours. Taking up the matter of Sabbath desecration he said he did not begrudge Mr. Peters his religion. His trip to British Columbia has evidently not improved him very much. It was the intention of the late Government to build the railway to Belfast. He took exception to the paragraph in the speech referring to the prosperity of the province because the statement was inconsistent. The prosperity is due to the toil of the farmer as well as to the statesmanlike policy of the Conservative party. He contended that Prince Edward Island was not to-day prosperous in the full sense of the term. We are paying tribute to all the provinces and have no resources except agriculture. A million dollars are annually sent away for manufactured articles. For buggies alone about \$400,000 are paid each year. He did not think the Minister of Agriculture was entitled to any credit in connection with the recent visit of Professors Robertson and Macoun. He thought the appointment of a dairy inspector a step in

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Local and Other Items.

THE PROB.—Fine, not much change temperature.

POLICE COURT.—James Smith who was fined \$2.00 for drunkenness in the Police Court yesterday, appeared before his honor again this morning, and was fined \$4 00.

THE STANLEY.—The Stanley arrived in Charlottetown shortly after six yesterday afternoon, and left for Pictou at 7 this morning. She left Pictou on return at two o'clock.

FUNERAL NOTICE.—The funeral of the late Edward Roche will take place from his late residence, Euston Street west, tomorrow morning at 8.45 o'clock, to St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to the R. C. Cemetery.

IN THE COURT OF CHANCERY.—The Master of the Rolls yesterday gave judgment in the suit of Lesock Anderson vs. Donald McAnlay and Lanchlin McAnlay. The complainants bill was dismissed without costs. Davies & Hazard for complainants, M. McLeod, Q. C., and D. A. McKinnon, for defendants.

THE PRINCESS.—The Princess left Pictou yesterday afternoon at half past twelve. She had a hard time getting through the ice outside of Pictou and did not get to Charlottetown until three o'clock this morning. She brought over a full general cargo, but no passengers.

LOCAL COUNCIL.—A meeting of L. C. W. will take place at P. W. College on Saturday the 22nd inst., at 3 30 o'clock. At the last meeting of Executive, it was decided to call the monthly meeting of the council one week earlier than usual as urgent business calls for consideration. The public are welcome. 2ns

ITALY.—Dr. Anderson delivered his able and interesting lecture on Italy in the basement of the First Methodist church last evening. The audience was small but attentive and appreciative. At the close of the lecture a vote of thanks was moved by Rev. D. B. McLeod and seconded by Mr. John Newson. It was tendered the lecturer by Rev. G. M. Campbell, who occupied the chair.

AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child softens the gums, allays all pain, cures diarrhoea, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

GET ONE.—The Prince Edward Island Magazine is for sale throughout the Island at the following places. Price 5 cents:—Georgetown—Hon. D. Gordon's. Summerside—Small & Bearisto's and D. K. Currie's.

Souris—D. Sutherland's. Mt. Stewart—Douglass & Jardine. Montague—F. S. Macdonald's. Cardigan—L. H. Owen. Alberton—G. S. Mutarr's. Tignish—J. A. Brennan's. Kensington—Dr. Darrach. Annandale, Lot 56—C. O. Howlett. Orwell—W. J. Clarke. Moreil—H. D. McEwen.

P. E. ISLAND DIRECTORY.—Mr. Charles McAlpine, the oldest Directory publisher in the Maritime Provinces or Dominion of Canada, who is now in the city, will publish a complete alphabetical Directory of the Island this year and will want the support of all in advertising and subscription to insure its publication. This work has to have a large support as the expense is very great, in getting the information, printing, binding, paper, etc. A Directory is considered the best advertising medium outside of a newspaper throughout the United States, Great Britain and Canada. A great many Directories will go outside to all parts of the world and they will be placed out all lines of steamers running out of Prince Edward Island, St. John, Halifax and St. John's, Nfld. Send all applications to Chas. D. W. Alpine, St. John, N. B.

Remember the social and entertainment this (Friday) evening from 8 to 10 in the Y M C A. Admission 10c. Proceeds in aid of P. E. I. Hospital.

Housecleaning Supplies

There is no place in town where you can buy housecleaning supplies cheaper than you can from us.

Varnish Restorer enough to put a shine on all the furniture in your home. 15c

Powdered Borax a full pound 15c

Disinfectant Soap

A large 10c cake for 5c



DAINTY CURTAIN MUSLINS AT STANLEY BROS We are showing the prettiest and best assorted lot of Lace curtain Stuff ever offered by us. ENTIRELY NEW EFFECTS IN Printed, Striped and Plain, some Frilled, some Fringed, some Plain. Frilled Muslins 20c per yard " " 25c " " " " 28c " " Fringed White Muslins 32c per yard Fringed Madras 48c " " " " 75c " " Sash Muslins Sash Grenadines Stanley Bros.

FOR \$1.35 CASH You can buy any of the following shoes—they are part of a large job lot we purchased from the manufacturers at our own prices—They are yours at less than wholesale—ALL SIZES. Womens Dongola Laced Boots, round toe—patent tips—sold for \$2.00, now \$1.35. Mens' Elastic Side Boots made of Dongola, worth \$2.75 now \$1.35. Womens Dongola Buttoned Boots, pointed toe—patent tips, sold for \$2.25, now \$1.35. Mens' Laced Boots, Dongola, round toe \$2.75, now \$1.35. Boys' Tan Boots good Dongola, round toe, 5-year old, high \$1.85 now \$1.35. Womens' Tan Shoes, good elastic side shoe—dainty and comfortable for house wear \$2.00 now \$1.35. Mens' Tan Shoes, good elastic side shoe, price \$1.85, now \$1.35. ALLEY & CO

SIXTUS McLELLAN SPRING SUITS & OVERCOATS It has always paid us to look after our customers interests. That is one reason why we are always busy in our tailor shop. OUR MR. SIXTUS McLELLAN IS AN ARTIST Having first become a practical tailor, he then studied the art of cutting and is now master of the art, with fifteen years experience, which with the benefit of the knowledge how the suit should be made, gives him a great advantage over ordinary cutters. Our importations of Clothes in English, Irish, Scotch, and Canadian for the spring trade are exceptionally fine, showing a diversity of design and coloring, not confined to one idea. We invite you to examine our stock and investigate our prices, whether you buy or not. GORDON & McLELLAN Upper Queen Street. MEN'S STYLISH OUTFITTER

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