

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Beer Bros. for Dress Goods.

FOR BARBADOS.—The schr. Mary P., with 9,000 bushels of white oats and 16 horses, sailed yesterday for Barbados.

FRUITFUL SHIPMENT.—Mark Wright & Co. has made several large shipments of furniture by schooners to mainland ports this week.

THE PRINCESS began work on the Charlotte Harbor route this morning, leaving here at 9 o'clock. She will return this evening.

EARLY.—Water was turned on at the rink this afternoon, and Mr. J. B. Dawson informs us that he is going to try and have ice ready for skating by 15th December.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Teachers' Institute will be held in the City School Board office at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

DEMAREST MEDAL.—The fourth contest in connection with the Demarest Medal took place on Thursday evening. There were five contestants, Miss Florie Welsh was the winner.

A GOOD ORDER.—Recently Mark Wright & Co. received a letter from one of their wholesale customers for eight parlour suits. Evidently their "home made" furniture is winning fame.

THE DREDGE.—The Government steam dredge has returned from Cranford where dredging has been going on for some time. Next week work will be commenced at Cranberry Wharf, East River.

GOSSIP MEETING.—Remember the Gossip meeting in the Y. M. C. A. parlour Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the railway men. Strangers always welcome. Lesson, Phil., 2-13 Spiritual power.

SCOTT ACT.—Before H. J. Palmer, Stipendiary Magistrate for Murphy's County a few days ago, John Murphy, South Shore, and Patrick Welsh, Swanter Bridge, were convicted of first infractions of the Scott Act and fined \$30 and each.

INFORMATION WANTED.—The Postmaster at Charlottetown has received enquiries respecting the friends of Howard Harvey, who was killed in London, 11, last June. Harvey was 21 years of age, and stated that his father lived in P. E. Island.

LAW SCHOOL.—On Wednesday evening of next week the faculty propose holding a meeting at which an address will be given by the Hon. Mr. Justice Hodgson, Master of the Rolls, P. E. Island, and Dr. Stockton will deliver a lecture on the Monroe Doctrine.—St. John Telegraph.

COMING TO CHARLOTTETOWN.—Miss Bruce and the Misses Webb, violin students at Mount Allison, will appear at the opera house, Charlottetown, on December 14th. These young ladies have been in all the leading towns in the province, and have been enthusiastically received on every hand.—Sackville Post.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE.—A harvest thanksgiving service will be held in the Upper Methodist Church tomorrow. The ladies have displayed their skill in trimming the church with evidences of the Divine goodness during the year. The pastor will preach sermons appropriate to the subject at both services.

ASSAULT.—A lobster fisherman named John McAskill was assaulted on Queen Street this forenoon by a man named Phelan who lives on Richmond Street. McAskill was severely cut about the face and head, and Dr. Warburton dressed his wounds in Johnson's drug store. It is stated that Phelan had stones in his hands when he attacked McAskill. The matter will probably be ventilated in the court.

THEY'RE AFTER HENDERSON.—A few days after the M. P. A. A. meet the G. M. A. said it had learned that the Moncton Athletic Club would, Henderson, was well known P. E. Island professional. The M. P. A. A. has been investigating and is understood to have discovered that Henderson had completed for money on more than one occasion. The executive will likely make a demand on Henderson, through the Moncton Club, for the return of prizes won by him so that they can be given other competitors.—St. John Globe.

SUMMERSIDE EXPORTS.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes 2490 sacks oats, 18 horses, 5 cattle, 24 sheep, 24 pigs, 500 potatoes, 150 crates potatoes, 40 bags do., 5 cases lobsters, 3 cases cheese.

The above cargo was shipped by Rogers & Barnard.

Carters' Bookstore is now a veritable Bazaar. New goods opened up from Germany, France, Japan, England, United States and Canada. We are direct importers and have the newest things in our line.

\$1.75 and \$2.00.—Just opened a nice line of boys' refters. We will fit boys from 4 to 10 years old for \$1.75, and from 10 to 15 for \$2.—Prowse Bros.

\$3.75 and \$4.50 will get you a good ulster to fit boys from 14 to 18 years old at Prowse Bros.

Rainproof coats in all the leading and best makes from \$1.75 up. Ask to see our \$5 waterproof. It is a corker.—Prowse Bros.

We opened yesterday some special value in top shirts and underclothing. Only a few dozen of each kind. So come quick if you want a bargain.—Prowse Bros.

Wool Blankets \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5 a pair. Without doubt the best value in the city.—Prowse Bros.

PERSONAL.

Mayor Dawson and Miss Dawson returned to Charlottetown last evening. V. Doran and Miss Germaine Doran, Charlottetown, registered at the Hotel Brunswick, Moncton, on Thursday.

Miss Gail, of the Salvation Army at Montreal, will arrive in the city next week to take part in the 5th annual meeting.—Ottawa Free Press.

The arrivals at the Queen Hotel last evening included: Geo. W. Boyce, Brookville, Ont.; L. A. Marchand, Boston; Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, Glenora, N.S.; Dr. George Stair, son of Mr. E. D. Stair, now of New York but formerly of P. E. Island, has entered the Harvard University to prepare for the Baptist ministry. He was formerly general secretary of the Mount Vernon Y. M. C. A., and was successful in building up that Association. Another son of Mr. E. D. Stair is attending a New York commercial college.—Guardian.

Messrs. Duncan Marshall and Dagald Gillis, who are about to leave the Province, were last evening presented with addresses by the Christian Endeavour Society of Zion Church. Each made a fitting reply.

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SHIP NEWS.

Part of Charlottetown.

ENTERED.

Nov. 20.—Tug Winola, Walsh, Baie Verte; ss. Fastnet, Bethel, Halifax; Maggie Roach, Farrell, Richmond; Ethel Aggie, Plaster, Pictou; Minnie Scott, Vancouver, Northport; Swallow, Vanamier, Trinidad.

CLEARED.

Nov. 20.—Tug Winola, Walsh, Baie Verte; Minnow, Grouard, Bactonch, ss. Fastnet, Bethel, S'side; Maggie Roach, Farrell, Richmond; Frank Newton, Tully, Louisburg; Minnie Scott, Vancouver, Northport; Alma, Bell, Magdalen Islands; Swallow, Vanamier, Trinidad; Mary P., Bennett, Trinidad, B. W. I.

Written by any Physician on P.E.I., or one whom you may have consulted while away,

Johnson & Johnson, Graduates in Pharmacy.

Not How High

But how low can we make the price, is the question we ask ourselves when marking our goods for sale. That's what makes ours an ever expanding business; it's a potent advertiser, it tells the story through the purse in hundreds of homes, only to be retold in countless others by appreciative money savers. Homemade furniture at money saving prices.

MARK WRIGHT & CO., LTD Who Sell at Selling Prices.

Advertisement for Handkerchief Days On Saturday. We propose making three distinct divisions of our very large stock of Handkerchiefs to facilitate your buying. 1 Children's, 2 Women's, 3 Men's.—We are in a position to show a larger range of handsome novelties than ever before. Prices as usual on these occasions with us will be substantial. SATURDAY,---SATURDAY,---SATURDAY BEER BROS.

GENTLEMEN'S KID GLOVES AND MITTS

Large assortment, good goods, low prices. Prowse Brothers. The Wonderful Cheap Men.

Gentlemen's Gloves, Kid Gloves, Lined Kid Gloves, Warm Winter Gloves.



A GLOVE SALE.

Best quality, Large variety, lowest prices. Gentlemen, a chance now offers to save from 10c to 50c on our regular stock and a big line of wholesale samples to clear, only one of a size and one of a kind.

at these extraordinary low price WEEKS' GRAND OFFER.

Choice Lot No. 1, 79c; marked price 90c to \$1.00.

Gent's Fine Astrakhan Back Gloves, with heavy kid plain and lined back, now 75c regular \$1.00. Gent's extra quality kid gloves, with wrist clasp and heavy lined, now 75c, regular \$1.00. Gent's Mitts, same quality kid as above and heavy lined, now 75c, regular \$1.00. Boys' and Youth's fine kid and lined gloves 7c, regular \$1.

Weeks' Grand Glove Offer. 55c; choice Lot 2, rare value \$1.10 to \$1.25, now all at 95c.

Gent's California Nappa Taw-heavy lined and waterproof, special driving gloves, value \$1.25, now 95c. Gent's extra fine knit lined, all kid, clasp and long wrist, \$1.10 and \$1.25, both at 95c. Gent's heavy leather heavy driving gloves, with storm canvas, value \$1.15, now 85c.

Weeks' Big Glove Sale. \$1.25, regular price at \$1.06.

Gent's Buckskin, chambray line, for street wear, marked \$1.25, at \$1.06. Gent's very best, astrakhan Back, with kid palm, \$2.50, now \$1.00. \$1.75 for \$1.45, and \$2.40 for \$1.95. Gent's fine kid and Mecca gloves, very fine quality, value \$1.75, at \$1.45. Gent's Grey Horse skin gloves heavy lined, driving gloves, cheap at \$2.40, our price, \$1.95.

Lot 5, Wholesale Samples.—This lot included about 50 to 60 pairs used in the wholesale dept. Only one size and one of each kind at prices from 40c to \$2.00. Coars and fine makes. Gentlemen, buy your gloves at

WEEKS

THAT NEW VERSION OF THE BIBLE.

Sir,—I notice on the first page of to-day's Examiner a reprint from the columns of the New York Sun of an intemperate mention of the new Polyp Version of the Old Testament Scripture to be published under the auspices of Johns Hopkins University by Professor Paul Haupt.

It is not difficult to point out how trivial and unwarranted are the suggestions of change in the passage given from the ninth chapter of the Book Ecclesiastes, where the authorized version of the King James Bible is well upheld by the original; but it is mainly against the effect of intellectual teaching under the auspices of an intellectual endeavor that a warning is needed in the case of unauthorized expounders. It is very true that happily constituted reviewers of the Word, as kept and dispersed by the Church of God who gave it birth, have been duly relegated to the proper retirement which their unaccountable required, and the present attempt will meet its fate in the same way; but in the meantime it is to be regretted that the peace of the Church at large should be vexed by the dissemination of aggressive texts published by enterprising bookfirms, at the instance as in this case of the faculty of a noble seat of learning and under the hand of one of its professors in all the glimmer of modern fuss and feather.

If, finally, as is most natural, the most accomplished and at the same time the most faithful of New York journalists should herald this enterprise as an acquisition, why should he be followed by the press of a truer type among a people loyal to the faith.

PASTOR CATHOLICS. Charlottetown, Nov. 20, 1896.

Ringing noises in the ear, snapping, buzzing, roaring, caused by catarrh, and disappear with the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Only one left. A beautiful Sealot Cape, with bear trimmings, richly lined with heavy quilted satin, it's a nice one, see it, the last will go cheap.—J. B. Macdonald.

LUST OF POWER.

Extracts from the Fame That Should Have Been Bismarck's.

Half a dozen years ago, says the London Telegraph, Prince Bismarck was the most powerful statesman, not only in Germany but in Europe. A long and laborious life, devoted absolutely to a single purpose—the creation of a German empire under Prussian hegemony—had been crowned with complete success. It was an achievement which would, in any case, have secured him in history the foremost place among the men of action of the 19th century. Had he retired from political life on the death of his master, the first German emperor, without whose constant aid and loyal support his great work could never have been accomplished, he would have ended his public career in a blaze of triumph. The lust of power, however, had not been satisfied, and he had not yet reached the age of retirement. He was not a man of blood and iron, who, with such unflinching persistency, and at the cost of untold labors and innumerable sacrifices, had effected the great exploit of consolidating Germany. But from the day of his retirement or dismissal to the day he has been slowly though surely undermining his own reputation. The man who had crushed ruthlessly with an iron hand any indications, not only of insubordination, but of independence, on the part of his colleagues began a series of newspaper intrigues against his successor. His object was a matter of astonishment to all. Even his enemies—and he had naturally many—hardly dared to suspect that he sought to render the position of any other chancellor than himself impossible. Yet the effect of successive revelations made in the columns of the Hamburger Nachrichten—his own special organ—has left almost any other alternative unimaginable. It would well seem that Prince Bismarck endeavored to convey to the world that as his breath had made the German empire, so his breath should make the German nation. The efforts he put forth at the close of the Franco-German war to put France in a position of complete isolation seem in his irritable retirement to have given place to a perverse desire to see Germany in a like condition. The author of the triple alliance has been doing his utmost to dissolve the combination by sowing suspicion and distrust in the minds of Germany's allies.

SEVEN PEOPLE GONE CRAZY.

All Belong to one Family—The Son to Have Been Sacrificed.

Mr. Elijah Rice, a respectable farmer of Tyrone, Ont., and some six or seven members of his family have become suddenly demented with a form of religious mania. This is the first time that other members of the family were seized with epidemic insanity. They were seized of the idea that Lewis was possessed of the devil, and conceived it their duty to knock the evil spirit out of him. The father thereupon proceeded to batter Lewis about the head with a chair, in which act he was assisted by the other members of the family. Among them Lewis was almost killed, his head being hit in a terrible manner. Lewis felt that what the family did was perfectly right.

The next sacred act was to celebrate the feast of the Passover, and for a sacrifice they contemplated offering not a lamb but someone of the family. The eldest son, Lewis, out of whom the devil had just been expelled. Fortunately this was carried out on one of the young boys called on the Rev. M. Curtis and told him that they had knocked the devil out of Lewis, and that he was now safe for him. His strange manner aroused suspicion, and the minister in company with Dr. Mitchell and Dr. McLaughlin, visited the farm, and discovered the sad state of affairs. Lewis had been described. On consultation it was deemed advisable to send Lewis and his father to the asylum at Kingston. This was done on Friday last.

ROBBED BANK CAPTURED.

They Had Been Making Things Warm At Over Nebraska.

Chief of Police Bepinsky has returned to Hastings, Neb., from Hanover County, Kansas, where he traced the Devonport National Bank robbers and succeeded in unearthing an organized gang of the lightest kind of robbers, who have been operating through Nebraska the last six months. Last Saturday morning the bank of Devonport was robbed of everything in the safe, which amounted to several thousand dollars. The work was done by professionals.

Chief Bepinsky got on their track and followed them to Hanover, Kansas, where he arrested three of them.

The robbers' den was what is called a hole in the wall, and was run by one of the gang who disposed of the stolen goods. In searching the cellar, the officer dug up about \$500, \$30 in silver, plenty of gold watches and jewelry, besides a large roll of scrip and several dynamite bombs. Among the silverware found was that which was taken from the Devonport bank with the banker's name engraved.

The fellows, when searched, had upon their persons, \$1,300 in currency, several large revolvers and several large shotguns. Two of the robbers were captured while asleep in their room, and the third one, being the proprietor of the den, was captured while on duty.

The three robbers were taken to Washington, Kansas, to await trial.

Special police are busy scouring the state for other members of the gang.

A store full of Saturday attractions for tonight.—Moore & McLeod.

It is economy an object to you? Then study our ad. in another column.—Moore & McLeod.

Novelties in Cloaks for small children just opened.—Moore & McLeod.

Get your Sunday reading matter at McMillan & Hornsby's.

LADIES. MANTLES AND SHOCQUES

Hundreds of Ladies have visited our New Mantle Department this fall, and pronounced it one of the best in the city. Our styles are up to date, our fit and finish is the best. Drop in and see us. Prices low. PROWSE BROS.

BOYS. Our Hat and Cap

Department is full of the newest and nicest styles produced. All the very latest fads in the American Market, are among our stock. PROWSE BROS.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT

Must be the fate of every one who gazes on the superb stock of watches I am showing, not only because they are handsome, but because the price makes it possible for everyone to buy. Xmas will soon be here, don't you think a watch would make a pretty gift? You can select now from a stock that gives the widest choice for taste or fancy. Come and see them.

W. W. WELLNER JEWELER.

Music Without Money.

Send your address on postal card for catalogue and full particulars. It costs only a cent. GEORGE A. GARDNER, 20 Prescott St., Lowell, Mass. nov21-2i

APPLES WANTED.

To finish the season's pack, 50 barrels Cooking Apples. Must be large and free from brouse. Highest cash price will be paid. Apply at the Pioneer Factory. JONES & McRAE. Nov16-3 & wky.

FRATT'S ASTRAL OIL

Pratt's Astral, is the highest grade of American Kerosene Oil that we can buy. We have secured a quantity of it for this season's trade, and we can confidently recommend it to our customers. When you want your can refilled, send it to BEER & GOFF

LONDON HOUSE

Overcoats, Reefing Jackets. We have about one hundred and fifty. Not all sizes, but on those we have you can save a lot of money. T. J. HARRIS

Keep Your Horses

warm by buying them good warm Rugs; and the place to see the largest and best assorted stock is at Dawson's. Prices range from 50c to \$15.00 Head. W. E. DAWSON

To Do Your Buying Here.

QUALITIES ARE NEVER SACRIFICED TO PRICE, and yet prices are never high. If you want to know what "VALUE" is you'll need to get acquainted with our stock. Here's a list of "DOLLAR SAVERS" for to-day and to-night.

Ladies' Gloves.

Black Cashmere Gloves, 13c, 18c 22c, 30c and up. Fancy Wool Gloves 18c up. White Wool Gloves 32c. Kid Gloves, 7 stud lacing \$1.00. Guaranteed quality, lacing 1.10. Perrin's Guaranteed Kids, 7 stud lacing, all shades \$1.35.

Veilings.

Nice, good width spotted nets are only 14c. A little nicer for 16c and 19c.

Corsets.

We're ready with perfect "Corset Satisfaction" for you here—exactly what you want at exactly the price you want to pay. Good value 30c, 42c. Well made, good fitting 50c. Perfectly made, unbreakable, 75c up.

Ladies' Underwear.

We've a full stock of grand values; just room for a few samples. Extra heavy shaped Vest 24c. Very fine ribbed shaped, button front 30c. Extra heavy and warm ribbed, button front 36c. A beautifully made soft finished Vest, wearily all wool 55c.

Ladies' Felt Hats.

Counters full are waiting here for you. The newest of every shape and price. A counter full of fancy shape Felt Hats, at 25c.

Hosiery.

Ladies' heavy warm wool Hose 23c. Smooth ribbed Cashmere 25c. Men's Black Cashmere Sox 25c. Heavy rib'd wool Hose, boys 28c. Finer " " 32c. "Legging" at all prices.

Handkerchiefs, &c.

A big basketful, some hem stitched, some cold borders, 7c. Nice colored border 6c. White hemstitched 8c. White embroidered 8c.

To the Ladies Only

Do you intend buying a jacket this fall? If so be sure you call on us and get our price for one made to measure. We are confident we give better value than you can get on imported makes. Prices from \$7.00 upwards.

D. A. BRUCE,

EMPIRE BLEND TEA

I have just received the first instalment of my winter's supply of this famous tea, in 1, 3 and 5 lb. tins and 50 and 60 lb. steel chests. Remember there are several qualities of Empire Blend. I sell the BEST.

T. J. MORRIS

Grocer and Crockery Man