

BIG SALE

New the order of the day

Weeks & Co

Will sell during the dull summer season, beginning today

All summer goods at big discounts, many lines at Half Price.

All Ladies' Black and Colored Capes

50 p. c discount

All shop trimmed and English imported Hats and Bonnets at

50 p. c. discount

About (2700) two thousand seven hundred yards of new Black Cashmere, the best value we have ever shown, recently received, worth 75c per yard. We are having a big sale of this special cashmere in two shades—Jet Black or Blue Black, at

50c yard

For fancy Black Goods we show a large variety of rich effects, and very best value.

—ALSO—

We offer about 6 dozen New Fancy Sailors (balance of the 30 dozen lot we have got at Half Price).

at 35 cents

worth from 50c to 80c

Gentlemen try us for

Summer Washing Ties

Outing Shirts

White or Unlaundered Shirts

Cuffs Collars Gloves or

Braces

Summer Underwear

We keep a large variety of new furnishings.

W. A. Weeks & Co
Wholesale & Retail.

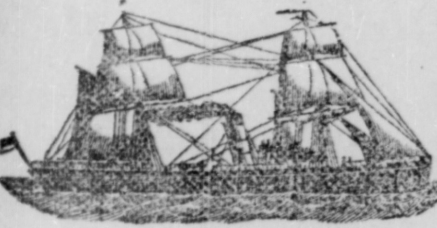
There'll be a Hot Time Yet Hang up Your Hammock

What? Haven't got one Can you live all summer without a Hammock.

We offer a large, new stock bought at a special discount, and our selling prices are away down. All Sizes and Styles. We ask your inspection.

HASZARD & MOORE

DOBELL LINE.



S. S. "GREETLANDS" is due here from Montreal, on August 1st, and will sail for St. John's, Nfld via Sydney, and North Sydney carrying live stock on deck and produce under deck at lowest rates.

For further information as to freight or passage, apply to N. RATTENBURY, Agent 175.

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Graduate College of Civil Engineering Cornell University. Consulting Engineer for General Work. Specialties: Hydraulic, Sanitary Engineering and Bridge Designing. Offices at Charlottetown and St. John's. Island correspondence addressed to Charlottetown.

THE HEAT.

Oh, the heat!
Cruel heat!
Rank imposter, villain, cheat!
Your inflictions are a torture,
Equalled only by the "scorchers,"
Whom we see on every street.
In the heat,
Sticky heat;
Choking up each cool retreat;
Driving folks to desperation;
Shutting off their respiration,
(Now becoming such a feat.)
With the heat,
Frightful heat!
How you do my weight deplete!
Why not take a short vacation?
We can spare your radiation
Till next summer should we meet:
When the sleet,
Welcome sleet,
Will caress you with both feet;
Read asunder all your prisms,
Subdivide you into schisms.
Then no more will we repeat;
Oh, the heat!
Sizzling heat!

PERSONAL.

Baron Von Hugell, of Montreal, is in town.

Rev. William Phelan, Sturgeon, has returned from a five months trip abroad.

Mrs. Wheat and Miss Wheat, of Toronto, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Carter at Keppock.

At the Queen Hotel: George Forbes, Vernon River; J. J. Deunao, London, Ont; John H. Bell, Summerside; P. Sicclair, Summerfield; Fred M. Morris, Bradalbane.

Rev Benjamin Chappell left this morning on return to Japan, after about a year's furlough to his home and friends in Charlottetown. During this time Mr. Chappell has renewed many old acquaintances and formed many new ones. He will be joined in Pennsylvania by Mrs. Chappell who has been visiting friends there.

At the Davis: Mrs D. Watson, Montreal; A. Lazarus, Toronto; F. G. Foley, do; Wm Klapp, Philadelphia; Ernest A. Congdon, do; Samuel McGowan, Montreal; Mrs A. B. Lovjoy, Phila; E. B. Lovjoy, do; J. M. Green, Goo'town; J. Gleason, Woodstock; J. McDonald, Woodstock; Geo. Calvit, Montreal; H. B. Bowden, B. St.; A. E. Massie, Fredericton; R. F. Mealar, Nfld.

The Guardian is pleased to note the success of Mr. Ewen MacMillan, son of Hugh Mac Millan, Esq. of New Haven. This young man has taken a course in Ontario Agricultural College and the results of the year's examinations have just been published. He stands best of the whole college in general proficiency, a rank which entitles him to the highest praise. In first class honors in various departments for first year work he stands first in agriculture, live stock, dairying, poultry and apiculture, first in natural science, second, veterinary science, first in mathematics, physics, book-keeping and drawing, and was first for second-class honors in English literature, grammar and composition.—Guardian

Valenciennes lace, new lot just received—T. J. Harris, London House.

It is pleasing to observe that Mr. Henry Rackham is able to be out again.

Deeters, long and short, big or little, light or dark. Prices low at Paton & Co.

A deep cut on all trimmed millinery, all hats, all caps. See Windows. Paton & Co.

Read our small advertisement on last page for bargains in straw hats.—W. D. McKay.

Only a few sun shades left, and get one, only 25 cents each, a genuine purse opener.—W. D. McKay.

Hats to fit all sized men at \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 per pair. New patterns, good styles.—W. D. McKay.

140 sailor hats at 25c and 35c, less than half what some other stores ask for them. See window. Paton & Co.

Boys, see the fan faced boots we are selling off so cheap, and yet so good in quality.—J. B. McDonald & Co.

Do you want a straw hat. We have a few left. We are closing out. You can have one at your own price.—J. B. McDonald & Co. July 26 31.

RE-MINDER

We wish to remind you that an early settlement of your July accounts will be appreciated very much as we are in need of the money. We will be pleased to receive the amount and give you a receipt for same today.

F. PERKINS & CO.,
Sunnyside,

DR. ALLISON'S DISCLAIMER.

Repudiates the Anti-Prohibition Sentiments Attributed to Him.

The following letter appears in the Halifax Herald at hand this morning. As the article to which it has reference was copied by THE EXAMINER we also give the letter place in our columns:—

Sir,—I wish to disclaim responsibility for much of the language and sentiment on the subject of prohibition attributed to me in the article from an Amherst paper quoted in your Wednesday issue. The observations that I really did make on the occasion referred to in the article were in my judgment far from sensational, and I am at a loss to see how they can "startle" any one. My chief statement was an inference drawn generally from the history of prohibitory legislation to the effect that the mere enactment of such legislation had not in itself power to sweep away the saloon, and that the assumption of the liquor traffic are convertible terms is not warranted by facts. In support of this statement or inference I referred to two instances coming under my own observation, but I made no such assertion as that prohibition had everywhere been a failure nor did I ask any such question as "Where on earth has prohibition succeeded." "I did not refer to the Scott Act directly or indirectly, and drew no inferences from "the moral support" or want of moral support accorded it by the people. I did not mention or refer in any way to Maine, and therefore could not have drawn the suggested parallel between her experience and that of New Brunswick in a possible future. I did not say or imply "the country needs no more prohibitive laws." What I did say and repeat now was that a prohibitive law unsupported by a powerful force of moral sentiment might be a curse rather than a blessing. I did not say that "I could not recommend the great body of the Methodist Church to vote for prohibition," and certainly did not intend to say anything that could possibly be construed to have such a meaning.

Coming to the question now before the people of this country. I recognize—how could I fail to do so?—a degree of doubt existing in the minds of at least some sincere friends of temperance whether the times are really ripe for Parliamentary prohibition. I frankly admitted that my own mind was not entirely free from this doubt, but went on to say that such was my antipathy to the liquor traffic and desire for its destruction, that I intended to give prohibition "the benefit of the doubt" and vote "Yes" at the plebiscite poll. The reporter most inexcusably represents as my expression the very reverse of his intention. To close these corrections, though I might extend them, I incidentally referred to the plebiscite principle as a novelty in British legislation, but I said nothing by the remotest implication justifying the reported statement that I characterized the proposition now before the country as a "measure calculated to deceive a portion of our people, and which would not further the cause of temperance one particle." Everything that I said implied a recognition of the perfect bona fides of both the government and parliament of Canada in placing the measure on the statute book. The enclosure to question marks of what is chiefly the reporter's own language is to my mind very reprehensible.

Yours with respect,
DAVID ALLISON.
Sackville, N.B., July 28, 1897.

—General Manager Simpson, of the Valleyfield Cotton Mills, has paid a tribute to newspaper advertising which was not intended. As a reason for not making a display in a coming exhibition he pleaded that his company made a fine display last year, but it was scarcely noticed by the newspapers and therefore thrown away. No less than fifty thousand people saw the exhibit, but the newspaper notice was not sufficiently conspicuous. The trouble is that the exhibitor wished the newspapers, as a private enterprise, to give him an advertisement for nothing.

English critics say that recently fate gave evidence of more than usual intelligence in the office of a Parisian journal. The Parisian editor saw a London critic's appreciation of Anna Thibaud, whose songs are as pointed and flowery as her "rosebud" slippers. The Londoner wrote that "mademoiselle's feet were incased in fairy boots." The Parisian set himself diligently to work with his dictionary, and soon had it correctly translated, we presume, but when it appeared in print instead of reading that mademoiselle's feet were incased in "bottes de fee," it said they were incased in "pots a fleurs" (flower pots).

Those Ficed Kidneys
Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills help tired kidneys to do what they must do if you are to be a healthy man or woman.

Hot Weather....

Brings the people in crowds to our Fountains, where they know they can get the most refreshing drink of Soda Water to be had in the city. Pure Fruit Syrups, good Cream and Ice Cold Soda, served in the thinnest of glasses make our fountains very tempting. Our Phosphate Soda are particularly fine, Orange, Lemon, Cherry Ripe, etc., etc.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON
THE DRUGGISTS.

Local and Other Items.

THE TEMPERATURE.—The temperature at one today was 83°. The highest indicated yesterday was 81°.

INDIAN CELEBRATION.—Tomorrow will be St. Anne's Sunday, and the annual Micmac celebration takes place at Lennox Island.

CRICKET MATCH.—A cricket match between the Rights and Lefts of the Phoenix Cricket Club is to be played in Victoria Park this afternoon.

EXCURSION.—An excursion party numbering 100 arrived from New Glasgow today in the St. Olaf. The excursionists under the auspices of the Sons of England. The New Glasgow Band is in attendance.

CITY COUNCIL.—A special meeting of the City Council is called for Tuesday evening next, at eight o'clock, to consider an application from the Commissioners of Sewers and Water Supply for an issue of sewer debentures amounting to \$50,000.

THE ENGINEERS.—The Engineer Corps under command of Major Weeks, paraded to Victoria Park last evening, where they went through their drill in a manner that was highly creditable alike to officers and men. The Citizens Band was in attendance.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.—Mr. Herbert Martin will preach at both services in the Central Christian Church tomorrow.

Rev. A. N. Simpson begins his work with the Christian Church's at Cross Roads, Lot 48, and East Point tomorrow. Mr. Herbert Martin will preach in Hertz's Hall tomorrow at the usual hour.

POLICE COURT.—During the month of July, the receipts from police business totalled \$61.25 and for dog taxes \$190. There were 16 convictions for drunkenness during the month. There were also 6 convictions for nuisances, 1 for violating the Liquor Regulation Act, and 1 each for assault and battery and interfering with the police.

A GREAT SUCCESS.—The tea party at Coleman, on Wednesday last, was attended by a very large number of people and proved to be one of the great successes of the season. Everything was conducted in good shape. There was an abundance of amusement and music, the best of good order prevailed, and everybody thoroughly enjoyed the affair, which was a credit to the pastor, Rev. A. J. Macdonnell, and the energetic committee of management.

WHOLE FAMILY GONE.—Mr. Alex. McDonald, Big Interval, Cape North, was suddenly and sadly bereft of his whole family about a month ago. On the 14th day of May, Bessie Agnes, a two year old daughter, died, after an illness of only one day. On the 18th, another child, John, died, after an illness of five days, the result of a cold with other complications, a baby eight days old was the only child left, and the mother was suffering from fever which overcame medical skill, and ended in death on June 5th. The baby died two days later. Mrs. McDonald was a young woman and highly esteemed.

VEGETABLES fresh from the garden are superior in flavor to those pulled two or three days, and we are placing our large garden at the disposal of every family in Charlottetown. For the benefit of those ordering from the country, we quote as follows: Cabbage, 30 to 40 per doz; cauliflower, 30 to 50 per doz; peas and turnips, 6 to 8c per doz; green peas 12c per gal; lettuce, 25c per doz; mushrooms, 25c per lb; cucumbers, radish, parsley, and flowers, etc, etc; orders for vegetables gathered and shipped the same day as received. We take this opportunity to thank customers for their liberal patronage. Especially do we appreciate the many callers at our gardens, and we will always make a special effort to give full satisfaction, having more time at our disposal there than at the market. If you cannot call use your telephone. A telephone places our gardens at your door; if you have not a telephone, your neighbor has, and he is a jolly good fellow.—J. J. Gay & Son, Nursery Gardens, Lead of Prince Street, Charlottetown, Telephone 18. 18 1w & wko ex & pat.

UNDERSTOOD.

Doctor—I just met your wife. That medicine I sent her by you seems to have benefited her greatly.

Dumley—Sent her? Why, doctor, I thought you said that was for me, and I was in the hospital a week after I took it.—Richmond Dispatch.

A Cause For Grief.

A Chinese of 40 years old, whose mother still flogged him daily, shed tears one day in the company of friends. "Why do you weep?" asked one. "Alas, things are not as they used to be!" he lamented. "The poor woman's arm grows feebler every day."—Household Words.

4 Specials at Stanleys

WHITE SHIRTS
Our White Shirts are made so as to insure perfect comfort. The material is always good, the sizes are always correct, the finish always the best.
\$1.00 each

STANLEY BROS.
NECK WEAR FOR LADIES
A fine assortment of ties in all the new shapes—made up in satin, muslin and pique.

STANLEY BROS.
WATERPROOF CLOAKS
All new and up to date goods. They are being Sold Cheap. Want One? Come and see them.

D. GORDON, SIXTUS McLELLAN
High-Class Tailoring and Men's Furnishings.
Our Ambition is to conduct our business so that every purchaser shall be pleased. We are not doing business for this year or for the next. We want your trade continuously. Drop in and see our new fall Suitings, Overcoating and Trouserings; they are plumbs.
GORDON & McLELLAN
Upper Queen St. Men's Stylish Outfitters

Clean Home Dyeing
You can dye perfectly and quickly at home now, in the modern way, with Maypole Soap, without disorder or uncertainty about the results you'll get. Maypole Soap is sold in all colors—they are absolutely fast and they are brilliant. It dyes to any shade. Leading Druggists sell it. Book all about it—free by applying to the Canadian Depot, 8 Place Royale, Montreal.
Maypole Soap
MADE IN ENGLAND.

A Snap for the Boys
50 pairs Boys Tan boots in sizes 1 to 5 regular prices \$1.85 will go now for \$1.25. Get around quick Boys and have a pair.
J. B. McDonald & Co