

# TO-DAY!!

Better get the little things you need for to-morrow than wait until to-morrow and wish you had, because then you might not get them.

## Men's Neckwear.

A large variety of Colorings at 10c. to 75c. You'll find the right thing here at the right price for it.

## Men's Shirts, Colored

Some new ones with the wide strip so fashionable and pretty, very good to wear too, 75c. and \$1 each. We've the best \$1 White Shirt in Canada.

## Men's Suspenders.

Every pair guaranteed to stand any ordinary strain. If they break we cheerfully give you a new pair. We've a very large range to choose from.

## Men's Gloves.

All that's fashionable you'll find in our Glove Stock—Kid they are, not sheep-skin. Price \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Every pair guaranteed fully.

## Men's Underwear.

Summer Goods are being picked up now, and you'll find our stock very complete, ranging from 50c. the suit to \$3.50 the suit.

## PROWSE BROS.

The Wonderful Cheap Men.

THIS OFFER IS OPEN UNTIL JUNE 1st.

# WATCHES

## And Other Goods GIVEN AWAY! To Advertise Our Business.

When purchasing ONE DOLLAR'S WORTH from us at the lowest cash price you will receive a Certificate which will entitle you to participate in the distribution of the above valuable prizes; among those making the nearest guess of estimate of the population of Prince Edward Island, as shown by the official census of 1901, which is just about to be taken.

### PRIZES TO BE AWARDED AS FOLLOWS:

- To the 1st nearest correct guess, a Solid 14k Gold Watch, (Waltham).....\$100.00
- To the 2nd nearest correct guess, a Silver Watch.....50.00
- To the 3rd nearest correct guess, a Trumper Clock, Begler calls the hour from the top of the clock.....18.00
- To the 4th nearest guess, a handsome Lamp.....10.00
- To the 5th nearest guess, a handsome Cake Basket.....5.00
- To the nearest 6 correct guesses, each 1 dozen of Rogers' best Silver Plated Tea Spoons, \$4.00, total.....24.00
- To the next nearest 6 correct guesses, each a Silver Plated Butter Knife, \$1.00 each, total.....6.00
- To the next 14 nearest correct guesses, each a Queen's Memorial Brooch, each valued at 50c., total.....7.00

Grand total.....\$209.00

The Daily and Weekly Papers will publish the names of the successful estimators, and the awards will be made within 90 days after the population has been officially determined at Ottawa.

The official census of 1901 gave the total population of Prince Edward Island 109,080.

### HERALD FORM

I estimate the population of Prince Edward Island at the Census to be taken, 1901, to be

My Estimate.....

Name.....

Address.....

If you write your NAME and ADDRESS PLAINLY and send to us with your ORDER and CASH BEFORE JUNE FIRST, we will try and send your Goods and Certificate by return mail. Should we not have in stock the goods you ask for, we will place the amount you send to your credit and write you for further instructions.

Register all letters containing money, stamps not accepted.

E. W. TAYLOR, Jeweler.

Cameron Block, Charlottetown.

### LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

MONTREAL will spend \$15,000 for entertaining the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall.

The tug Wm. Aitken arrived from Quebec on Saturday with plant for the new bridge.

REV. S. Boudreau, P. P. Egmont Bay, celebrates his Silver Jubilee, tomorrow the 16th. Ad multos annos.

A FIRE at Ottawa early Thursday morning burned down about a dozen houses. The loss is estimated at \$80,000.

The steamer Rjukan arrived here Saturday from Cardiff, Wales, to load produce for Great Britain for Charlottetown shippers.

CAPT. W. H. Smith, R. N., nautical adviser to the Dominion Government was found dead in bed at his home in Halifax on Friday morning.

The Census enumerators at Hamilton, Ont. have refused to sign play sheets as the rate of five cents per name. They demand nine dollars a day.

The body of the woman who committed suicide at Halifax, was buried Sunday afternoon in the Anglican cemetery there. Her identity remained as a mystery to the last.

The Newfoundland seal fishery came to a close on the 8th with the arrival at St. John's of the sealer Virginia Lake. The total catch was 350,000 seals valued at \$800,000.

A CHINAMAN at Sydney, C. B., is suffering from a disease that bears a strong resemblance to leprosy, and is supposed to be that dreadful disease. Precautions should be taken at once.

A COMMERCIAL traveller, whose supposed death had been referred to in the press some months ago, walked into the Queen hotel, Halifax, on Saturday, much to the astonishment of the clerk.

A MONTREAL despatch of Saturday states that the steamship Lake Superior from Liverpool to Montreal is quarantined at Grosvenor Island for 21 days with mail on board. She has seven hundred passengers.

The Tremaine building at the foot of Water St. which was destroyed by fire some time ago, is to be replaced by a new building soon, where Mr. C. Lyons will have his office. Love Bros. have the contract.

His Grace Archbishop O'Brien returned to Halifax on Sunday from Bermuda on board the S. S. Beta. He was accompanied by Mr. Murphy who had been down South for the benefit of his health and who is much improved.

It is reported from Halifax that an effort is being made to have the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall land at Quebec instead of there, and Halifax is putting up a big fight to prevent any change of the program as first laid down.—[Quebec has won.]

An Ottawa despatch of the 13th announced that the Prince Edward Island Brigade will have its annual drill at Charlottetown on June 29th. The drill will be attended by Companies A and F of the Fourth Regiment of Artillery and the 82nd Regiment.

A DESPATCH from Meat Cove, C. B., states that the famous John McLeann, who has been distilling moonshine whiskey on Black Point Mountain, near there, for years, was captured on Friday by Captain May, of the Dominion government cruiser Constance, and Special Officer Donohoe. They got a large quantity of wort, and the still.

The Royal Engineers received orders yesterday to make arrangements for the reception of a regiment, which would shortly arrive in Halifax. The regiment referred to is believed to be a crack corps, selected because of its special fitness to take part in the reception to the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York.—[Halifax Herald, 11th.]

A MONTREAL despatch of the 17th says: The coroner learned this morning of the death of a child, Louisa Morine, through an overdose of soothing syrup. The child was buried without the coroner being notified, and he will hold an investigation. The officials of the health department who permitted the burial, are liable to a year's imprisonment.

A MONTREAL despatch of the 10th says: Sir Charles Tupper arrived here this morning from London. He left the Taulian at Rimouski and came up in a special train with other passengers. Lady Tupper is coming up on the steamer. Sir Charles is in very good health and reports the operation on Lady Tupper's eyes by the German specialist completed. The doctor will remain here a couple of days and after visiting Ottawa will go as far west as Vancouver.

A PRISONER in the jail here named James Gormley, who was serving a twelve months term for assaulting an Arab, left the institution without giving the jailer the notice last Wednesday. The door of his cell were left open and the prisoner quietly walked out and scaled the fence. The mismanagement of the Queen's County Jail has been the subject of much comment lately, and it is about time it was looked after.

DONALD CURRIE, a shoemaker, who had been employed in Messrs. Goff Bros. shoe factory was found dead in his bed on Sunday afternoon from the effects of drinking carbolic acid. The deceased had been drinking on the previous day and on Sunday morning did not feel well in consequence. There was a bottle containing carbolic acid in the room and he probably mistook the contents for whiskey with the above mentioned result. Six children are left, the mother being dead.

JUDAS KING died at Ottawa on the 8th inst. He was born at St. John, N. E., in 1839, and was elevated to the Supreme Court bench of Canada in 1893. In 1899 he was chosen as a Commissioner of the convention of that year between Great Britain and the United States, for the arbitration of the British claims in connection with the Behring Sea sea fishery. Death was due to heart trouble. It is said that Sir Louis Davies will succeed to the vacancy caused by his death. In this case the successor of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries will be a hope of consolation. Confidence is spoken of as a candidate with hopes of success. The Montreal Star names Mr. Ramerson.

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### A Store Talk.

During the last few weeks we have been endeavoring to describe to our readers the different features of several of the great clothing and dry goods establishments of this city. This week we take for our subject another great store—not a clothing store, however, but a great store, nevertheless—the crockery and glassware emporium situated on Sunnyside, well-known as P. E. Island's Greatest Crockery Store, and kept by Mr. W. P. Colwill, whose name is familiar to everyone who reads this paper. Mr. Colwill began business in this city about 30 years ago, and consequently understands the business thoroughly from every standpoint. He is a live advertiser, as will be noticed by reference to our advertising columns, and his untiring energy in reaching customers in this way has drawn his establishment to an enviable position of prominence among competitors.

The minute you enter the store the feature that strikes one first is the regular line of shelves, on both sides extending from the very front of the store, to the immediate rear—a distance of 90 feet. That makes altogether 180 feet of display on the two sides alone. The shelves along the left hand side are fairly groaning under their immense loads of crockery ware and china. It is the systematic way in which these goods are arranged that incites the admiration of purchasers. Mr. Colwill is a firm believer in having a proper place for everything, and in having everything in its proper place. There is no confusion here. Extended in proper order along the row of shelves are a vast array of tea sets, fruit sets, dinner sets, toilet sets, and an endless quantity of cups and saucers. Beneath all this is a large surplus stock of sundries. On the right hand shelves towards the front of the store may be seen the finest display of jardinières in the city. Here also are fancy cups and saucers, glass sets, and tumblers of all kinds, comprising many beautiful varieties. Further down towards the rear of the store on the same side the shelves are buried beneath an immense quantity of plates and jugs. Down the centre of the store are four large counters, each containing different articles. For instance, the first is laden with an elaborate display of lamps; the second with razors, the third with table glassware, comprising water jugs, fruit dishes, etc., and the fourth which is over 20 feet in length with dinner sets.

Upstairs they keep a large surplus stock, including all kinds of staple crockery, china and glassware. The basement is reserved for stoneware and earthenware. There are two ranges of glass sets, and tumblers of all those issued for packing. In the other are crates upon crates of tea-pots, barrels of tumblers and assorted glassware. All the new goods are now in and Mr. Colwill looks forward with confidence to continued growth in what is already the greatest crockery store in the Province. His son, George, has entered into the business with hearty enthusiasm which bodes well for the establishment. This store has always done the right thing by their customers and they deserve continued success.

Prof. McEwen, the renowned hypnotist arrived here on Monday evening from Pictou and opened a series of entertainments in the Opera House. A large audience attended the opening entertainment on Monday evening. The Professor opened each entertainment by delivering a short lecture on hypnosis, after which he invites members of the audience to come on the stage, with whom he entertains those present in pleasing and extraordinary ways. Prof. McEwen lays down as essential for hypnosis success the following conditions: suggestion, animal magnetism, concentration, imagination and obedience. The influence of mind over matter is the secret, he says. He claims that the subject must assist the operator, by fulfilling, as far as possible, the requisite conditions just named, or there can be no success in the performance. On Monday evening he found it difficult to succeed, in consequence as he stated, of the unfavorable conditions. In the first place, he had considerable difficulty in getting subjects to get on the stage. He pleaded for a long time before he secured a sufficient number to come up. Finally about twenty, including five of his own assistants took seats on the stage and he commenced operations. Here again, he found great difficulty because, as he said, the greater number of those on the stage were not in sympathy with him or inclined to comply with the necessary conditions. His own assistants, of course, fulfill all the requirements without any delay or hesitation. Notwithstanding all these difficulties, the Professor produced some amazing feats. He had his subjects lock their hands together and try as they would they could not open them till he gave the word. They lost the power of speaking and found themselves positively unable to pronounce their own names; he put them to sleep and when they woke up they imagined themselves witnessing horse races, circuses and all this manner of things. They applauded, but on certain horses, laughed and cheered. In the twinkling of an eye the Professor brought them to their senses and the definition was gone. At pleasure he threw subjects into a cataleptic condition, the body became rigid as if petrified and remained so until aroused by the Professor. Last night the conditions were much more favorable and the entertainment was productive of extraordinary amusement. The subjects went through all the performance they had done of the previous night but acted, and many more. Under the hypnotic influence they laughed, cried, sang, danced, became much exercised in their efforts to drive off imaginary mosquitoes and a number of other things that kept the audience in roars of laughter. At ten o'clock this forenoon the Professor placed a young man in the window of Frowse Brothers Store and put him into a hypnotic sleep. In this condition he remains all day and until the performance opens in the Opera House this evening when he will be awakened on the stage. Certainly Professor McEwen is a wonderful hypnotist and his exhibitions are most entertaining and amusing.

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### DIED

Suddenly at the parochial residence, Rustico, on April 19th, Janet McDonald, of Westley River, in the 61st year of her age. Deceased went on a brief visit to Rustico on the 18th, was taken ill the same night and died next day. Apoplexy of the brain was the cause of death. The interment took place at St. Augustine's, Rustico, on the 21st, the funeral being largely attended. A Requiem Mass was celebrated by the pastor Rev. R. B. McDonald. May her soul rest in peace.

At Mount Carmel, on the 22nd ult, Hugues Arsenault, aged 79 years. R. I. P.

At Alberton, on the 29th ult, of rheumatic fever, Samuel Gallant, aged 35 years. R. I. P.

At Millerville, Lot 66, on April 30th, Ann Power, beloved wife of Thomas Baldwin, aged fifty years. Though lingering for some time she died peacefully. In her last hours she was strengthened by the rites of the Catholic church, administered by Rev. Father McDonald, P. P. May her soul rest in peace.

At his home, in West Medford, a suburb of Boston, Edward Shaw, formerly of Brackley Point, aged 61 years.

At New Haven, on Thursday, May 9th, suddenly of heart disease Neil H. McFadyen, aged 57 years.

In this City, at the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Hurry, on the 13th inst, Mary, widow of the late Robert Hurry of Royal West, aged 76 years.

### The Prices.

Next Friday being the anniversary of her late Majesty Queen Victoria's birth, market will be held on Saturday, the 25th. The market yesterday was fairly well attended. There were only about half dozen loads of hay on sale which were disposed of before noon. The price paid averaged between 50c. and 55c. per cwt. Following is the price list:—

Butter (fresh).....	0.23 to 0.23
Butter (salt).....	0.20 to 0.20
Beef (small) per lb.....	0.08 to 0.12
Beef (quarter) per lb.....	0.08 to 0.07
Calf (small).....	0.05 to 0.05
Ducks, per doz.....	0.50 to 0.70
Eggs, per doz.....	0.11 to 0.12
Fowls.....	0.35 to 0.50
Geese.....	0.50 to 0.80
Hides.....	0.05 to 0.05
Lamb, per 100 lbs.....	0.50 to 0.65
Lamb (qr.).....	0.07 to 0.07
Mutton, per lb.....	0.05 to 0.07
Oats.....	0.30 to 0.31
Oatmeal (bays prior).....	2.00 to 2.25
Potatoes.....	0.16 to 0.18
Pork (small).....	0.05 to 0.12
Sheep pelts.....	0.60 to 0.65
Turnips.....	0.18 to 0.20

### FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

#### BRITISH POPULATION.

According to the returns of this year's census, the total population of England and Wales is 32,525,716, an increase over the population of 1891 of 3,523,191.

#### A CLOSE CALL.

A London despatch of the 11th says: In the House of Commons, last night, the Government had a narrow escape from defeat. The Scotch education estimates were being discussed and a motion affecting one of the votes was only defeated by a majority of twelve.

#### A PAPER SEIZED.

A Dublin despatch of the 10th says: The police last night seized William O'Brien's weekly paper, "The Irish People." It is reported that the seizure was made on account of reflections upon King Edward. Another report says that "The Irish People" was seized for its coarse personal attack upon Mr. Wyndham, the Irish Secretary.

#### ACCIDENT TO SHAMROCK II.

A Southampton despatch of the 10th says: The sixty-mile racing trial of Shamrock I. and Shamrock II. suddenly terminated on the Needles yesterday, by a bad squall, during which the gaff-topsail and yard of the new challenger was carried away, and the gaff crumpled up. She was forced to abandon the contest and returned to Southampton in tow of the Erin for repairs.

#### A FATAL ACCIDENT.

A New York despatch of the 13th says: Of twenty-six young people who started from College Point, on Saturday night, on what is locally known as "Starlight" ride, two were carried home in the morning dead, five are in the Jamaica Hospital. Four were allowed to leave the hospital, after having their wounds dressed.

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Everything guaranteed to be the best of its kind.

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The best value in Clothing for men and boys.

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Latest style, best workmanship and perfect fit guaranteed.

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