

Local and Other Items.

A SUITABLE CHRISTMAS PRESENT. -- A ticket for the rink. SPECIAL DISCOUNTS ON Watches this week at E. W. Taylor's. DRESS GOODS in endless variety, very cheap at James Paton & Co's. SILK SEALETTES just opened at the London House. -- Harris & Stewart. dec20 31

CHILDREN'S MUFFS and fur boas just opened at the London House. -- Harris & Stewart. dec20 31 HOOK AND LADDER. -- Special meeting of the Hook and Ladder Co. this evening. -- D. Finlayson, Secretary. POLICE COURT. -- This morning one drunk was fined \$1 or twenty days, and a Scott Act case was dismissed. SILK HANDKERCHIEFS. -- Our assortment will be found the largest and most complete in the city. -- James Paton & Co.

SCOTT ACT. -- Four new summonses were served this forenoon. One is for a first offence, two for second offences, and one for a third. All are returnable to-morrow. FIRE. -- Muffs, boas, capes, astracan jackets and goat robes. Special low prices during this week. Call and get a bargain. -- James Paton & Co. THE ICE in the Skating Rink is in very good order, and if the weather turns colder it is expected that a large crowd will be present at the opening to-morrow night. COUNTY COURT. -- The December term of the County Court of Queen's County opens in Charlottetown to-morrow with 97 new suits and 10 remanets on the docket.

ROLLO. -- A special meeting of the Rollo House Hotel Co. will be held at their room this evening at 8 o'clock. By order of the Captain. -- Wm. A. Murphy, Sec'y. Y. M. C. A. -- The sale of magazines and papers at the Y. M. C. A. rooms will take place to-morrow evening, at 8 o'clock. Be sure and attend if you want first class reading at half price. THE SALE OF XMAS fancy goods and toys continued this evening at 7.30, next door to E. W. Taylor's, Cameron Block. All must be sold regardless of prices. -- E. H. Norton & Co., Auctioneers. S. M. SMALL'S LECTURE. -- Tickets are now for sale at the Diamond Bookstore, Hazzard & Moore's, and at the Drug Stores of Reddin Bros., W. R. Watson, C. D. Rankin, Apothecaries Hall, Medical Hall, and A. S. Johnson. LECTURE. -- Professor Caven is to deliver his popular lecture "Two Scenes from Canadian History" at Emerald on Monday, 29 inst. The Professor should have a full house, as he is one of the ablest lecturers in the Province. LECTURE. -- The Rev. Mr. Lawson, of Moncton, lectured on Friday evening in the Methodist Church, Souris. Subject: "Father Mathew." Those who had the pleasure of attending, speak in the highest terms of the way in which the subject was handled, all agreeing that it was one of the very best lectures they ever listened to. At the close, a vote of thanks, moved by Mr. C. C. Carlton, Jr., and seconded by Mr. J. G. Sterus, was tendered the lecturer. Y. M. C. A. READING ROOM. -- The annual sale of the newspapers, reviews, etc., received at this institution, will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) at 8 o'clock p. m. Leading illustrated papers popular reviews and magazines, daily newspapers representing Conservative, Liberal and Independent opinions, European, Canadian and American, are received at the reading room, to which list it is proposed to add a number of new periodicals for the coming year, thus offering an excellent opportunity to secure cheap but valuable reading matter for the long winter nights.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

The Recent Accident.

FATALITIES.

QUEBEC, Dec. 21. Madame Beauchemin, of New Hampshire, badly wounded in the recent accident at St. Joseph, died yesterday. All the wounded passengers agree in saying that the train was going at a high rate of speed, and attribute the accident to that fact. They wonder that no more were killed. Michael Lebel, of Kamouraska, one of the wounded, died Friday night from his injuries. He was 78 years of age. The other wounded so far are doing well, but some of them will probably die.

Paris Murder Trial.

PARIS, Dec. 21. Eyraud and Gabrielle Bompard were, on Saturday, found guilty of the murder of Gouffo. Extenuating circumstances were found in the case of the woman, but no protest against the verdict was made by either prisoner or counsel. The court condemned Eyraud to die by the guillotine, and sentenced Gabrielle Bompard to twenty years' imprisonment at hard labor. Eyraud has since appealed to the court of cassation against the sentence of death pronounced upon him.

Application Refused.

HALIFAX, Dec. 21. The application for the release of the informers Boss and McKay, which was argued before the Supreme Court, was concluded yesterday afternoon. The application was refused, four of the judges being against it. The Chief Justice was one of the minority of two in favor. Judge Johnson decided yesterday that he would not convict any alleged liquor violator coming before him on the unsupported testimony of those men, a fact, which as far as the county court is concerned, brings the Law and Order League to a halt.

Ecclesiastical Triumph.

MONTREAL, Dec. 21. A cablegram received to-day from Rome states that the Archbishop of Montreal who has been for some time in the Eternal City has triumphed in his protest against the division of the diocese. Archbishop Duhamel, of Ottawa, has been working for a division in order to give the latter another suffragan Bishop.

Fire at Moncton.

MONCTON, Dec. 21. Fire broke out on Saturday night in the large two-story residence on King Street, owned by J. & C. Harris and occupied by Mr. Wilson, manager of the cotton factory. The building was badly gutted. Insurance \$1500, which will probably cover the loss. Two firemen were hurt, but not seriously.

The Sawtelle Case.

DOVER, N. H., Dec. 21. In the Sawtelle trial, Saturday, Marion Sawtelle, daughter of the murdered man, testified to a trip to Rochester with Isaac and his giving her medicine when she was not sick, which made her sick. The defence did not cross examine her.

Heavy Weather.

HALIFAX, Dec. 22. The mail steamer Vancouver from Liverpool arrived at nine o'clock to-night. She reports heavy weather. Seven other ocean steamers arrived to-day. Two sons of the Governor-General, Hon. W. and Hon. A. Stanley, were passengers by the Vancouver to-day.

Customs Change.

OTTAWA, Dec. 21. Importers are pleased with the latest amendment to the declaration required from foreign consignees. Formerly inland transportation charges were included in the value for duty, but they are now eliminated.

She Must Die.

LONDON, Dec. 21. Home Secretary Matthews has declined to grant a reprieve to Mrs. Nellie Pearcey, under sentence of death for the murder of Mrs. Hogg and her infant.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Dec. 22 -- 10 a. m. Fresh to strong southerly shifting to westerly and north-westerly winds; cloudy; mild to-day with light falls of rain or sleet; lower temperature to-morrow.

SALE. -- Remember the sale of furniture at our auction room to-morrow at 10.30. All must be sold. -- E. H. Norton & Co., Auctioneers. ADJOURNED. -- The case against Dr. Baynes was today further adjourned for one week.

NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE. -- Advice from the Hospital are to the effect that Patrick Higgins is a very sick man. He is getting worse all the time, and it is thought that he will not live over to-night.

SUDDEN DEATH. -- Captain Guilford, of the steamship Newfield, died suddenly at Yarmouth, on Thursday evening. He complained of indigestion in the morning. As he was sitting in his cabin writing he suddenly fell forward on his face and expired. Dr. Perrin who was at once summoned, could not say what was the cause of death.

RECEIVED TO-DAY. -- Boys' and Girls' Own Annual. -- Hazzard & Moore's. Diaries for 1891 at Hazzard & Moore's. Fruit cakes (one and two pound each) baked by Christie, Brown & Co., for sale at Beer Gull's. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Slippers, stylish and cheap, nice Christmas presents, at Dominion Boot and Shoe Store. 6i--dec22

LADIES' FAR LINED CIRCULARS, very cheap, at J. B. Macdonald's. 6i--dec22

CALL AT G. H. Taylor and get the extra discount he is giving on all goods sold till

A Denial.

SIR, -- One of your correspondents, "Citizen," in Saturday's issue, charges me with saying "those asking for the repeal of the (Scott) Act were mostly liquor sellers and liquor drinkers--that if these two elements were taken away there would not be a baker's dozen left." I made no such assertion, for the simple reason that I do not know enough of the anti-Scott Act constituency to justify me in saying how many would be left after the liquor sellers and liquor drinkers are taken away.

DAVID SUTHERLAND. Zion Church, Dec. 22nd.

Veracity Question.

SIR, -- In Saturday's Guardian a letter signed "Protestant" asks if the Lyceum is undenominational? In view of the fact that the hall has been rented to his proteges, Mr. Kearney, and would be too to his bosom friend, the editor of Secular Thought, I should think that it certainly is undenominational.

ANTI-HUMBUG. December 22.

THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK WE HAVE EVER SHOWN OF

WATCHES, in Gold and Silver, for Boys, Girls, Ladies and Gentlemen, CLOCKS, in Marble, Imitation Marble, Antique Oak, Walnut, Nickel, etc.

JEWELRY in all of the newest and best designs. IN SOLID SILVER and SILVER-PLATED GOODS we have almost everything imaginable.

We have also added a fine assortment of GOLD AND SILVER CANES, which make a suitable present for a Gentleman.

We have placed a Bargain Counter in our Store filled with VASES, LUSTERS, FLOWER HOLDERS, etc., which will be sold regardless of cost.

A Special Discount will be allowed Cash customers for Ten Days from this date.

W. W. WELLNER.

Ch'town, Dec. 20, 1890--dy tl xmas

A FEW OF THE Xmas Presents

WATSON'S DRUG STORE.

IN ORDER TO CLEAR, during the Holiday Season, Liberal Discounts will be allowed upon the already low prices.

Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Brush and Comb Cases, Odor Cases, Dressing Cases, Scissor Cases, Hand Mirrors in great variety, Leather Photo Screens, Satin-Lined Work Baskets, Electric Gas Lighters, Silver, Cut Glass and Porcelain Smelling Bottles, Plush and Leather Music Rolls, Vases and Hanging Flower Pots, in the New Bronze Ware. Cigar and Cigarette Cases and Holders. The largest assortment of beautiful Pipes ever in the city. Inspection will prove that we have the largest and best stock of Perfumes at wonderfully low prices.

Jewel Cases, Butter Portfolios, Handsome Playing Cards, Writing Desks and Cases, Infant's Hair Brushes, Gold and Silver-headed Walking Sticks, Tobacco Jars, Leather and Silver Flasks, Shaving Mugs, Pocket Magnifying Glasses, Plush Tobacco Pouches, Cut Glass Cologne Bottles, Large Leather Wallets, Silver-backed Brush and Mirror Sets, Thermometers, and many other smaller articles suitable for Presents to Men, Women and Children. No trouble to show goods.

W. R. WATSON, Queen Street.

Ch'town, Dec. 17, 1890--dy tl 25th

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

MR. JOHN BURROWS, of Highfield, Lot 33, Blacksmith, has this day made an assignment to me for the benefit of his creditors.

The Dred of Assignment is open to inspection at my office, Cameron Block, Charlottetown.

A meeting of the creditors of Mr. Burrows will be held at my office on THURSDAY, the Eighth day of January, 1891, at 12 o'clock, noon, when I hope to be in a position to report on the condition of the Estate.

All persons indebted to the Estate are requested to make immediate payment to me. JAMES H. GOOD, Assignee.

Ch'town, Dec. 18, 1890--dy 6i wky 2i

S.S. "WILLIAM."

ANY PERSON having unsettled claims against the above Steamer previous to December 31st, inst., will please furnish same at once to the undersigned.

KIND FRIENDS!



XMAS SALE!

Furniture, Apples, etc., ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23rd, AT HALF-PAST 10 O'CLOCK.

ASSORTED SALE, including 1 elegant Drawing Room Suite, 1 do. in walnut and rep, 1 very fine solid walnut Wardrobe (left over from last sale), 1 fine Couch in walnut and green, 2 Companion Chairs, 1 Dining Room Set, 1 fine walnut and marble top Centre Table, 2 new Bedroom Sets (single), 1 extra fine Feather Bed, 1 handsome Dinner Set (in red and gold), 1 new and comfortable Double Sleigh (latest fashion).

Also--A lot of ends of Carpets, 1 second-hand Piano. WE WILL ALSO SELL 10 Barrels of our choicest Winter Apples (selected), 5 barrels Cheap Apples. Sale positive. No reserve prices. Terms Cash.

E. H. NORTON & CO, Auctioneers. dec18-18 20 22

Hon. Mr. Laurier's Visit.

THE HON. WILFRED LAURIER, M. P., Leader of the Liberal Party of Canada, will address a Mass Public Meeting

IN THE MARKET HALL, CHARLOTTETOWN, ON THE EVENING OF Monday, 22nd December, instant,

on the Public Questions of the Day. Mr. Laurier will be accompanied by several Prominent Members of the House of Commons, who, it is expected, will also deliver addresses.

Tickets will be issued at one first-class fare from all Stations on the Railway to Charlottetown on the 22nd inst., the day of the meeting, good to return next day.

The doors will be open at 7 p. m., and the chair will be taken at 8 o'clock, sharp. THOMAS W. DODD, President Liberal Association. H. C. MACDONALD, Secretary Liberal Association. dec10--eod and wky

Mail Contracts

TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on FRIDAY, 20th February next, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails on proposed contracts for four years, from 1st of April next, over each of the following routes, viz.:

Appin Road and Bonshaw semi-weekly
Darlington and Kelly's Cross tri-weekly
Dundas and Mount Hope semi-weekly
Glen William and Murray River. do
Mill River and Railway Station. do
North Lake and Souris East tri-weekly
North River and South Wiltshire do

Printed notices, containing full information as to conditions of proposed contracts, may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained, at the Post Offices at which the services commence and terminate, or at the office of the subscriber.

F. DE ST. C. BRECKEN, Asst. P. O. Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office, Ch'town, P. E. I., Dec. 20, 1890

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY

Christmas Excursion.

RETURN TICKETS will be issued at One First-Class Fare to and from all Stations on this Railway on December 24th and 25th, good to return up to and on January 3th, 1891.

J. UNSWORTH, Superintendent. Railway Office, Charlottetown, December 19, 1890. all ps dy & wky

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED TO EXCHANGE. -- A light Jaunting Sleigh for a Driving Box Sleigh. Apply to G. H. TAYLOR. dec22

BOARDERS WANTED. -- Apply to Miss McBrinis, Grafton Street, near J. D. McLeod's Store. 3i pd--dec22

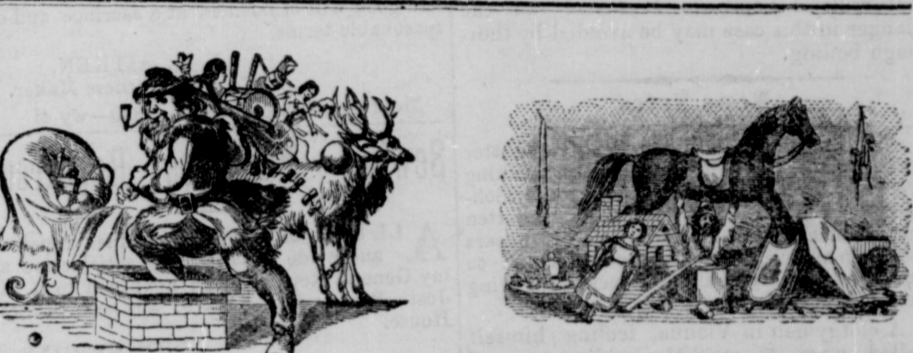
WANTED. -- A Housemaid. No washing. Ap

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If you want Big Bargains in Reefers, Overcoats, Suits, Fur Caps, Robes, &c., Prowse Bros. are selling at startling low prices. Come along and leave your cash with

PROWSE BROS.,

THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MEN, 136 and 144 Queen Street, Charlottetown.



GREAT SENSATION

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What a Tremendous Spread of Xmas Goods, selected from the Best Makers in the World!

WE CAN SUPPLY YOU with Cups and Saucers, Rose Jars, Biscuit Boxes, Cheese Dishes, Butter Dishes, Albums, imported direct from Germany; Vases, Toilet Sets, Inkstands, from Bohemia; Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Purses, Toys, from France; Leather Goods, Books and Cards from Great Britain; Plush Goods, Mirrors, Games and good Toys from the United States; and last, but not least, Presbyterian and Methodist Hymn Books, School Books and Stationery from "this Canada of Ours."

JUST OPENED--A Magnificent Stock of New Goods. BARGAINS this week and next.

Largest Stock! Lowest Prices! Prettiest Goods!

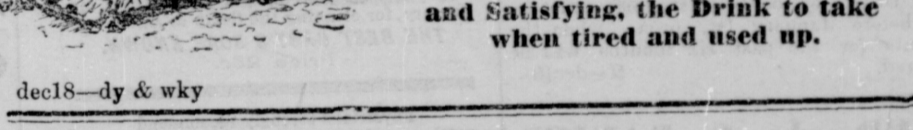
See our 15 cent Cup and Saucer. Get a pair of the prettiest VASES in town only 15 cents per pair. Now, come right along to the BAZAAR STORE and get your Presents for your friends, and you may rest assured that what you have bought will please both you and the persons to whom you give it.

BAZAAR COMPANY.

Charlottetown, December 19, 1890.

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TAYLOR & GILLESPIE,

WANTED. -- A Housemaid. No washing. Ap