

**BIG REDUCTION ON
MEN'S
HOCKEY BOOTS
FOR
Christmas Trade**

Men's Hockey Boots
\$1.75 for \$1.50

Men's do., black or tan
\$2.00 for \$1.60

Men's do., with ankle
support, black or tan
\$2.75 for \$2.20

Boys' black Hockey Boots
\$1.50 for \$1.25

ALLEY & CO
Slater
Shoe
Agents
Handsome Calandar free to
purchasers.

**MOST
EVERY = =**

Body likes good candy. Good
Chocolates are always ac-
ceptable. We have just open-
ed

OUR XMAS SUPPLY
It is nicer than we expected.
The fancy boxes are very
pretty.
Nice new shapes in large
boxes filled with Ganong's
finest mixed Chocolates.
Also 1/2, 1, 2 and 3 pound
boxes of choice confection-
ery. Just the right caper
for an Xmas gift. Come
quick and get first choice.

Webster & McKay,
Ideal Grocery.

**CHRISTMAS GIFT
FOR A
Thrifty House-wife**

A dozen of
Fine Linen Towels
Or a dozen of fine
IRISH LINEN NAPKINS
Or why not a
Sumptuous Table Cloth

Made in Fife, Scotland, or
Belmont, Ireland. If there is
any Scotch blood in her veins,
or Irish blood, she will appreciate
a gift from the Mathie
Land.

Then it is something thrifty
and good. We have Table
Linen from 16c to \$1.60 a yd.
Table Napkins from 50c. to
\$1.50 a dozen.

Extra value pretty patterns
to cost say \$2.25. What would
please the good lady better.

GENTLEMEN

Call and see our lovely choice
linens.

J. Paton & Co.
P. S.—Our napkins are all
ready hemmed for use.
J. P. & Co.

ROBERTS & CO., PATENT
SOLICITORS
PEOPLE'S BANK BUILDING, MONTREAL.
12 years Examiner in U. S. Patent Office.
No Patent—No pay. Write for Red Book.

TO BE LET.—That desirably situated
dwelling house on Grafton St. west, lately
occupied by Mr. Duncan McLean, with
coachhouse and stable. House is fitted with
a first-class bath room, sewerage and all
other modern conveniences. Rent moder-
ate. Apply to Thomas Campbell, Rich-
mond St. West.

WANTED.—A servant for general house-
work. Apply to Mrs. C. F. Henderson,
Kent St. West. d19 31

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Just after the election -- tri-
weekly mails. □ □ □

By the way we haven't noticed
Mr John Anderson's last letter
published in The Guardian as per
request.

CORNELL University has this year
214 more students in residence in
residence in Ithaca than 1899, and
that year there were 185 more than
ever before. An increase of 400
students in two years is a notable
sign of public approval of the in-
stitution. It is also, naturally,
calculated to overcrowd classrooms
and laboratories which before were
adequate, and President Schur-
man states that the question of
building bigger, or rather of finding
funds with which to do so, is be-
coming acute at Cornell.

THE Hon. Conrad Dillon, treas-
urer of the British Army Temper-
ance Association, appeals for funds
on behalf of the organization.
"When," he says, "it is borne in
mind that the soldiers themselves
contribute upwards of £10,000 a
year to the temperance work, in the
army, the sum of £700 received last
year in subscriptions from private
sources seems hardly an adequate
response for a cause which is said
to be so vital to the interests of the
soldiers we wish to honor and help."

LOCAL NOTICES.

Read T. White's—the Spring Park
Grocer—advt. in another column,
and then go and get the bargains.

Fancy colored boots and slippers
for infants—nice Xmas presents.
At R. K. Jost's.

During the holiday season, our
store will be headquarters for
gloves, gentlemen's and ladies'
warm lined gloves, and with the
prices the lowest you ever saw for
same class of goods. If you want a
pair for yourself or to make a present,
come to our store. J. B.
Macdonald & Co.

Men's slippers from 38 cents up to
\$2.50 at Alley & Co's.—a useful
present.

Your big brother would like a
pair of our hockey boots for Xmas.
We'll make the price right. R. K.
Jost.

Ladies' hockey boots make accept-
able Xmas presents. We have them
in tan and black. R. K. Jost.

Read Alley & Co's. advt.—Hockey
boots reduced.

—A most appropriate Christmas
present for a friend abroad would
be a year's subscription to the
Prince Edward Island Magazine,
which, because of the many articles
on historical and other matters con-
nected with this Province, is appre-
ciated and welcomed by Islanders
the world over. The Christmas
number will be out in a few days
and is exceptionally good. Sub-
scriptions may commence at any
time. Back numbers are available
with the exception of the first and
second numbers, which are out of
print. Orders should be left at THE
EXAMINER office or with any of the
book-sellers. tf.

At the police court this morning
William McDonald, for drunkenness,
was fined \$4 or 20 days. Philip
Duffy for the same offence was
fined \$2 or 10 days. James Power was also
charged with drunkenness and fined
\$5 or 20 days.

NERVOUS troubles are cured by
Hood's Sarsaparilla, which en-
riches and purifies the blood. It is the
best medicine for nervous PEOPLE

Handkerchiefs—Two hundred
and seventy dozen Handkerchiefs
expected to day. Bought at a bar-
gain and will be offered to you
to-morrow. Look out for them.
All hemstitched. Regular 8 to
12c., will be sold 6 for 25c.; at
Weeks & Co's, the People's Store.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Probabilities for Next 24 Hours.
TORONTO, Dec. 20.—Moderate to
fresh north and north-westerly
winds, cloudy to fair and mild; sleet
or rain. Friday, generally fair till
night.

—See our line of cuff-links from
25cts upwards.—W. N. Tanton. tf.

—Our things were never better
assorted; from 15 cts to \$30.00.—W.
N. Tanton, Great George St. tf.

**I Have at Elegant Dis-
play of
Confectionery
Perfumery
Cigars**

In boxes of 10, 25 and 50.
Smokers' supplies, all kinds.
Mirror and Brush Sets, etc., etc.
You can pick a nice present from
above for a lady or gentleman.
A pleasure to show goods.

THE MEDICAL HALL
J. G. JAMIESON.

Local and Other Items

—The Minto arrived about 11
o'clock today. She leaves for Pic-
tou at 7 tomorrow morning.

—One hundred and sixty-five bags
of mail matter were brought from
Pictou today by the Minto.

—Regular meeting of Division No.
1. A. O. H. tonight at 8 o'clock. A
full attendance is requested.

—Regular annual meeting of the
Orange Young Britons to-night.—
Elections of officers for coming year.

—In making up your lists of
Christmas presents don't forget to
give your son or brother a ticket for
the Y. M. C. A.

—The inward cargo of the Minto
included 300 bris. flour, 97 bris.
sugar, 25 bris. cornmeal and 600
pkgs, sundries.

—Regular session of Court Char-
lottetown, C. O. F., tonight. Elec-
tion of officers and other business.
Every member please attend.

—Newfoundland has just experi-
enced the worst snowfall known for
ten years. Traffic on land and sea
was paralyzed for several days.

—It is stated that Mr. John R.
Milligan, of Northam, lately killed a
hog 7 1/2 months old which weighed
323 pounds. Good growth that.

—Young men's gymnasium class
in Y. M. C. A. tonight. Rev. G. M.
Young's Bible class open to all in Y.
M. C. A. parlor tonight at 8 o'clock.

—A meeting of Prince Edward
Club will be held at Y. M. C. A. to-
night at 8 o'clock. Every one is re-
quested to be present. By order
Com.

—Two winter steamers and tri-
weekly communication with the
mainland. This is how our Govern-
ment, just from the people, fulfils
the terms of Confederation!

—A late letter received from Dr.
Alley, who is Montreal, states that
the specialists who are treating Pte
Jack Harris hold out the hope that
he will not have to lose his arm.

—The exciting experiences of our
soldier lads during their year in
South Africa are told in "Our Boys
Under Fire." Second edition just
out. Enlarged and improved. New
illustrations. Bound in cloth 75c.;
paper cover 50c.

—The Farmer learns that there
is a decided improvement in the
quality of dressed poultry now com-
ing to our markets. The fowl are
generally in preparation for mar-
ket than formerly.

—"Prince Edward Island Illus-
trated" contains more well-printed
views of the Island and is more at-
tractively got up than any other
publication descriptive of the
Province. It makes a nice present
for Christmas.—25c at all the
bookstores. tf.

—Messrs. Goff Bros. are present-
ing a Christmas souvenir that will be
welcomed by all the ladies who wear
boots and shoes, viz. an outfit of
needles. THE EXAMINER has been
presented with one of these as a
hint, we presume, to prick our gov-
ernments a little more sharply.

—Typhoid fever is epidemic in
Ontario. There were 150 deaths
from the disease in November.
There were 117 cases reported in
October. The greater number of
deaths are reported from places
where there is no up-to-date water
supply, and where residents have to
use well water.

—Lewis P. Richard died at Syra-
cuse, N. Y. a few days ago, from
valvular disease as a result of a fright
received two years ago. At that time
the family lived at Cayuga. Lewis
who was nine years old, went out on
the lake in a row boat with several
other boys. They frightened him
terribly by telling him that they
would throw him into the lake. The
fright caused heart trouble, from
which he never recovered.

—It is authoritatively stated that
Mr. Edward Whympier, one of the
world's greatest authorities on Al-
pine climbing, has decided to spend
next summer in the Canadian
Rockies, where explorers recently
discovered great glaciers, high
peaks and wonderful canons within
a short distance of the Canadian
Pacific Railway. Mr. Whympier,
who believes the country is ahead of
Europe from a mountaineering point
of view, intends to supplement these
explorations and to assist him will
bring out a corps of trained men
from various parts of Europe.

The best that money can buy
should be your aim in choosing a
medicine, and this is Hood's Sarsa-
parilla. It cures when others fail.

Holly, Holly, at W. A. McKinnon's
stall on Friday, also Cape flowers,
chrysanthemums and everlastings,
besides lettuce, celery, parsley,
beets, turnips, cabbage, savory, sage,
geese and turkeys. Don't forget
McKinnon's stall Xmas markets.

Fit-to-wear underwear must fit;
If it does 'nt it won't fit.
Our underwear is fit because
It fits. Our prices fit.

Gordon & McLellan.

**THE BIGGEST
XMAS SNAP
IN HIGH CLASS
FUR COLLARS
RUFFS AND MUFFS
See Our Window
EXCLUSIVE DESIGNS
25 PER CENT OF
AT CHARLOTTETOWN LEADING
FUR STORE.
SENTNER, McLEOD & Co
COME IN AND GET PRICES.**

**EVER
GIVEN
IN
THIS
CITY**

PERSONAL.

Miss Enid McLean returned from
Montreal to-day.

Dr. Shaw was among the passen-
gers by the Minto today.

Rev. I. R. A. MacDonald, of St.
Teresa's, is in the city.

His Lordship Bishop MacDonald
is visiting the eastern portion of
the Province.

Senator Prose, of Murray Har-
bor, is in the city. He is a guest at
the Hotel Davies.

Dr. Darrach, of Kensington, was in
the city over night. He returned
home this forenoon.

Mr. Henry Gordon, purser of the
steamer Princess, was a passenger
by the Minto today.

Mr. Allen Parsons, representing
Cairns, Brophy & Co., Montreal, is
a guest at the Hotel Davies.

Mr. David McKenzie one, of the
Island students at Dalhousie, was a
passenger by the Minto to-day.

Mr. Horace H. Beer was a pas-
senger by the Minto today, and pro-
ceeded to Summerside this after-
noon.

Mrs. John Richards was a passen-
ger by the Minto to-day, returning
from a visit to Toronto. Her hus-
band met her at Pictou.

Mr. J. S. Campbell, formerly of
Inlet, Lot 47, has left to take a po-
sition in the Connecticut State
Hospital at Middletown, Conn.

Messrs. Roy Davison and Ernest
and John Dawson, who have been
attending Bishop's College, Lennox-
ville, Quebec, were passengers by
the Minto to-day.

Miss Florrie Blake, who has been
attending Sacred Heart Convent,
Halifax, returned to Charlottetown
today, accompanied by her father
who crossed to the mainland to
meet her.

Mr. E. H. Wright, of Summerside,
was a passenger by the Minto to-
day, accompanied by his daughter,
Miss Eva Wright, who is returning
from college. They went west this
afternoon.

It is pleasing to hear that Mr.
Louis A. Moore, son of Col. Moore,
who left here for Sydney a few
days ago, has obtained a good po-
sition with the Dominion Iron and
Steel Company, at that place.

Mr. F. L. Hazard, who has been
attending the Winter Fair at
Guelph, returned to Charlottetown
today. Mr. C. R. Smallwood, Mr.
Walter Simpson and Mr. J. S. Clark,
are expected home next trip of the
Minto.

Another batch of students coming
home for the holidays, arrived by
the Minto today. Besides those
whose names are mentioned else-
where there were on board Miss
Sadie Davison, Miss Helen Palmer,
Miss Marion Reid, Miss Eva Wright,
Miss Zelpha Sharpe, Miss Darrach,
Mr. J. Reid, Mr. Robert Nicholson,
Mr. L. Lodge, Mr. Arthur Reid, Mr.
Darrach and Mr. Charles Harris.

IT PAYS TO BUY AT PERKINS'

**WHAT SHALL
IT BE ?**

Many weeks of careful preparation enable us to help
to solve the problem.

GOODS SUITABLE FOR XMAS

Abound here. Out of the many articles which are
worthy of mention we quote the following as a
sample:—

Fur Collar, Cap, Mitts, or Ruff, a dress length
Silk or Satin waist, Fur or Cloths Jacket, Kid Glove
Silk Ties, Fanny Goods, Dolls, pretty Down
Quilts, Blankets, Battenberg work in centre pieces,
Boloros, etc.

**New Battenberg Patterns, Braids,
Rings, etc.**

**F. PERKINS & CO.,
Xmas Trade.**

SEE OUR EXCELLENT STOCK OF
Heavy Overcoatings
Suits and Trouserings
Underclothing
Hats, Caps, Gloves, Ties, etc.

JOHN McLEOD & CO.