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REEFERS, }  
SUITS, }  
PANTS and VESTS, reduced 20 per cent.  
SHIRTS and LINDERS, very low.  
DRESS GOODS,  
ULSTERS,  
WOOL GOODS,  
HATS, RIBBONS and TRIMMINGS, } Reduced from  
CORSETS, } 20 to 35 Per Cent  
TABLE LINEN,  
SHEETINGS,

The whole stock of NEW WINTER GOODS must be sold, as the subscriber intends closing out the business.  
Five Pounds of 28 Cent Tea for \$1.00 - for Cash only.  
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Charlottetown, Dec. 6, 1889—6t eod wky

## LONDON HOUSE.

DECEMBER.

DURING THIS MONTH WE WILL OFFER OUR STOCK OF  
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ALL NEW GOODS IMPORTED THIS YEAR,  
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### Land Office Commission.

For several days past the Commissioners have been hard at work examining the books. Last night the following evidence was taken:

ELLEN CARILL (sworn)—I am the widow of the late John Cahill, of Bedouque. He died last August. He was buying out 97 1/2 acres on Lot 26 from the Government. I found this deed among the papers in the drawers after his death. (Deed produced.) I remember that two years ago my husband went through to Centreville to meet Mr. Strong to pay the instalment on the land. He came back. I produce receipts for payments made. (These receipts all correspond with the credits in the ledger except the last one.) Deed produced dated 9th Feb., 1884, with receipt for \$68.20, for amount in full of consideration, signed Robert A. Strong, Assistant Commissioner, endorsed. (Joseph A. McDonald, on oath, identified the writing and signature on the receipt endorsed on the deed introduced as that of Robert A. Strong.)

MURDOCH McDONNELL (sworn)—I am one of the executors of the late Philip McKinnon, late of Grand River, Lot 14. He was, in his lifetime, buying out from the Government 50 acres on Lot 13. He died three years ago. He made a will and appointed Neil L. McKinnon and myself executors. After his death both Neil L. McKinnon and myself met Mr. Strong at Northam and paid him something over \$13 in full of the amount due on the land. This was in the fall of 1886. I knew Mr. Strong. We got the deed receipted in full. I now produce the deed. (Deed produced, dated Nov. 21, 1881.) We got the receipt from Mr. Strong. I saw him write and sign it. (Receipt endorsed on deed for \$29.26 in full; no date.)

JOHN MCKINNON (sworn)—I live on Lot 43. I am a son of John McKinnon, who died in Sept., 1883. He bought 90 acres of land on Lot 43 from the Government. He bought it for 100 acres, but there is only 90 acres in the block. I am one of his heirs. I produce the deed of the land. (Deed dated 18th Aug., 1871 from F. Kelly, Commissioner, to John McKinnon, produced with receipt dated 29th of Sept., 1880, for \$32, being in full of instalments signed Robert A. Strong, Assistant Commissioner. (The last writing and signature to this deed was identified on oath by Joseph A. McDonald, as being that of Robert A. Strong.)

### Liberal-Conservative Convention at St. Peter's.

A large and influential meeting of delegates, representing the different polling divisions of St. Peter's district, took place at the Court House at the Head of the Bay on the 5th inst., for the purpose of nominating a candidate to fill the seat made vacant by the Hon. W. W. Sullivan resigning to accept the position of Chief Justice. The meeting was called to order by appointing H. McIsaac, Esq., to the chair, who, after giving a few appropriate remarks, declared the meeting open for business.

Mr. James McIsaac, of the Herald, Charlottetown, whose name was frequently made use of throughout the district as being the one that would receive the nomination at the convention, was the first to address the delegates, which he did in a masterly style, and at the conclusion remarked that as Mr. John P. Sullivan was also spoken of, he would not nominate at the present juncture, and hoped that each one would rally round the nominee of the convention, as he would himself, and elect their man by an overwhelming majority.

Mr. Sullivan was then proposed by Angus McDonald, Esq., and seconded by John Nichols, Esq., and after being supported by several prominent gentlemen, his nomination was put to the meeting and carried without a dissenting voice.  
Mr. Sullivan rose and thanked the delegates in a kindly manner for the confidence they had placed in him, but was very sorry that he had been the party chosen, but under the existing circumstances, being that some wished for a local man, such would be the only cause of his acceptance of the nomination at this time.

Those present were delighted at the manly spirit exhibited by Mr. McIsaac, who left a very favorable impression by his eloquent remarks; and many expressed the wish that the day was not far distant when he would be the unanimous choice of the people as the standard-bearer of the Liberal-Conservative party for this district.  
Thus ended one of the most enjoyable and enthusiastic meetings of the kind ever held in this part of the county.

### Montague.

Since last report the following vessels have cleared: Petite Riviere, White, 1900 bush. potatoes, 300 bush. oats, by Poole & Thompson; Minnie D., Maskell, 1500 bush. potatoes, 1050 bush. oats, by McDonald Bros. & Co.; Bell, Jackson, 200 bush. potatoes, 300 bush. oats. The Miletus, Houghn, loading by Wightman, Kelly and Poole, for Boston, has taken in 3,500 bush. potatoes. She leaves for Lower Montague this evening to take in the remainder of her cargo. The Royal Home, Wolf, came in last Wednesday and took in part of her cargo, then went to Lower Montague to finish. Poole & Thompson are loading her for Newfoundland.

Capt. Wolf, of the Royal Home, is quite a young man and one of our successful Islanders. Although not born with a silver spoon in his mouth, yet by perseverance and shrewdness he has worked himself up to an honorable and responsible position. He has been five years in his present employ, and during that time has manifested his skill as a mariner as well as his trustworthiness on all occasions. Mr. Thompson, the owner of the Royal Home, is loud in his praises of Capt. Wolf.  
Three men narrowly escaped drowning at Lower Montague a few evenings ago. They

got into a small dory to go over to Georgetown, and when at some distance from the wharf the dory upset and precipitated all three into the water. No sooner were they out of danger than Pat, one of the three, humorously exclaimed: "Badad, and its two souls and an Irishman that nearly went to the regions beyond."

The telephone is a great convenience to the village. The office is in the Village Hotel, where Miss Macdonald, daughter of the genial proprietor, is always on hand to receive and transmit messages. The business done at this office is large and rapidly increasing.

The parents of the children attending the Presbyterian Sunday School here intend to prepare a Christmas tree for the scholars. The affair will come off Christmas eve. Before the distribution of presents there will be a sacred concert to which the public are cordially invited.

Last night as Captain Geo. Munn, with his wife and child, were starting for their home at Murray Harbor South, the horse happened to turn the corner at the furniture shop rather suddenly, the result was that the wagon was upset and Mrs. Munn sustained a fracture of the arm. She was at once taken to the Montague House where Dr. Martin was summoned and the broken limb attended to. Mrs. Munn is still at Mr. Campbell's and is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances. As this is not the first accident that has happened at the corner, would it not be well for the Supervisor to look after the matter, and have the hill cut down, to prevent any such accident in future.

December 14, 1889.

### Alexandra Notes.

A concert was given in Pownal Hall by the people of Alexandra, on the 15th of December, and although the evening proved to be rather unfavorable, the hall was nearly filled. A very interesting programme had been prepared, and it was rendered with very much credit to the participants. The singing was grand, the choir showing throughout the excellent training it had received at the hands of Mr. William Judson as singing master, and Mr. Jacob B. Dockendorff as organist. A duet by Mrs. Cassie McGregor and Miss Allie Wood, and a solo by Mr. Wm. Judson were among the leading features of the evening. Recitations were given by the Misses Hettie, Edith and Inez Wood, Miss Hannah Judson and Mr. William Dockendorff, and readings by Mr. Percy W. Carver, Mr. J. Moore and Mr. George Munroe. Songs and recitations by the children completed the programme, and after a very enjoyable evening of two hours and a half the entertainment was concluded by the choir singing the closing hymn, "Over Jordan we shall meet." The proceeds of the concert are to aid in the erection of a new Baptist Church at Alexandra, upon or near the site now occupied by the old one.

Mrs. Bessie Star Keefer delivered recently her interesting and instructive lecture, "Taking Care of the Babies." It was a rare treat, and a lesson which all cannot fail to profit by. The great truths which she uttered were rendered with an eloquence and pathos that held her hearers spellbound; and while some were moved to tears, the very hardest hearts could not fail to have been touched by her tenderness and love expressed so feelingly for suffering humanity. After the lecture Mrs. Keefer organized a new lodge of the I. O. G. T., under the name of the "Blossoming Hope" Lodge. The following list of officers has been elected out of a number of thirty who joined the order:

W. C. T.—Jacob B. Dockendorff.  
W. V. T.—Miss Maud Jones.  
F. S.—John McNeill.  
Treas.—Patrick Corish.  
Secy.—Wm. Frizell.  
Chaplain.—Mrs. Cassie McGregor.  
Guard.—Miss Allie Wood.  
Marshal.—Cephas Ross.  
Sentinel.—Wallace Enman.  
P. C. T.—Lemuel Wood.  
Supt. of T's.—John Judson.  
Lodge Deputy.—Layton McCabe.  
SHAKESPEARE.

### Jonah of the Present Age.

EXPERIENCE OF A SAILOR WHO WAS CAUGHT IN A WHALE'S JAWS.

J. W. Kiesler, late commander's clerk, United States navy, now a resident of Honesdale, Pa., told the following story to a Philadelphia Press reporter of a very remarkable experience of an American sailor with a whale. He says: George Leonard, an Acting Master in the United States navy during the civil war, who was stationed on board the gunboat Kathadin, West Gulf blockading squadron, in 1863, tells a story of heroism, and exhibited marks on his body that corroborated his words. The year 1850 found Leonard as one of the crew on the ship Enterprise, a whaler in the North Pacific.

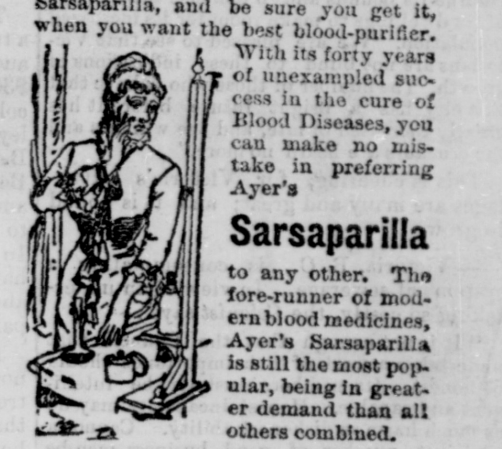
One day he was stationed in the bow of a whaleboat a long distance from the ship with a brave crew who had sighted a whale and made for the monster with all possible dispatch. When within proper distance Leonard threw his harpoon, striking the fish hard and deep. In some manner the line, as it was running out, caught the body of one of the men in such a way as to throw him overboard. The man suddenly sank, whereupon Leonard transferred his line to a boat mate and sprang into the ocean in aid of the drowning sailor. The whale, now maddened by his fast flow of blood, made a rush for the boat.

Remarkable and horrible to relate, Leonard's friend had managed to regain the boat, while he himself was caught by the whale between his jaws, his position being inside the monster's mouth. In this manner the man was in reality within the jaws of death itself. The whole instantly plunged down into the deep, and in the words

of Leonard himself, "the fish seemed to be going down, down into eternity itself." The imprisoned man, after all this, had not lost his presence of mind. He mustered his entire bodily strength—and he was a powerful man—actually bracing himself in such a position as to compel the fish to spread his jaws. At the same time, with his arm that was free, he grabbed the sheath knife out of its socket, cutting right and left. No sooner was there a sufficient opening made than Leonard forced his body outside. Up to the surface he swam, when, most strange to say, he found himself within an arm's length of his boat. He was saved. The marks of the whale's violence and the dents of its teeth were very plainly visible on Leonard's arms, and he was always pointed out by his brother naval officers as "the Second Jonah."

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"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is selling faster than ever before. I never hesitate to recommend it."—George W. Whitman, Druggist, Albany, Ind.  
"I am safe in saying that my sales of Ayer's Sarsaparilla far exceed those of any other, and it gives thorough satisfaction."—L. H. Bush, Des Moines, Iowa.  
"Ayer's Sarsaparilla and Ayer's Pills are the best selling medicines in my store. I can recommend them conscientiously."—C. Bickhaus, Pharmacist, Roseland, Ill.  
"We have sold Ayer's Sarsaparilla here for over thirty years and always recommend it when asked to name the best blood-purifier."—W. T. McLean, Druggist, Augusta, Ohio.  
"I have sold your medicine for the last seventeen years, and always keep them in stock, as they are staples. There is nothing so good for the youthful blood as Ayer's Sarsaparilla."—E. L. Parker, Fox Lake, Wis.  
"Ayer's Sarsaparilla gives the best satisfaction of any medicine I have in stock. I recommend it, or, as the Doctors say, 'I prescribe it over the counter.' It never fails to meet the cases for which I recommend it, even where the doctors' prescriptions have been of no avail."—C. F. Callahan, Monmouth, Kansas.

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## Another More Than Interesting.

OWING to the fact that private parties and itinerant peddlers from other places have gone into the Xmas Trade for a month or so, we have decided to offer the whole of our well-selected stock AT COST. The public are invited to call and see the goods and compare prices.  
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## TO THE LADIES!

JUST RECEIVED:—60 Pairs of Oil Gait Foxed Walking Boots, Toe Capped, bought at a bargain. Regular price, \$2.75; will be sold at \$2.00.  
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OFFICE:  
Corner Pownal and Water Streets.  
TELEPHONE.  
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## NOTICE.

THE inhabitants of Peake Station and vicinity intend holding a Meeting on MONDAY, the 16th inst., at 5 o'clock, p. m., to take into consideration the advisability of memorializing the Minister of Railways to have the present Station changed into a Booking Station. Dominion and Local Members are invited to attend.  
H. CURRIE.  
Peaks Station, Dec. 4, 1889.

## Horses, Carriages and Sleighs FOR SALE.

MR. E. J. HODGSON having no further use for his Horses, Carriages and Sleighs, will sell them, together with Furs, Harness, &c., by private sale. They may be seen at any time at his Stables.  
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