

**A new lot**  
—OF—  
**Small Queen CIGARS.**

Just received.  
In order to dispose of them quickly, we are selling them for \$2.50 per box, (100 in a box.)  
In all colors and strengths.

**George E. Hughes**  
The People's Druggist.  
Apothecaries' Hall.

**1-2 Price To-day.**

A few dozen Patties and Rock Cakes, returned from the Scottish Gathering at Souris, are placed on sale to-day at

**HALF PRICE**

We also have pure and fresh, baked right, and of the best quality obtainable.  
Rock Cakes 10c doz  
Lemon Tops 10c doz  
Sugar Cakes 10c doz

TELEPHONE 98.

**D. Stewart**

ECLIPSE BAKERY

BAKES BEST BREAD.

**The Vaccination Act 1886.**

On and after Monday August 20th, next, Vaccination will be attended to by the undersigned, under the provisions of this Act, at their respective offices, from 2 to 4 p. m., daily, for the present.

(Signed)  
RICHARD JOHNSON, M. D.  
PETER CONROY, M. D.  
Supts. of Vaccination.  
Charlottetown, Aug. 18th, 1900.—law 11.

**WANTED**

Men or women coat makers can find work with W. H. Duffy, Hillsboro, N. B. Come at once.

**Furs Furs Furs**

Part of one of the largest stocks of Furs ever shown in this city has been opened at

**Weeks & Co**

Early buyers will do well to inspect these goods before buying.

**Weeks & Co's Furs are new.**  
**Weeks & Co's Furs are all guaranteed!**  
**Weeks & Co's Furs are all the latest styles.**

**WEEKS & CO**

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

**LOYAL CRUSADERS' PICNIC**

Address and Presentation to Mr. Ernest S. Weeks.

The Loyal Crusaders of the Hazel Grove School held their annual picnic at Mr. John Beagall's, Hazel Grove, on Saturday last, 25th August, and it was a splendid success. Quite a number of children, with parents and visitors, were present. They all enjoyed the good time, and before dispersing for home the children were gathered together and a short program was well rendered, at the close of which the following address and a beautifully-bound Bible was presented to the retiring Worthy Commander, Mr. Ernest S. Weeks, to which he made suitable reply:

**ADDRESS.**

To ERNEST S. WEEKS, G. S.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—We, the members of Company "D" of Loyal Crusaders, cannot allow this opportunity to pass without showing you some tangible evidence of our recognition of your interest in us since you took charge of our Company at its organization, nearly three years ago, as well as the consideration you have given us as teacher of our school for four years.

We hope that the instruction we have received will prove a great blessing to us in future years, and while you have severed your connection with our Company we trust we may be able to promote the interests of this juvenile temperance society in such a way as shall bring great good to our community. We ask you to accept this slight token of our appreciation of your work among us and may God's blessing attend you in your work in the temperance cause, and when this life is over may we all meet where partings are no more.

Signed in behalf of the Company by  
ANNIE POUND,  
Supt. J. Work.  
Hazel Grove, Aug 25th, 1900.

**Local Notices.**

Don't buy a piano for its looks alone. Be sure that it is a first-class instrument. Our long experience in piano business enables us to tell a good instrument. We shall be pleased to have you call at our show rooms and look through our stock. Miller Bros.

Men's laced boots \$1.25 now 88 cents  
Men's laced boots \$1.15 now 75 cents;  
clearance sale.

Cracked Eggs at Tantons.

**Lost Sight or "The Light That Failed"**



Kipling's pathetic tale of the artist who lost his sight, teaches a moral. The eyes are the bread winners. Take care of them. Have them examined. Know that they are right. We are eye experts. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**G. F. HUTCHESON.**

Watchmaker & Jeweler.

**JOHNNIE COMES MARCHING HOME**

**Private Harris Returns Last Night.**

**MET BY THE MILITIA WITH A BAND OF MUSIC.**

Escorted to Market Square Where Speeches are Made.

Once again has Charlottetown had the joy of welcoming home another of our Island sons from the battlefields of Africa. Last night the third Islander, and the first of Charlottetown's soldiers, returned to his native beach. From the perils and hardships of war to the happiness of being again at home with those dearest is a far cry, but that was the pleasure of Private John—or "Jack," if you please—Harris when last night he arrived in this city. But happy though the mere home-coming would be, it was a far prouder moment for Private Harris when he saw the immense assemblage of people who had gathered to welcome him home. He had hardly stepped from the train when he was picked off the ground by enthusiastic friends and conveyed, as rapidly as the crush in the station would allow, to the carriage waiting for him on the street. When he was outside the station a great cheer was given. Little time was lost, and he was placed in the wagon with Private Fred Waye, who had boarded the train at Hunter River, and who till last night did not have a public welcome at Charlottetown. Mr. John Harris, father of the returned soldier, Col. Moore and Mayor Warburton were also in the wagon.

The wagon was brought to the station by horses, and it was taken back by men. The horses were taken out and ropes were attached to the wagon by the artillery, and by them hauled to the Market Square, the Engineers and 82nd Regiment walking beside the carriage. The band of the 82nd Regiment preceded the procession. When all had arrived at the Market Square Mayor Warburton said a few stirring words of welcome on behalf of the citizens, followed by Col. Moore for the militia. The Mayor mentioned the fact that John Harris had wounds that were not healed yet; the tendon of the left arm was severed in the battle of Paardeburg, and the result is a useless arm—which may remain so. The Mayor also said that the citizens should pass the hat for their credit's sake.

Col. McLeod made a few remarks and welcomed the men home. Privates Harris and Waye then said a few words of thanks for the joyous reception they had received. From the square Private Harris was taken to his home on the Corner of Grafton and Rochford streets;—and what gladness was in that home! Here many person entered the house and shook hands with him. Private Harris left here with the first contingent on the 25th of last October, having enlisted from the 82nd Regiment. He was wounded in the battle of Paardeburg. He then went to a Cape Town hospital, and later to England. A trip through England and Scotland, and being a guest of Lord and Lady Aberdeen was part of his experience. And then home.

**SOLOMON SLOW'S ADVICE**

**What I Would Do, or Have Done, if I Were Boss.**

I would do away with the absurdity of the present whistling of the P. E. I. Railway engines.

I would put more energy into our police force.

I would make our police do their duty all along.

I would have the fountain on Queen Square kept running all the time; water is plenty.

I would have fountains on market square for the use of horses; also others around the city.

We have plenty water why not let the poor dumb animals have all they want.

Then I would have a lot of little ones for the poor dogs.

I would ask for tenders for fire hose I would always accept the lowest tender.

I would thank the owner of the truck that stuck so long at foot of Prince Street for removing it.

SOLOMON SLOW.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**

Queen Hotel: James Clow, Murray Harbor North; J A McDonald, Glanadale; Geo Clarke, Mount Stewart; J Pitblado wife and family, C S Henney and wife, Toronto; Mrs Dennyvern, Cambridge; Miss Dennyvern, Cambridge; John Dan, J D Ennis, New York; Rev D Davies, Alberton; Mr and Mrs W L Hatch, Master Harold Hatch, New Britain, Conn; Miss Edith Reynolds, Miss M S Wetmore, Gildford, Conn; C P Lincoln, Stephen D Salmon, Boston, Mass; C J Whitney and wife, Chas Lamont and wife, Boston, Mass; J M Ingraham, Milton, Mass; John S Hyde, Newport; Dr D H Fisk, Ross F Fisk, Boston, Mass; L H Coboon, Middleton, Mass; Rev Alex Laird, New Bedford, Mass; J A McLane, Montreal; Rev M Stewart, Netley, Mass.

**Local and Other Items**

**THE PROBS.**—Light to moderate winds; fair and moderately warm.

**MUSIC IN THE GARDENS.**—The 4th Regt. Band gave an enjoyable promenade concert in the public gardens last night.

**FOR THE BAZAAR.**—Valuable donations for St. Joseph's Convent Bazaar have been received from Prowse Bros. and F. Perkins & Co. Mrs. McDonnell has also presented a handsome silver tea pot.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CONVENT.**—The private class for boys at St. Joseph's Convent, will re-open on the 4th September. Boys will be received up to the fifth grade. The class will be under the direction of the Sisters.

**C. O. F.**—A special meeting of Courts Charlottetown and Abegweit will be held this evening in Foresters Hall, Prince's Block, at eight o'clock to meet Brother Robert Elliot, High Chief Ranger Canadian Order of Foresters.

**WENT BACK.**—Private Frederick Smallwood Moore, who deserted from the Halifax garrison, was taken back to Halifax this morning by the pickets sent after him. During his three weeks' stay on the Island he had been driving a team for one of the city grocery stores.

**A COMING ATTRACTION.**—On Thursday September 6th an opportunity will be given our citizen of hearing two of our most talented artists before they leave us for some time. We refer to Miss Gertrude Davies and Mr. Fred Morris, who will take part in an entertainment in St. Peter's Hall. A most excellent programme has been prepared which will be rendered by some of our most talented performers and those who have not lately appeared in public entertainments. Particulars later.

**OUR SCHOOL SYSTEM.**—The school system of Prince Edward Island together with some account of its good features, its defects, and its results will form the subject of an interesting article to appear in the P. E. Island edition of the Canadian Trade Review. The writer of the article will be Rev. Donald McNeill, a gentleman admirably fitted by his long association with the Education Department to write familiarly and with discrimination on such a theme.

**THE ELLIOT.**—The S S Elliot sailed for Sydney yesterday afternoon with the following cargo by various shippers: 44 head cattle, 225 bags oats, 80 bbls potatoes, 40 bbls cabbage, 6 crates cabbage, 22 cases eggs, 2 tons hay, 1 ton straw, 10 cases clams, 2 boxes vegetables, 25 tubs butter, 14 bbls meat, 18 pieces castings, 13 cases condensed milk, 1 pun molasses, 5 bbls molasses, 81 boxes cheese, 20 boxes raisins, 5 bbls window sashes, 2 boxes beans, 1 cwt lettuce, 1 box coffee, 1 cwt tobacco, 2 boxes roots, 3 kegs mds, 4 bags potatoes, a quantity of lumber, nails, etc.

**ATHLETES FOR HALIFAX.**—The Abegweit Crescent team which leaves here on Friday morning to compete in the Maritime championships at Halifax on Saturday is composed of the following:—H W Ritchie, C J McMillan, Leslie Adams, P A Duffy, R A Donahoe, K McPherson, A Cameron, J R Darke, B Brown, W Jones, and D A McKinnon. P C Brown will come from St John and race for the Island team. Herb Sprague will go from Amherst to Halifax attached to the Islanders. The team is under the management of D A McKinnon.

**BOILERS AND MACHINERY.**—Mr. McLeon left yesterday for Sydney, C. B., by the Omega. This schooner had on board, besides produce, sixty tons of castings, also the two largest boilers ever built on the Island, weighing 13 tons each, which were built at his works and tested to the great pressure of 225 pounds per square inch in the presence of the official inspector and pronounced to be up to, if not over the usual high standard of work. The boilers were built to the order of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co, South Sydney, C. B., for their pumping station there. These make twelve boilers shipped by this firm since the opening navigation.

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that our  
**Prescription Department**.....  
has no superior in the Provinces.  
We can dispense any prescription written by any of our local Physicians.  
We have all necessary apparatus for correct and speedy work.  
Try us with your next prescription.

**Johnston & Johnston**  
DRUGGISTS

**MEET ME AT THE ALWAYS-BUSY STORE.**

**The New Fall Dress Goods**

Now shown by us are the very latest productions of the mills.

**Plain Effects, Fancy Effects, Heather Mixtures, and Camels Hair Effects,**

The extra width makes it economical to buy these beautiful goods.

**4 to 4 1-2 Yards.**  
makes a skirt and coat.

Prices \$1.10 to \$1.45 per yard.

**Stanley Bros.**

**CRAND**

**Liberal-Conservative Demonstration**

Addresses by Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., Hon. Geo. E. Foster and Hon. Hugh John McDonald, Premier of Manitoba.

A Mass Meeting of electors will be held in the **Skating Rink, Charlottetown**—ON—**Tuesday, September 4th, 1900.**

At 8 o'clock, p. m., when the Public Questions of the day will be discussed by the above named distinguished statesmen.

The following steamboat and train arrangements have been made for the occasion, good for return:

Station	Fare.	Station	Fare.
Emerald	.60	Morell	.60
Bradalbane	.60	Lot 40	.60
Elliot	.60	St. Andrews	.45
Fredericton	.60	Georgetown	.75
Hunter River	.45	Cardigan	.75
North Wiltshire	.45	Perth	.75
Colville	.35	St. Teresa	.60
Milton	.35	Peakes	.60
Royalty Junction	.35	Pisquid	.45
Souris	.85	Mt. Stewart	.45
Bear River	.75	Tracadie	.45
Rollo Bay	.75	Bedford	.35
Selkirk	.75	York	.25
St. Peters	.75		

Passengers from Emerald, Souris, Georgetown and intervening stations will be conveyed by the regular afternoon trains, returning by special train after the meeting.

The Steamer Jacques Cartier will carry passengers from Orwell, Brush Wharf, (calling both ways at Halliday's Wharf) at the regular hour on the above date and return also after the meeting.

**P. BLAKE, President.**  
**C. R. SMALLWOOD, Secretary.**  
Charlottetown, August 28th, 1900.