

# A "SNAP"

## Waterproofs.

We've a number left from last season; they MUST go this week—so we've cut the price to the bone.

We've made three lots, study each—then come—quick—and, perhaps you'll be on time.

**LOT 1.** A line of well made Waterproofs, sizes from 54 inch to 60 inch—worth up to \$2.65—to clear we've cut price to

**\$1.50**

**LOT 2** This lot's a grand value, none of the garments are worth less than \$3.00, most of them marked \$3.65, some more—sizes 54 to 60 inch—price now

**\$1.95**

**LOT 3** This is the cream of the whole offer, the garments are all high grade—well made—mostly tweeds and serges—nothing the matter except they're last season styles—prices from \$4.68 to \$12.00—are just cut in two—and now say \$2.43 to \$6.00.

**Half Price**

Come early. Such a "Waterproof Chance" hasn't been offered for years.

**MOORE & McLEOD.**

## The Eye.

A great many people do not see as well as they should, others see well, but their eyes soon become tired. The proper remedy is a pair of good

## SPECTACLES

properly fitted. If for any reason your sight is not good, call on us. We have a complete stock of glasses. If your glasses are bent or inclined to pinch, let us adjust them for you. No charge for little comforts like that.

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**HASZARD & MOORE**  
Fashionable Stationers.

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### LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

**Beer Bros. for Dress Goods**

OPERA HOUSE.—Easter Monday night.

S. O. E.—Lodge Elton White Rose degree this evening at 8 o'clock.

THE WEATHER.—Light to variably winds; cloudy with light showers of rain or sleet.

TO-NIGHT.—Remember the prayer meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7.45, in the Y. M. C. A. Open to all.

AT THE CAPES.—Boats crossed both ways today. The mail special reached the city about half-past eleven this forenoon.

WEST KENT SCHOOL.—Mr. E. W. Coffin, appointed to succeed Mr. Allen as a teacher in West Kent School, began work yesterday.

THE STANLEY left Georgetown for Picton this morning. Up to half-past two o'clock this afternoon, however, her arrival was not reported.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon Mary Dye was arraigned for a third infraction of the Scott Act. The case was adjourned for a week for further evidence.

REMEMBER the Magic Lantern Exhibition tonight at the Salvation Army. "The Torn Bible," a touching tale of the Indian War. Admission 10c Children 5c.

I. O. G. T.—Charlottetown Lodge, No. 63, will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in Wright's Hall. Initiation and other important business. Visiting strangers welcome.

THE HILLSBOROUGH is plying on the Southport ferry. Last evening she was able to get within about 150 yards of the wharf at Southport. Today she is able to get much nearer.

SHERWOOD CEMETERY.—At the meeting of Sherwood Cemetery Company yesterday Col. Moore, Robert Fennell, D. Nicholson, W. W. Stanley and L. L. Ber were elected directors.

CONCERT.—You will see some beautiful and touching living pictures, hear some fine music, and enjoy a thorough good evening if you attend the Concert in Kindergarten Hall on Tuesday, 27th inst.

GO EARLY.—If you wish to secure a seat be present early this evening at Zion basement? Mr. McCready's lecture, "Scenes in the Canadian Commons," will undoubtedly draw a crowded house.

S. or T.—W. G. Gates, Esq., Most Worthy Associate of the Sons of Temperance, will attend a meeting of the Grand Division at Kensington on the 16th inst., and speak at a public meeting in the evening.

NEW COLLEGE BUILDING.—Yesterday afternoon a number of the students of the Prince of Wales College waited upon the members of the Government and read a petition asking for a new college building. To the petition was attached some 1,500 signatures. Premier Peters said the prayer of the petition would be considered by the Government.

FURNITURE CATALOGUE.—Mark Wright & Co. have just issued a furniture catalogue, a copy of which has been forwarded THE EXAMINER. The catalogue contains pictures of many of the leading lines in furniture, etc., kept in stock by this enterprising firm, and the price of each article is given at the back of the book. The catalogue is full of information for any one wanting furniture. It was printed by James D. Taylor, Queen Street.

### PERSONAL.

Mr. C. M. Pyke, representing Soisa's Band, is at the Hotel Davies.

Mr. S. G. Clow left for Georgetown yesterday on his way to Montreal and Ottawa. Mr. J. C. McKay, representing Moir, Son & Co., Halifax, is at the Hotel Davies. The many friends of Dr. Strickland are pleased to see him out again after the grippe.

Mr. W. B. Murdock, the well-known commercial traveller, is at the Hotel Davies.

Mr. A. J. King is doing the province in the interests of Brown & Webb, Halifax. He is registered at the Hotel Davies.

Stipendiary Magistrate McQuarrie, of Summerside, is in the city. He is registered at the Hotel Davies.

Messrs. R. McHaffie, of Montreal, and J. F. Ward, of Dartmouth, are among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies.

An Ottawa despatch says that Mgr. Merry del Val, the Papal Delegate, dined with Hon. Mr. Laurier on Tuesday evening.

Mr. H. J. Palmer went to Souris from Montague today to investigate several charges of offensive partizanship preferred against employes of the Federal Government.

Drs. William Johnston, of Charlottetown, and J. A. Johnston, of Emerald, arrived from Montreal yesterday afternoon. Dr. J. A. Johnston proceeded to his home in Emerald today.

### DEATH IN THE FLOODS.

St. Louis, April 6.—From all points along the great river stories of disaster are pouring in. Probably never in its turbid history has the uncertain stream caused more sorrow and suffering. The loss of life caused by the prevailing floods, taken as a whole, is appalling. The death reports come by twos and threes and are not impressive until they added into a total loss. The damage is tremendous, vast, incalculable. The suffering is heartrending. The relief is inadequate, and every inch the river rises means the loss of more lives and the destruction of more property. When the death roll is made up it will be a long time before the 100,000 people in the lowlands of the White, Arkansas and Black rivers in Arkansas are accounted for. The river round Cairo below the detachment of the Ohio is 25 miles wide. From this strip of territory all life has gone save that of fish and reptile. Thousands of persons, men, women and children are slowly starving in the tree tops and on the submerged hillsides of Arkansas and Mississippi. Should relief fail to reach them their skeletons will be found later on when the grass grows green in the torrent beds.

MORE SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS.—In a late issue we referred to the Island graduates in medicine from McGill University, Montreal. We are now pleased to be able to give the results in the second year anatomy examination. The anatomy examination is by far the most important in the primary course, and everyone who is lucky enough to pass in that subject is sure of success in the others. Just fifty per cent. of those who went up for the anatomy examination were successful. Our Island boys did themselves justice. The following are the successful ones: G. T. Alley, J. H. Bradley and I. McKinnon, Charlottetown; W. Sutherland, Sea View; D. A. MacNally, Abram's Village; and E. G. Gillis, Indian River. THE EXAMINER congratulates the Island boys on having so successfully maintained the fame of students from this Province.

FIRE AT SOURIS LINE ROAD.—Smith's Hall, on the Souris Line Road, was burnt to the ground on the evening of the 29th ult. The cause of the fire is a mystery, as there was no person near the Hall for some days previous. The loss will be considerable, as there was a new organ burnt, together with all the books and furniture of the Hall. The loss is estimated at \$500, insurance \$300.

### DEATH OF AN ABLE EDITOR.

A friend has forwarded the following from the "Weekly Independent" of Salem, Oregon, edited by the Hon. J. H. Fletcher. Though rather late in coming, it will feel sure be read with interest by the mutual friends of the deceased Wm. Henry Lawson and Mr. Fletcher:—

It was the privilege of the editor of this paper to have been intimately acquainted with Mr. Lawson. For several years we published papers in the same city, side by side,—sometimes working together in the same cause, and sometimes on opposite sides. Like most rival editors, we had tilts with each other, but now that Mr. Lawson has gone to join the great majority in the unseen land, we desire to go on record as testifying to his nobility of soul, to the generous and large-hearted qualities of the man. He possessed a guileless nature and a forgiving disposition. He was the essence of kindness and generous to a fault. The poor never appealed to him in vain. His home was his delight. He loved little children and they loved him, because they knew that he first loved them. To do good was his aim. To make the world better his ambition. It is not too much to say he succeeded in both. He was upright in his dealings with his fellow man. His word was as good as his bond. Like all human beings he had his faults and his failings, but they were of the head and not of the heart.

Mr. Lawson was also a man of wonderful intelligence. He revelled in literature and history. He prized a good book above rubies and riches. He was a graceful writer—rather more racy and polished than rigorous and original—yet, with all, a master of clear and incisive language. Take him all in all he was one of the best writers and one of the foremost journalists of Canada.

Mr. Lawson's nature was intellectual rather than spiritual. And yet if a pure life filled up with the perfume of kind deeds, a capacity for literary drudgery that was never sated, a desire to rise higher and to lift his fellow-man nearer to the skies is any part of religion, then the late Henry Lawson was a religious man. And it does always appear to the writer that an all-kind God will never exclude from heaven above the man who did his best to make a heaven below. This the departed journalist tried to do.

With tears of regret and sympathy for the bereaved family, the Editor of the Independent would like to be able to lay a wreath of flowers on the honored grave of his departed friend.

SILVER KING.—Rehearsal to-night in St. Patrick's Hall at 7.30 sharp. A full attendance requested.

**Rubber Balls.—See our 3 cent ball—big ball, big bounce, small price. Bigger balls, 5c, 7c, 10c, 12, 15c. up to \$1.00. 50 dozen new balls just in. Buy big, bouncing balls at Carter's Book-store.**

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## RIDE A STEARNS AND BE CONTENT.

### DIED.

At West River, on April 1st, Mr. A. C. McNeill, aged 74 years.

(Boston papers please copy.)

On the 7th inst., at the residence of her son, William Matheson, Brackley Point Road, Mary Ann McFadyen, widow of the late Duncan Matheson, of Little York, aged 78 years.

[Funeral on Saturday, the 10th inst., at 1 o'clock.]

At Elmira, King's Co., on Saturday, April 3rd, 1897, after an illness of nearly one year, of consumption, Susanna N. deary beloved wife of James Mellick, and third daughter of the late John McNeill, teacher, formerly of Rollo Bay, in the 47th year of her age. Deceased was the mother of ten children, five of whom preceded her to the spirit world. She was a devoted and affectionate wife and mother, and a consistent member of the Christian Disciples Church. She leaves a disconsolate husband, five children, four sisters and three brothers to mourn their loss.

Ah! broken is the golden bowl,  
Ah! loosed the silver cord,  
The soul set free in its glad flight  
Soars up to meet its God.

Whilst standing by the grave of her,  
Whose love we prized, our loss we weep  
We'll sing of her calm, sweet repose,  
Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep.

(Guardian and Patriot please copy.)

## Old Furniture Cleaned and Polished

You need not send it out to have it done. Do it yourself. Its easily done if you use our Varnish Restorer. No need to wash the furniture first, it cleanses and polishes at the same time. Price 15c.

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## She is an Artist

An expert in color and harmony.

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The Always Busy Store

### LOCAL NOTICES.

We have received an elegant line of gentleman's new four in hand ties. See the London Club, the newest thing on earth.—Stanley Bros.

Yes, oh yes, they come, they go, the people come and the bargains go, lots left for others. Come and get carpets, clothing, dress goods, etc.—Prowse Bros.

Fleece! Your winter garments should be fleeced, but your pocketbook will escape the process if you purchase your spring apparel at our store. We have a monster line of good goods at anti-fleece prices.—Jas. Paton & Co.

Can't save you a house and lot on one paper of pins, but "better goods at same price" or "same goods at less price" is what we're aiming at, and day in and day out you'll find we come very near the mark in our carpet department.—Jas Paton & Co.

Gloveology.—French made gloves are most decidedly the best. The People's Store started with the fixed intention of keeping in their glove department the very best gloves produced. Weeks & Co. succeeded not by trying to sell everybody but by fully meeting the requirements of those with perfect fitting gloves we did sell. We did it; now we are ready with a full line of Perrins French gloves and other good makes to sell everybody. A few special kid glove leaders undressed black suede kid gloves with white pearl buttons and white silk stitched backs 89c. worth \$1.20; colored do. with contrast buttons and silk backs 89c. worth \$1.29. A big snap-black and colored dressed kid gloves contrast buttons and points 89c. regular \$1.20; Perrins 2 button black and all colors, Perrins lacing do, white and lemon chamais washing gloves. New lace curtains, elegant designs in white and ecru. All prices from lowest goods made and new curtains beautiful patterns in 3, 3 1/2 and 4 yards long. We have about 12 different patterns to choose from in \$2 and \$3 lines which are grand value bought direct from manufacturers in Nottingham, and better value can't be obtained in the city.—Weeks & Co. for curtains and new goods at lowest cash prices.

New Boots and Shoes.—We are opening some new stock of Men's Women's and Childrens Boots, Shoes and Slippers, which we will sell at very low prices. Big bargains in Bankrupt stock of Boots and Shoes and Readymade Clothing and Hats, at J. B. MacDonald's Old Stand, directly opposite the west end of the Market. 83-31.

TO LET.—A house on Stewart St occupied by Mrs. Michael Luby, containing 7 large rooms and Pantry. Possession given May 15th. Apply to Mrs Luby, on the premises. 83-1weel-1

### A TESTIMONIAL.

To Manchester Catarrah Co, from Rev. John C. Berry, once stationed on the Island.

DEAR SIR,—We have used your Catarrh Remedy, and find it is as represented. Nothing we have used in our family has proved so successful for the purpose designed.

It cleanses the head, relieves the eye, keeps the nostrils clear and aids the throat in an astonishing manner.

I remain, yours faithfully,  
JOHN C. BERRY.  
A. W. Reddin, Phm. B.,  
Central Drug Store,  
Sole Agent for P. E. I.  
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## Liberal - Conservative Organization.

In pursuance of resolutions passed at the Liberal-Conservative Conference, I hereby call a meeting of ten delegates from each Polling District of the First Provincial Electoral District of King's County, and all friendly to the Liberal-Conservative party, to be held in St. Patrick's Hall, on Saturday, the 10th day of April, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organizing a Liberal-Conservative Association for the said Electoral District.

JOHN McLEAN,  
Souris, March 30 '97  
Convener  
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## BEER BROS

THE WEATHER.—Moderate winds, shifting to northerly, fair stationery or lower temperature.