



GENUINE OLD TIME AGATE WARE.

How often you take up your old time enamelled ware, and wish you could get some more like it. It was so clean, so durable, so good. You can gratify your wish by asking for

"CRESCENT"

Steel Agate Ware

It is made by the same process. It is made with the same care, and costs no more than poorer goods. Insist on getting "Crescent" brand, then you get the best.

MADE BY The Thos. Davidson M'fg Co. MONTREAL.

AT MASON'S STORE

You can get the latest Canadian and American newspapers received by mail each night.

Drop in if you want a paper or magazine or book to read. Fruit, Confectionery, Tobacco, Cigars etc. when you're passing this way.

R. H. Mason

SUNNYSIDE DENTISTRY

Office in New Prowse Block, first door to the right up stairs.

DR. AYEPS

CARD.

W. F. H. CARVELL, B. A. BARRISTER-AT-LAW

Bank of Nova Scotia Building CHARLOTTETOWN. Telephone No. 170 Money to Loan.

Mr. Arthur J. B. Mellish

Barrister and Attorney at law, being about to proceed to South Africa for the winter on active military service in response to Her Majesty's call, begs to announce that in his absence his law-office at Souris will be kept open and all legal business will be promptly attended to under competent management. Correspondence may be addressed to him at Souris as usual.

DR. GORDON ALLEY

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON (Graduate McGill University.)

Office and Residence--Dorchester Street Office Hours--9 to 10 a. m., 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m. Prompt attention to country calls.

TO LET

The north end of a house situated on Prince Street, containing nine rooms, suitable for a boarding house or private residence. Apply to THOMAS McQUAID, or Prince

-241

Political Meetings.

Belfast District.

The undersigned will meet the electors of the Belfast district at the following times and places:-

- Belle River, Tuesday, 21st Nov. inst, at 6 p. m.
Wood Islands, East Hall, Wednesday, 22nd inst, at 6 p. m.
Caledonia, Thursday, 23rd Nov. inst, at 6 p. m.
Grandview, Friday, 24th Nov. inst, at 6 p. m.
Uigg Hall, Saturday, 25th Nov. inst, at 6 p. m.
Cherry Valley, (Gleason's) Monday, 27th Nov. inst at 6 p. m.
Melville School House, Wednesday, 29th Nov. inst, 6 p. m.
Montague Cross, Thursday, 30th Nov. inst, at 6 p. m.
Iris, (Pleasant Valley), Friday, 1st Dec. inst, at 1 p. m.
Mt. Vernon, (Iona) Friday, 1st Dec. at 6 p. m.
Alberry Plains, Saturday, 2nd Dec. at 6 p. m.
Orwell Cove, Monday, 4th Dec. at 6 p. m.
Vernon River Bridge, Wednesday, 6th Dec. at 6 p. m.
The Government Candidate, Mr. D. P. Irving, is cordially invited to attend. A A McLEAN.

THE DAILY EXAMINER

NOVEMBER 22, 1898

IS THERE AN AGREEMENT?

Up to the present moment the people of Belfast and Murray Harbor are kept in ignorance of the nature of the agreement (if any) between this Province and the Dominion regarding the proposed bridge over the Hillsborough. Why is not this agreement published, if it is in existence?

A comparison of the bill passed by the Legislature of the Island, with the corresponding enactment of the Federal Parliament, shows strong points of difference. In the first place the local law provided that the annual contribution of the Province shall not be more than \$12,000. The Federal Act fixes \$12,000 as the absolute amount to be paid by the Province.

Again the Provincial Legislature authorizes the payment by the Provincial Government of an amount, annually, not more than \$12,000, when the bridge is completed to their satisfaction. The Federal Act provides that no contract for the construction of the bridge shall be entered into by the Minister of Railways until the Provincial Government shall undertake and agree to pay the sum of \$12,000.

These differences were ably pointed out by Mr. Martin when the Federal bill was passing through the committee of the House of Commons, and he was strongly supported by Mr. Bell. These gentlemen showed, conclusively, that the Federal Act was so framed that it would make an agreement on the subject between the two Governments impossible, except by the surrender of the Province,--first with regard to the amount of the subsidy, and second in reference to the character of the structure.

It was in the mind of the Legislature, when it passed the Bridge Bill, that the Island should only pay a subsidy in proportion to the cost of the ordinary traffic part of the structure as compared with the railway portion of it. The proportion of the cost which might equitably be charged against vehicular and pedestrian traffic might not exceed \$5000 per year; and if competent engineers reported such an amount, then that would be the Island's contribution. But Mr. Farquharson and his colleagues either failed in putting the matter in a proper light before the Dominion Government, or their views were unheeded.

In regard to the other point of difference the hitch is still more serious. Mr. Farquharson and his colleagues can only agree to pay \$12,000 subsidy on the completion to their satisfaction of such a bridge; while the Minister of Railways cannot enter into a contract for the construction of the bridge until Mr. Farquharson has bound himself and the Island, forever, to pay the subsidy of \$12,000.

The agreement is only possible through the abandonment by the Provincial Government of the discretion imposed on it by the Legislative Assembly.

As we have said, these points of conflict were pointed out in the House of Commons. Mr. Martin said:

"The intention of the local Government was that they should contribute their share of the cost of the bridge on the basis of what it would cost to build a bridge for foot passenger and vehicular traffic; but under this bill they would be bound to pay \$12,000.00 a year absolutely without any reference to the cost of an ordinary traffic bridge. I am afraid, if you pass this as it stands at present, you will find it impossible to make an arrangement with the Local Legislature because they will contend that the bill is in conflict with the act that they themselves have passed."

Mr. Bell followed Mr. Martin. We make the following extract from his remarks:

"The power which the Government of Prince Edward Island has to deal with this matter and make an agreement is limited to the power which is given to it by the Local Legislature. I think that is beyond question. If this parliament chooses to authorize the Governor-General in Council to make another proposition then it is very clear that the minds of the two Governments cannot agree. It is very clear that there is no authorization on the part of the Government of Prince Edward Island to accept the proposition involved in this bill."

If, therefore, the Island Government have entered into an agreement in the terms of the Federal Law they have done so without legal authority. That is Mr. Bell's view; and he is a lawyer and a strong Liberal.

Let the people know at once if an agreement has been entered into; and if so what are its provisions!

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

A NEW BOOK ON CANADA.

We learn that Mr. J. W. C. Haldane, the well-known C. E. of Liverpool, who spent a considerable time in this country last year for the purpose of collecting particulars for a new book entitled 3,800 Miles Across Canada, will issue this volume during the present month-- Messrs Simpkin, Marshall and Co., of London, being the publishers. During his tour through Canada, the author gathered much special information regarding the boundless resources for trade and commerce--its immense field for industries and enterprising--its travelling facilities--its steamship connections with the world--its scenery--incidents of travel--its engineering features, and everything else calculated to make the volume useful, attractive and interesting to all, the treatment throughout being in the happiest vein, and the numerous illustrations of the highest class.

As Mr. Haldane had the honor of traversing the land under the kind auspices of Lord Aberdeen, and other distinguished people, through whose joint influences every source of knowledge was thrown open to him; as he has also been a consulting engineer since 1873, and the author of several admirable books and popular illustrated lectures, including one entitled 3,800 miles from East to West on British soil, there is no doubt that the volume will be carefully prepared in every respect.

The book will be dedicated to the late Governor General, who has most kindly sent the author a letter for publication in it, expressing his personal knowledge of the extent and comprehensiveness of the tour referred to, the chapters concerning which will, he hopes, be perused by many readers with interest and advantage. The price of the volume will be \$1.25 net.

WONDERFUL ASTHMA RECOVERIES.

Clarke's Kola Compound Officially Tested by the British Columbia Government, at the Home for Incurables, Kamloops, B. C., the Medical Superintendent Pronounced Long-standing Cases Cured.

Many temporary relief asthma remedies have during the past few years been placed before the public, but until the introduction to the medical profession of Clarke's Kola Compound, nothing has been found to have any effect on preventing future attacks. The Medical Superintendent for the Home for Incurables in Kamloops, B. C., has had probably the best chance in Canada to thoroughly test this wonderful remedy for asthma. He reports that on the three cases of asthma where Clarke's Kola Compound has been tried, in not a single instance did it fail to cure, and on one particular case a lady had been confined to her bed most of the time for nearly a year previous to taking this remedy, and less than three bottles have completely cured her. Over one year has now passed, and there has not been the slightest indication of asthma returning. Three bottles of Clarke's Kola Compound are guaranteed to cure any case of asthma. Over 500 cases have already been cured in Canada alone by this remedy. Sold by all druggists. Free sample bottle sent to any person. Mention this paper. Address The Griffiths & Macpherson Co., 124 Church street, Toronto, or Vancouver, B. C., sole Canadian agents.

Sold by Geo E Hughes

FINE, NEW GOLD and SILVER WATCHES JUST RECEIVED

Also direct from the manufacturers:-

Silver Tools, both Table and Fancy Ladies' and Gentlemen's Rings

Gold Brooches

carf Pins

Rings, both Plain and Set with Stones.

The Birthday Stones are. -

- January, Garnet July, Ruby
February, Amethyst August, Moonstone
March, Hyacinth Sept. Sapphire
April, Diamond Oct. Opal
May, Emerald Nov. Topaz
June, Pearl Dec. Turquoise

If you wish anything special made to order, please leave your order early or there may be a difficulty in procuring exactly what you wish for, as manufacturers report a very brisk trade.

E. W. TAYLOR, CAMERON BLOCK, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Island Produce.

We are handling on commission all kinds of P. E. Island Produce, such as cargoes Potatoes, Hay, Oats, Poultry, (Beef in 1's, wrapped), Pork, Eggs, Mutton, &c., and we have an agency in North and South Sydney.

Address-- A. JENKINS & CO., North Sydney, Box 104, Cape Breton 157-dtu fri wyy 3nos

Have You Catarrh?

If you are troubled with a catarrh of the nose, throat, or lungs, which is a guaranteed distressing disease. No mystery about it. Catarrh, though its effect is magical, and snuffs cannot reach the diseased parts and have thus proved useless. Catarrh is carried by the air you breathe directly to the diseased parts, where it volatilizes, killing the germ life and heal the sore spots. It cures by inhalation. No danger, no risk, sold by all druggists or by mail, price \$1.00. For trial outfit send 10c in stamps to N C POLSON & CO. Box 540 Kingston, Ont.

Call and see our new stock of fancy oak and mahogany-finished screens. Oak book and music racks. Prices right. See ad.--John Newson. 1 wk.

Don't allow anyone to persuade you that there are other places just as good as ours for clothing. There are others but none so good, none so cheap.--Prowse Bros. 264 Bins.

Send one dollar and fifty cents to Jo the Oyster King, and he will send you a box containing 450 choice P. E. I. oysters. Address King Joy, Lock Box 251, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Keep your hands warm with a pair of our nice warm gloves.--R. H. Ramsay & Co.

Men's and boys' Sweaters and Cardigans, genuine all wool, superior value. See for yourselves at J B Macdonald & Co. 269 3i

Buy your home furnishings from Paton & Co.

Miss Sexton expert corset fitter, of New York, will be at Stanley Bros. for one week commencing next Tuesday. We would ask the ladies to come early, as on Miss Sexton's previous visit many had to go away disappointed, it being impossible to fit them on account of the great rush on the last few days. Corsets fitted free of charge. W. B. corsets \$1.00 per pair and up.

For oilcloth squares, ends of oilcloth and general house furnishings see Paton & Co's.

ESTABLISHED 1887

LEITH HOUSE

Telephone 174 P. O. Box 326 32 to 38 Queen Street

Having secured the agency of the famous "Silver Spring Brewing Sherbrooke" P. Q., I am prepared to supply ale and porter of unsurpassed quality at prices that cannot fail to please. Write for prices and be prepared for a genuine surprise.

A. MACDONALD

PURE.....

India Tea

This week we received a new Tea from India, which we have tried, and found to be of extra good cup quality. When drawn it is a beautiful golden color, and being strong it has a very nice flavor and aroma. It's cheap too, being only--

25 cents a pound

Special low prices on parcels of 5 pounds and upwards.

BEER & GOFF GROCERS

EVENING CLASSES

For You Will be opened on the 16th inst.,

at the Charlottetown Business College and Writing Academy, where instructions will be given in Book-Keeping, Business Practice, Correspondence, Business Penmanship, Practical Arithmetic, Shorthand and Typewriting.

Classes open from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m. Five sessions per week. Enter at any time but NOW is the best.

Students may study any branches desired. Individual instructions given by the following teachers:--J Harry Williams (Penmanship); Wm Moran, Licensed Teacher of Phonography; A C McMillan, Licensed.

L. B. MILLER, Principal Apply at College for particulars.



Wide-a-Wake Up-to-Date Buyers

Please Take Notice!

We will give world breaking records in the line of Bargains in all lines of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Carpets, and Fur Goods.

- See our fur coats \$15 and up
See our fur capes \$10 and up
See our fur robes \$5 and up
See our fur caps \$1.50 and up
See our fur jackets \$18 and up

See our Fur Lined Coats, they are beauts, \$48 to 75 Have a look at our Tailor Made Overcoats, \$10, 12, 15 and 10.

Don't pass our tailor made suits--\$10, 12, 15 and 18 25 to 50 per cent saved. Just as well made and more stylish than any custom made coat in Canada.

Underclothing by the thousand--Men's Underclothing, sizes 34 to 48; all cotton, half cotton, or all wool, just as you want, and at prices that cannot be touched in the city.

LADIES JACKETS

This department has been moved down stairs and is second to none in the provinces for style, fit and finish. We take the lead. You may be able to get what some people call jackets for less money in the city, but you cannot get better value on earth than what we are offering this fall.

We do not keep the kind that turns its color the first time it sees the light, or goes to pieces the first time you put it on; but each garment is guaranteed by the firm and if it does not turn out satisfactorily, your money back every time.

All wool, homemade blanketing, 36 or 72 inches wide, very cheap.

Ask to see our 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10 lb blankets, bought direct from the manufacturers--prices are \$1 75, 2, 2 50, 3, 3 50, 4 5, 6 and 7 dollars. No excuse for being cold this winter.

You need not look for better value--there is none.

25 hands all waiting and anxious to show you our goods and give you our prices

Prowse Bros

The Wonderful Cheap Men

