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Having just closed a large contract with the makers of this \$60.00 wheel, I am now able to make this special offer until the lot is cleared. Nothing in the city anything near it in value.

**Dawson's Bicycle Depot THE LEADER.**

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE AND MAIL.

LONDON, May 17.—The Times correspondent at Kephilosia, under date of Friday, reports an interview with General Smolenski. He said: "I intend to await the Turkish attack and not to retire to Thermopylae unless absolutely compelled to do so." General Smolenski has 10,000 men, his line extending from Baklari to the port of Almyro.

TORONTO, May 17.—Notwithstanding the fact that citizens of Toronto voted in favor of running street cars on Sunday at yesterday's election, the cars did not run today, and there is a question as to whether they will run at all. The bye law under which yesterday's vote was taken has yet to be ratified by the city council, and this is not likely to be done until a legal point raised by the clerical party has been settled.

LARISA, May 17.—Edhem Pasha's plans for the capture of Domokos are being rapidly perfected. Reinforcements are arriving and all the Greek positions are carefully watched. The bad condition of the roads and the heavy rains delay the operations for which the Turkish officers are anxiously waiting, but a general advance began at dawn. A number of Greek deserters who have been captured, say that 25,000 Greeks are behind the fortifications and entrenchments at Domokos, but that the whole organization is rotten and the medical and transport services have completely collapsed. They say that for 36 hours the only ration was a half loaf, and that the forces are becoming demoralized by the wholesale.

LONDON, May 17.—The Times correspondent at Athens says: To-day (Sunday) M. Ralli, the premier, visited the various legations and obtained assurances that the powers would undertake to prevent any offensive action on the part of the Turks provided the Greek forces maintain strictly defensive attitude. On this understanding he immediately wired the commanders of three Greek divisions at Domokos, Sourp, and Arta instructing them to abstain from all hostile action unless attacked by the enemy.

The only Greek force now on Turkish territory is the band of Epiroti volunteers led by Botzaris, which landed at Prevesa and advanced along the banks of Louros. This force will now proceed westward along the coast, where it will be taken off by the Greek fleet.

"The losses at Griboro were the heaviest since the beginning of the war. Seven officers were killed. Requiems were sung today in all the churches, and the opposition papers accuse the government of openly sanctioning needless bloodshed.

"I learn that the advance was due to Col. Manos, who desired to regain the Greek army's lost prestige. The government considered his plan a very hazardous one, but finally consented. The fierceness of the fighting at Griboro, requiring reinforcements, he was compelled to abandon the original plan, and probably all have now retired to Arta. The girl standard bearer of the Botzaris volunteers was in the thick of the hand to hand conflict."

OTTAWA, May 16.—Ottawa is at present honored by the presence of five visiting premiers and another is expected to arrive tomorrow. The premiers of Ontario, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Manitoba and New Zealand are all here. Mr. Murray arrived this morning.

**RIDE A STEARNS AND BE CONTENT.**



**P. E. Island Railway**

**Queen's Birthday.**

Excursion return tickets will be issued at first class single fare to and from all stations on this Railway on the 21st, 22nd and 24th May, good for return up to and on May 26th 1897.

Tickets are not good for going journey after May 24th and are good only for continuous passage in either direction

A. McDONALD, D. POTTINGER, Superintendent, General Manager, Railway Office, Moncton, N. B. Ch'town May 17th, 1897 116—dy & wky tl 22nd.

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BOARDERS.—Miss M. A. Martin, from Souris, has re-opened the Stanley House on St. George St., next door to J. T. Peardon's store, and is prepared to receive boarders. 116—21 rd

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

BEER BROS. for Dress Goods.

THE BOYS are going to give you a good show to-morrow evening. New songs and local jokes besides other specialties will be surely amusing as well as entertaining.

THE FISK JUBILEE SINGERS are worth going a day's journey to hear. They will be in the Opera House on 24th and 25th. Don't miss them. Tickets at usual places at 10 o'clock on Thursday morning. Popular prices, 35 and 50 cents.

WELL WORTH SEEING.—We were to-day shown the trophy won by the 82nd Battalion in the league shooting last year. The Battalion stood third in the list. The trophy is a solid silver platter containing the following inscription: "Canadian Military Rifle League, 1896. Won by 82nd Queen's County Battalion." In the centre is the Canadian Arms. The trophy is on view in the show window of E. W. Taylor's store.

S. OF T.—About twenty of the members of Maj. Bur division S. of T., West Royalty, drove to the city yesterday evening and visited Victoria division, No. 4, at their rooms, Wright's Hall. After the usual orders of business had been transacted the following programme was successfully carried out: Address of Welcome, Bro. J. J. Chappell; Temperance war song, division; Quartette, Sisters Lewis, Burke, and McKinnon and Bro. J. Lewis; Solo, Bro. Boyner; Inst. music, Sister M. Kinnon; Duet, Sisters M. and R. Clarke of Victoria division. At the close a vote of thanks which was moved by Bro. G. G. Jury and unanimously carried was extended by the W. P., Bro. A. Down, to the visiting brethren.

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.—His Honor Lieut. Governor Howland last evening entertained a number of intimate friends at Government House in anticipation of the 62nd anniversary of his birth which occurs tomorrow. The toast to Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen was first honored. Then came the health of the President of the United States, to which Hon. D. J. Kane, Consul for the United States responded. Father Burke proposed the health of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, and the toast was supported by Judge Reddin, John McEachern, Esq., and Dr. Conroy. Father Burke then read Mrs. McLeod's poem in honor of the Lieutenant-Governor, (which appears elsewhere in today's paper) and the Governor made a fitting reply to the toast in his honor. The function was most enjoyable throughout.

C. W. A.—At the annual meeting of the C. W. A. the following are the officers were elected for this year:—

- President—J. Pitblado.
- Vice do.—G. M. Moore.
- Secy. Treas.—E. H. Beer.
- Asst. do.—Fred P. Newson.
- Captain—H. R. Large.
- 1st Lieut.—W. F. Collings.
- 2nd do.—N. M. Brehaut.
- Executive Committee—W. N. Moore, G. A. Sharp, J. A. Moore.
- Auditors—J. McLeod, F. W. L. Moore.

The Club have now two nicely furnished rooms in Wright's building, with billiard and pool tables, and smoking and reading rooms. The Club will likely receive a large number of new members this season.

PERSONAL.

J. F. Fraser Charlottetown, registered at the Albion Hotel Halifax, on Saturday evening.

Mr. James C. Lawson has been appointed secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in the place of Mr. F. Kennedy who finds it impossible to attend to the duties of the office.

At the Queen Hotel: D. Montgomery, Alberton; Charles Harper, Shediac; Jas. K. Reid, Dorchester, N. B.; Jas. Reid, do; K. M. Jenkins, New Glasgow; E. C. Henderson, Truro.

Miss K. McLean's recital will take place on Tuesday evening, 1st June, in Kindergarten Hall, under the patronage of the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Howland.

At the Hotel Davies Allan Parson, Montreal; Chas. T. Parent, do; Fred Buks, do; Neil McQuarrie, Summerside; Miss A. McQuarrie, do. D. Schurman, City; W. J. McCordock, St. John; W. J. Parrand, do; J. S. McLaren, do; H. E. Bond, Toronto; C. W. Lantz, Halifax; T. A. Cossman, do; E. H. Sinclair, New Castle.

The Summerside correspondent of the Guardian writes: Messrs. J. T. Lithgow and P. B. Taylor who have been here during the past few weeks in connection with the transfer of the Dominion Savings Bank to the Post Office Department left for home yesterday morning by the Northumberland. They expressed in very flattering terms their appreciation of the accuracy and neatness with which the books of the department had been kept by the retiring manager, Miss Muacey.

It is stated on good authority that H. C. McLeod, now of the Chicago branch of the bank of Nova Scotia, will succeed Mr. Fyfe as cashier of the bank here. Mr. McLeod's many Halifax friends will be pleased to hear that there is a livelihood of his returning to Halifax. During his residence here Mr. McLeod took an active interest in yachting matters. The Lenore designed and sailed by Mr. McLeod, figured in many good races on the harbor: Halifax Herald.

BORN In Charlottetown, on the 17th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burns, a daughter.

DIED. At St. George's, King's County, on the 17th inst., Hugh McLellan, in the 84th year of his age, leaving a sorrowing wife, one daughter and two sons, besides a large circle of relatives and friends, to mourn their loss. May his soul rest in peace.

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Ladies' Capes in Fawns and Browns, 102 inch sweep, nicely trimmed with contrasting braids, only 80c

Ladies' Capes, 2 shades Fawn and Brown, 20 in. long, with 100 in. sweep, trimmed applique \$1.85, for \$1.59.

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Ladies' Capes, light and dark Fawns and Bluettes latest styles, nicely trimmed, worth \$3.25; only \$2-50

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