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168 Victoria Row.

We have also Useful Presents in Silk Handkerchiefs, Kid Gloves (Lined and Unlined), Gauntlet Gloves, Umbrellas, Furs, Scarfs, Dress Goods, etc., etc.

JAMES PATON & CO.,
168 Victoria Row.

Charlottetown, December 10, 1892—eod & wky

Local and Other Items.

B. B. C.—Bear Bros' Bargain Corner

The chorus singing will be one of the attractions to-night at the Penny Readings.

LADIES' fur-lined cloaks, this season's goods, selling very low. Harris & Stewart.

All those attending the entertainment in St. Paul's schoolroom to-night must come early to secure their seats. See advt.

FREE—You can have your name stamped in gold on all leather goods bought from us until the end of the present month free.—Hazard & Moore.

CHEAP CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.—To close out a line of fancy goods they will be sold absolutely at cost for a few days at Watson's Drug Store. See them in the windows.

THE HOLIDAY SEASON.—Anyone wishing an acceptable Xmas present at a moderate price should call at Johnson's Drugstore and examine the stock of perfumes shown there.

DON'T forget that we are still making those \$10 million or more, the \$2 and \$2.50 pants. Any quantity of cloth to select from.—John McLeod & Co.

MORE LIGHT.—Several arc lights being placed in the Plaza over the Diamond Bookstore. The appearance of this popular resort every evening resembles fairy land and is well worth a visit.

ARE you troubled with weak kidneys, costiveness, dyspepsia, rheumatism, skin troubles? Try nature's cure, either in the shape of Wilmot Spa Ginger Ale, Lemonade or Natural Water.

FIVE PORKER.—D. E. Campbell, Esq., of Darlington, was in town to-day with the carcass of a year and a half old sow—one that raised a litter last summer—which tipped the beam at 593 lbs. She was a beauty.

MASONIC.—A regular communication of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., will be held in Mason Hall, Water St., this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock, for general business, also nomination and election of officers for ensuing year.

STILL THEY COME.—The St. John Sun says: "A train of three cars of immigrants numbering about one hundred and fifty, passed through this city Saturday night between twelve and one o'clock, bound for Manitoba and the Northwest."

FOR AN AMENDED CHARTER.—The Prince Edward Island Railway Company apply to parliament for an amendment to the charter to enable an increase of the capital stock to one million dollars, and to enable the company to issue bonds to the amount of a million and a half.—Moncton Times.

SKATORTAL.—Minneapolis will witness some exciting races this winter. Hagan, McCormick, possibly Laidlaw, and Joe Donoghue, the world's amateur champion, and Fred Breen will contend for the world's professional championship, and, incidentally, the few "thousands" which will be at stake in both purses and side bets.

NOTICE.—A public meeting of the farmers interested in the proposed cheese factory will be held at Stanley Hall on the 19th inst., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the report of the canvassing committee and also for opening a stock list and for taking such other steps as the meeting may advise. A full attendance is requested, as a great deal will depend upon this meeting.—Walter Simpson, Sec'y of Committee.

SAD DROWNING.—The body of John Cahill was found drowned in Ward's mill pond at Kingston, South Wiltshire, yesterday morning. He was missing since Friday, and when last seen was standing near the place where the body was found. The deceased was about 55 years of age and unmarried. Dr. McLeod, coroner, holds an inquest on the body to-day.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—Yesterday afternoon No. 2 train from Summerside for Charlottetown, broke down about two miles and a half east of Wiltshire, causing a delay of several hours in reaching her destination. The accident was occasioned by some of the machinery in the engine giving out, necessitating the making of repairs before the train could proceed. The mail express was delayed at Wiltshire about half an hour in consequence of the accident.

FROM PORT HAWKESBURY.—The Port Hawkesbury correspondent of the Halifax Herald, writing on the 10th, says: "The schooner Militus, of Port Medway, is in the machine railway for repairs, which were occasioned by the stranding of the schooner at Grand River, P. E. I. The schooner Laurier, Capt. Taylor, from Barbadoes for Charlottetown, P. E. I., with a cargo of molasses and sugar, sailed yesterday. P. E. I. produce is selling from vessel at the following prices, viz: potatoes, 30c., turnips, 25c., carrots 20c., beets 50c., parsnips 50c., cabbage 50c. per doz.

Bear Bros' Bargain Corner.

DON'T think, because we have not mentioned our Bargain Counter for a few days, that it is empty.

It is always full, and though only an experiment at first, it has come to stay. At present it is given up to old-fashioned bargains in TABLE COVERS

Wove Table Covers, Jute Table Covers, Damask Table Covers, Satin Table Covers, Tapestry Table Covers,

for Small Tables, Large Tables, Parlor Tables, Dining Room Tables, Any kind of Tables.

You can save money by buying anything you want in Covers

NOW at our Bargain Counter.

Brainerd & Armstrong "Wash Silks" will not spoil your fancy work by running when washed.

BEER BROS.

Weather Bulletin.
TORONTO, Dec. 13.—10 a. m.
Westerly winds, fine weather, not much change in temperature.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

MINISTER OF MARINE

INTERVIEWED.

Progress of the Behring Sea Case.

Eulogy on Sir John Thompson.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.

Hon. C. H. Tupper arrived here from England yesterday. Referring to the Behring Sea commission, the Minister of Marine stated that although his tongue was tied to a certain extent he could say that the matter had been carried on in a most harmonious manner. The tribunal would meet at Paris on February 23, and as the counter cases would be served not later than the same month this would necessitate the Minister's return to London about February 10. Speaking of the ministerial changes at Ottawa, he said: "I was asked to serve under Sir John Thompson, and needless to say, was ready to follow such a distinguished statesman either in a ministry or in the ranks. A better man for the position I do not know, and I may say that in London one of the most gratifying things met with is the fact that Sir John Thompson's character and ability are appreciated as much as in his native land. The Minister states that Sir Charles Tupper is in good health and will not come to Canada in the near future as was announced."

NEWS FROM OTTAWA.

New Regulations for Contractors.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.

Commander Gordon, who has been on the sick list for several weeks past, is considered improved in health.

The new regulations regarding the Government contracts having been put in force. The contractor will hereafter be required to put up a cheque for ten per cent. of the contract price in place of five per cent., and only 80 per cent. will be paid on the progress estimates, in place of ninety per cent. It is reported that Mr. Strong will this week be appointed Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada.

Witness Spirited Away.

ST. JOHN, Dec. 13.

The most sensational event in the graveyard insurance trial yesterday was the statement that Norman Morrison, brother of the deceased and nominal beneficiary of the insurance, had disappeared. Crown Prosecutor Pugsley charges that he has been spirited away in the interest of the defence. Further evidence was given to show that the deceased was, at the time of the insurance, in the last stages of consumption.

The Fatal Rifle.

DIGBY, Dec. 13.

A fatal shooting accident occurred at Bear River on Saturday afternoon. The careless handling of a rifle by Archie, second son of Dr. Maxwell, resulted in the discharge of the weapon, and a ball entered the lad's chest, causing his immediate death.

The Poet Watson—Insane.

LONDON, Dec. 13.

Poet William Watson, recently granted £200 for writing the best ode on Tennyson, and urged for the Laureateship, has become violently insane and placed in an asylum.

The Cathedral Bell can be heard at the Penny Readings to-night.

LOST.—Monday afternoon, a red terrier bitch, with a round red leather collar. Information furnished at this office will be rewarded. DIBBY

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—Next Monday the second of a series of public meetings will be held in Division Room, Wright's Hall, Prince Street. The public are invited.

MARKET PRICES.—There was a good attendance at the market to-day, and sales were very lively. Turkeys sold at from 80c. to \$1, geese 50 to 70c., fowls 45 to 50c., eggs 18 to 20c., hay 50 to 55c., straw, per load, \$9 00 to \$9 50, turnips 12 to 14c., pork per lb. per carcass, 5 1/2 to 6. There are no other changes in prices worth noting.

COMMENDABLE.—All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the California Fig Syrup Company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

MESSES. TROCKETT & SON are often asked to sell their "Myrtle Navy" tobacco to retail dealers. They never in any case do so, and for the best of reasons. The wholesale trade of the country have a distributing machinery which handles the "Myrtle Navy" without any addition to its permanent expenses. If the manufacturers were to undertake that work, as they would by selling to the retail trade, it would require an independent machinery, the whole cost of which would have to be borne by the proceeds of the tobacco sales, and of course it would fall upon the consumer. Selling to the wholesale trade alone is, therefore, for the consumers benefit, and is a convenience to the retail trade, because every traveller who calls—in the grocery line—can take orders for "Myrtle Navy."

Delay is Dangerous.

When the kidneys are out of order delay is dangerous. Any disease may follow and become so well established that months of suffering will follow. A gentle tonic like Dodd's Kidney Pills is always acceptable to the kidneys and protects them from disease. They are a kidney food.

TO Our Methods of Business, Our Attention to Business, Our High Class of Goods, Our Reasonable Prices, **OUR SUCCESS IS DUE.**

CAPE, MUFFS, COLLARS, CUFFS, CAPS, CLOAKS, GLOVES, MITTS. **In advertising FUR GOODS, we beg to remind you that it pays to buy Strictly First-Class Goods—not high-priced but high grade. YOU CAN GET THEM FROM US!** YOU CAN BUY FROM US AT CLOSEST PRICES.

NOTE WELL—All Goods marked in Plain Figures.

STANLEY BROTHERS,

Charlottetown, Dec. 8, 1892.

BROWN'S BLOCK.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Sale Continued till all is Sold!

WE ARE SOLD OUT OF SOME KINDS, but still have quite a lot of GOOD GOODS at very low prices. In STAPLE GOODS we have White, Grey and Printed Cottons, Sateens, Black Cashmere and Merino, Black Serges, Black Costume Cloth, Spring and Summer Dress Goods, Colored Cloths in light weight, Black Cloths in light weight, Table Linens, etc., etc.

A good lot of CORSETS, in sizes 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 inch. Colored Kid Gloves, sizes 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 7 3/4; Black Kid Gloves, sizes 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2; Children's Colored Kid Gloves, sizes 2, 3 and 4. Will sell the whole of the Gloves we have left at half price.

Children's Lace Collars, Black and Colored Laces, Flouncing Laces, Ribbons, Buttons and Neck Frillings.

Lace Curtains, Floor Oil Cloths 2 to 5 yards wide, Room Paper, Carpet Paper, Cocoa Matting, 5/8 to 2 yards wide.

Job lot of Feathers and Flowers at one-quarter the original price; job lot of Mantle Ornaments and other Trimmings at one-quarter the original price.

PERKINS & STERNS.

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PATTON BROTHERS

—ARE NOW SHOWING A FINE RANGE OF—

Dress Goods, Ladies' Sacques, Ulsters, &c., &c.

A COMPLETE LINE OF HOUSE FURNISHINGS,

—INCLUDING—

Carpets in Wiltons, Velvets, Tapestry and Brussels.

KINDLY GIVE US A CALL WHEN OUT SHOPPING.

PATTON BROTHERS,

The Real and Genuine Carpet Men, 136 Main Street.

Charlottetown, December 3, 1892—eod & wky

NEW ENGLISH GOODS just received at JAMES PATON & CO'S. SCOTCH STORE.