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MADE TO-DAY AT QUIRK'S BAKERY

- Mince Pie 10c each
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Gooseberry Pie 10c each
Cranberry Pie 10c each
Cream Pie 12c each
Cocoanut Pie 15c each

JOHN QUIRK, CITY BAKERY, Grafton Street.

A Few More Bargains. PRUNES

- Fine cooking prunes 10c per lb
Fine Table prunes 15c per lb

Evaporated Peaches and Apricots 15c per lb

JAMS ass. kinds, 7 lb pails, 42c per pail

McLarren's Cheese 1 lb crocks 20c, 2 lb crocks 35c

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APPLES.

Auction, Thursday, January 27th, at 10 o'clock, 50 barrels choice Baldwin, Spys, and Bishop Pippins.

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MOLASSES

- 100 puns. Bright Porto Rico
80 puns. Barbadoes.
55 puns. [L] Demarara.
175 puns. Antigua.

N. RATTENBURY

Jan 25, '98—eod 4 wks—pat.

WANTED

2000 bushels good quality Wheat; for which cash will be paid on delivery at my warehouse, Charlottetown.

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WANTED—A nurse—fri from 12 to 16. To take care of a child. Apply at this office. Jan 25th

SHIPBUILDING IN 1897.

During 1897, exclusive of war ships, 591 vessels of 952,486 tons gross (viz, 545 steamers of 924,382 tons and 46 sailing vessels of 28,104 tons) have been launched in the United Kingdom.

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In recent annual statements of this kind, the output of the year 1889 has been assumed to be nearly indicative of the maximum productive capacity of the ship building yards of the United Kingdom.

As regards the material employed for the construction of the vessels included in the United Kingdom returns for 1897, it is found that of the steam tonnage, 98.8 per cent. has been built of steel and 1.1 per cent. of iron.

Of the total output, 688,534 steam tons and 27,592 sailing tons, or 716,126 tons in all (rather over 75 per cent.) belong to ports in the United Kingdom.

The largest steamers which have been launched in the United Kingdom during the year are the following:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Tons gross. Includes Cymbric (12,340), Brasilia (11,100), Briton (10,248), etc.

The largest sailing vessels are the following:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Tons gross. Includes Nivelle (2,436), Hongomont (2,428).

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Newcastle (169,585 tons), Belfast (106,605 tons), Greenock (103,073 tons), etc.

During the year under review, six steamers have been launched of the trunk-deck type which was introduced in 1896.

Of the vessels launched in the United Kingdom, 484 of 770,134 tons have been built under the Society's inspection with a view to classification in Lloyd's Register Book.

As regards the movements of the ship-building industry during the course of 1897, Lloyd's Register Returns show that, irrespective of war ships, the total tonnage under construction in the United Kingdom on the 31st December, 1897, exceeded by about 229,000 tons, or nearly 30 per cent., that under construction twelve months previously.

There have been built in foreign countries, during the year, 253 steamers of 278,441 tons and 146 sailing vessels of 100,995 tons, in addition to 42 war vessels of 133,435 tons displacement.

A large warship tonnage (51,000 tons displacement) has also been launched in Germany during the year. Of the tonnage reported from the United States, about 60 per cent. does not affect the general commerce of the world, but is intended exclusively for service on the Great Lakes of North America.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Tons gross. Includes Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse (14,349), Kaiser Friedrich (12,509), etc.

If to the figures in Table V. be added those for the United Kingdom, as given in the preceding tables, the total output of the world during 1897 (exclusive of war ships) appears to have been about 1,331,000 tons (1,202,000 steam, 129,000 sail).

THINGS TO MAKE A NOTE OF.

REMEMBER the Oddfellows social to morrow night at 8 o'clock.

COLLEGE CONTEST.—Prince of Wales vs. St. Dunstons at the rink tonight.

LECTURE IN A.O.H. Hall.—S.M. Bent, Esq., of Summerside, will deliver a lecture in the A.O.H. Hall, McEachern's Building, Queen Street, on Friday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

THE LADIES' Aid Society of the First Methodist Church will meet in the church parlour tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Elsewhere in this issue appears the unusually attractive programme of the entertainment to be given in St. Peter's Hall tomorrow night. Give the deserving place of amusement a full house tomorrow night. Last concert of the course.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

THE WEATHER.—Strong winds and gales shifting to westerly, snow or rain.

POSTPONED.—The meeting of the League of the Cross will be postponed until Wednesday Feb. 2nd.

THE STANLEY got into Picton about one o'clock this afternoon, and will probably leave for Georgetown tomorrow.

POLICE COURT.—The Mutch-Gardiner assault case was disposed of this morning, the defendant being fined \$3 or 40 days.

QUEBEC HEATER.—Dr. Doyle was on Sunday last presented with a Quebec Heater, No 5, to heat his China Point Chapel, by a number of his Charlottetown friends, in addition to the case mentioned in yesterday's issue.

RAILWAY ITEMS.—The trains are all on time today.

The engine that went off the track near Traveller's Rest on Monday afternoon will be placed all right today. It is expected that this work will be completed by four o'clock this afternoon.

ADJOURNED.—In consequence of the inability of Hon. A. B. Warburton, the Secretary of the Driving Park and Provincial Exhibition Association, to reach home in time for the meeting advertised to take place on Thursday, the 27th inst., the meeting will be adjourned till Thursday, the 3rd day of February, next, at the same place and hour.

PERSONAL.

Mr. A. C. McDonald, M. P., was in the city last evening.

Peter McGrath, Esq., Postmaster at Hunter River, is in the city.

Hon. Senator Ferguson will leave for Ottawa on Monday next.

Mr. Alexander Martio, M. P., of Valleyfield, is registered at the Queen Hotel.

Mr. John H. Bell, M. L. A., is in the city, and is stopping at the Queen Hotel.

Rev. A. Craze, of Mount Stewart, is among the latest arrivals at the Queen Hotel.

William Campbell, Esq., ex-M. L. A. Sea View, is in town. He is at the Hotel Davies.

Neil McQuarrie, Esq., Stipendiary Magistrate of Summerside, is at the Hotel Davies.

Murdoch McKinnon, Esq., M. L. A., Murray Harbor, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. Daniel Gordon and Hon. A. J. Macdonald, of Georgetown, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. Allen Parsons, of Montreal, the well known commercial traveller, is at the Hotel Davies.

Mr. Geo. F. Owen, Secretary of the King's County Exhibition Association, is in town. He is registered at the Queen Hotel.

Messrs. F. B. Kennedy, J. B. Dawson, William Small, Alexander McRae and William Wortman expect to leave Charlottetown for the Klondike country, early next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Cannon, of Kildare, Lot 3, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage on the evening of the 18th inst. The celebration took place at the house of their nephew, and a very pleasant evening was passed. Mr. Cannon is 84 years of age, and Mrs. Cannon 80. The happy old couple received many souvenirs of the interesting occasion.

Mr. W. C. Harris A. R. C. A. Architect of this city has received an invitation from the Government of Montana to prepare competition designs for a new State Capitol Building in Helena to cost two hundred and seventy five thousand dollars.

SUPREME COURT.

Wednesday, Jan'y 26th.

Before Mr. Justice Hodgson without a jury. Neil McQuarrie vs. Joseph Dunn—Action of ejectment. Now before the court. Morson, Q. C., for the plaintiff; Haszard, Q. C., and Whear for the defendant.

Start the New Year right all round. Buy the best and stick to it.—that's economy. Sovereign Flavoring Extracts are the best.

Advertisement for Johnson & Johnson Good Cooks. Includes text: 'use our Baking Powder for several reasons. I because it is a pure Cream of Tartar Baking Powder. II Because it contains no alum, ammonia or other injurious ingredients. III Because it's the cheapest high grade Powder on the market. IV Because it gives off the largest percentage of gas, therefore makes the lightest biscuits &c. for the quantity of Baking Powder used. 25c a pound. Sold by all the leading grocers.'

Advertisement for Stanley Bros. 'ALL ABOUT HOUSEHOLD GOODS.' Includes sections for Table Linens, SHEETINGS, Pillow Cottons, Towels and Towellings, NAPKINS. Prices listed for various items like 'Full bleached, first quality, 72 inch, 20c'.

List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown

In default for Assessment due on Real Property, for the year ending 31st December, 1897, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them respectively, with a statement of the Number of the town Lot, Water Lot and Common Lot upon which or any part thereof such assessment is in default.

Table with 3 columns: Name of Ratepayer in Default, Statement or Description of Property upon which Assessment is made, Amount of Assessment due & unpaid. Lists names like McArthur, Sarah; Birch, John; Coyle, Stephen; etc.