

Prowse Bros. Ltd.
Bankrupt Stock Sale Commences Wednesday, Sept. 11

Through unfortunate and unforeseen circumstances, the old established firm of D. G. Cameron & Co., Montague, recently became insolvent. Their stock being offered for tender, we tendered, and our offer was accepted. The goods are now in our store and the sale commences Wednesday, Sept. 11th, at nine o'clock a. m.

\$13, 00 Worth at Retail.

The stock is a large and well-assorted one, amounting to over \$13,000 worth at retail, and consists of General Dry Goods, Men's Furnishings and Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. It is in first class condition, up-to-date, and purchased at close prices.

We Want to Make a Quick Sale.

In order that this great quantity of goods shall not interfere with our immense Fall Stock now coming to hand we desire to dispose of it quickly. Great bargains may therefore be expected.

Country Merchants Should Come.

Country merchants should take advantage of the splendid purchasing opportunities afforded by this sale. Many lots, especially suited to the requirements of country trade will be offered at much below regular lowest wholesale prices.

PROWSE BROS., Ltd., Charlottetown's Big Departmental Store.

LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS

The price of cheese at the board meeting yesterday, was 12 1/2 cts.

As an outcome of the recent race riots in British Columbia a large number of Chinamen, with their families are returning to China.

In consequence of the high rate charged by the farmers, the retail price of milk in Boston this season is likely to be ten cents a quart.

A telegraph operator on the G.P.R. at Van Leek Hill, Ontario, has been sent to jail for six months, for being under the influence of liquor while on duty.

His Lordship Bishop McDonald left here on Monday morning for Quebec where he attends the council of Public Instruction which meets there today.

The grand bazaar, in aid of St. Dunstan's Cathedral opens on Monday October 7th, and continues for the remainder of that week. See the advertisement in this issue.

At New Westminster, B. C., on the 18th, last Judge Bole sentenced John Walsh, a convicted burglar who came from the United States, to fifteen years imprisonment on three separate charges with thirty-six lashes.

At Tillamook, Pa. on Friday last, Edward Marie, driven by J. Andrews, broke the world's trotting record for a mile, on half mile track. She won the distance in 2:07. The previous record was 2:08 by Crossan.

A west bound freight train on the Denver and Rio Grand Railway was wrecked near Pando, 140 miles west of Leadville, Colorado, on the 17th, inst., killing the engineer, the driver and the fireman, all of Solida, Col. The air brakes failed to hold on the grade in the pass.

The police statistics of St. Petersburg for the month of August, record the carrying out of thirty-one sentences of death the assassination of 309 persons of whom 17 were government officials and the wounding of 573 people on various occasions.

Frederick Reed, and his newly wedded wife, while driving from Quilich to Ocala, Ont., on the 20th, were struck by an express train and killed. The buggy was smashed the horses killed, and both the occupants hurled to the ground with terrific force.

The Provincial Workmen's association, through their committee at Halifax on the 19th, inst., placed themselves on record strongly against undesirable foreign labor, especially Asiatic. A committee was appointed to draft a resolution to be forwarded to Ottawa.

The proprietor and two clerks of the Queen's House, Boston, were placed under arrest on Monday last, on a charge of drawing the color line against negroes who applied at the hotel for lodgings on Thursday night. They claim they were told there were no vacant rooms; but, they say, later the same evening rooms were assigned to white men. The complainants maintain that their action is prompted by principle only.

The worst equinoctial gale recorded at St. John's in forty years, swept the Newfoundland coast on Friday last. The storm struck many fishing vessels, and eleven schooners and sloops were driven ashore or foundered at their moorings. A large number of vessels were on the way to Newfoundland from Labrador, where the fishing season closed a few days previously, and it is feared that no disaster may have occurred there yet reported. Eleven vessels put into half a dozen harbors for shelter, but were driven ashore or sank. Several lives were lost. Later advice indicates that probably 24 lives were lost and that 70 fishing vessels were wrecked.

William Coons, living near Peterboro, Ont., had an exciting experience one day last week while crossing Little Bob Lake, on his way home from Boboysgon in a canoe. It was dusk and he encountered a black bear swimming in the water. Coons at first thought the bear was a dog and struck it with his paddle. He soon discovered it was a bear, for the animal with one stroke of his paw upset the canoe and within a few moments the man and the bear were struggling in the water. The attack evidently had infuriated the animal for he fought viciously and when Coons at last reached the shore after having been in the water about half an hour it was with a suit of badly torn clothes and a body with many scratches made by the bear's claws.

London advises say that British shipbuilders are experiencing quite a "boom" in contracts for warships. Brazil has recently given orders to Messrs. Armstrong, Whitworth and Company and Messrs. Vickers Sons and Maxim for the building of three battleships and two cruisers. Japan has ordered two submarines of the Holland type from Messrs. Vickers, and the Argentine Government two powerful destroyers from Messrs. Armstrong. The Vickers Company has also secured an order for two battleships for China. This country is also in the market for twenty shallow draught gunboats for patrol service, and these are likely to go to British firms. Tenders are also out for the 33 knot destroyers provided for in this year's naval estimates, and shipbuilders on the Admiralty list have just been asked to tender for the construction of torpedo boats, which are to form the basis of the new Australian Navy.

Very Rev. Dr. Morrison, V. G., for several years Rector of St. Dunstan's Cathedral, has been appointed pastor of St. Joseph's, Vernon River, in succession to the late Rev. Dr. Doyle. This intelligence is learned by the parishioners of St. Dunstan's with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret. All are pleased that the Very Rev. Dr. has been appointed to the flourishing parish of St. Joseph's, but his pleasure is mingled with regret as to his being torn from our midst, where he has labored so long and so faithfully, and where he is loved and esteemed by all. Under his Lordship the Bishop, the great work of building and completing the new Cathedral has largely devolved upon him. This work has been carried on with a vigor and success that has crowned the work and the excellent financial management in connection therewith are, to a great measure due to his untiring energy. He takes charge of his new parish on Sunday next, but he will not remove to Vernon River until after the close of the season which opens on Sept. 7th. Rev. Dr. McCallan has been promoted to the Rectorship of the Cathedral in succession to Very Rev. Dr. Morrison. Congratulations all around.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

The Liberal Opposition in the Ontario Legislature have chosen A. J. McKay of North Grey, to succeed Mr. Graham, as their Leader.

The third trial of Collins, for the murder of Mayann McAnley, was concluded at Hopewell Cape, N. B. yesterday. The prisoner was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged on November 15th.

While on her way across the Atlantic ocean The Dominion, of the Dominion line, which arrived at Montreal on Monday last, encountered a terrific storm. William Roberts, one of the seamen, was swept overboard by a gigantic wave and drowned and T. Rowland, the ship's quartermaster had two ribs broken.

The plans of the admiralty London, for the newest and largest warship have been received at the construction department at Portsmouth, accompanied by orders to commence building the warship immediately. The displacement of the new ship will be 19,200 tons, and she will be launched before the one to be built at Devonport, orders for which was announced September 16th.

Everything is now actively progressing in preparation of the grand Cathedral Bazaar which is to be held in the Cathedral basement during Exhibition week. This undertaking is well deserving the generous sympathy and support of the public, and we bespeak for its full measure of success. By referring to the advertisement in another column of this issue it will be seen that elaborate preparations are being made for all visitors, who will be furnished with good meals, and will be enabled to procure many useful articles for household purposes. People visiting Charlottetown during Exhibition week, should not return home without also visiting the bazaar.

Oil Trust Has Made a Billion.

New York, N. Y., Sept. 20.—Records of the stockholders of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, laid bare today at the hearing of the government's suit for the dissolution of the alleged oil combine, disclosed the fact that John D. Rockefeller owns 247,896 shares, or nearly five times as much as any other individual shareholder, and that he and his associates who signed the trust agreement in 1882 still control a majority of the Standard Oil stock. Measured by the present market price of \$40 a share, the holdings of Mr. Rockefeller in the Standard Oil Company have a value of \$109,000,000. The depreciation in the price of Standard Oil stock within the past ten years, about the time the agitation against the company began, has been more than \$400 a share. This represents a loss of over \$100,000,000 in the loss of John D. Rockefeller. The shrinkage in the market value of the stock also affects the University of Chicago, which owns 5,000 shares, about \$200,000.

The respective holdings of the largest stockholders of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, are as follows:

John D. Rockefeller, 247,896; Charles H. Pratt estate \$2,582; D. M. Harkness estate, 42,000; O. M. Payne, 40,000; H. M. Flagler, 30,500; O. B. Jennings estate, 17,000; H. H. Rogers, 16,000; Charles Bostwick, 15,000; William Rockefeller, 11,700; C. M. Brewster, 10,000; Charles Lockhart estate, Pittsburg, \$500; E. C. Ledyard and Payne Whitney, 8,000; William C. Whitney estate, 8,000; W. H. Tilford, 6,000; John D. Archbold, 6,000; W. G. Warden estate, 5,858; University of Chicago, 5,000; C. M. Pratt, 5,000; Daniel O. Day, 2,665.

Through Wesley H. Tilford, treasurer of the Standard Oil Company, the government's attorney, Frank H. Kellogg, was able to obtain evidence of a verbal agreement that had been made between the Standard and Independent refiners doing business near Cleveland and Pittsburg. This agreement, which was entered into in the latter part of 1902, provided that these companies should sell their entire output of oil refined for export, to the Standard Oil Company of New York. The export department of the allied companies, in return for which the Standard was to sell the companies a certain amount of crude oil each day. Mr. Tilford said that previous to the making of the agreement the supply of crude oil to these companies had been reduced. Mr. Kellogg then developed from the witness that the export business was chiefly handled by the Standard Oil Company of New York, and that in buying oil for export it paid the market price to the independent refiners. Mr. Kellogg asked if the Standard Oil did not determine the market price, and Mr. Tilford replied that it did.

Some interesting facts concerning the marketing of the Standard's products were developed today, when it was testified to by Mr. Tilford that a committee controlled the domestic trade. Mr. Tilford stated that the United States was apportioned in districts and that the selling companies assigned to those districts confined their operations to the territory assigned to them.

The accountants for the government now at work preparing data will be ready to report next week. Their report, it is declared, will enable the government to show that since the inception of the Standard Oil trust, in 1882, up to the present time the total profits of the old combine have been between \$800,000,000 and \$900,000,000.

DIED

At Newton Cross, Lot 57, on August 28th, Mrs. Michael Morrissey, leaving to mourn a disconsolate husband and seven children. May her soul rest in peace.

At Bonwell, on the 13th inst., Patrick Malone, aged 19 years. May his soul rest in peace.

At Brookvale, Lot 30, on the 6th inst., Mrs. John Smith, in the 72nd year of her age, leaving four sons and four daughters to mourn. May his soul rest in peace.

In this city, on the 21st inst., Annie Mooney. May her soul rest in peace.

At Head St. Peter's Bay, on the 20th inst., Clara, A. daughter of the late John G. and Mrs. McInnis aged 9 years. May his soul rest in peace.

The Prices

Butter, (fresh).....	0.23 to 0.25
Butter (tub).....	0.00 to 0.00
Calf skins.....	0.10 to 0.00
Ducks, per pair.....	0.80 to 1.00
Eggs, per doz.....	0.20 to 0.30
Fowls (per pair).....	0.90 to 1.25
Chickens per pair.....	0.80 to 0.00
Flour (per cwt.).....	2.30 to 2.40
Hides.....	0.07 to 0.00
Hay, (new) per 100 lbs.....	0.60 to 0.00
Mutton, per lb (carcase).....	0.08 to 0.09
Oatmeal (per cwt).....	2.50 to 3.00
Potatoes.....	0.25 to 0.30
Pork.....	0.08 to 0.24
Sheep pelts.....	to 1.00
Turkeys.....	0.00 to 0.00
Turkeys (per lb).....	0.00 to 0.00
Geese.....	0.00 to 0.00
Hk oats.....	0.45 to 0.48
Pressed hay.....	15.00 to 00.00
Straw.....	0.00 to 0.30

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F. G. BOVYER, Sec'y.
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