

OUR JANUARY SALE.

Don't think for one minute because you see goods advertised at half price, that you can get them at half what we ask.

You can easily understand how a merchant's ideas of values will expand, when you find men who imagine they are John Wanamaker.

Now we will guarantee that there is no John Wanamaker, or any other merchant in this city, that will give you real good honest goods, for less than—Prowse Bros.

From now till stocktaking, we will offer all of our magnificent stock of Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Clothing, Carpets, Dress Goods, Sacques and Capes at prices that cannot be out classed in the city.

Any merchant can note prices, and give you figures that will confuse the greatest scholar of the age, but it takes a merchant who is in a position to buy right, buy in large quantities, buy for spot cash, to buy goods at right prices.

.. We Prefer ..

To have you come in and examine our goods, and get our prices, before you come to the conclusion that you can buy as cheap in any other store.

All we ask is a chance to compare our goods and prices. We could whisper a few things in your ear about those double price, and half price sales, that would surprise you.

Now, Please Understand

It is not a matter of price with us, but strictly a matter of value, if we cannot give you that, we do not want your trade.

Give Us a Chance.

PROWSE BROTHERS.

The Wonderful Cheap Men

MARRIED:

At the Parsonage, York, on the 13th January, by Rev. R. Opie, Alfred Ernest Ferguson to Beatrice Henry, both of St. Peter's Road.

DIED.

At Woods Harbor, Shelburne County, N. S., on Dec. 31st, 1897, of pneumonia, Albert Bares Huestis, aged 44, second son of Rev. G. O. Huestis.

At East Royalty, Charlottetown, on Friday, 14th January inst. Helen Henderson, beloved wife of William Harper, Sr., aged 66 years, leaving a husband, six sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. [Funeral will leave house at 2 p. m. on Monday, for Sherwood Cemetery.]

LOCAL NOTICES.

Bargains in boots and shoes tonight at R. K. Jost's.

Don't neglect the opportunity offered to buy your winter clothing by the great marked down sale at McKay Woolen Co's.

Read our ad on first page. It announces a good deal; it does exactly what it announces.—McKay Woolen Co's.

Liberal - Conservative Conference

The Annual Meeting of the Liberal Conservative Conference of Prince Edward Island, will be held in the Masonic Temple Building, in Charlottetown, on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, instant, at 11 o'clock, a. m. Representatives from all Electoral and Polling Divisions are requested to be present.

C. R. SMALLWOOD, D. FERGUSON, Secretary. President. Dated Jan 11—'98, her., wat.&s.j. 2i

BUTTER TUBS.

1,500 in stock—Indian manufacture. New and well made.

CARVEL BROS. Ch'town, Jan 6—2aw2w.

NOTICE

The property on the corner of King and Pownall Sts., belonging to the estate of the late Catherine McKenna, (subject to a 31 years unexpired lease, from May 1st, 1898), will be sold by Public Auction, on Tuesday, May 3rd, 1898, at 12 o'clock, noon.

This property is now known as the Finlay House. Terms Cash. M. P. HOGAN, PATRICK BLAKE, Executors

Jan 12 until 1st April, 1924

HENRY R. LORDLY C. E.

A. M. Can. Soc. C. E. Graduate College of Civil Engineering Cornell University. Consulting Engineer for General Work, Specialties: Hydraulic, Sanitary Engineering and Bridge Designing. Office at Charlottetown and St. John Island correspondents address to Charlottetown. oct 14 d&w

See Our Ladies

Fancy Slippers

FOR

\$1.88

Received Since Xmas

GOFF BROS

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of THE EXAMINER Publishing Company, will be held at the office of THE EXAMINER Newspaper, on Wednesday, the 26th day of January, inst, at eight o'clock in the evening.

ARCHIBALD IRWIN, Jan 8—'98 Secretary.

Lecture and Entertainment Course

SEASON 1897—1898.

St Peter's New Hall, Ch'town

Alternate Tuesdays as follows:—

Dec. 14th and 28th.

Jan. 11th and 25th.

Feb. 8th and 22nd.

Particulars of each Entertainment will given in due course in our local column sept 13—

We wish you to ask our clerks to show you the Oxford Dress Tweeds which we have just received—made of pure Canadian wool, clear, strong dyes, nice tweed effects and exceedingly durable.

BEER BROS

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Great Jacket sale.—Beer Bros.

TEMPERANCE.—On Sunday evening Rev. James Simpson will preach on the temperance problem.

THE RAILWAY MEN'S Sunday afternoon meeting is now held in Wright's Hall, corner of Kent and Prince Streets.

SONG SERVICE at the Railway Men's meeting in Wright's Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3.45. Strangers always welcome.

RAILWAY DESTROYED.—A fire on Sunday destroyed the marine railway at St. Pierre, Miq. The railway was built a year ago at a cost of \$40,000.

BOOK LOST.—A copy of Kipling's Barrack-room Ballad, issued some time ago, had my name on inside of cover. Reward to whoever returns it. Archibald Irwin, Examiner Office.

VERY SUCCESSFUL.—The basket social and entertainment at Winsloe an evening or two ago was a most enjoyable affair. The amount realized was between \$60 and \$70, which goes towards the fund for an organ for the hall.

A GREAT COMPANY.—We direct attention to the advertisement of the Standard Life Assurance Company, of which Mr. Fred. W. Hyndman is agent, and Mr. John O. Hyndman, special agent. The Standard is a synonym for strength as a perusal of the advt. will show.

ISLANDERS IN BOSTON.—A reunion of the Prince Edward Islanders residing in Boston will be held on February 17th. At the dinner of the Prince Edward Island Club in the United States Hotel a few evenings ago the principal speakers were D. A. Macdonald, E. W. Doyle and Dr. Johnston.

THE AXE AGAIN.—Capt. McDonald, of the I. C. R. ferry steamer Mulgrave, on the strait of Canso, has been dismissed for alleged political partizanship. His successor is Capt. Weiling, of Cumberland Co., and formerly of the old S. S. Mayflower, running between Pugwash and Charlottetown.

THE FORESTERS.—A new court of the Independent Order of Foresters was organized at Tignish a few evenings ago. It will be known as Court Tignish. Its officers are:

- C. D.—Albert Glidden.
- C. R.—W. B. M. Lennon.
- V. C.—J. T. Reid.
- P. C.—James C. J. J. J.
- R. S.—Urban Christopher.
- F. S.—A. C. Dawson.
- Treas.—Arthur C. Green.
- Chap.—Hugh J. Larkin.
- Physician—Dr. W. W. Wickham.
- S. W.—B. R. McFadyen.
- J. W.—John Bernard.
- S. B.—T. M. Ryan.
- J. B.—W. J. Haywood.

MERRY MARRIAGE BELLS.—There was a very pretty wedding at Souris on Tuesday last, when Miss Mary Olive Paquet, third daughter of Mr. Alexander Paquet, and Stephen J. Burke, son of Mr. Iadore Burke, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. D. F. Macdonald, in the Roman Catholic Church, and was witnessed by a goodly number of the friends of the principals. Miss Mattie Cantwell, of Charlottetown, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, and the groom was ably supported by Mr. John Lavie, of Souris. The bride was becomingly attired in a dress of wine-colored cashmere with cream trimmings, and the bridesmaid's dress was grey with gold trimmings. The wedding march was excellently played by Sonnia and William Paquet, cousins of the bride. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. THE EXAMINER joins in the good wishes.

OBITUARY.

At Elmira, Lot 47, on the 20th Dec., 1897, Sarah Campbell, wife of John McPhee, tailor, in the 82nd year of her age. Deceased, though suffering from constitutional indisposition of late years, was otherwise enjoying good health up to the time of her demise, which was very sudden and unexpected. A husband, three sons and one daughter survive her. The body was conveyed to St. Columba church on the 21st ult., where a solemn requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. A. J. McIntyre, P. P., thence to the cemetery to await the final resurrection.

THE LABORERS COMPLAINT.

SIR.—The city election will soon take place, and it is time for the street laborers, and others who have the interest of our working class at heart to make a move. One of the well known Councillors has held the pickled rod over the city laborers too long. The poor man who earns his pittance of money by hard digging and picking on our streets, should be allowed to buy his groceries where he can get them the cheapest. It is not that way at present. The men are told they must buy from this Councillor, and if they don't they are quickly put out of a job without knowing the reason why. But this is not the worst of it. After making the men buy his goods at long prices he goes to the Government and tells the leading men that he has the working men of Ward Five under his thumb, and therefore gets all the pickings from the Local and Dominion Governments. It is time for the working class to stand up as one man, and put those kind of people where they should be. We want men in our City Council and not a pack of old women. City Councillors should be above such small tricks as those that are imposed on our working men, and the Councillor who allows his colleague to do such things is as deaf in the mire as he. I hope the working men in Ward Five will stand together and vote those men home, and put honest men in their places and give the workingmen justice.

CHARLES YEO.

CITY EXTRAVAGANCE.

SIR.—Whither are we drifting? What the end? The increase in city expenditure is simply appalling. From forty thousand dollars about ten years ago it is now walling up into the seventies. Jobbery and chicanery go hand in hand to swell the bill. City works which would be good for many years are torn down and rebuilt to get rid of money and the tax-s of temperance people used to buy grog and cigars for their bacchanalian revelries. Surplus indeed! With six thousand dollars borrowed on debentures and about \$2,000 unpaid accounts, with \$700 from the sale of an engine house which cost the city nearly \$3,000, and a water sinking fund debt of \$6,412, they boast of a \$300 surplus!

The Frenchman who gave his note of hand to settle a bill and then exclaimed, "Fank God, that's paid," could enter the plea of ignorance. But city fathers are supposed to have some intelligence. The park roadway cost over \$13,000, about \$5,000 of which is wasted. Sewerage is coming, too. These men want it. Will it be safe to put two or three hundred thousand dollars at the disposal of such spend-thrifts? Citizens, you had better wake up before the pinching gets too severe.

WATCHDOG.

Rye flour for sale at Beer & Goff's. 10 2i

Only 100 tickets so if you want to see the greatest game of Hockey for the gallery get a ticket. Tickets for sale at A. W. Reddin's, Johnson & Johnsons and Reddin Bros.

Speaker Edgar, of the House of Commons, is now at Washington. Our United States friends would feel they were being neglected as a month passed without their capital being visited by some Canadian Liberal statesmen.

DO NOT

Let Doubtful Discounts Deceive You

WE ARE ALL

After your desirable patronage and willing to meet value with value.

BEER BROS

Military Men

Who are attending the school can get from us a smart looking Calfskin leg Boot for

\$3.75

a pair. Why pay a larger price? Officers who have seen it pronounce it "all right."

ALLEY & CO.,
The Shoemakers

THINK of the LOSS

to your business when burned out, even with full insurance; but think what it must be with no insurance. A prudent man always insures his property.

I represent good Fire Companies.

E. R. BROW,
Insurance Agent
Charlottetown

The Best

assortment of pies are to be had at our bakery. We have

Apple Pies,	12c each
Mince Pies,	10c each
Tart Pies,	10c each
Cream Pies,	12c and 15c each
Cocoanut Pies,	15c and 20c each

TELEPHONE 98.

D. STEWART
ECLIPSE BAKERY
Bakes Best Bread.

Hockey MATCHES.

—IN—

Hillsborough Rink
Under the Distinguished Patronage of His Honor, the Lieut. Governor.

WEDNESDAY
THE 19th

WANDERERS OF HALIFAX,
vs.
VICTORIAS
of this city, and on

FRIDAY, 21ST,
Wanderers vs Abegweits

Admission 25c.
Reserved seats, 35c.
Gallery, 50c.
Without doubt the greatest games of Hockey ever played on the Island.

BEER, LORDLY & PROWSE
MANAGERS.

\$1.25

BUYS A PAIR

of mens light Dongola laced boots, suitable for wearing under rubbers and overshoes.

\$1.00

for your choice of a lot of ladies' and girls fine boots.

60 & 75c

Lots of ladies' slippers, Moos e-hide Moccasins, from 50c a pair up.

R. K. Jost

Stamper's Corner.

LOST.—A gold chain and a medal yesterday, between Steam Nav. Co's Wharf and Post Office. Apply at this office. Jan 12