

From North Cape to East Point the Dial points to L. E. PROWSE, THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MAN,

and singles him out as the Beacon Light and Guiding Star of the Clothing Business of Prince Edward Island.

If the terrible cannonading we have given the POPULAR Clothing Stores have caused them to put on their war paint and come out in their true color, we fear them not. They are Windy, but HARMLESS. They neither have the courage nor brains to take the lead; but, Spaniel like, endeavor to follow and imitate. BUT VERILY THEY FAILETH.

WE MEAN BUSINESS!

All Wool Pants, 95 cents; Good Tweed Overcoats, \$1.95; Good Tweed Coats, 98 cents; and our WHOLE STOCK of Clothing at worse than SLAUGHTER PRICES for 30 DAYS. TOILERS AND WAGE EARNERS!—You have felt our influence in the way of low prices for good Clothing since we opened business, getting a good full dollar's worth of goods for every dollar you spent with us. You have received goods that will give you satisfaction at moderate prices. SQUARE DEALING, prompt and careful attention to business is given every one—rich or poor; thus establishing close and lasting business relations that will bind you to our store for all time to come.

L. E. PROWSE, THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MAN,

Sign of the Big Hat, Queen Street.

Local and Other Items.

IN THE FIELD.—Councillor Crabbe will be a candidate for Ward Three at the forthcoming election.

CARDS WANTED.—Candidates for civic honors should lose no time about publishing their cards.

SILVER.—The St. John Star says that a vein of silver has been found on the property of Chas. Clinch at Musquash. The ore is said to be very rich. Excavations are being made to ascertain the extent of the deposit.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—The second of the Union meetings of the Week of Prayer will be held under the auspices of the Baptist Church, in Y. M. C. A. Hall, this evening, at 7.30. Collection in aid of the P. E. Island Hospital.

CHANGE OF HOUR.—We are informed that the Customs and Inland Revenue offices will open at 10 a. m., and close at 3 p. m., during the close of navigation, closing on Saturday's at 1 p. m.

POLICE COURT.—There was but one penitent before His Honor this forenoon. His name was Fred. McLean, and he was charged with wandering about the streets. He promised to do better in future and was dismissed.

CIVIC.—A meeting of the electors of Ward Five will be held in D. R. M. Hooper's shop, Eston Street, on Wednesday evening, the 9th inst., at 8 o'clock for the purpose of nominating a candidate from the east end of the ward.

JUMPED FROM A WINDOW.—Mrs. Martha McSweeney, of Halifax, while mentally deranged, jumped from her bedroom window to the ground, a distance of about thirty feet, on Saturday, sustaining injuries which resulted in her death a few hours afterwards.

A REMINISCENCE.—"What fine weather we are having, to-day, and have had all along, since New Year," said a citizen to a farmer, in the market, this morning. The reply was: "In the year 1842 or 1843 the weather was finer than this. We farmers ploughed in January or February of that year, and the streets of Charlottetown were as dry as in midsummer. In fact, after all that has been said and sung about our severe winters, we have ploughed in every month of the year—but not in any one year."

READING ROOM.—The Y. M. C. A. Reading Room will be re-opened to-morrow evening. During the past fortnight workmen have been engaged making some necessary alterations and improvements. The partition between the two rooms has been taken down, and the paper stands have been dispensed with and large tables substituted therefor. The room has also been newly carpeted, painted, etc., and new gas fittings have been put in. These improvements will, no doubt, be duly appreciated by the reading public.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.—The report of accidents on the railroads of Great Britain for the nine months ending September 30, is at hand. During that time train accidents caused the death of 11 passengers and 5 employes. Sixty-three passengers and 270 employes have been killed from other causes, and 299 other persons have been killed at highway crossings and while repressing on railroad grounds, etc., making a total of 604 persons killed on railroad premises.

BILLIARDS.—Harvey McKenna, of Detroit, the world's champion at straight rail billiards, who visited Charlottetown some time ago, and won so many admirers, is now in New Orleans looking for health and a match. He is willing to play anyone in the South 1,000 or no count, for from \$250 up. In one match of 5,000 points McKenna made runs of 2,372 and 2,121, which are still world's records. He also made an average of 416 2/3. His challenge to anyone in the world at the straight rail game for \$10,000 a side, or any part of it, is still in the market.

CANADA RELIEVED.—The St. John Star thinks that the following from a United States contemporary relieves Canada of a great anxiety: "Senator Blair has come out flat-footed in favor of the annexation of Canada, 'reasonably if we can, forcibly if we must.' Mr. Blair is a somewhat erratic gentleman, and his fulminations are always taken with a good deal of allowance by his American fellow citizens. Perhaps in Canada they may not understand him so well, and perhaps there his remarks may be occasion for alarm. We hasten, therefore, to assure our neighbors that Mr. Blair would be the last person in the world to deliberately stir up strife between two nations. The Senator is a philanthropist."

Features of the Market.

BOSTON PRICES.

From the official market report, of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, January 3, we extract the following:—

POTATOES.—Receipts past six days 84,500 bush; previous six days, 42,000 bush. Receipts have increased largely this week and the market is abundantly supplied with all kinds. Demand is slack and prices in buyer's favor. Eastern Hebrons have been particularly dull. Burbanks are in heavy stock and have to be fancy to exceed 40c. The arrival of Chenangoes have been heavy but good stock is moving off fairly at 58c. We quote:—

P. E. Island Hebrons.....50c... do Rose.....50c... do Burbanks & Star.....40c... do Chenangoes.....@58

EGGS.—Receipts for the week 14 boxes, 609 bbls., 4,890 cases; last week 8 boxes, 432 bbls., 4,256 cases. The weather continues unseasonably warm and the supply of new laid stock is increasing, while the demand is extremely slack. Receivers have been urging sales at steadily declining prices, and at the close the market is completely broken up. It is impossible to give more than nominal quotations the market is so irregular and unsettled. P. E. Island Firsts 20 to 22 cents.

FISH.—Following are the mackerel quotations:— Mackerel, extra shore # bbl.....25 00@28 00 " No. 1.....23 00@24 00 " No. 2.....20 00@21 00 " No. 3, large rimmed.....16 00@18 50 " No. 3, plain.....15 00@16 00 " unculled.....20 00@22 00

POOR.—Pork prices (wholesale) are as follows:— Backs.....17 50 to 17 75 Short cut clear.....17 50 to 17 75 Clear # bbl.....17 25 to 17 50 Lean ends.....17 25 to 17 50 New Mess.....15 75 to 16 00 Old Mess.....15 00 to 15 25 Extra Prime new.....15 00 to 15 25

Our Advertisers To-day.

A. B. Warburton asks for tenders for lumber. D. S. Hunt, Kensington, solicits purchasers for oysters. Beer Bros. announce special prices in house-furnishings and dry goods during stock taking.

As soon as you discover any falling of the hair or grayness always use Hall's Hair Renewer to tone up the secretions and prevent baldness or grayness.

FROZEN TO DEATH.—Advices from Russia say that 175 persons were frozen to death at Ekaterinburg, in the district of Perm, on Dec. 27.

The weakness and debility which result from illness may be speedily overcome by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This is a safe but powerful tonic, assists digestion, regulates the liver and kidneys, and cleanses the blood of all germs of disease.

Charlottetown Driving Park.

TENDERS FOR LUMBER.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 15th FEBRUARY, 1889, from parties willing to supply the following Lumber:— 225 green Cedar Posts, to be straight and 12 feet in length, and not less than 7 inches in diameter at the small end. 275 do., 6 feet, not less than 6 inches at small end. 325 do., 7 feet, not less than 6 inches at small end. 5 do., 12 feet, not less than 12 inches at small end. 35,000 feet full inch Hemlock Boards, free from shakes and flaws, sawed evenly to proud edge, good quality and 19 feet in length. 11,500 running feet of 2 1/2 inch Spruce Scantling, in 20 feet lengths. 10,500 do., of 3x1 inch, 20 feet lengths.

Tenders will be received for the whole or part, and a certificate cheques for 15 per cent. of the amount of tender must accompany each as security for the delivery of the Lumber. The Lumber to be delivered on some wharf in Charlottetown, or at the Charlottetown Railway Depot, not later than 1st June next, 1889.

A. B. WARBURTON, Secretary. Ch'town, Jan. 8, 1889.—2aw & wky

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of "THE EXAMINER" PUBLISHING COMPANY will be held at the Office of THE EXAMINER newspaper, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd of January, inst., at the hour of Eight o'clock in the evening.

W. A. F. SCOTT, Secretary. jan7—dy & wky

The Charlottetown Board of Trade.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE GENERAL QUARTERLY AND ANNUAL MEETING of this Corporation will be held at the Board Room, this city, on the evening of WEDNESDAY, the 9th inst., at 8 o'clock.

A full attendance is particularly requested. J. MACEACHERN, Secretary. Ch'town, Jan. 7, 1889.—m t w



Courtald's Crapes. Balmoral Crapes. Crape Cloths. Black French Merinoes. Black French Cashmeres. Black Hindoo Cashmeres. Black Henrietta Cloths. Black Serges. Black Dress Cloths. Crape Laces. Crape Fringes. Dull Jet Trimmings.

A FULL LINE OF ABOVE GOODS AT LOWEST PRICES.

STANLEY BROS., BROWN'S BLOCK. Ch'town, Jan. 4.

TENDERS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. Ch'town, P. E. I., Dec. 5, 1888.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at this Department up to

The 10th day of January, 1889,

from any person or persons willing to contract for the

Repairs to be done to the Provincial Building, Charlottetown.

according to specification to be seen at the office of Public Works.

A cash deposit or certified check of five per cent. of the amount of tender must accompany each Tender, which will be returned if the Tender is not accepted. Tenders must be marked "Tenders for Provincial Building." The names of two good and responsible persons, willing to become security for the faithful performance of the contract, must accompany each Tender. The Department is not bound to accept the lowest or any Tender. JNO. W.M. MORRISON, Secretary of Public Works. dec13—wky 11 dtc

WATERWORKS.

M. STEVENSON

Hereby desires to inform the public that he is prepared to attend to all

GASFITTING WORK,

—AND THE—

Fixing of Hot and Cold Water Pipes in houses, and Plumbing of all descriptions.

All work done by him will be first-class. ALSO, IN STOCK—A large supply of TIN, WARE, STOVEPIPE, COAL BODS, etc. All orders carefully and promptly attended to. M. STEVENSON, Queen Street. nov29—dy 1w then col 2w

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NEW YEAR GREETING.

WE wish our Customers, one and all, a HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

Our Travellers are now on their respective routes with

SPRING SAMPLES.

We solicit for them a favorable reception, and guarantee to meet all fair and honorable competition in prices.

SMITH BROS., Granville and Duke Streets. jan5. HALIFAX, N. S.

PARNELL FUND

WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL

January the 12th, inst.

ALL friends of the cause will please hand in their contributions on or before that date, when the list of contributions will be published.

M. P. HOGAN, Treasurer. jan5—21.

AUCTION.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY WM. G. WRIGHT to sell by Auction.

On Wednesday, 16th January, 1889,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK,

Near Eldon, Belfast, opposite St. John's Church,

45 Acres of large growth Hard Wood, Timber Scantling, R. H. Sleepers and Poles, in acre lots immediately after the sale of Wood, &c. —The Farm, comprising 70 Acres of good Land, fine Spring running through the middle, near Mud, &c.

Terms at sale for Wood. For the Farm, 25 per cent. down; the balance to be secured by mortgage at 6 per cent.

GEO. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. dec27—dy & wky

GRATEFUL-COMFORTING.

EPPS'S COCOA

BREAKFAST.

"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctor's bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water and milk. Sold only in packets, by Grocers, labelled thus: JAMES EPPS & CO., Homoeopathic Chemists, London, England. dec19—1 yr dy & wky

SLEIGHS.

I HAVE NOW ON HAND a nice assortment of SLEIGHS in all the leading styles. Intending purchasers would do well to inspect my stock before going elsewhere. Factory and Show Rooms, UPPER PRINCE STREET (McKinnon & Fraser's Old Stand.) J. J. SEAMAN. dec21—dy 2aw & wky 1w

JOHN T. MELLISH,

Attorney-at-Law, Notary Public, &c.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.

OFFICE—London House Building,

(Davies' Corner), Queen St.

All kinds of Legal Business promptly attended to. Money to Loan at low interest. 7—dy & wky 1/2

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. DAVID SMALL, Pownal St. dec27—ed

Seasonable Goods

—AT—

PERKINS & STERNS'.

—[x]—

White Blankets, Grey Blankets, Bed Comforts, Colored Counterpanes, Railway Rugs, Horse Rugs, Sleigh Robes, Fur Coats, Wool Carriage Wraps, Fur Jackets.

—[x]—

Fine Display of Fancy Goods for Christmas Presents.

—[x]—

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF WINTER DRY GOODS

AT PRICES WHICH CANNOT BE BEATEN.

—[x]—

PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, Nov. 14, 1888—dy & wky

EMBROIDERIES.

—[x]—

ONE CASE JUST RECEIVED.

—[x]—

All Widths. Low Prices.

—[x]—

STANLEY BROS.

BROWN'S BLOCK.

Ch'town, Jan. 4.—ed&wky.

Furniture! Furniture!

I HAVE now on hand a large assortment of PARLOR AND BEDROOM SETS, in Walnut, Mahogany, Ash and Oak, Walnut Sideboards, Hair and Flock Mattresses, etc. Intending purchasers would do well to inspect this Furniture before going elsewhere. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. nov19

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED.—By a Teacher of four years' experience, holding a license of the first-class. Two Private Pupils. Enquire at this office. Jan8—dy 31 wky 11 pd

WANTED.—A servant girl for general work. Apply to Mrs. F. W. Hughes, Upper Great George Street. (Jan1—31 pd

LOST.—On Friday, Dec. 21, (Christmas Market Day) a Gold Watch Chain with two gold pieces and a horse's head attached to it. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at this office. (Jan1—31, wky 11 p

WANTED.—A Female Servant to whom good wages will be given. Apply to Mrs. GEORGE ALLEY, Dorchester Street. (Jan1—31

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Ch'town, Dec. 31, 1888—dy&wky 1w Jan. 19.

ROUND COAL.

—I HAVE ON HAND—

350 Tons C. B. Round Coal

Which I will sell at a reasonable price FOR CASH.

A. DOWN, POWNAL WHARF

Dec. 31, 1888.—dy 1/2

Charlottetown Driving Park & Provincial Exhibition Association.

A MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Association will be held in Mr. J. D. McLeod's Hall, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 16th January, 1889, at 8 o'clock, p. m., to receive a report from the Directors, and to transact general business. A full attendance is requested. By order of the Directors. A. B. WARBURTON, Secretary.

Ch'town, Dec. 31, 1888—dy&wky 1w Jan. 19.