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A Bazaar!

Under the auspices of some Ladies of the Congregation of St. Peter's Cathedral, will be held in

Kindergarten - Hall

Thursday, 7th Dec., 1899,

Beginning at 3, p. m.
Admission 10 cents

TABLES

ADVERTISEMENT—At which a large variety of the best selling goods manufactured, and most extremely advertised in United States and Canada, will be offered for sale. Miss Simpson, assisted by Mrs Tooker, Mrs Mitchell and Mrs Tidmarsh.

2. FANCY—Useful and ornamental articles, toys, aprons, fancy work, &c. Miss DesBrisay, assisted by Miss Amy Brecken and Miss Canning.

3. REMEMBRANCE—Table contributed to from all parts of the world by former members of the congregation. Miss Strickland, assisted by Miss B Haviland and Miss A Crockett.

4. DOLLS—The most varied lot ever seen in Ch'town. Miss Pippet, assisted by Misses Nora Tooker, Mary Bayfield, Hilda Stewart, Minnie Owen, Kitty Peters, Gertrude DeBlois, Miriam Mitchell and Helen Warburton.

5. BOOK STALL—Second hand books and magazines. Miss Hotkirk.

6. STATIONERY—Writing paper, envelopes and fancy stationery. Mrs Warburton.

7. CANDY—Home-made of every description. Miss Louise Dawson, assisted by Miss Muriel Peake, Miss Fairclough and Miss W Tomlins.

8. TEA—Afternoon tea from 4.30 to 5.30; high tea from 5.30 to 7.30. Mrs A Peters, assisted by Mrs J Peake, Mrs W Stewart, Mrs Cairns, Miss DeBlois, Miss Peters, Miss M Irwin, Miss A Fraser, Miss W Arbuckle, and Miss W Stairs.

9. COCOA and BOLLIV. Miss Mellish.

10. LITERARY CONTEST—Prizes given to most successful guessers of titles of books, enigmatically represented. Mr. Foster.

11. SIMPLE SIMON—Fishing wonderful bargains out of his mother's pail. Master Geo. Stewart.

12. LITTLE JACK HORNER—Drawing tempting plums out of his Xmas pie. Master A Vinnicombe.

In the evening music will be provided and everything done to make this Bazaar a pleasure to all who patronize it. Prices of all articles will be moderate, and no one will be unduly urged to buy. It will afford every one an opportunity of enjoying themselves, and to purchase Xmas presents for all sorts and conditions of men.

THAT ASYLUM CONTRACT.

Sir,—Following the interview of the Guardian re this settlement with Lowe, it seems hard to understand how the Government do the business of the country. One thing is certain, that the unfortunate inmates have been forced to endure almost every discomfort for a period of four years since this contract was let to Lowe. The Premier also admits that under the new contract the country must be at a loss of several thousands of dollars under any circumstances; and Lowe claims to have been ruined by the Government!

Supposing Lowe to be contrary and over-exacting in his demands, as the Government claims he was, the country would like to know what kind of bargain was made in the first place?

Did the Government have a business-like agreement on which the work was to proceed and proper security for its performance? If so, is it not the rule in such cases for the Government to call on the sureties if the principal fail to perform the contract? Did the Government accept men of straw for sureties in this case; or if they were responsible men why were they not held responsible for their bonds instead of the misery falling on the inmates and the loss on the country?

What are the bonds of the sureties for? Can they, too, have been men like Mr. Lowe that the government could do nothing with?

The tax-payers of the country would like a little information on this point in order to form a clear judgment.

Premier Faquharson says they paid Lowe \$1,500 which they now think it best to lose. Why does he lose this, if secured? And, above all, why does he pay to one of the sureties the amount of \$1980 of the people's money when that surety was responsible to the government for the completion of the contract by Lowe?

OLD CONTRACTOR.

VICTIMS OF THE WEATHER.

Georgian Bay District Thankful for Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Kincardine, Dec 4.—This month has been the worst in years in the Lake Huron and Georgian Bay districts. Victims of rheumatism who probably keep a closer tab on the climatic variations than other people are all loud in their assertions as to this season being a record breaker for dampness and raw biting winds. If these good people instead of keeping tabs on the weather would follow the example of Herbert Brown, of Watson and Malcolm's Furniture Factory, Kincardine, they would be conferring a blessing upon themselves.

Mr. Brown says, "I had been feeling very bad with backache from my Kidneys, (Lumbago, a form of rheumatism.) I have taken three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and the pain has left me."

LOCAL NOTICES.

There are two kinds of fleecy underwear, cotton fleeced and wool fleeced. D A Bruce sells the wool fleeced for \$1.50.

The finest quality, non-irritating underwear at D A Bruce's.

Miller Bros for graphophones, records etc.

Kid gloves.—Read Weeks & Co's. ad. for a genuine bargain in kid gloves.

It pays to buy good musical instruments. We sell the best makers.—Miller Bros Queen St.

The best musical instruments at Miller Bros, Queen St.

The Real Big run Show at the Opera House to-night. Admission 10 cents.

Gloves—We have the best value in kid gloves in the city. See our special 58c line.—Weeks & Co., The People's Store.

Big snap in children's suits and boy's knee pants. Remember the place—Sentner, McLeod & Co.

Handkerchiefs from 1c each up today—Moore & McLeod

Our... Grand Christmas Display

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of the last week by making your purchases early.

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PERSONAL

Mr. Patrick Kelly, of Montague, is among the guests at the Queen Hotel.

Mr. Wilfrid Sullivan will leave to-morrow morning for San Francisco, California.

Miss Haley, of Waterside, was a passenger by the express on Saturday night returning from Boston.

Rev. W. R. Hogan, who has been visiting his parents in Charlottetown, left this morning on return to Portland, Oregon.

A message from Capetown to Mr. T. C. James, to-day, conveys the information that Rev. Mr. Fullerton has gone to the front with the Contingent.

Mrs. Geo. A. Dixon, who left Charlottetown for Boston some time ago, has obtained a position as book-keeper and cashier in the New York Dental Parlors on Washington Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Morrison, of North Tryon celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Friday last. The occasion was a very pleasant one, and the happy old couple received a number of presents.

Mr. Raymond Archibald, who will be remembered in Charlottetown as a clever violinist, is now attending the University of Strasbourg, where he hopes to take the degree of Ph. D. in the spring. His specialties are violin music and the higher mathematics.

Mr. James D. Hyndman, after passing the examination required, was, on Friday last admitted an Attorney of the courts of Manitoba. Mr. Hyndman is a son of Charles Hyndman, Esq., of Brighton. He studied law here, in the office of A. A. McLean, Esq.

The body of the late Dr. Alex. McDonald, of Grand Forks, Dakota, will be brought home for burial. The body will arrive in Summerside tomorrow evening, and on Wednesday it will be taken to Mount Stewart for interment. Dr. McDonald was suffering from diabetes, and came on to New York for special treatment.

Conductors Kelly, McDonald and Munroe, of the Island railway, who were in Moncton interviewing the authorities regarding an increase of wages for conductors, returned to Charlottetown on Saturday evening. Other branches of the Government railway system were also represented by the delegation. The matter is under the consideration of the authorities, and it is hoped that the application will be looked upon with favor.

SHIP NEWS.

Port of Charlottetown.

ENTERED.

Dec 2.—A S Townshend, Whittle, Pictou; Mary F Harris, Piercy, Sydney; J A G C, Habley, New Glasgow, N S.

CLEARED.

Dec. 2—A S Townshend, Whittle, Pictou.

Port of Summerside

ENTERED.

Nov. 30.—Restive, Cain, Pictou, coal.

Dec 2—Howard L, Farrow, Pictou, coal; Ida M, Mallett, Pictou, coal.

CLEARED.

Nov. 30.—Restive, Cain, Pictou, bal; Morning Star, Arsenneau, Pictou, oats.

Dec. 2—Howard L Farrow, Sydney oats and potatoes.

Port of Souris.

ENTERED.

Week ending December 2.—Maria Ann, from Magdalene Islands, for cargo, oats and potatoes; Mary Joseph, Pictou; coal for Capt. McDougald; Nutwood, Pictou, flour for Mathew & McLean; Mischief, Bridgewater, to load produce for Mathew & McLean; T W Smith, Halifax, with cargo general mds; Our Hope, Canso, with cargo of Herring.

CLEARED.

Week ending December 2.—Abana, St Pierre, produce, and live stock for H H Acorn; Arclight, St. Pierre, produce and live stock, Thos. Kickham; Nutwood, Grand River to load produce, Mathew & McLean; Rowena, Halifax, produce, H H Acorn; Nutwood, Pictou, 7,500 bush. oats, Mathew & McLean; besides a large amount of produce shipped by steamer.

BADDECK, June 11, 1897.

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To the lady buyers of Xmas goods.—This week we will open our stock of fancy goods—would you do us the favor if in need of presents, to look over our stock—will deem it a pleasure to show you through. This advice is also for gentlemen.—Reddin Bros, opposite Post Office.

Special Silk Sale to-morrow at Stanley Bros. li

Wave Crest Ware is all the go. For sale at Carters' Bookstore.

Buy your gaiters with cord binding. They will wear longer. For sale at R K Jos's.

I. O. O. F.—St. Lawrence Lodge, No 8, meets to-night at 8 o'clock. Initiation.

Local and Other Items.

B I S.—The regular monthly meeting of the B I S will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

C. M. B. A.—Branch No 216 C. M. B. A. will meet in the A. O. H. Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. Election of officers.

PRACTICE.—A full practice for Mr. Earle's concert will take place at his new studio, Great George Street, at 7 o'clock.

MASONIC.—Regular meeting of Victoria Lodge, A. F. & A. M, this evening at 8 o'clock. Election of officers. Brethren please remember.

WORTH SEEING.—Several excellent pictures of Rev. T. F. Fullerton, chaplain of the Canadian contingent, may be seen in the show room of Mr. S F Turbush, on Queen Street.

THE HALIFAX BOAT.—The steamer City of Ghent arrived from Halifax about four o'clock this morning, bringing a general cargo. She leaves on return this afternoon taking a good freight.

POLICE COURT.—Five drunks answered to their names this morning. Richard Collins was fined \$10 or 60 days, James Hennessy \$4 or 10 days and Charles McGeogor, Benj Byers and James McIntyre were each fined \$2 or 10 days.

THE HALIFAX.—The Halifax will make her last trip from Charlottetown this season to-morrow, leaving here at the usual time in the afternoon. Intending shippers should make a note of this fact.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Harry Lord, son of Mr. A. Lord, had his knee badly cut at Brockville, Ont., a few days ago. He is in the employ of the Bell Telephone Co, and was working on a new line at the time of the accident.

LOBSTER REGULATIONS.—The lobster packers and fishermen of the eastern end of King's County are arranging to-day for a special train to attend a meeting to be called in Charlottetown at an early date of the Lobster Commissioners to protest against the proposed regulations as regards the size limit and spawn lobsters.

VICTORIA DIVISION.—Regular meeting of Victoria Division tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. Members will please be on time. A pleasant affair is expected at the literary contest to be opened this evening. All members are requested to be present and take part. Members of the order will be welcome.

OUR SUNDAY SCHOOLS.—There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the P E I Interdenominational Sunday School Association at the home of Rev. G P. Raymond, Queen St., to-night at 8 o'clock.

It is expected that a field worker will be employed for three months to effect a more thorough organization of the county and district work. An attempt will be made to bring the Sunday School work of the Island up to that efficiency attained in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

HOCKEY.—A meeting of the representatives of the Crystal Hockey Club, of Summerside, and the Victorias and Abegweit-Crescents, of Charlottetown, was held Saturday evening in the A. C. A. C. rooms. A senior league was formed and a schedule of games for the winter was drawn up. The league arranged for the purchase of a handsome trophy to be held by the team winning the championship. An intermediate league will be formed in a few days. No officers as yet have been elected.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.—Last evening the choir of the First Methodist Church sang "Dusseldorf" as composed by Mr. James M. Lemont, of Fredericton, N. B. The pastor mentioned that the composer of the music just rendered was present, Mr. Lemont having arrived in the city on Saturday to spend Sunday and today with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Johnson. It must be very gratifying to Prof. Watts and his excellent choir to know that Mr. Lemont spoke most favorably of the music last night, for this gentleman is a thorough musician and is looked upon as one of the best musical critics in the Maritime Provinces, if not in the Dominion, and a critique from his ready pen is eagerly sought after by the leading journals, and as eagerly read by the musical public.

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