

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

I. O. F.—Meeting of Court Avondale tonight at 8 o'clock. Payment of dues.

THE WEATHER—Easterly to southerly winds, fair to lay, becoming showery tonight.

C. M. B. A.—Branch No. 216, C. M. B. A., will meet in St. Patrick's Hall this evening at 8 o'clock sharp.

CLASS FOR BOYS.—A select class for boys will be opened at St. Joseph's Convent on the first of September next. Parents desiring further particulars should apply to the Superior as soon as possible.

WEDDING ETIQUETTE.—A man presented himself in his shirt sleeves before the probate Judge of Shawnee county to be married the other day. Not to be outdone in politeness the judge also removed his coat and then conducted the ceremony.—Kansas City Journal.

SOURIS NOTES.—The arrivals at the Sea View are: Ag 23rd C. W. Blenkhorn, D. McCarthy, Halifax; D. W. Finlayson, J. E. Hegan, M. Richie Charlottetown. 24—G. M. A. Wood, A. Poole, G. A. Sharp, Ch'town; Chas. Nicol, Montreal; H. Bryant, Halifax. Professor Buell gave one of his magnificent exhibitions of limelight views. It is hardly necessary to say that the large audience was thoroughly well entertained.

LABOR DAY.—The Athletic Association is pushing things pretty lively on the new track. The grand stand will be finished early next week, the fence will be done about the same time and the track will be ready for the wheel tonight. Glowing reports are coming in from the other provinces of large crowds who intend to come over and see the sports as well as a large field of racers who intend to take part.

THE DRAMA.—The St. John Gazette says of the Miles Ideal Dramatic Co., which opens at the Opera House on Thursday evening next: It is seldom that the theatre-going public witness a more finished or clever performance than that given last evening at the Opera House by the Miles Ideal Co. The play produced was the beautiful and classic Damon and Pythias, and to say that it was a splendid performance would be but putting it mildly. It is as faultless as the most critical could wish to witness.

CARD OF THANKS.—I hereby tender my heartfelt gratitude and thanks to all who assisted my family and myself on July 14th last when my house was burned, and who have so kindly continued, to care for my sick wife and little ones since then, at the same time assisting in providing material and labor to erect for us a new home, which owing to their neighborly and Christian spirit exhibited in aiding us by all means in their power, will soon be ready for occupation. I feel that while we live I and my family shall ever owe a debt of deepest gratitude to all such friends in town and county.—John C. McEachern.

A PLUCKY GIRL.—Last Wednesday evening Lillie Schaeffer, aged 14, who lives with her parents on Hill Creek, in Baker county, had quite an adventure with wildcats. She was engaged driving up the cows for the evening milking, when she came face to face with a wildcat and kittens. The cats stood their ground, the old one making fight with the girl's dog. The young lady not to be driven from the field by fright, gathered her apron full of stones, and the battle began in earnest. It ended by Miss Schaeffer killing one of the kittens and carrying it home as a trophy of her bravery and skill in a close and dangerous encounter.—Morning Oregonian.

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THE CRESCENT ROAD RACE.

Great Excitement at the Finish—Jost Wins the Cup.

Shortly before seven o'clock last night a large crowd had assembled on the St. Peter's Road, near Colonel Dogherty's residence, to witness the finish of the Crescent Cycling Club Road Race. E. Cook was the first racer to put in an appearance, arriving a little after seven. A minute or so later Jost, closely followed by Clarke, came in, and Angus and Brown followed shortly after. Harvie got a bad toss and had to retire from the race, and Newsom broke his chain near Wright's Bridge. Jost rode an ordinary Brantford roader. The prizes are: 1st, silver cup; 2nd, silver medal; 3rd, silver spoon. All three are very handsome trophies, and are on exhibition at the Central Drugstore.

We give below the names of the contestants and the time elapsed between their start and finish. The distance was ten miles along the Union Road:

Time.	
V. Jost.....	31.48
E. L. Cooke and C. M. Clarke.....	32.07
H. H. Brown.....	34.50
R. H. Angus.....	35.41

Harvie and Newsom did not finish. We understand that the Crescents intend having another road race after Labor Day.

WINSLOE NOTES.

Mr. Lemuel Smith, son of Mr. Geo. Smith of Winsloe, left this morning for his American home in Council Bluffs Iowa, after a short visit to see his father who is seventy nine years old and many other relations on the Island. Mr. Smith left home twenty-five years ago. Success followed him and now he ranks with the many rich farmers of Iowa. He was pleased to observe the progress Winsloe has made since his departure, and hopes it will keep on improving. We wish him a pleasant trip back and luck in the future.

The Winsloe Cheese Factory is doing a good business under the management of Ira Hughes who is a very efficient cheese maker. Three hundred cheese were shipped today by the S. S. Campana.

DIED

In this city on the 17th of August, Charles Alver only and dearly beloved child of Arthur and Jane Furbush, aged three and a half months.

You must leave us dearest Alver,
Like a rose bud in its bloom
You will leave us here so lonely
For to weep o'er thy tomb.
The little crib is empty now
The little clothes laid by
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

Good Perfume is a Woman's Delight

Every woman in the city can easily be happy. We have good French Perfume, hand somely put up in glass stoppered bottles, choice odors and very lasting, for 25c and upwards. Other bottled perfumes for 10c and 15c. Perfume in bulk, 25c an ounce and upwards. Violet and Cologne Water in bulk 8c an ounce upwards. These are very delicate odors and last well. Call and sample.

Johnson & Johnson
Graduates in Pharmacy.

August Bargains

Are just as desirable as bargains at any other time. We are now sorting over our stock previous to the arrival of new Fall Goods, and are figuring on prices which should very materially reduce the balance of our

Dress Goods,
Capes and Jackets,
Millinery and Blouses

You will find we are very much in earnest. The prices in those departments will give ample proof.

BEER BROS

PUT ON YOUR THINKING CAP

Think what you used to pay for Children's Clothing. Come and see what you can get it for now.

Think what you used to pay for Carpets and House Furnishings, and just drop in and see what you can get the same goods for now.

Think what a mean pair of Pants you used to buy for \$1. Drop in this week and see what a good pair we can give you for \$1.

Think what you used to pay for Men's Readymade Clothing. We can now give you a good suit for less money than you used to pay for pants and vest.

Think what you would have to pay to-day for goods if we were out of the business.

Think it out---All it Requires Is a Little Thought

And we know that you will come to the same conclusion, as thousands of good sensible people have done before, that we deserve the trade.

And if we cannot give you as good goods—if we cannot give you as large assortment—if we cannot give them just as cheap as others, then we don't want your trade.

PROWSE BROTHERS.

The Wonderful Cheap Men

CHROME GREASED CALF

A nice soft grain calfskin, is used in the Slater \$3 Shoe. Our fall stock is new arriving, and opening up better than ever. Why put your foot in ill fitting shoes when you can buy "Slater's"

\$3 per pr

on different lasts, single or double sole.

ALLEY & CO.,
THE SHOEMAKERS.

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Things that are only pretty good are not good enough now-a-days. Everybody wants the best. If you want a good Watch you can select it from my large stock, with the assurance that it will give you the best satisfaction. My guarantee with every Watch is your protection, will you call?

W. W. WELLNER,
Jeweler

A few Good Things For You To-day

- Oatcake, 12c lb
- Wine Cake 10c each
- Doughnuts, 12c doz
- German Buns, 10c doz
- Cream Tartar Biscuit, 10c doz
- Ginger Snaps, etc.

D. STEWART
ECLIPSE BAKERY
Bakes Best Bread.

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That centrally situated 3 story brick building on the corner of Queen and Dorchester Sts, business stand and dwelling house, suitable for wholesale or retail groceries. These premises are well adapted. Apply to

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Owner
Or to John McKenna, Queen St.
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Actual Business,
Book-keeping,
Arithmetic,
Penmanship,
Shorthand,
Typewriting,

all thoroughly taught at the P. E. I. Commercial College. Our students learn how to do business by actually doing it from the start. Best Work at reduced rates. We open this year, after the holidays; on 16th August. Apply at once send for our new prospectus.

ISAAC OXENHAM,
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Principal and Proprietor.
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Fine Tailoring

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J. W. HUGHES offers for sale his well established Business Stand at Emerald, consisting of a large store, two dwelling houses and barns, with four acres of land, for sale by private negotiations with Geo. B. McKay, Esq., Clifton, New London, until Tuesday, 21st September, next, when it will be sold by Public Auction on the premises at Eleven o'clock, a. m.

Title guaranteed. J. W. HUGHES,
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To the Natives

—OF—
P. E. Island

You have just 10 days more to deal with me, but in that time you can save 10 dollars, for I have to leave my present store the last of August; and no later than this morning I received a lawyer's letter to stop advertising so cheap or I would get cheap board in the jail; but I will continue my cheap sale for 10 days, jail or no jail. Everything at cost.

Remember the place—next to Johnson & Johnson's. P. GOODSTEIN.

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Mounted on Aluminum, Celluloid, Vulcanite, Watts, Rees and Weston's Metal, platinum and Combination Plates, Crown and Bridge Work.

DR. J. P. MURRAY,
415 Queen Street.

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C. W. A.

Maritime Championships ON

Charlottetown Amateur Athletic Association Grounds

LABOR DAY, September 6.

List of Events.

- 1 mile novice
- 1/2 mile C. W. A. Maritime Championship
- 1 mile (boys under 16)
- 1 mile (2.50 class)
- 1 mile (C. W. A. Maritime Championship)
- 1/4 mile race
- 3/4 mile (lap race)
- 2 mile (handicap)
- 5 mile C. W. A. Maritime Championship
- 1 mile Tandem
- 220 yards flat race
- 1/4 mile flat race
- 1/2 mile flat race
- High jump

Handsome prizes given in all the other events.

A. E. INGS,
President.

H. D. JOHNSON, M D
Secretary
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