

# XMAS DISPLAY

of useful presents—Not Jack-in-the-box' monkeys and sticks, glass-ware etc. etc. We leave that class of goods to the fancy stores, where they belong.

**We are showing Dry Good Presents,** the most acceptable, useful and serviceable.

**1000**

**Elegant Silk Handkerchiefs**

China silk hemstitch handkerchiefs, 22c up, cream white and colored broadcases at all prices.

**Embroidered and Linen Handkerchiefs**

A grand Xmas display, 5c up. We have some very nice mourning handkerchiefs, also white embroidered, and hemstitch linen, for ladies and gents.

**Kid Gloves, Ladies and Gents**

Just received Saturday, kid gloves to sort our stock, all sizes for Xmas trade, Prices—50, 75, 89, \$1.10, \$1.35 and \$1.50

**Lined Kid Gloves,**

Special prices, mens—59, 69, 79, 89, and 95. Ladies for tops, 85, worth \$1.10.

## FUR GOODS

Muffs, Collars, Gloves, Mitts, Caps etc., etc., in all makes of furs, at Xmas prices.

—ALSO—

Men's Neckties, Men's Collars, Men's Shirts, Men's Underclothing, Men's and Boys Sweaters.

**Special Xmas Prices and Xmas Goods**

**W. A. WEEKS & Co.**

The People's Store.

our big **Xmas** bazaar

now in full swing

**All New Goods**

no old second hand or shopworn stuff here.

**Liberal**

**Discounts**

in all departments; see our big display before you buy.

**HASZARD & MOORE**

**HENRY B. LORDLY C. E.**

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Graduate College of Civil Engineering Cornell University. Consulting Engineer for General Work, Specialties: Hydraulic, Sanitary Engineering and Bridge Designing. Offices at Charlottetown and St. John. Island correspondents address to Charlottetown, oct 14 d&w

## LEGAL CARD

**WARBURTON & MCKINNON**

Barristers, Attorney's,

Notary Public.

Commissioners for State of Massachusetts, etc., &c.

**OFFICES**  
Cameron Block, Charlottetown  
Brennan Bldg. n. Summerisle  
1 Kent Street, Georgetown.

A. B. WARBURTON, B. A., D. C. L., Q. C.  
D. A. MCKINNON, L. L. B.  
Ch'town Dec. 1, 1897—law & w2m

## Bottled Joy.

Empty bottles wanted, cheapest cash price paid for all kind of empty bottles.

JOHN P. G. G.

Victoria Cafe

# TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

## REORGANIZING THE INTER-COLONIAL.

**Additional Officials Drawn From the Grand Trunk Service.**

## COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSOCIATION.

**Laurier and Tarte at Work in Quebec.**

MONTREAL, Dec. 20.—Mr. Harris, General Traffic Manager of the Intercolonial, evidently intends to take his staff from the Grand Trunk service. On Saturday he announced the appointment of T. E. Dodd and E. Smilie, of the Traffic Department of the Grand Trunk, to his service. Dodd will be chief clerk of the Freight Department at Moncton, and Smilie will take a similar position at either St. John or Halifax, in the divisional freight office.

The results of the meeting of the Dominion Commercial Travellers Association has been announced. Max Murdock is defeated by the Hon. J. D. Rolland, who was re-elected president by 139 majority. Thomas L. Paton defeated Ford Berks for the treasurership by 161 votes. The other officers were elected by acclamation.

Messrs. Laurier and Tarte were in Quebec on Saturday and had a conference with Mr. Langelier, Senator Pelletier and others of the disaffected section of Liberals.

## Fitzsimmons and Corbett Again.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Fitzsimmons and Corbett are to meet again in the prize ring. The date of the battle is indefinite, but the champion has declared that he has changed his mind and will give Corbett another chance.

## Small-Pox Steamer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The steamer Edin, from Amsterdam is detained in quarantine here owing to a case of small-pox in the steerage.

## Death of an English M. P.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Sir Frank Lockwood, Liberal Member of Parliament for York City, is dead.

## LATEST NEWS BY WIRE AND MAIL

PLATTSBURGH, N. Y., Dec. 16.—Joseph Ladue, of Pawson City, was married yesterday to Katherine Mason, of Schuyler Falls. Sixteen years ago Ladue, then a poor young man, sought the hand of Miss Mason, but her parents objected because of Ladue's poor prospects. There upon Ladue packed up his belongings and went west. He tried a number of mining camps and met with varying success. At last he went to Alaska where he acquired prosperity and millions. The couple will go to Dawson City in March.

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**The great supply depot for Xmas presents.**

**First Floor, (60x24)**

Books, Stationery, Souvenir Goods, Leather goods, Christmas Cards, Calendars, Booklets, Toy Books, Christmas Numbers, news stand.

**First Floor Annex (36x24)**

Fancy chinaware, Glassware, Vases, Sleds and Sleighs, Nicnacs.

**Second Floor (60x24)**

This is the great Fancy Goods and Toy Bazar. (Santa Claus Headquarters) filled with fancy and useful presents, and the greatest variety in Dolls and Toys of every kind, ever seen together in one store in the city.

**All Under One Roof,**

You don't have to visit several stores, this establishment—(three stores in one) covers the whole ground, and cheaper than anywhere else.

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No Trouble to Show Goods

# F. Perkins & Co.

The Lowest Price Dry Goods Store

## DRESS GOODS

In order that you may get Xmas Presents in Dry Goods at a great bargain, we will from this till Xmas day give 25 per cent discount off all Colored Dress Goods. We are determined to give the best value always. None will sell you goods cheaper than we will.

**Fancy Goods, Fancy Goods**—The balance of our Fancy Goods will be sold at Special Prices. We compete with the lowest prices on these goods. **Exclusive Dry Goods Store**—Ours is an exclusively dry goods store, and a dry goods store always keeps a few fancy goods, such as we have. We do not keep groceries, hardware, soaps, jewelry, etc.

# F. Perkins & Co.,

Agents for Moncton Woolen Mills.

## LOCAL NOTICES.

Go to Patons this p. m.

See our gent's Xmas ties just in; the newest and latest production. Get one at J. B. Macdonald & Co's.

Another supply of boys' \$2.75 watches, just received. We warrant them good timepieces.—W. N. Tanton, Great George Street.

Now is the time to get a snap in Xmas presents. Special way down prices from now until Xmas on all fancy goods at McMillan & Hornsby's.

Visit Patons this evening.

We wish to call attention to our elegant stock of Xmas china. Nothing like it in the city either in quality or design; just the thing for Xmas presents. We have also our usual stock of fancy goods, dolls, toys, games, etc., which we are selling below cost to make room for staple and fancy crockery. Call and be convinced that this is the place to buy Xmas presents.—C. Lewis.

Xmas cards, calendars, fancy goods, toys, dolls, etc., etc., at rock bottom prices. Try us for Xmas snaps. McMillan & Hornsby.

Call and see those nice dinner, tea and chamber sets that are selling so well; also fancy china and glass ware.—W. P. Colwill. 283 3 wk dy & wy.

Usters and overcoats going cheap this week. Men's ulsters for \$3.90, men's overcoats \$2.75, boy's ulsters a lot at half price at J. B. Macdonald & Co's.

Christmas gift for a lady! Try a selection from that handsome line of single dress lengths we're selling at 25 per cent discount.—Moore & McLeod.

Christmas novelty in gloves—that handsome line of Moche, silk lined gloves—2 push button at \$1.55.—Moore & McLeod.

Special discounts during Christmas trade.—W. N. Tanton, Jeweler.

Saturday, Weeks & Co had many callers who came especially to see their Xmas decorations. Among the rest was a gentleman, a stranger in the city, who remarked that our decorations were the prettiest he had seen. The trimmings were arranged with good taste and not everything thrown together in one mass of colors. Weeks & Co invite all to come and see their decorations whether they intend buying anything or not.

HALIFAX, Dec. 18.—The Government are offering the Dominion Coal Co., a subsidy to rebuild the five miles of railway from a Victoria pier to the mines on condition that they reopen the pit and continue work.

Prize pen—Try for the fountain pen. See the quantities in James Barretts advertisement. First correct answer from the city gets the fountain pen. Send answers to Guardian Office.

Opens Xmas night, ice permitting. Galbraith's Band in attendance.

**Tickets**

For Xmas boxes. What do you say?

Gents, only \$5.50

Ladies' " 2.50

Children's " 1.50

Afternoon " 1.50

Promenade, " 1.00

Special prices for family tickets. On sale at Drug Stores or of the Managers.

**PROWSE, BEER & LORDLY**

MANAGERS.

"If it's good it's here. If it's here it's good."

# about gloves for Christmas

We've just a few words to say on Stylish Kid Gloves—for Ladies. Want simply to tell what what kinds we have and at what price we sell.

Guaranteed quality in Kid Gloves, in black and new shades,—4 button 75

Fine assortment in black and new shades, choice kid, 7 stud lacing 1 10

Perrin's "Bretagne," a glove that needs no recommendation, 7 stud lacing, new shades, 1 35

Very fine quality kid, guaranteed, 2 push button fastening, new shades, 1 45

Fine M. cha. stylish Tans with black facing, silk lining—2 push buttons. 1 85

See our line of Lined Kid

Gloves for Ladies

# Moore & McLeod

What We Advertise We Have.

# STOVES.

Assortment Large. Quality away up. Prices away down.

**SIMON W CRABBE**

Walker's Corner STOVES & HARDWARE

# English Manure

Landing to-day ex Steamer "Irene Morris," direct from Liverpool.

**SUPERPHOSPHATES, NITRATE OF SODA MURIATE OF POTASH, BONE MEAL, ETC.**

All genuine, and of guaranteed analysis. The only reliable, best cast 20 per cent the cheapest fertilizer on the market.

**AULD BROS**