

COMPETITION

IS A THING TO BE
Fostered, Not Feared

Were it not for our competition the fine value of our merchandize could not be appreciated.

Incidentally for this Saturday's Trade

We are offering the undermentioned catch lines:
One hundred and seventy-five dollar's worth of Shirt Waists, in white, value \$1.45 for \$1.25 value in black, all sizes, for All our Summer Straw Outing Hats, one third off for cash only.
See both Eastern and Western windows Saturday and Sunday evening.
When my lady does her Saturday shopping she does not pass PATON'S. Why? Because she saves money.

Effective Friday Market Day Shoppers Interesting Items.

50 Black Sateen Waists, worth up to \$3.50 half price
A lot of pretty Flannel and other Waists for evenings at the Sea Side. half price
Another box of Lustrous Waists, all sizes, 35 fawn, tan and brown, all wool ribbed hose, 45 and 50c, half price, 25c
One big basket full of Ladies' Corsets, 85 up to date Wrappers, about fifteen designs, well made, with pretty trimmings, all sizes up to 50. Special range for big women, sizes 40, 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50, prices from \$1.25 to \$2.50 half price, 25c
Hot Weather drop-stitch hose from The best plain all wool Cashmere Hose in the city for 48c to \$1.00
Large box of pretty Shirt Waists, 65c value for One box of Ladies' Summer Undervests, your choice for 8c each
One large basket of Flowers, half price, only 100 pairs Black Cat Carters and Supporters, Colors Black and White, 35c for 25c
85 pairs Lisle Thread Gloves, Black, White and Colored, only 15c pr
105 pairs Black and White Gloves, only 10c pr
15 dozen heavy ribbed Cotton Hose, 18c value for 10c
Basket full of Belts 10c
One lot of Silk Gloves, 83 Black Roman Sateen Skirts, \$1 25, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50 at 20 p. c. off the \$
39 Colored Sateen Skirts, 200 yards best English Print, fast colors and good designs, 14c value for 10c
20 Silk Waists, colored and black, New York make, 20 p. c. off
Embroideries in 5 yard lengths 25c
One lot Dress Goods Remnants at half-third value
Another lot of Cotton half Hose 5c a pair
50 Men's Tweed Peak Caps, 35c and 45c for 25c
Men's Collars 2 for 25c
Seamless half hose, fast dye 18c a pair
83 hard and soft Men's Felt Hats, values up to \$2.50, only one or two of a kind \$1.00
189 pretty Gingham, Print and Duck Blouses, values up to 89c for 49c
Men's Soft Shirts for summer wear 38c
Men's unlaundried Shirts, well worth 65c, sizes only 16, 16½ and 17, for 39c
Men's heavy Oxford and Madrid colored Shirts, good washers 75c and 85c
Men's summer Underwear, 20c each garment 90c a suit
Balbriggan Underwear 75c a suit
English knit Cotton 95c
White Duck Waists for boys
White Muslin Waists for Boys
Black Sateen Waists for boys
The best Men's Working Suits on the Island, well worth 1.15 for 95c
Union-made Overalls and Jumpers
Pretty Sailor Suits for little chaps, long pants \$4.50 to \$6.50
Chick Blue Skirt Suits for wee tots 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75 up to 2.50
Bathing Suits and Trunks
Splendid range of ready-to-wear Walking Skirts in Oxford Gray and blacks, also a few Blues, from \$2.50 to \$5 and upwards
Light weight Corsets for ladies, white and drab 45c and 65c

MEN'S

Ready-to-Wear DEPARTMENT

385 pairs Men's pants, 1.50 for \$1.00
59 Men's Suits for \$5 each
139 Suits for Working men, Blue Duck for 90c

JAS. PATON & CO.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

In this issue will be found the advertisement of the Sturgeon Tea, which takes place on Tuesday, the 14th inst.

ALICE MAY, the two years old daughter of John McLeod was instantly killed in front of her home at Sydney, by being struck by a tram car on Friday last.

Hon. M. Duffy, Provincial Secretary of Quebec was stricken with apoplexy in a barber shop on Friday last, and is in a critical condition.

ROMAN intelligence of the last two or three days inform us that his Holiness, the Pope, is dying. He is reported to be sinking rapidly, and the end may evidently be expected at any moment.

The net proceeds of the Tea Party at Tracadie on Dominion Day amounted to upwards of \$1100. Father McGaughey and his parishioners are to be congratulated.

The enquiry into the grounding of the steamer Halifax, at Halifax is concluded. It is understood the decision exonerates the captain and officers. A strong westerly current caused the stranding.

C. M. B. A.—Notice of excursion of Branch 363 C. M. B. A., Fort Augustus, appears in this issue. This excursion which takes place on Monday the 13th, inst., will certainly be an enjoyable outing and should be well attended.

STILL THEY COME.—The advertisement of the Monster Tea Party at Bear River Station, in aid of St. Margaret's Church, to be held on Wednesday the 22nd, inst., will be found in this issue. Don't forget the date, the place or object.

The King has been graciously pleased to direct that the presents received by the late Queen Victoria on the occasion of the fiftieth and sixtieth years of her reign shall be placed on exhibition at the Dominion Exhibition, Toronto. Aug. 27 to Sept. 12.

A return brought down at Ottawa contains a copy of the report of R. P. Stevens, who says Carleton Place is undoubtedly the best for a harbor on the Prince Edward Island side of the Northumberland Straits and would cost \$1,146,000. The cost of a harbor at Cape Traverse would be \$855,000.

A meeting of fifty Trade Unionist members of Parliament was held Friday afternoon, these present included Sir Michael Hicks Beach, Lord Cecil and Austen Chamberlain. A resolution favoring an inquiry into Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's Preference was adopted, but it was also decided that if they resulted in any departure from Free Trade it would be disastrous to the country.

The solemn opening of the new church at Tracadie will take place on Sunday the 19th inst. The ceremony will comprise the blessing of the church by his Lordship Bishop McDonald, followed by solemn High Mass. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. Doyle of Vernon River. Special music will be rendered by the choir. This is a most handsome church and is a great credit to the pastor and people of Tracadie.

Steamer Assyria arrived at Halifax Wednesday from Hamburg with 673 emigrants, principally Galicians, of which 563 were for Canada, and 110 for the United States. There was one birth during the passage. Of the emigrants, 514 were adults, 118 between one and fourteen years old, and forty-one were babies under one year. None of them were for the lower Provinces, a majority having through tickets for Manitoba, etc.

DOMINION DAY, Wednesday last was very generally observed as a public holiday. Business was almost entirely at a standstill here and the city was pretty well deserted. The Tea Party at Tracadie, and another at Argyle shore, besides several picnics and a largely extended excursion to Pictou took the people away from home. The weather was beautiful and all the excursions and outings were well enjoyed.

The Dominion Government has decided to build from Moncton to Winnipeg and lease the road for fifty years to the Grand Trunk Pacific. The Grand Trunk Pacific to pay the operating expenses only for the first five years. It is known that the portion of the line between Quebec and Winnipeg will require to be run at a loss to begin with. For the next successive five years the company say the net earnings over the working expenses will not exceed three per cent.

THE Minister of Trade and Commerce asked the House of Commons to vote the sum of \$1,095,000 to aid the Canada South African Steamship service. The Minister stated that ten knot boats of five thousand tons could perform the service under a five year contract, with Canadian ports of call at Montreal and Quebec in the summer and St. John and Halifax in the winter. The African ports are Cape Town, Elizabethtown and Durban.

The death occurred on Wednesday evening last, at Port Hill, of Mr. Thomas Murphy, after an illness of some months. The deceased had been employed as book-keeper for Senator Yeo for thirty-two years. He was a brother of Mr. Joseph Murphy of the Registry Office, Summerside, was widely known and much esteemed throughout the County. His funeral took place at Grand River, Lot 14 on Friday and was largely attended. R. I. P.

OBITUARY.—After a few weeks' illness borne with resignation to the Divine Will and strengthened by the last Sacraments, Barbara, the beloved wife of John D. Walker of Launching, breathed her last on the 10th ult. The deceased was a daughter of the late Angus Beaton of East Point, and was a woman highly esteemed by all who knew her for her piety and charitable disposition. There are left to mourn besides a sorrowing husband, two sons and one daughter, a brother James A. Beaton, East Point, and a sister in the United States. Her funeral took place on the 12th ult., to the parish church of St. George's. The Requiem Mass was sung by her brother-in-law Rev. E. Walker of Rollo Bay. The latter also officiated at the grave, assisted by the pastor Rev. D. J. McDonald who attended the deceased in her last illness. The large concourse of people at her funeral testified how highly she was esteemed by the community in which she lived. R. I. P.—Com.

Stone Church Tea at Souris

This will certainly be the Tea of the season, and will take place on the historic Agricultural grounds at Souris, on

Wednesday, July 16th, 1903.

An energetic committee have the matter in hand and everything to please the most fastidious will be provided. The Miscouche band which displayed such unrivalled music last year has kindly consented to be present, and this is a guarantee that our musical department will be fully sustained. Dancing, Swings, Bazaar, and all such amusements usual on such occasions will be furnished and superintended by competent and winning officers. Arrangements have been made to have excursions from Pictou, Magdalen Island, Moncton and Georgetown by steamers and the largest gathering ever held in King's County is expected. The Stone Church is finished outside and well worth visiting. The general views about Souris at the season would alone command a visit worth remembering.

Tickets for admission to grounds and Tea, twenty-five cents. Children half price.

Following are train arrangements and fares. Special trains will leave Miscouche at 6 a.m. and Charlottetown at 7.50 a.m. and will run on the following schedule:

| Stations | Fare | Train Depts. |
|-----------------|--------|--------------|
| Miscouche | \$1 25 | 6.00 a.m. |
| Summerside | 1.25 | 6.15 " |
| New Annan | 1.15 | 6.25 " |
| Kensington | 1.15 | 6.37 " |
| Pictou | 1.15 | 6.52 " |
| Bracebridge | 1.15 | 7.01 " |
| Bracebridge | 95 | 7.05 " |
| Pictou | 95 | 7.17 " |
| Bracebridge | 95 | 7.30 " |
| North Wiltshire | 95 | 7.40 " |
| Milton | 85 | 7.57 " |
| Royal Junc | 85 | 8.15 " |
| Charlottetown | 85 | 7.50 " |
| York | 85 | 8.27 " |
| Bedford | 75 | 8.41 " |
| Bracebridge | 75 | 8.50 " |
| St. Stewart | 75 | 9.07 " |
| St. Andrew's | 75 | 9.13 " |
| Douglas | 60 | 9.20 " |
| Lot 40 | 60 | 9.33 " |
| Morell | 60 | 9.37 " |
| Midgell | 45 | 9.50 " |
| St. Peter's | 45 | 10.00 " |
| Ashton | 45 | 10.11 " |
| Selkirk | 35 | 10.21 " |
| Rollo Bay | 35 | 10.28 " |
| Rear Rver | 30 | 10.35 " |
| New Zealand | 25 | 10.42 " |
| Harmony | 15 | 10.51 " |
| Souris | air | 11.05 " |

Leave Souris 5.40 p.m. Arrive at stations between Georgetown and Mt. Stewart can go by regular morning trains, returning by regular morning trains on Thursday, July 16th.

Tickets at Single Fare will be issued at Miscouche and Summerside and intermediate stations to Souris on the evening train of the 14th July, good to return on July 16th.

MICHAEL McCORMACK, Secretary.

July 8.—11.

Tea Party!

A grand Tea Party in aid of the New Church at Grosbeak, will be held at

Rollo Bay Station,

—ON—

Wednesday, July 29.

The Committee in charge of the tables, refreshment saloon, and the various popular features, are determined to make this tea equal to the best of the season.

Should the weather prove unfavorable on the 29th, the Tea will be held the next following fine day.

By ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

July 8th, 1903.—21

A. A. McLean, R. C. McDonald, McKinnon

McLean & McKinnon

Baristers, Attorneys-at-Law,

Brown's Block, Charlottetown

NOTICE.

As our partnership expires in July, and we are making a change in our business, all accounts due Sentner McLeod & Co. must be paid at once. After the 1st day of July, 1903, all accounts not paid will be placed in the court for collection.

Sentner, McLeod & Co.

Commercial CAFE,

Queen Street.

In store formerly occupied by A. Vincent, next A. E. McEachen's Shoe Store.

YOU can get a good dinner at the above Cafe for only 15 cents. Also a large bill of fare to choose from. We make a specialty of baked beans, meat pies, Ham-burgh steak and onions. Sirloin steak always on hand. Try our Ice Cream, Pastry and Cake on the premises.

JAS. LONERGAN,

Proprietor

June 25, 1902.—1f

The Prices.

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| Butter, (fresh)..... | 0.20 to 0.22 |
| Butter (salt)..... | 0.18 to 0.19 |
| Beef (small) per lb..... | 0.08 to 0.12 |
| Beef (quarter) per lb..... | 0.06 to 0.07 |
| Beef (per bus)..... | 0.00 to 0.40 |
| Cabbage..... | 0.03 to 0.05 |
| Calf skins..... | 0.05 to 0.00 |
| Carrots (per bus)..... | 0.00 to 0.50 |
| Ducks..... | 0.90 to 1.00 |
| Eggs, per doz..... | 0.11 to 0.12 |
| Fowls (per lb)..... | 0.00 to 0.09 |
| Flour (per cwt)..... | 0.00 to 2.00 |
| Hides..... | 0.00 to 0.05 |
| Lard, per 100 lbs..... | 0.50 to 0.55 |
| Lettuce (per bunch)..... | 0.00 to 0.05 |
| Mutton, per lb..... | 0.06 to 0.07 |
| Oats..... | 0.34 to 0.35 |
| Oatmeal (per cwt)..... | 2.50 to 3.00 |
| Potatoes (buyers price)..... | 0.00 to 0.40 |
| Pork (small)..... | 0.14 to 0.00 |
| Pork..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
| Parsnips (per bus)..... | 0.00 to 0.60 |
| Raddish (per bunch)..... | 0.00 to 0.05 |
| Rhubarb (per lb)..... | 0.00 to 0.06 |
| Sheep pelts..... | 0.50 to 0.55 |
| Turnips..... | 0.00 to 0.25 |
| Turkeys (per lb)..... | 0.11 to 0.12 |

C. M. B. A. EXCURSION!

Excursion by steamer "City of London," on

JULY 13,

From Hayden's Wharf to Crapaud.

The members of Branch No. 363 C. M. B. A., Fort Augustus, intend having an excursion on the steamer City of London from Hayden's wharf touching at Hagerly's and Hickey's wharves and at Charlottetown to Crapaud on July 13th; leaving Hayden's Wharf at 6 o'clock a.m. and returning same evening. Return tickets 60c. For sale by the members also on the boat on the morning of the excursion.

Catering done by the Steward of the boat. Music and dancing free.

DAVID McDONALD, Rec. Sec.

July 8.—11.

Sturgeon Tea!

Tuesday, July 14th, 1903.

The Parishioners of St. Mary's Church, Sturgeon, will hold a grand Tea Party on the beautiful grounds adjoining the Church on Tuesday, July 14th, 1903.

Swings, Dancing booths and other amusements will be provided, also good Tea-tables and a well stocked refreshment saloon.

Anyone wishing to spend a pleasant day would do well to attend.

By ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

July 8, 1903.—11.

GRAND Tea Party!

A Grand Tea Party in aid of the parochial funds will be held on the Church Grounds

At St. Ann's, Lot 22, on

Thursday, July 16th.

Preparations will be made for a first-class outing, and all who attend may count on a day of rare enjoyment. Dinner and Tea Tables conveniently supplied with an abundance of choice viands, and all the delicacies of the season will be provided over by the ladies of the parish.

A well stocked saloon will provide the choicest temperate drinks, as well as an abundance of strawberries and cream, and all other fruits peculiar to the season. Opportunities for amusements of all kinds will be afforded, and horse and hand swings, nine pins, quoits and dancing booths will be arranged to the satisfaction of all. A special attraction will be the hydraulic works, the only works of the kind in this Province. Come friends and see the wonderful hydraulic ram that forces the water up an incline for a distance of 2,300 feet, supplying the parochial house and stables, as well as the residences of the neighbors through whose fields the pipes pass, with an abundance of the purest water. This manner of procuring a water supply is unique in our Province and the process is deserving of inspection. Come and see and learn from personal observation how satisfactorily the apparatus works.

JOHN GOODMAN, Church-warden.

June 24, 1903.—31.

Notice of Application.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to incorporate The Dominion Gas Improvement Company, with power to manufacture and dispose of machinery and apparatus for the manufacture and distribution of gas and other agents for heat, light and power and to manufacture and dispose of such gas and other agents and to acquire any inventions or letters patent, or any franchises and business of any other person or municipality, and to acquire the shares of any other Company or municipality, and to lay pipes and erect wires and appliances as may be necessary in connection with the business of the Company, and for such other and general powers as may be usual or incidental to all or any of the purposes aforesaid.

Dated at Ottawa this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1903.

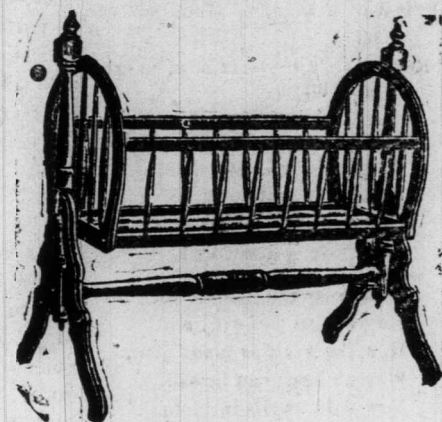
D. J. McDUGAL,

Solicitor for Applicants,

Trust Building, Ottawa.

June 17, 1903.—91.

We Have Not Been Dealing in Stocks,



But like the lambs on the market when market-gins are asked for we are looking two ways for CASH. For years we have been using in our business quite a sum of money belonging to others. We are asked to return this money. We have large stocks of Furniture, but very little cash. Our only recourse therefore is to turn our stocks of FURNITURE into CASH. This we are going to do if

BIG DISCOUNTS

Will do it. We had a good sale last week, and expect a larger rush this week.

MARK WRIGHT & CO.,

Sunnyside Furniture and Carpet Store.