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LOST—A large Beagle Dog, black and white. Any information regarding him will be rewarded on application to A. J. Hill, Upper Prince Street. 288 21
HOUSE TO LET—Apply to Peter Bradley, Douglas Street. 295
TO LET—1 house on Brighton Road, facing south, 13 rooms, bath room and pantry, heated with hot water and fitted for electric light, houses on Brighton Road, facing west, 9 rooms, pantry and bath room. Apply to Matheson & Bentley. 218
TO LET—A house containing five rooms, situated on King Street, back of Merchant's Bank of P. E. Island. Apply at the office of L. L. Beer
It is the intention of Mrs. Theophilus DesBriay to have erected in 1901, on the corner of Queen and George Streets (site of Anthony's Hall), a three story brick building containing stores, ware room, offices, photographic rooms and barber shop. 3023leod
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TO LET—House on Queen Street, lately occupied by John Mumford, in good repair, containing eight rooms, frost proof cellar, large yard. Apply at the residence of Chas. Colquhoun, Jr. Hillsborough St. 272
FORSALE TO LET—Splendid 2-acre pasture field on Lower St. Peter's Road, one mile from Post Office. F. W. L. Moore, London House Corner. 277 wks eo d
WANTED—\$2.00 per day sure, gentlemen or ladies; special work; position permanent; reliable firm, with best references; experience unnecessary. Address—S. M. Fry, Field Manager, Halifax. 169 dawit

Prince Edward Island Railway

On and after TUESDAY, 26th, Dec., 1899 the trains of this Railway will run daily, (Sundays excepted,) as under.

Table with columns: Trains Outward, Read down, STATIONS, Trains Inward, Read up. Lists stations like Ch'town, Royalty, N. Wiltshire, Hunter River, Emerald Jun, Kensington, Wellington, Port Hill, O'Leary, Alberton, Tignish.

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Queer Story of a Grave. A curious barren mound is to be seen in Montgomery churchyard. Whatever the cause, there is plainly to be seen a strip of sterility in the form of a cross among a mass of verdure. With the mound a melancholy legend is connected. It is called "Robert's Grave," and the story is that beneath this barren hillock lie the remains of an innocent man who was hanged on mistaken evidence. It is said that while the man stood on the gallows with the rope round his neck he solemnly declared, as a proof of his innocence, that grass should never grow on his grave. And even so it was and is. Any one who attempts to frustrate the fulfillment of this prophecy by sowing grass on this spot pays the penalty with his life. Instances are given of individuals who have been rash enough to do so and have met their doom soon afterward.—Carroll Western Mail.

General Lee's Modesty. A month or so after his surrender General Lee went one day to the store near his home in Powhatan county, Va., which served also as the post-office. Everybody in the town was instantly eager to see him, and in a few moments the store was crowded. The general was talking with the proprietor about crops and other matters and appeared utterly unconscious of the fact that the gathering of the residents was due solely to his presence. Suddenly he realized that everybody was watching him and modestly said: "But I see I am keeping you from your many customers. Pardon me!" and at once withdrew.—Ladies' Home Journal.

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Russian Emigration. The wealthy Russians are said to be extremely profitable to hotel and shop keepers in the lands in which they are traveling. A Swiss authority insists that 200 Russians will spend more in a month than 1,000 English men and women for the same period of time.

When a boy goes to hunt anything, he always begins by making everybody in the room get up to see if they are sitting on the lost article.—Washington Democrat.

Modern books, however rapidly they may deteriorate from other causes, are protected from bookworms by the chemicals used in paper making.

The Fence Will Stay. Two Atchison men decided recently that their property would look better with no dividing fence between and took it down. It was down a week when both women agreed to make their husbands put up the fence again. They had had no trouble, but a talk in the back yard without a fence to lean on was like meat without salt. The fence is up to stay.—Atchison Globe.

His Eyesight Good. Large Lady—Could you see me across the street, officer? New Policeman—Shure, ma'am; it's tin toms th' distance Oi could see yez.—Chicago News.

Martin's Way. Irishmen are inclined to word perversion; but, says a writer in The Nineteenth Century, the following description of slow speech which often degenerates into a stammer shows that occasionally they use the best words possible in explaining a thing: "It's a quare sort uv way Martin talks," said Pat. "It's as if he tuk the wurd out uv his mou' an loked at 'em before he gives 'em to yez."

True. Lecturer—And what man is most apt to reach that elevation whence the earth may be viewed "as one vast plain?" Voice (in the audience)—The one that works in a powder mill.—Life.

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Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders and Patrons of the Hillsborough Dairying Company, will be held in the Mt. Herbert Hall, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, 1900, at 1 o'clock, p. m.

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List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown

In default for Assessment due on Real Property, for the year ending 31st December, 1899, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them respectively, with a statement of the Number of the town Lot, Water Lot or Common Lot, upon which, or any part thereof, such assessment is in default.

Table with columns: Name of Ratepayer in Default, Statement or Description of Property upon which Assessment is made, Amount of Assessment due & unpaid. Lists names like Binns, Elizabeth; Coyl, Stephen; Cudmore, Andrew; Hughes, Peter; Hughes, John; Lowe, Walter; McKay, W David; Purdie, Jane (W. A. O. Morson, Leslie McNutt, Trustees); Stewart, Allan Esletof late; Wailing Mrs; Wailing, Mrs; Williams, John.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Statute, 51 Victoria Cap. 12, Section 91, after 30 days publication of the above list, being a list of the Ratepayers of the City of Charlottetown, who have failed to pay within the time prescribed the Assessment severally levied upon their Real Property in said City, I will make an application to His Honor, the Stipendiary Magistrate of said City, for Judgement against each and all of the lands above described, for the respective amounts so levied against them, and then unpaid, and that upon such judgement being duly entered, I will further apply for a warrant for the sale of such lands.

Dated this 19th day of December, A. D., 1899. ROBERT VANIDESTINE, City Collector.

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Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders and patrons of the Dunstaffe Cheese and Butter Dairying Company, will be held at Marshfield Hall, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, A. D., 1900, at 11 o'clock, p. m. ROBERT M. MUNN, Esq., President. ANGLUS, & CAULAY, Secretary. Dec 29th, 1899—w 21