

# HERE'S A CHANCE

for wide-awake buyers.

## WEEKS & CO

offer this week special inducements for bargain seekers. Thirty Two

## LADIES' GOSSAMERS

Regular price \$3.35 to 1 Will sell to clear 50¢ to Come quick for bargains-

## WEEKS

About forty left of the SOILED AND SAMPLE

## WHITE SHIRTS

Which we are clearing out at almost half-price. All sizes, 14 to 16½. Prices—35¢ to 80¢. Worth—72¢ to \$1.35. As good as new, only soiled by handling and being in show window.

Soiled Laced Curtains and single pairs, 20 p. c. discount to clear.

## NEW CORSETS

nearly one thousand pairs bought twenty p. c. under usual prices. Best fitting Corset made. 30 and 35 corset for 25c. 48c " for 42c. 65c " for 50c. 88c " for 75c. 1.15 " for 1.00. 1.35 " for 1.15. All sizes—

## New Sample Blouses.

Twenty-five New Sample blouses very pretty goods. These we offer this week at low prices, in Muslins, Gingham and Prints.

## W.A. Weeks & Co

Wholesale Retail,

### Wise and Otherwise

To Housekeepers It Would Be Wise for you to invest in a bottle of Royal Silver Polish

otherwise you will be greatly troubled with inferior articles. Silverware to look well requires to be cleaned, and Royal Silver Polish does it royally. No after dust, easy to use, effective. Price 15 and 25c per bottle.

A. W. REDDIN, Phm B  
CENTRAL DRUGSTORE,  
Sunnyside.

MADE TO-DAY AT

## QUIRK'S BAKERY

Cream Pies	12c each
Cocoanut Pies	15c "
Washington Pies	10c "
Pastry Pies	10c "
Wine Cakes	10c "
Jelly Rolls	10c "
Jelly Squares	18c per doz
Ginger Snaps	12c " lb
Oat Cake	12c " "
Seed Cakes	1c "
New York Fruit	10

JOHN QUIRK,  
CITY BAKERY,  
Grafton Street.

# TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

## NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL.

The Estimates tote up all but \$40,000,000.

Supplementaries Still to be Made.

COST OF CIVIL GOVERNMENT MAINTAINED.

Additional Judges to be Paid.

More than a third of the Amount Voted for this Province to go to West Prince.

OTTAWA, March 29.—The estimates were laid on the table at midnight.

They call for an expenditure in the fiscal year 1898-99 of \$39,125,889, on account consolidated fund, against a total vote on this account for current year of \$158,000 less. This decrease is, of course, only apparent as the supplementary estimates will bring up the figures far beyond those of the current year. The capital expenditure calls for \$5,786,691. But this is no guide as many of these estimates are always supplemented. The estimate for interest charge shows a reduction of \$251,000, of which \$225,500, or nearly the whole is effected by another, cut in the Savings bank interest from 3 per cent to 2½. The cost of civil government is about the same as last year. The Administration of Justice is increased by the salary of additional judges in Ontario and Quebec.

The estimated cost of operating the Intercolonial is placed at \$3,650,000 or \$350,000 more than last year's appropriation.

The sum of \$15,000 is asked to straighten the P. E. Island railway.

The total sum to be expended on votes for harbors and piers in P. E. Island are for general repairs to piers and breakwaters \$6000; for Souris, strengthening of breakwater, \$15,000; New London repairs, \$750; West Point wharf, \$7,400; Tignish, repairs to breakwater and extension \$7000. Belfast, approaches to pier, \$500; Brue breakwater, \$1000; for the purchase of creosoted piles for general repairs to wharves, piers and breakwaters, \$2000; Red Point wharf, repairs, \$1000; total \$40,650.

The Budget Speech has been postponed until April 6th.

## SPAIN AND THE STATES.

A More Peaceable Outlook.

NOT LIKELY THERE WILL BE WAR.

Spain's Conciliatory Attitude Pleases the President.

NEW YORK, March 29.—The feature of yesterday's "war" news was a reaction in stocks in London and New York.

In London the Rothschilds are reported

## Something New!

A New Wall Paper Show Room. We have opened up on the 2nd flat of our store a

## NEW WALL PAPER SHOW ROOM

Where every grade and coloring of wall paper can be seen as it HANGS WHEN ON THE WALL.

This will make the choosing of the wall paper easy and satisfactory.

Nothing but wall paper is shown in this NEW WALL PAPER ROOM. We invite everyone interested in Wall Paper to visit our new

Wall Paper Show Room, Geo. Carter & Co'y,  
The Largest Importers of Wall Paper.

to have bought heavily, and American and other securities advanced upon publication of the Maine report.

In New York the effect was similar and a very considerable recovery went along way to wipe out the losses incurred during the progress of the investigation.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The prevailing tone, as secured from administration sources has been more reassuring in line of peace than for some days.

The general tone of the Spanish answer impressed President and Cabinet most favorably, so much so that it is stated that the outlook was far more reassuring and that Spain had shown such a conciliatory tone that it was believed she would make concessions sufficient to permit an amicable adjustment of present strained relations.

This was qualified by a statement that the danger point has not yet been passed, and that a war while not longer a probability was yet a possibility.

## SITUATION IN THE EAST.

A Very Unlikely Report.

STATES THAT THE BRITISH POLICY HAS BEEN ABANDONED AND THAT GREAT BRITAIN WILL GRAB LIKE THE REST.

Movement Expected in the Near Future.

LONDON, March 29.—A statement has been obtained from a competent quarter respecting the British intentions in China in view of naval movements in the far east. It is admitted that the British policy of maintaining the integrity of China and the equal commercial status of all nations has been abandoned owing to the concessions made to Russia and Germany. It is added: "The only course left for Great Britain is to follow suit, obtaining equal advantages with other powers and securing adequate compensation in her own interests. This explains the British naval activity at Hong Kong and elsewhere. Therefore a movement upon the part of Great Britain may be anticipated in the near future."

It is deemed improbable that Japan, single handed or, still less, in conjunction with China, will combat the policy of the European powers. She will probably rest content with a compromise satisfactory to her pride and securing the position due her as the fruit of her victory over China.

SEBASTOPOL, March 27.—As a result of the discovery of serious and wholesale bribery and corruption, one hundred dockyard officials and officers of the Russian Black Sea fleet have been arrested. Admiral Kopyloff, commander of the fleet has been dismissed. Five officers have committed suicide since their arrest.

Mule Will Kick, but Never Runs Over.

Touching the protest we occasionally hear against the dangerous practice of driving loose mules through the streets, it may be well to assure the timorous that there is no possible danger of a mule running over a child. You may set a baby in the middle of Marietta street and drive a thousand mules at a wild gallop through it and not one would hurt the baby. It is well enough to give a mule's heels a wide berth, but no one ever heard of a child or man being run over by one. You could not drive a mule over a child.—Atlanta Commercial.

### Gilded Manners.

Ethel—Mamma, I just can't consent to be the wife of Mr. Newrocks. That dinner he invited me to yesterday settled it.

Mrs. Oldham—Why, my child, what did he do—eat with his knife?

Ethel—Oh, I could stand that. He used a corner of the tablecloth for a napkin.—Chicago Journal.

The finest shaving brushes are manufactured from badgers' hair, and "camel's hair" brushes are turned out in great quantities from squirrels' tails and from the hair that grows inside the ears of oxen.

When the steamship Great Western made the run from Bristol, England, to New York from April 8 to 23, 1838, it was believed the problem of transatlantic steamship travel was solved.

The highest masts of sailing vessels are from 160 to 280 feet high and spread from 60,000 to 100,000 feet of canvas.

## TO-NIGHT, MARCH 29th

### LECTURE

—IN—

## ZION CHURCH BASEMENT

—BY—

## REV. T. F. FULLERTON.

SUBJECT—"Mary Queen of Scots," Illustrated by Stereopticon Views. Admission 15c.

IT PAYS TO BUY AT PERKINS'

# FIRST SHIPMENT OF SPRING MILLINERY.

New Sailor Hats  
New Walking Hats  
New Dress Hats  
New Hat and Bonnet Shapes  
New Ribbons—New Flowers—New Ornaments.

## F. Perkins & Co.,

SUNNYSIDE  
Agents for Moncton Woolen Mills.

CREDIT TO WHOM CREDIT ETC.

SIR,—I notice by THE EXAMINER last evening you credit Mr. Hammond Large with starting a new industry. This industry may be new to Mr. Large but not to Charlottetown as I last summer built an enamelling oven and started the industry referred to: since which time it has been a regular branch of my bicycle repair business. In this, as in everything else connected with the safety bicycle in P. E. Island I have been the pioneer. I lead and let those who wish follow.  
W. F. DULL.

LOCAL NOTICES.

"Athenian" Boot, something new and nobby, call and see it, at R K Joet's Stamp Corner.

Our hats lead in style and value.—The Bargain Corner.

Special reductions on children's clothing.—The Bargain Corner.

Special discounts in black and colored fine cashmeres at the Bargain Corner.

Miss Hueston, Masseuse and Manicure Parlour, resid. use of Mr. A. H. Clements, Kent St. Hours, 4 to 6 p. m. 73 1w.

Visit the new wall paper show room at Carter's Bookstore. See ad.

Handsome lot of new frilled curtain muslins just in. Some on exhibition in the north window.—Moore & McLeod.

The lady who is fond of fancy work will be interested in "Sibleton" the new crochet thread. It's of cotton but finished like silk—8 cents a spool here.—Moore & McLeod.

Sent by mistake—A large case of prints, 3,000 yards. Regular value 7½ cents per yard, will sell to clear quick at 5 cents. Come early.—J. B. Macdonald & Co.

Boy's suits.—We have a lot boy's suits from 5 to 10 years of age. We are closing out at a big reduction. Any reasonable offer will not be refused if your boys are in want of pants you should see the lot at J B Macdonald & Co. 71. 3i.

Another lot of new boots arrived. Pretty lines in ladies' and misses' black and chocolate.—J. B. Macdonald & Co.

Gentlemen see our new boots. Just in. They are prize winners—black and chocolate.—J B Macdonald & Co. 71. 3i.

Oysters 35 cents a quart at Joys.

Hats, hats.—English and American newest styles and lowest prices. try J B Macdonald & Co. 72. 3i.

New American caps.—12 cases of new hats and caps opened yesterday. If you want the latest in caps now is your chance.—Prowse Bros. 71. 3i.

We have been in this stand for over 22 years, but now we are going to move. Before doing so, we will offer our large stock of crockery and glassware at a bargain wholesale and retail at the cheap crockery store.—W. P. Colwill.

Today, Saturday, March the 26th, will witness the usual rush in our hat department. The new styles are exceptionally nobby. Drop in tonight and get the prices.—Prowse Bros. 3i

We are now moving into the brick building formerly occupied by Miller Bros where we have a nice show of goods. We want all our old customers to come along and bring as many more as they can.—W P Colwill. 2w d w.

## FOR SALE OR TO LET.

That most desirable business stand, situated on Kent Street, between Princes and Great George. This property was occupied for some years past by the late J. A. C. meron, as a watch and jewelry store and dwelling. For particulars apply to  
D. STEWART,  
Baker, Kent Street.

## Among the New Shirt Waists

Want more people to get acquainted with our Shirt Waist department. It's specially designed to please people who are particular. There's ample variety for easy choosing. There are samples of about all the new styles that are good

Costs nothing to see them,  
For Blouses and Wrappers  
They Will Wash  
That line of new English prints have their colors fastened in to stay. The patterns are fresh, dainty ones. The fabric is splendid. The width is about 32 in. and the price is only 14 cents per yard

There's a lot of interesting values on the bargain table today.  
A mixed lot—some  
sateens, some grass linens, some muslins, some fine quality prints, worth from 15c to 24c per yard.  
Sale price  
12c per yd.

## MOORE & McLEOD,

What We Advertise We Have

## Spring Shoes

See our window to night for new spring and summer shoes.

W. H. STEWART & CO