

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

SEE BEER BROS. ... A O. H.—Special meeting to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

THANKS.—We are in receipt of two handsome calendars from Mr. E. R. Brown, general insurance agent. Thanks.

ROSA D'ERINA has the most extraordinary faculty of vocalization, for, whether in French, Italian or Spanish music, she is equally happy, whilst her Irish Melodias are truly superb.—Era.

THE DEFTERIN SALE.—The Defterin Hotel sale at St. John realized about \$4,000. As the liabilities were between \$15,000 and \$16,000, this will enable the estate to pay off 20 or 25 cents on the dollar.

CHURCH OPENING.—The Methodist church at Appin Road will be opened on Sabbath, December 31st, by the chairman of the district. Services in the morning at 11 a. m. and in the afternoon at 2.30 p. m. A collection will be taken at each service to help pay off the debt on the church.

COMES BATHING HOME.—Two young men walked along Prince William street last evening singing Tantara Boom-leay at the top of their voices. The police objected, and the two were landed in the lock-up. Later in the evening they were let out on making a deposit of \$5 each.—St. John Sun.

DISTRESS IN CINCINNATI.—A bill authorizing the city of Cincinnati to issue \$50,000 worth of bonds for the improvement of the streets and public highways, to relieve the distress of the unemployed, will be sent to the legislature as soon as it assembles. The unemployed working men petitioned the mayor and members of the city board for relief.

YOUNG SHREAN'S DEATH.—An inquest in view of the body of the young man Shrean, found dead on the floor of his father's barn, was held yesterday by Dr. Dughery, coroner, and a jury. After hearing the evidence the jury returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by falling from the loft of the barn. The evidence showed that the spine was fractured.

A HARD WINTER.—The Montreal Transcript says: A well-known farmer of Coverdale was heard to remark this morning that this was the severest December he can recollect for several years. In the woods in Upper Coverdale there is in the vicinity of two feet of snow, and there is very little lumbering being done at present. Owing to the poor bottom the farmers do not care to break roads for fear of their teams becoming mired.

DARING ROBBERY.—A bold and daring robbery was committed in this city on Friday last. About 11 o'clock, a. m. Some person or persons entered the front door of the residence of Mr. C. I. Smallwood, on Richmond Street east, and coolly walked off with several articles hanging on hooks in the hall. There was no one belonging to the house in at the time, but the door was locked and the key turned in the lock. Such acts deserve the most severe punishment. There is no clue.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon the assault case of Clerk vs. McKinnon was disposed of for a fine of five cents and costs, the complainant declining to prosecute. It appears that the prosecutor, who lives in the country, had been approached by the defendant as a retainer of the matter complained of was effected between them, which settlement the Magistrate refused to accept, stating that in no such case would he allow a settlement to be made between the parties without the consent of the court.

DEBATING CLUB ORGANIZED.—The young men of Galloway Point met in the School house at that place a few years ago, and organized "The Young Men's Improvement Debating Society." The officers elected are: President—John Docherty. Vice—Malcolm McLeod. Secy.—Asa's Vice do—Everett Mutch. Secretary and Treasurer—Seymour A. Young.

THE NEXT DEBATE will be on the 23rd, and the subject "Which is the greater evil, war or intemperance?"

CONTRAST THESE PENALTIES.—In the same Federal court in Omaha in which Charles Koster, who at present of the Capital National bank of Lincoln, was sentenced to the penitentiary for five years recently for stealing \$1,000,000, A. M. Deference, a South Dakota cowboy, will this week be sentenced to the penitentiary for life for having stolen a single copper cent. Two months ago Deference got tired of being out of work, and concluding that Uncle Sam had more to spare than others, rode into Chadron, Neb., and held up the mail carrier. His crime netted him one cent. He was caught and has pleaded guilty. The statute provides no lesser penalty for his crime than life-imprisonment.

THE LADIES CAME ABOARD.—A tradesman in a Maine village had missed articles from his stock from time to time, and at length the clerks saw a woman taking things she did not buy and pay for. This furnished the desired opportunity. An advertisement in the paper over the merchant's signature said he had positive proof that some of the best ladies of the town had taken articles from his store, and if matters were not fixed up there would be a surprise. This was only last week, and so far four women have been in to "settle up," with possibly more to follow. One woman came from an adjoining town to admit that she took up an article one day with the thought of stealing it, but repented and put it back again.

CARTERS' ALMANAC.—A copy of Carters' Prince Edward Island Almanac and Miscellaneous Directory for 1894 has been received. The work is very complete, and the greatest care has been taken to have everything correct. Besides the useful tidal calculation and other matter found in almanacs, there is a great deal of miscellaneous information, such as a list of the clergy of the Island, the magistrates, law and justice departments, the courts, educational and health departments, militia, post office and customs information, secret societies, United States customs duties on leading articles, and last, but not least, a list of members of the new Legislative Assembly. The printing and binding was done at the office of Mr. John Combs, under the direction of Mr. B. Brenner, and is in their usual first-class style. Every person should have a copy, as this is the only Prince Edward Island almanac issued.

Fur Goods Very Cheap. BEER BROS. A few Children's Ulsters still remaining—heavy, warm and serviceable—just the thing for school.

Weather Bulletin. Toronto, Dec. 20, 10 a. m. Fresh to strong westerly wind; fair and decidedly colder; local snow flurries.

THE STABBING AT QUEEN'S ARMS.

The hearing of the charge of aggravated assault preferred against James McIntyre was resumed yesterday afternoon at a quarter to three o'clock, before H. V. Palmer, Esq., J. P.

Daniel O'Connell, the first witness examined, said he went to Gallant's with McIntyre, and admitted that he was present. So far as he could remember he went over to shake hands with Donald McKinnon, and McKinnon pushed him away. Witness staggered over to Horrie, and a row started. Witness heard some words, but could not remember them or who said them. The first thing he saw was McIntyre down on the floor. He put his hand on McKinnon and asked him to stop the row. Someone then flung witness out of the door, sunning him. After recovering he went to the rear of the yard and remained there till he thought the row was over, when he came back into the house. McIntyre came in and presented an awful appearance, his face being covered with blood. Witness saw no knife that night. Witness drove McIntyre to Dr. Jenkins' residence. McIntyre said he thought he would have been killed in the fight.

Peter Gallant, in whose house the row started, said that the only men he saw with their coats off in the house that night were McKinnon and Horrie. McKinnon threw him (Gallant) lantern and all on the stove. Witness saw the last fight on the road. They were both down in the road, McKinnon on top. Not very long afterwards McKinnon came into the house and said he was stabbed and asked to be driven to town. McIntyre came into the house about ten or fifteen minutes after McKinnon had been taken to town. He complained of the way he had been treated, and said they were all friends of his.

To Mr. Palmer—the prisoner was pretty badly treated by McKinnon and Horrie. He was cut in two places in the face and was bleeding.

Mary Gallant, wife of the previous witness, who was sick in bed on the night in question, saw the prisoner when he came back after the fight was all over. He was full of blood, and witness asked them to close her door as she did not want to see the blood.

To Mr. Palmer—Her bedroom is off the kitchen. She saw prisoner come in that night. She did not hear him say there was not a man in the house fit to put him up. If he had said so witness would have heard him. She saw McKinnon and Horrie take off their coats. They went out, and by and by McKinnon came back and forced his way in. He acted like a crazy man, pulling around chairs and tables. He did not look for his clothes till the fight was over. He took a leg of a bench in his hand when he went out of the house. He was not swearing.

Charlotte Gallant, daughter of the last witness, corroborated her mother's evidence. Dr. McLeod gave evidence concerning the character of the wounds received by McKinnon. He had five wounds in all, one on the neck, one on the left side, below the breast, and three on the back. The wounds were ugly, but not fatal. The wounds were inflicted by some sharp instrument.

Court adjourned for one week. Royal Canadian Clothes Wringers are the best made, and can be bought for \$3 each at W. E. Dawson's.

LOCAL NOTICES. Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line.

Felt Slippers.—See the lot of ladies felt slippers selling for 50 cents a pair, about half the regular price. A great snap at J. B. Macdonald & Co's. \$29 61

New handkerchiefs, ties and collars, suitable for Xmas boxes, at McKay Woolen Co. \$20 61

Clothing! Clothing!—Boys' and youths' overcoats, choice neat and cheap, for the holidays. Bring along your boys. We have real plums in this line.—J. B. Macdonald & Co. \$20 61

Blankets, robes, rugs, at all prices, cheap at McKay Woolen Company. \$20 61

An immense number of people visited Carter's Bookstore yesterday, and trade was lively. Mr. Santa Claus in the window is holding forth to large and very appreciative audiences. \$20 61

Solid gold rings at G. G. Taylor's. \$19 61

Great bargains in fur caps. Now is the time to get one cheap at McKay Woolen Co. \$20 61

Special cash discounts off all Xmas goods this week.—Mark Wright & Co., Ltd. \$20 61

Watches at special prices this week at G. H. Taylor's. \$20 61

Prose Brothers', the Wonderful Cheap Men. Big Bargains for Everybody in READY-MADE CLOTHING, FRUITS!

Florida Oranges, Lemons, Pine-apples, Dates, Table Prunes, Stewing Prunes, Apples, Layer Raisins, Fresh Figs, all fresh and at low prices.

SANDERSON & CO., VICTORIA ROW. Charlotte, Dec. 20, 1893—m w f

THE POLITICAL VICTORY. Our Low Prices and Nice Assortment of Furniture, and odd prices, new styles, etc., are giving us the victory in patronage for all kinds of XMAS FURNITURE for Presents. Rattan Chairs, Bamboo Easels, Oak Cases, Bamboo Umbrella Stands, Tables, Boquet Stands, Footstools, Children's Sleighs, all at bargains till after New Year's. No place so cheap, no better variety, no better quality than at JOHN NEWSON'S. Charlotte, Dec. 15, 1893—m w f

THE AMERICAN \$8.00 Typewriter.

This is a well-made, practical machine, writing capitals, small letters, figures, and punctuation marks (71 in all) on full width paper, just like a \$100 instrument. It is the first of its kind ever offered at a popular price for which the above claim can be truthfully made. It is not a toy, but a typewriter built for and capable of REAL WORK. While not as rapid as the large machines sometimes become in expert hands, it is still at least as rapid as the pen, and has the advantage of such simplicity that it can be understood and mastered almost at a glance. We cordially commend it to helpful parents and teachers everywhere.

Writes capitals, small letters, figures and marks—71 in all. Writes just like a \$100 machine. No Shift Keys. No Ribbon. Prints from the type direct. Prints on flat surface. Writing always in sight. Corrections and insertions easily made. Takes any width of paper or envelope up to 8 1/2 inches. Easy to understand—learned in 5 minutes. Weighs only four pounds—most portable. Compact, takes up but little room. Built solid and simple; can't get out of order. Capital and lower case keyboard alike—easily mastered. More "margin play" for the small letters which do most of the work. Takes good letter-press copies.

Packed securely in handsome case and expressed to any address on receipt of price, \$8.00, in registered letter, money order or certified check. We guarantee every machine, and are glad to answer all inquiries for further information as to this machine and also the "Yost." IRA CORNWALL, General Agent for Maritime Provinces. D. B. STEWART, Agent, Charlottetown. dec20

FOUR POINTS. POINT 1. QUALITY. How far we have gone in this respect, hear the price, see the shoes, and let them tell the story. POINT 2. STYLE. How well we succeed in our efforts to keep down prices and put on style, just see our marvels, let them relate the tale. POINT 3. FIT. How they do us proven by the rapid sales. Be a woman ever so whimsical, if our "Superb Fitters" do not fit, no ready-made shoe will. POINT 4. PRICE. Paradoxical. Leaves no room for argument. A fitting wind-up that makes the sale. J. M. McLEOD & CO. Charlottetown, December 18, 1893—ly

NEVER BEFORE. Have we sold OVERCOATS, ULSTERS, REEFERS and SUITS so cheap. The reason we can do so is we bought our clothing this year lower than the cost of Cloth and Trimming. We have no old stock; every dollar's worth is this season's goods. Our Fur Goods and Sleigh Robes are selling fast. We have real plums in this line, and you will make a mistake if you buy without seeing our stock. Try us for Shawls, Astrakan Jackets, Wool Goods, Black Cashmeres, Merinos, etc., Corsets, Kid Gloves—all at lower prices than found elsewhere. J. B. MACDONALD & CO. Charlottetown, December 18, 1893—m w f & wky

FURS. We are closing out the balance of our FURS at SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES!

MOORE & McLEOD, Successors to Perkins & Sterns. CHARLOTTETOWN, DECEMBER 13, 1893—m w f CHRISTMAS, 1893. I have the best line of CUTLERY WHEN BUYING YOUR XMAS PRESENTS, I Have the Finest Line OF—

SCISSORS, PLUSH & LEATHER CASES, Ever Shown on the Island. GUNS, RIFLES & REVOLVERS. Complete Sets of Spoons and Forks in Plush Boxes at W. E. DAWSON'S. W. E. DAWSON'S W. E. DAWSON'S Charlottetown, December 6, 1893—m w f

FOR SALE.

- 1. The DOMINION HOUSE, on Great George Street, Charlottetown, now in possession of the subscriber. 2. Town Lot No. 59, in the 5th Hundred in Charlottetown, south of Euston Street and near Bayfield's corner, with four tenements. 3. Part of Common Lot No. 22, between Euston and Chestnut Streets, having a width of 156 feet 6 inches on Chestnut Street and 51 feet 9 inches on Euston Street, including the large building of four tenements on Chestnut Street. 4. The Field in the Revalty, with Red Barn, adjoining Mr. Maurice Blake's, containing three acres. 5. Farm of 75 acres on Township No. 38, in King's County, adjoining the railroad and next the farm of the late Donald McEachern. 6. Building Lot and House at Summerside, south of Church Street, now occupied by John E. Delaney as tenant to the subscriber. All or any of the above properties will be sold on terms to suit purchasers, and possession given forthwith. For particulars apply to M. & D. C. McLeod, or to the subscriber. H. E. SMITH, Dominion House. Charlottetown, Dec. 18, 1893—m w f

CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT IN THE New Masonic Hall, ON THE EVENING OF Thursday, 28th December.

The first part of the Entertainment will consist of Vocal and Instrumental selections by young people. The second part will be a Children's Santa Claus Entertainment, in which "The Tables are Turned," and Santa Claus keeps his Xmas. Admission, 25 cents; Children, 15 cents. Reserved Seats, 35 cents; Children, 25 cents. Tickets for sale at Davies' Drug Store on and after Tuesday, the 26th inst.



THREE FRIENDS You Meet in Our Stock. Quality, Quantity, Price.

We keep everything a first-class Clothing Store should keep. We not only sell at moderate prices, but fill and deliver orders promptly and carefully. Inspection of our Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Suits will convince you we are fully up to the wants of the people of P. E. Island. Give us a call.

McKay Woolen Co. Charlottetown, Nov. 17, 1893.

TO LET. The Premises lately occupied by Mr. George Turner, situate on Sidney Street, containing eight bedrooms, kitchen, dining room, shop and front room, gas, water and stable, etc. Possession immediately. Apply to JAMES F. GURTEIS. \$20 61

MISS MARY DOULL, STUDIO, STAMPER BLOCK. Instructions given in the various branches of Drawing and Painting. nov29—2m eod

JUST RECEIVED! A Lot of New Overcoatings.

We are making a very nice Overcoat for \$9.50. Do not let a good thing slip through your fingers. WORNED PANTS, \$3.25. A. J. MURPHY. Charlottetown, Nov. 24, 1893—tu fristat

Wants, Lost, Found, &c. Advertisements under this heading charged five cents per line.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A nice, light driving sleigh, new or second-hand. Address W. P. O. Box 541, stating price. \$2—dec20

FOR SALE—A light, new double sleigh, trimmed, pole and harness, for sale cheap at McINNIS BROS., Carriage Builders, Kent Street. \$1—dec19

WANTED—A canvasser of good address to canvass the city. Please reply right away to P. O. Box 71, city. \$1—dec16

WOOD FOR SALE—Two hundred cords of soft wood for sale by F. TURNER, Marshfield P. O., East River, Lot 51. \$1—dec16

AGENTS WANTED—Experienced salesmen for new 25 household articles—sell at sight—for Quebec, St. John's, Halifax and Charlottetown.—32 Yonge Street, Toronto, Ont. \$1—dec16

SALESMEN WANTED—To sell our goods by sample to the wholesale and retail trade; sell on sight to every business man or firm; liberal salary and expenses paid; permanent position. For particulars address, with stamp, CENTRAL MFG. CO., Milwaukee, Wis. \$1—dec16

TO LET—Two Cottages in the rear of Mr. JOHN LOUGHEED'S residence. Apply to H. J. PALMER. \$1—dec16

FOUND—A pair of spectacles. Apply at Davies' Drug Store, Victoria Row. \$1—dec16

FOUND—A Club Lock Key. Apply at this office. \$1—dec16