

# Infants Boots

You will see in our window a nice line of these goods for the holiday season.

They are in All Colors

....AT....  
**55c**

- Black - - - Ox Blood
- Chocolate - - - Pale Blue
- Tan - - - Pink
- Green - - - White

Alley & Co.

## Your Order No Matter How Small

it may be, will receive prompt attention at our store. We want your custom, we make good goods, charge reasonable prices, and give prompt attention to all our patrons. Try us the next time you want some nice baking. We have a fine assortment of Xmas Cakes.

TELEPHONE 98.

**D. STEWART**  
ECLIPSE BAKERY  
BAKES BEST BREAD

## We Are..... Laying Away

Christmas Presents every day. Have you selected yours yet, we would advise you to call and select now. We are showing a very pretty Xmas stock of

Fine Jewellery  
Watches  
Sterling Silver Articles

Our engraving department is turning out some beautiful work, buy your gifts here we will engrave it free.

**W. W. Wellner.**

The Great Watch House.

## There is Nothing

like pleasing customers. That's what we are doing all the time, we give them such value for their money that they come back again and bring others with them. This is the keynote of our success. We strive to please everyone who leaves an order with us. Why not give us your next order and be thoroughly convinced what we say is true. We solicit your valued orders.

**BRUCE STEWART & COY,**

The Modern Founders, Engineers and Machinists, S. Nav. Co's Wharf, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Phone 125

## English Mince Meat

We have just received our stock of English Mince Meat in pails and 2 pound tins. It is both good and cheap. Send in your orders at once as we have only a limited quantity of it on hand.

**Beer & Goff**  
GROCERS

## Local and Other Items

**GOLD IN NOVA SCOTIA.**—A sensational gold find has been made by Herman Zwicker and Levi Dimock at Beaver Dam, Sheet Harbor. They found nuggets which realized \$620.

**THE LIBRARY FUND.**—The Treasurer of the Y. M. C. A. acknowledges with thanks the receipt from the executors of the late William Dodd Esq., his bequest of five hundred dollars towards the library of that institution.

**McCoy Wins.**—Four thousand persons crowded the Arena Athletic Club, Philadelphia, on Friday night last to witness the six-round contest between Joe Goddard and "Kid" McCoy. McCoy won the bout in the fifth round on a foul, after he had Goddard all but knocked out.

**FOR THE BIBLE SOCIETY.**—The Treasurer of the P. E. Island Auxiliary to the B. F. Bible Society acknowledges with thanks the receipt from the executors of the late William Dodd, Esq., the sum of four hundred and sixty two dollars and fifty cents being his bequest (less legacy duty) to the B and F Bible Society.

**THEY'RE DEAD NOW.**—A man named Thomas Jones, living near Greer, W. Va., attempted to light a fire with a crude oil lamp in the room, and the dresses of his twin daughters, aged 6 years, ignited. Jones was too badly injured to assist them, and they were so badly burned that both of them died shortly afterwards.

**GODFREY HEARD FROM.**—A former Prince Edward Islander, George Godfrey, familiarly known as "Old Chocolate," declares that Corbett is the "prince of fakirs," and denounces fake fights in general. He says: "Corbett is the biggest fakir of the lot. When I was training to meet Peter Jackson in Frisco, Corbett offered to give me all of the money if I would consent to his receiving the decision over me. Corbett told me that his reason for making this proposition was that he wanted to get a reputation, and was willing to give me the money if I would go on with him. I refused to have anything to do with Corbett unless the match was on the square."

**WONDERFUL NERVE.**—The wonderful fortitude of the half-breed—the legacy of their Indian blood—was illustrated by an occurrence at Green Lake, 120 miles northwest of Prince Albert. Merasty a French breed, accidentally sprung a bear-trap he was setting, and was pinned fast by the right arm and right leg, the bones of those members being crushed by the enormous weight. It is a sparsely settled country, and Merasty realized that the chances of rescue were very small, so with his free left hand and his hunting knife he set to work and with infinite patience whittled the six-inch pine log half in two. He could do no more, and lost consciousness. Without food and drink, he remained in the bear trap three days and four nights, until he was found by his faithful wife, who released him from his perilous position. Merasty is still alive and flourishing.

An Englishman's sponge has been laughed at many times, and the fidelity with which he clings through all adversities to his bathing appointments is said to have no counterpart in history, unless the constancy to household goods of certain primitive and nomadic tribes may be likened to it. Until now, however, an Englishman has had no opportunity to prove how good a fetch a sponge might be, and as there is nothing which cannot be proved by those who will undertake to do so, even to the fact that a fetch will occasionally render a believer a service, he can hereafter claim anything he wishes for his sponge.

Here, at any rate, is a story Mr. Landor tells in The Forbidden Land, that fascinating volume now in everybody's hands. For his having dared to venture on a journey through the sacred country of Tibet, he was subjected to tortures so cruel that the consequences of them will abide with him through life. Just as he and his servant, a leper, were having to undergo one of the worst of these inflictions, his tormentors began to overhaul his baggage. In one of his cases a bath sponge was found, that had been flattened against two plates. The natives were much mystified, but threw it away, and it fell into a pool. Seeing it lying there, Mr. Landor addressed it in English, as though uttering an incantation. The sponge, absorbing the moisture, began to swell, which so frightened his tormentors that they ran away. After this who will dare to make merry at the expense of an Englishman's sponge.

### PERSONAL.

Chief steward Walter Noyes, of the Plant liner Halifax, is again at his post after several weeks of severe illness. His many friends here were glad to welcome him back.—Halifax Chronicle.

**ALL HEADACHES**  
from whatever cause cured in half an hour by  
**HOFFMAN'S HEADACHE POWDERS**  
10 cents and 25 cents at all druggists.

**John T. McKenzie,**

THE TAILOR

CHARLOTTETOWN - P. E. ISLAND

## THE WORLD IMPROVES.

Old-fashioned gentlemen we praise,  
As did our dads before us,  
And call old times "the good old days"  
In approbative chorus.

Yet no man of us need be told  
That times we laud as "good" and "old"  
Had still their drawbacks manifold;  
That some folks, then as now, were rude;  
That greedy ends were oft pursued  
By methods still more bold and crude  
Two centuries ago than now,  
When wiser heads knew better how.

Let's not regret the past, but give  
Due thanks that it's our lot to live  
Not in Queen Anne's, but Croker's reign,  
When power discreetly used may gain  
The full reward that power deserves  
Without offence to timid nerves.  
E. S. M., in Christmas Numbers of Harper's Weekly.



DR. A. W. CHASE LECTURING AT ANN ARBOR, MICH.

## THE MEDICAL PROFESSION

Recommends Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment.

Dr. C. M. Harlan, writing in the American Journal of Health, of February 19, says:—

"Among the proprietary medicines deserving recognition is 'Dr. Chase's Ointment,' compounded by THE DR. A. W. CHASE MEDICINE CO., Buffalo, N. Y., and Edmanson, Bates Co., Toronto, Ont., as a remedy for sores, eruptions, and skin diseases of all kinds, for which it has been used with marked success, and has effected remarkable cures in many obstinate cases which seemed to baffle the skillful medical attendant. The results were most favourable, proving the value of 'Dr. Chase's Ointment' as a curative agent in the diseases named. The manufacturers of the remedy are well-known as experienced pharmacists, careful and reliable, in addition to which we have made full examination, and find the article to be all that is claimed for it. It is not the practice of the medical profession to indorse indiscriminately the use of proprietary medicines, but while we condemn the bad and worthless, we are still more ready to indorse and recommend the remedy deserving the recognition."

"Neither the physician nor the responsible Journal of Health now refuses to acknowledge the claims of such proprietary remedies as 'Dr. Chase's Ointment,' which prove their virtues by curing where other agencies have failed."

"We know that 'Dr. Chase's Ointment' meets all requisitions of the highest standard of worth, that it will be held in high esteem wherever it is used, and consequently we indorse it to every reader."  
C. M. HARLAN, M. D.

## Prices Cut in Two

Is heard on all sides. We'll meet and lead

All Competition

From now until Jan. 1st, our immense stock of Fancy Goods, in all lines, will be sold at CUT PRICES.

**Reddin Bros**  
Opposite P. O.

**Single Office TO LET**

In Cameron Block apply to  
**HORACE PASZARD**

# Given Away

We have cut down our advertising appropriation this year one half, and propose giving

## .....XMAS PRESENT.....

To every customer buying \$1.00 one dollars worth or over. Below is a partial list of presents to be given free until end of the year, according to value of purchase.

Chenille Tab	Chenille Curtains	Kid Gloves	Wool Gloves
Feather Boas	Fur Collars	Dress Lengths	Corsets
Umbrellas	Hosiery	Handkerchiefs	Fancy Goods
Picture Frames	Towels	Tables	Purses
Shopping Satchels	Valises	Trunks	Work Baskets
Card Cases	Silk Waist Lengths	A Fur Muff Free	with every Jacket
etc.	etc.	etc.	etc.

We do this in order to introduce to the people, this, the cheapest and best Dry Goods Store on P. E. Island.

## Sentner, McLeod & Co.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL SUCCESSORS TO BEER BROS.

# A Grand Clearance and a Help to Select

## Your Xmas Present for the Father, the Son the brother

## Our Splendid and New Stock of Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers & Suits



For children, youths, and men thrown at reduced prices for your inspection.  
Mens heavy D B Beaver overcoats \$4.50 the nicest overcoat in the city for \$12.00.  
Mens heavy Ulsters \$3.75, 4.75, 5.50, 7.50, 10.00, 12.00.  
Mens heavy Suits \$4.00, 5.50, 6.50.  
Mens heavy Worsted Serges the nicest ready made goods in town for \$12.00.  
All these goods worth from 25 to 35 p c more.



**Don't Forget the Boys.**  
We Haven't

We have the finest stock of children's suits in town. For the Xmas trade we offer your choice at greater reduced prices. Remember our clothing is all of the very latest manufacture.

**Bright New Stylish**  
Come at once. Our values will make it easy for you to decide.  
Store open evenings till 9 o'clock.

# R. H. Ramsay AND Co

GRAFTON STREET.

# PROCLAMATION.

We are now ready and willing to place any number of Hotels, Stores and private dwellings in a correct sanitary, and consequently healthy condition; and this at short notice.

We will furnish all who desire it with Baths, Closets, and lavatories of the latest and most approved patterns at prices consistent with first-class quality of goods and workmanship.

The latest and most beautiful New York designs in electroliers. A large stock of soil pipe and all plumber's, steamfitters and engineers supplies now on hand.

Call on us at the Masonic Temple Building. You will receive courteous treatment whether we sell you or not.

**T. A. MacLEAN,**  
MANUFACTURERS AGENT.

## Annual Meeting

Merchants Bank of P. E. Island

The Annual General Meeting, of the shareholders, of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island, will be held at its Banking House, Great George Street, on Tuesday the 10th day of January, next, 1899, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m.

Proxies must be left with the Cashier at least one day previous to the meeting.  
J. M. DAVISON,  
280 Cashier

## REMOVE D.

On and after Monday, Oct 2rd, n. patrons will find me in my office in the New Prowse Block, on the north side of Queen's Square, first door to the right upstairs.

**DR. J. H. AYERS, Dentist**