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That's about the best advice we can give you if you need shoes. Why? Because good advice benefits a person, and this will benefit you if you heed it. In no other store in this city will you obtain better values than we are offering, in no other store will you be more carefully and correctly fitted, in no other store will you find longer wearing, more dependable shoes. Our goods will convince you of this fact if you buy and wear them.

J. M. McLeod & Co

The People of Town and Country alike

all admit that we are selling Men's and Boy's Clothing at the lowest prices they have ever seen on the same quality of Good. Bankrupt stock.

250 pairs Men's Pants from 65c to 75c.
275 Suits from \$2.95 to \$6.75.
100 Boy's Suits from 65c to \$2.75.

Worth today and everyday in the week double that price elsewhere. Why throw your money away when you can help it. Come to us and you will save enough on your purchase of a suit to buy Boots for the family.

Speaking of Boots & Shoes

We Have Them.

A big stock and a lot of Bankrupt Stock we are selling off at a great sacrifice. You can save from 40 to 50 per cent. on buying this stock.

A new lot of the latest spring styles just opened. At very low prices. Come to us and be convinced of low prices.

J. B. Macdonald's Old Stand,

Opposite west end Market.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

BEER BROS. for Dress Goods.

HEARTZ'S HALL.—Rev. Mr. Emery will preach at Hertz's Hall tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

THE WEATHER.—Moderate fresh north east to north west winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

THE CURFEW BELL.—The City Council of Bradford, Ont., has decided not to introduce the curfew bell in that city.

SONG SERVICE.—At the Gospel Meeting in the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon at 3.45. Mr. J. C. Moore of Moncton will be present. Everybody welcome.

GOSPEL MEETING.—Remember the Gospel meeting in the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, conducted by the railway men. Strangers always welcome. Lesson Rev. 3-14: "A Lukewarm Church."

TOMORROW.—Mr. John C. Moore, of Moncton will hold an evangelistic service in the Y. M. C. A. Sunday evening, at the close of the church services. He will also speak at the afternoon meeting. A hearty welcome to all.

W. C. T. U.—The W. C. T. U. Annual Provincial Convention will be held in Kensington on the 8th and 9th of June. The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Monday, May 10th, at 4 p. m. A full and punctual attendance is requested by the President.

FAT CATTLE.—On Thursday last, Mr. C. A. Macnutt, Kensington shipped nineteen head of cattle from Summerside, via Point du Chene, to Messrs J. A. Leaman & Co., Halifax. They were a very fine lot. Mr. Macnutt also shipped twenty-one sheep, the same day to the same concern.—Summerside Agriculturist.

TWO GRIT APPOINTMENTS.—A few days ago Judge Johnson, of Halifax convicted John Batfield and Charles Brennan for robbery on the highway. Both are late appointees by the Ottawa government to the steamer Newfield. They stole gold and money from the Caribou mines about a month ago. Batfield got 2 years 3 months and Brennan two years with hard labor at Dorchester.

I. O. F.—A new Court of the Independent Order of Foresters was organized at New Perth on Wednesday evening, 5th inst., by J. A. Moore and L. U. Fowler. The new Court will be known as Court Perth. The principal officers are:—

Court Deputy—Dugald Munn.
Chief Ranger—R. G. McLaren.
Rec. Secretary—A. J. Fraser.
Physician—Dr. A. A. Allan.
P. Chief Ranger—J. A. C. Rogerson.

C. M. B. A.—A branch of the C. M. B. A., was recently organized at Tignish by Mr. S. M. Bent, Grand Deputy. The following are the officers: Rev. D. M. Macdonald, Spiritual Adviser; Dr. P. C. Murphy, President; Joseph John Arsenault, First Vice; Peter Robert Kinch, Second; Jerome Buote, Recording Secretary; John Edward Gallant, Assistant; Terence John Hackett, Financial Secretary; Charles Dalton, Treasurer; J. Albert Brennan, Marshal; Hubert Gaudet, Guard; Francis Jos. Buote, John B. Gaudet, A. J. Bernard, Daniel O'Brien, and Wm. Callaghan, Trustees.

St. John Sun: The P. E. Island people appear to be preparing for a wave of oratory. Of twenty-one acts passed at the recent session of the island legislature, seven were acts to incorporate public hall companies.

Tariff reduction makes money for you. All we've saved on hosiery goes into the customer's pocket. See our ad. for hosiery snaps today.—Moore & McLeod.

SITUATION IN THE TRANSVAAL.

A Boer Minister Talks.

Van Alphen, Postmaster-General of the South African Republic, who is now in New York as a delegate to the Universal Postal Union Congress, to be held at Washington next week, was seen at the Holland House and asked about the present state of affairs in the South African Republic. The possibility of war between Great Britain and the little Boer republic has recently been much discussed, and the sending of British troops to Cape Colony and British warships to Delagoa Bay has given a fresh impetus to speculation on the subject.

"The South African Republic desires nothing but the most friendly relations with Great Britain, with whom we have a convention by which Great Britain, guarantees the independence of the South African Republic," said Mr. Van Alphen. "But since the Jameson raid, in December 1895, we have taken measures to protect ourselves from a repetition of that affair, as well as to repel uprisings of natives. When I left Aratoria several months ago three forts, equipped with the latest modern implements of war, were nearing completion, and we have imported cannon, guns and ammunition. From English, German and French manufactures we have also obtained a quantity of rifles. We must be prepared for any emergency."

"The whole standing army of the republic is 400 artillerymen, but every citizen is supposed to be a soldier. Most of the citizens are expert in the use of the rifle. Such sport as cricket and football are of course, common in the republic, but one of the chief amusements in the country district is the target practice; and moreover the old people have had to live gun in hand all their lives, fighting wild beasts and savages. In times of necessity the commandants in the district call for their quota for burghers. Ostensibly the reasons for the Jameson raid were that the Uitlanders had political and representative rights, but it is my opinion that the promoters of this invasion were a combination of Johannesburg inhabitants and some members of the Chartered Company, which controls Rhodesia, and their designs was to influence the share market and value of other properties, so as further to enrich themselves. The Government has always done everything in its power to meet the requirements of the mining population, and further concessions were under consideration when I left. A local committee in Johannesburg had been elected, which will see that the English language is taught in the schools where the English-speaking communities predominate."

FISHING TACKLE

Flies, lines, reels, casts, hooks, floats, sinkers, silk worm gut, fly books, pocket scales, rods, &c., &c.

Everything a fisherman wants. See our stock.

Johnson & Johnson

THE DRUGGISTS.



New Carpets New Clothing, New Hats & Caps,

NEW DRESS GOODS, NEW CAPES, NEW FLOWERS AND RIBBONS

Children's 2-piece Suits.

from 75c up. Children's 3 piece Suits from \$2.75 up. Youths' Suits D. B, or S. B, from \$2.75 up.

\$5.00

See our all wool suits for Men that we are selling for Five Dollars. There are men in this town who would ask you \$8 for the same suit without a blush. Our price, \$5.00.

Carpets and Oilcloths.

We have just opened up a large stock of new and elegant designs in Brussels, Velvets, Tapestries, Axminster, Jute and Wilton Carpets. All we ask of the ladies is a call for the purpose of looking over the goods. The styles and prices will do the rest.

Prowse Bros.

Men's Pants Dress

Goods

Good Pants.....	75c
Good Pants	1.00
Good Pants	1.25
Good Pants	1.50
Good Pants	1.75
Good Pants	2.00
Good Pants	2.25
Good Pants	2.50
Good Pants	2.75
Good Pants	3 00

1100; Eleven Hundred prs. of those pants were bought a shade over half price, and must be cleared out. Come and see, we will please you in price.

CARPETS, CLOTHING, DRESS GOODS, HATS AND CAPS,

Prowse Bros.

NEW BLOUSE SUITS

We have just opened the newest, nicest and prettiest assortment of Blouse Suits, ever imported by us. They will fit boys 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 years old; the prices range from \$1.50 to \$3.95. One look at those goods will convince you that we lead the trade in Children's Clothing.

Prowse Bros.



A Bankrupt Stock of Dress Goods

AND GENERAL DRY GOODS HAS BEEN THROWN ON THE MARKET

And purchased by us at a sweeping discount. We do not wish one piece of this lot to find a place amongst our regular lines, and have decided to place the entire purchase on special counters at prices which should command

A THOROUGH CLEARANCE IN QUICK TIME.

The quality of the goods we shall offer will surprise you. The prices at which we will offer them will astonish you. The assortment is very general including one of the finest lots of Black, Colored and Fancy Dress Stuffs ever offered, at

A BANKRUPT SALE

Cotton Goods of every description is well represented. Also Linen Goods, Damask, Tabling, Towels and Toweling. This will give you an opportunity to secure almost any line of Dry Goods you may require at unheard of prices.

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