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July 3, 1877-6m

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Enclose stamp to Gilmore & Co., and full reply, with blanks, will be sent free.

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ALL Federal Officers, Soldiers and Sailors, wounded, ruptured, or injured, in the line of duty in the late war, and disabled thereby, can obtain a pension.

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Send stamp to Gilmore & Co., Washington D. C., full instructions.
July 24 1877.

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JUST RECEIVED,
C. J. BRYDGES, LABRADOR and Boone Bay STATIONS.

	A.M.	Mt. S.
Souris	7.30	10
Harmony	7.55	Lot 40
St. Peter's	9.10	Morell
Morell	9.42	St. Peter's
Lot 40	9.45	Harmony
Mt St. w't Jnc	Ar. 10.25	Souris

C. J. BRYDGES, W. McKECHNIE,
Gen. Superintendent Supt. P. E. I.
Govt. Railways. Railway.

Smoked Halibut, &c.

40 boxes SMOKED HALIBUT,
20 bundles DRIED POLLOCK.
For sale by HASZARD BROS.
December 14, 1877.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC

WHILE taking this opportunity of thanking our numerous customers for the liberal manner in which they have patronized

OUR NEW STUDIO,

we would inform them that we have now increased facilities for the production of first-class work, and are prepared to make PHOTOGRAPHS of a Style and Quality that has never before attempted in this City.

We have on exhibition, at our Rooms, a large number of Photographs of every variety, including the
BEAUTIFUL PHOTO - ENAMEL
The most beautiful style of Photograph known, possessing a softness and delicacy of coloring that has never been equalled. This elegant picture has become deservedly popular elsewhere, and cannot fail to become so here.

Though the finish of our Photographs cannot be excelled, we would direct attention to the beautiful

Glaze Pictures

which we make. They possess a highly enamelled surface, and are practically indestructible, and will retain their freshness and beauty for any length of time. If they become soiled they can easily be cleaned, as they will not lose any of their beauty by being wet. This valuable quality, combined with their remarkable elegance, make them very suitable for presents; while the difficulty of their production will prevent them ever becoming so common as to lessen their value. Our patrons can have one or all of their Photos finished in this style—an advantage which cannot be obtained elsewhere.

We give special attention to making Groups of Families, Societies, Schools, &c. Our pictures of children are sufficient evidence of our success in this difficult branch of our art.

Our ENLARGEMENTS, finished in India Ink, Pastel, Crayon, Oil and Water Colors, have made a favorable reputation for themselves throughout the Lower Provinces.

Parties intending to have Photographs made will find it to their advantage to sit early, as the number of our customers makes some delay in the delivery of the Photos unavoidable. We prefer to have our sitters come by appointment.

Photographs can be obtained for less money elsewhere; but in this case we ask that quality be given the preference; assuring the public that they will find our charges very moderate.

ROSS BROS.,

Cor. Queen and Dorchester Streets,
opposite Connolly's Bank.
Sept. 19, 1877-3m eod

Coarse Salt for Packing.

FIFTY TONS Coarse Salt, three hundred Bags do.
For sale by
HASZARD BROS.
Dec. 8, 1877-1m eod

HERRING! HERRING!

FOR SALE AT
W. W. CLARKE'S.
Water St., Ch'town, Dec. 1—eod tf

P. E. Island Railway,

In connection with the Winter Steamship

NORTHERN LIGHT!

A Special Train will Connect Closely.

TRAIN will leave Charlottetown at 6 a. m., on the mornings of the day on which the Steamer will leave Georgetown, arriving at the latter place at 9 a. m. The Boat will leave immediately after the arrival of the Train.

The Train will be ready immediately on the arrival of the Boat from Pictou and will start at once for Charlottetown.

This arrangement will continue during the winter, and until the "Northern Light" ceases to run.

WM. McKECHNIE, Supt.

Ch'town, Dec. 17th, 1877-6in

A. McNEILL,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant
NO. 1 QUEEN STREET,
CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND

AUCTION SALES, of all descriptions, attended to in city and country at moderate rates.
May 21, 1877.

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OF ENGLAND.
Capital - - Two Millions Sterling.

INSURANCE effected on all kinds of Buildings, Merchandise, and Produce also, on Vessels on the stocks.
Special rates for isolated residences.
Losses settled promptly.

GEORGE MACLEOD (Union Bank),
Agent for Prince Edward Island
June -

CHRISTMAS

—AND—
NEW YEARS

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S are coming. We begin to think about our presents. LEWIS has a large stock of splendid Chromos, Steel Engravings, and Lithographs, large and small. They are a choice collection—something new. Prices to suit the times.

Mouldings

He has Ten Thousand feet of Mouldings, thirty different patterns, all new, suitable for all kinds of pictures. Frames will be made and sold for 25 per cent. lower than any other place in the city.

Frames.

Fancy Frames, all sizes and kinds, from 12 upwards.

Albums, Mottoes,

Brackets, Wall Pockets, Cards, and Transfer Pictures in great variety.

Photographs

and GLAZE PICTURES. If you want a good Photograph, go to LEWIS' and you will get it. He has the best facilities in the city for making Pictures; besides, he knows how to make them. His specimens are all his own work, as you will see by calling and looking at them. You will know them all.

Special attention given to Children's Pictures and Family Groups.

Old Pictures copied and enlarged, finished in India ink, water colors, oil, or crayon.

Also, the **Photo-Enamel Picture.** Persons wishing to learn to make the Photo-Enamel Picture can be taught in one lesson, for \$2. No art required.

For Sale, pictures of MR. & MRS. D. BANKS McKENZIE, large or small.

Don't forget the place—Upper Great George street (Thomas' Old Stand).

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

—AND—
NEW YEAR'S GIFTS!

IN GREAT ABUNDANCE,
AT HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE.

Ch'town, Dec. 20, 1877.

GENERAL AGENCY NOTICE.

I BEG to announce to the TRADE of this City, and the Island generally, that on the 14th of JANUARY I will have a complete

ASSORTMENT OF SAMPLES,

of the following lines of Goods for Spring and Summer:

English & Canadian

TWEEDS & WOOLLENS,

BOOTS & SHOES,

AMERICAN COTTONS,

Readymade Clothing

AMERICAN

RUBBER GOODS,

IN GREAT VARIETY.

Tobacco & Cigars, Confectionery,

Coffee & Spices, Naval Stores,

Teas, Sugars.

I am also SOLE AGENT for the Lower Provinces for WYATT & Co's (London) CELEBRATED

Pickles, Sauces, Jellies, Etc.,

—AND—
E. James & Son's (Plymouth) celebrated

STARCH, BLUE & DOME LEAD.

This Notice is only to the Trade—no Retail orders being solicited or accepted.

Sample Rooms at No. 9 Queen St., over the Office of Messrs. Hyndman Brothers.

JOHN H. CATHRAE,
Ch'town, Nov. 23, 1877—w & l w f

To Trustees of Country Schools

THE Trustees of several Districts have been applying for school furniture, and in every instance consider the American and Canadian Combination Seat and Desk too expensive. I have just got up a Combination that is stronger, neater, and one-third cheaper than those that have been imported. Call and see samples of the different sizes. City School Trustees fully approve of them.
MARK BUTCHER.
Dec. 18, 1877—ex 1m ne a pat pres 4i

SELECTED POETRY.

MY ANSWER.

Do you know you have asked for the costliest thing

Ever made by the hand above;
A woman's heart, and a woman's life,
And a woman's wonderful love?

Do you know you have asked for this priceless thing

As a child might ask for a toy,
With the reckless dash of a boy?

You have written my lesson of duty out,
Men like you have questioned me—
Now stand at the bar of my woman's soul,
Until I shall question thee.

You require your mutton shall always be hot,
Your socks and your shirts be whole:

I require your heart to be as true as God's stars,
And as pure as Heaven your soul.

You require a cook for your mutton and beef
I require a much greater thing—
A seamstress you're wanting for socks and shirts—

I look for a man and a king—
A king for the beautiful realm called Home,
And a man that his maker, God
Shall look upon as He did on the first,
And say, "It is very good."

I am fair and young, but the roses will fade
From my soft, young cheek one day;
Will you love me then, 'mid the falling leaves,
As you did 'mid the blossoms of May?

Is your heart an ocean, so strong and deep,
I may launch my all on its tide!

A loving woman finds heaven or hell,
The day she becomes a bride.

I require all things that are grand and true,
All things that a man should be;
If you give this all I would stake my life
To be all you demand of me.

If you cannot be this—a landress and cook
You can hire—and little to pay;

But a woman's heart and a woman's life,
Are not to be won that way.

Infamous Rowdyism.

During the passage of Col. Allyn's triumphal procession of sleighs and blazing tar barrels last evening, some fellows unworthy of the name of "friends" of any gentleman, and whom we are confident Col. Allyn will be only too glad to disavow as of the "Conservative" party, threw sticks, stones and bottles through the windows of the *Telegraph*, the *Chronicle* and *Mercury* offices. The assault on the dwelling of Mr. Carrel, over his office, was a disgraceful act, and the thrusting of burning fire brands through the broken window panes added to the infamy of an act by which the premises and the lives of its inmates might have been sacrificed.—*Quebec Mercury*.

Curious Circumstance.

A SOLDIER in Cromwell's army, passing over St. Mary's bridge, Derby, observed a young girl landing water from the river. In the spirit of mischief he threw a large stone, intending it should startle her by the splash. But it struck her on the head, and she fell into the river. The soldier galloped on, feeling that he had been guilty of a wanton murder. The unknown consequences of his folly preyed upon his mind. His conscience was always upbraiding him. Years after he settled in Derby, and after a short acquaintance with a woman of suitable age, got married. Very soon after he saw his wife combing her hair, and inquired how she got that scar that disfigured her head. She replied: "Some wretch of a soldier had once nearly killed her with a stone, but if ever she caught that man she would pay him off." It is not recorded how she punished her husband when he confessed, or how great was his relief when the haunting thought of a wanton murder was removed from his mind. He was one of the five troopers who rode under the oak where Charles was hidden at Boscabel. From this soldier was descended Mr. Hutton, a well-known antiquary of Derby, who related the above.

An Atrocious Murder.

A most atrocious parricide occurred at Lawrenceville, Ind., last week. The victim was a laboring man named Joseph Kungler. He had had trouble with his wife, and sued for a divorce, but yet was living in the same house with her. On the night of the murder he was down town, and in his absence the wife persuaded their son, who is thirteen years old, to kill him on his return. He promised to do so, and, loading a gun, lay in wait for his father. When the latter came near him, the boy shot him through the back of the head. He fell, mortally wounded, and crying for help. The mother took the gun and laid it by him, he being still alive and calling for help. The mother and son then retreated, but could not sleep, and finally arose, and, cooking supper, ate it, and thus spent the night, all the time hearing the moans and pleadings of the dying husband and father.

In the morning the neighbors found Kungler still alive and lying in a pool of blood, but unable to speak. The wife was at work, paying no attention to him. She said he had committed the act himself. After he died, the Coroner investigated the case, and found what she said could not be true. The boy was then accused of having committed the deed, finally confessed the whole affair, and said his mother had been urging him to the act for a year. Both parties are under arrest. The excitement in the town and surrounding country is intense.

Tryon Meeting.

The following resolution was moved by Mr. Alexander Howatt, seconded by John Walker and others, and passed unanimously—only four dissenting voices:—

Whereas, The last General Election, though settling unequivocally the School Question, has, on account of the prominence of said question before the electors at the polls, resulted in the return to Parliament of an element prejudicial to the best interests of the country; and

Whereas, The Legislature then elected, at their first session, repealed, unasked, the Statute Labor Act; and passed an unnecessary, unjust and inopportune Assessment Act, and unfair and unworkable Public Schools' Act, and a Registration of Voters' Act, which, by giving indirectly all the protection the qualified voters or property holders require from the franchise, opens the way for an advantageous change in our Constitution, viz: the abolition of the Legislative Council;

Therefore Resolved, That, in the opinion of this meeting, the interests of the country demand an immediate Dissolution of the House of Assembly, and that His Honor the Lieutenant Governor should dissolve the same.

Business Prospects.

The Montreal "Herald" of Tuesday, has the following remarks on the prospects of Canadian trade during the coming year:—
There are, we consider, indications, that 1878 will bring for us an improved condition of mercantile affairs, and that the dark cloud which has so long overshadowed the commercial horizon, will, at last, begin to break and shew us at least a portion of that silver lining which is popularly supposed to lie concealed in every cloud. Though failures, and some of them of a character that cannot be claimed as anything but fraudulent, are, unhappily still too common in all branches of trade, they are in the main the outcome of the long credit system which prevailed in times of wild and exciting prosperity, but which is now, to a great extent, dying out, partly owing to the good sense of the business community, who were not slow in perceiving where a great portion of the evil lay, and partly owing to the necessities of the times, which have made a system of shorter credit, if not a cash basis, an actual necessity. Recent failures then may be regarded as the elimination of the decayed and decaying leaves from the plant, which will bloom with renewed vigour when rid of their incumbrance. Though trade and commerce are, at present, unusually quiet, and no great results are, at present, apparent, yet we believe there is a gradual return of that confidence which is one of the strongest ties that bind together the various elements of the commercial whole. Under these circumstances, it becomes the duty of every business man to do his best to assist in the revival of an improved condition of affairs. Let each exercise due caution in his particular branch of trade. Do not sell goods to any but those who you are sure can and will pay you; in dealing with unstable firms, you not only run the risk of losing your own money, but you help to load the country with that incubus of bankrupt stock which has done so much to fetter legitimate enterprise and cripple the resources of the country. It is better to do no trade than a losing one, for at least you have your stock remaining to you, but, by selling to non-paying houses, both goods and money are lost. A system of prudence and caution may have a repressing influence on the volume of trade, but it will confine the stream of our commerce within its banks, and prevent a recurrence of that overflow which washed down so many paper houses that, in their turn, have involved in ruin establishments of former strength and stability. With a better system we can look forward to better times.

Miscellaneous News.

"If it wasn't for hope the heart would break," as the old lady said when she buried her seventh husband.

Egypt had a Geographical Society, but the Khedive did not pay the annual subsidy of \$2,000 which he promised, and the concern had to sell its library and furniture to satisfy its creditors. Its last geographical exploit, therefore, was up Salt River.

Sharks abound on the Australian Coast. At the Brighton Station over 2,000 sharks were produced, and only one, a "tiger" shark, exceeded five feet in length.

DURING 1876, 198,771 Italians immigrated to America. According to the statistics, 80,000 of this grand total are set down as temporary tourists, the rest as permanent settlers.

Dr. Bowley, the rector of Willey and Barrow, England, while preaching at Willey Church on the 11th inst., suddenly stopped and fell down dead in the pulpit. Dr. Bowley had just entered his eighty-second year.

DURING the gale on the English coasts on the 15th, 47 lives were lost, 34 vessels were in collision, 25 were driven ashore, six were sunk, and 55 put back with loss of anchors and chains. The loss of property is estimated at £200,000.

ANOTHER monster devil fish, the largest yet seen, was thrown on the beach at Lance Cove, Trinity Bay, N. F., on Nov. 21st. Its long arms or tentacles were 33 feet in length, and the body was 11 feet. In endeavoring to work off by means of its funnel it ploughed out on the beach a trench 30 feet long. Those who first saw the monster knew nothing of the value of monsters, and left it to rot on the beach, to the everlasting regret of the historian of the great devil fish.