

Local and Other Items.

MAILS due at 8 p. m. CITY COUNCIL to-night. AT LAST—a change in weather. BAND at the Excelsior Rink to-morrow night. BAND at the Citizens' Rink to-night. Good ice. For persons with running accounts this is the due-bill-e (Jubilee) year! SALE of lobster factory at Park Corner is postponed till 29th. Now is the time to buy a parlor or bedroom set cheap, cheap for cash. The heaps of refuse at the entrance to the Post Office should be removed. At the approach of spring some of our sidewalks show forth their danger. THE Yarmouth Times has been receiving clusters of blooming Mayflowers. THEODORE TILTON is living in Paris, and devoting himself in part to literary pursuits. It is thought that the notes of the Maritime Bank, St. John, N. B., will be redeemed at their face. THE Room Paper season has again commenced, and the grandest display is at the Diamond Bookstore. INDEPENDENT Order of Foresters meets to-night at 8 o'clock in their Hall, lower Queen Street. A full attendance requested. OUR friends and patrons will please remember that we can fill all orders entrusted to us with promptitude.—Mark Wright & Co. CHRISTY'S LONDON HATS.—All in need of a good felt hat should call at James Paton & Co's., and see the nice variety they have. CARPETS and oilcloths. Step in and look through our showrooms. A great assortment at lowest prices.—Jas. Paton & Co., Market Square. DR. CONROY leaves this evening for New York for the purpose of visiting the hospitals of that city. He will be absent about two months. It is a pity the space on Queen Square, between the Cameron and Newson Blocks, could not be built in. The vacancy mars the beauty of the south side. At this season of the year, when the roads in the country are almost impassable, the advantages of the Cape Traverse Branch Railway for the mail service is advantageously felt. THE Bangor Commercial says that the St. John bank failure is pronounced a confidence operation. The confidence was furnished by the depositors, but it was very much misplaced. MR. JOHN COOMBS has sold out his extensive stock of Blank Books and General Stationery to Mr. Theo. L. Chappelle, of the Diamond Bookstore, and intends enlarging his premises for manufacturing purposes. A FOREIGN statistician computes that a European war in which France, Germany, Austria and Russia were engaged would cost at least \$5,000,000,000. France, Germany, Austria and Russia, after hearing the price named, will probably decide not to take a war to-day. WE hardly like to join in the crusade against hanging signs; lest it should be said that our motives are interested, and that we have not a proper appreciation of the beautiful in art. But we may say that, in our opinion, the best advertising medium is THE DAILY EXAMINER. "THE Charlottetown EXAMINER says that Mr. Dawson is 'almost certainly elected.' We believe 'almost certainly' means 'not quite.'" —Ottawa Free Press. THE event has proved that Grit interpretation in this case is, as usual, wide of the mark! A BUTTERFLY, that beautiful harbinger of gentle spring, which flew into the Bishop's Palace this afternoon, has been forwarded us and is at present peacefully reposing on the editor's desk. Another harbinger of Spring, left at our office by a sad-eyed poet, has been laid to rest in the waste-basket. A COFFIN-STAPLED box was placed this morning on the sidewalk near the entrance of L. H. Davies' office. We are not aware if it is intended to receive the political remains of the victim of the Saskatchewan disaster of the 15th inst., but hope soon to be in possession of the facts of the case. THE extensive auction sale at H. Hazard's warehouse, Queen Street, to-morrow, Tuesday, at a quarter past eleven o'clock, a. m., offers merchants and traders a good chance to purchase, at low figures, from a general assortment of merchandise, staple goods of the best quality. See advertisement. MR. A. A. BRYANTON, late of Perkins & Sterna, leaves for the Western States to-night. A number of friends entertained him to an oyster supper at the Osborne on Saturday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent, and well wishes all wishes showered upon the guest of the evening. We wish Mr. Bryanton the fullest measure of success in his future home. SPENDIARY MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—Four young men for being drunk and fighting on the streets, and a Scott Act case, constituted the business this morning. The pugilists were disposed of for fines aggregating \$18. In the Scott Act case two witnesses were examined, but as they did not prove a sale the summons was dismissed. THE Art Gallery, of Montreal, has lately been enriched by four gifts. Of these, says the Star, "Mr. John McLennan has given a piece, in which the missionary Lejune is depicted as alone in a Canadian forest wild. The tone of the picture is sombre, the moon being artistically used to emphasize the weirdness of the scene; the interest of the picture centres in the face of the missionary, which is particularly well done. The work is by Mr. Harris. MESSRS. MARK WRIGHT & Co. intend rebuilding on the old site. The new structure will be of brick. In size it will be 40x30, three stories high with a large and deep boiler to be used as a laundry. The boiler house will be detached. The building will have all the modern improvements. We congratulate Messrs. Wright & Co. on their enterprise in this respect, and trust that their example will be imitated by other intending builders.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.) More Floods. BISMARCK, Dak., March 20. The floods in the Missouri are increasing, and for hundreds of miles the people living along the banks have been obliged to fly to the high lands. It is believed that many lives have been sacrificed, while the property loss will be enormous. Another Railway Disaster. INGERSOLL, Ont., March 20. The St. Louis express on the Grand Trunk ran into the engine of a freight train Saturday. Both engines and baggage cars are complete wrecks. The passengers escaped unhurt. That Bank Failure. MONTREAL, March 30. Stewart & Co., of London, Eng., have taken actions against the Montreal Star and Bank of British North America for heavy damages in connexion with the failure of the Maritime Bank. Secret Executions. ST. PETERSBURG, March 20. Arrests in connection with the attempt on the Czar's life continue. It is stated that two more officers were hanged at the barracks last Sunday. Rumors of a secret execution of officers are rife. Hanged Himself. LONDON, March 20. John K. Cross, formerly member of Parliament, hanged himself at his residence at Bolton. He has been ill and depressed since his defeat last election. Returns from Alberta. WINNIPEG, March 19. Latest returns from Alberta show Davies (Conservative) 224 ahead, with a few places yet to hear from, which will still further increase his majority. Royalty Meets. BERLIN, March 20. The Crown Prince and Princess met the Prince of Wales on his arrival here, and drove with him to their palace. Destroyed by Fire. WARSAW, N. Y., March 20. The Warsaw Salt Works were destroyed by fire this evening. Loss, \$100,000. Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, March 21—10 a.m. Partly clearing weather, slightly higher temperature.

one-tenth of an acre, and as men are at work cutting ice the size is increasing daily. There are only about twenty sapling spruce and fir trees around this dangerous place. A race course has been laid off with similar trees, about 200 or 300 yards distant, and there are trees in the ice in all directions. In the Upper Provinces parties cutting ice on the lakes or rivers are compelled to fence the holes. I consider that a fence made of good longers should be thrown around these holes, and closed every night. The harbor master is a City Councillor. Let him see to it! Your obedient servant, TRAVELLER. Ch'town, 19th March, 1887. Hanging Signs. SIR,—The latest addition to this nuisance in Queen Street is in the shape of a common flour barrel suspended on the outer edge of the sidewalk. The style is scarcely in keeping with the new plate glass windows lately put into several of the stores by enterprising merchants. The appearance of the streets is being destroyed by the grotesque signs suspended in mid-air to the imminent risk of pedestrians, whose lives are endangered walking underneath them when high winds prevail. It is time for our civic authorities to take action and put an end to this nuisance, which would not be tolerated in other civilized communities. If an accident happens the city will be held responsible for damages, and it will then be too late to apply the remedy. The practice of boot and shoe dealers in suspending boots on lines across the sidewalk should also be stopped. They have been known of late to be hung so low as to knock against the heads of pedestrians. Further comment on this subject should not be necessary. I trust this notice will wake up the authorities to pass stringent by-laws governing such nuisances. CITIZEN. Query. SIR,—If it be true that liquor dealers are getting petitions signed against the Scott Act, what do they propose to replace it with? This is a question that requires a straightforward answer, and every friend of the Act ought to ascertain this when solicited to sign any petition. QUERIST. HAVE you these dangerous symptoms,—cough, pain in the side or breast, fever, short breath, night sweats, tickling, rising or soreness in the throat, diarrhoea, nervous debility, asthmatic or bronchial affections? If so, use at once Adams's Botanic Cough Balm. Trial bottles 10 cents. dy wy 1w GET a pair at once—ladies rubbers at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. march 21 tf

ST. JAMES' CHURCH SOCIAL. THE Ladies of the Congregation intend having a Tea, Refreshment and Fancy Tables in ST. JAMES' HALL. On THURSDAY, 24th March. COMMITTEE: Mrs. JAMES CARRUTHERS. Mrs. D. McNeill, Miss McGill, Mrs. Rankin, Miss Gray, Mrs. A. Lord, Miss G. Brown, Mrs. W. R. Frazer, Miss K. Hyndman, Mrs. M. McLeod, Miss E. McKinnon, Mrs. A. L. Brown, Miss G. Mason, Mrs. C. McGregor, Miss E. Murray, Mrs. R. Angus, Miss Henderson, Mrs. D. Montgomery. The ladies have made up an excellent assortment of Pinaflores, Aprons, &c., &c. The public are invited to favor them with their patronage. TICKETS.—Admission, 10 cents; Tea and admission, 35 cents. Doors open at 2 o'clock, p. m. B. MACNEILL, Secretary. Ch'town, March 4—31 saw tl 17 then daily t date

SLAUGHTER SALE —OF— Printed Cottons. —WE OFFER— 20,000 Yards Printed Cottons and Crettones, from 5cts a Yard, Upwards. Cheapest Goods in the City. HARRIS & STEWART, LONDON HOUSE. March 17, 1887. SOOTHING, CLEANSING, HEALING. It Cures CATARRH, Cold in Head, HAY FEVER. STOPS Droppings from Nasal passages into the throat and excessive expectoration caused by Catarrh. Sent pre-paid on receipt of price, 50c. and \$1. Address FULFORD & CO., Brookville, Ont.

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next ensuing session thereof, for an Act to amend an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Nova Scotia, Chap. 42, Viet. 12, entitled an Act for the regulation of enabling the Trustees of the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund, formed and established under said Act, to transact business as a Building Society throughout the Provinces of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, as well as the Province of Nova Scotia, and for other purposes. Dated at Halifax, 5th March, 1887. JNO. W. PAYZANT, Solicitor of Application. March 14 1887—2400

NOTICE WANTED—A Parlor Maid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmouth. WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Cook and a Housemaid, to whom good wages will be given; references required. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. mar 3 tf TO LET—The Dwelling House lately occupied by the subscriber, situated on the corner of Prince and Dorchester Street. Apply to T. C. Robins. febl'y—2aw tf TO LET—That brick House and Shop on Dorchester Street, formerly occupied by Owen Connolly; immediate possession given. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jan 21 cod

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GREAT Print Cotton Sale

COMMENCES To-morrow, Thursday, March 17th. 1000 yards 10c Print Cotton for 8cts a yard. 1500 yards 12c Print Cotton for 8cts a yard. 8000 yards 14c Print Cotton for 10cts a yard. 3500 yards 16c Print Cotton for 12cts a yard. 2000 yards Crettones, worth from 20cts up, now for 15cts.

This is a Genuine Sale—See these Goods. ALSO—Great Bargains in Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Tickings, Gray and White Cottons.

JAS. PATON & CO., MARKET SQUARE. March 16, 1887.

CORNWALL CHEESE FACTORY FOR SALE.

I AM instructed, by the Riverside Creamery Company, to offer for Sale the Cornwall Cheese Factory and Plant, situated at Cornwall, 6 1/2 miles from Charlottetown. The Building and Plant are in good repair and can be put in operation as soon as required. Further particulars on application. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Real Estate Agent. March 16—& wky tf

Fire! Fire! Fire!

Owing to the great outlay we are called upon to make for purchase of New Machinery and the erection of New Buildings, &c., we have to request our patrons to kindly come to our aid with the Full Amount of their respective accounts. We believe our wishes in this respect will be cheerfully met. MARK WRIGHT & CO. March 12, 1887—cod & wky tmo

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate a Company, to be called "The Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company," for the purpose of carrying on the business of a Loan Company, with power to loan money on real estate, and on certain classes of debentures and stocks, and with power to borrow on debentures, to receive deposits, to issue debenture stock, and with other powers granted to other Loan Companies. WHITMAN & SILVER, Solicitors for Applicants. Dated at Halifax, this 11th day of March, 1887. mar 14 9. law moun

NOTICE.

ALL goods ordered, previous to July 1st, 1886, and all Furniture repaired, Pictures framed, &c., &c., will, if not called for, on or before March 20th, 1887, be sold at auction to pay expenses, and the subscriber will not hold himself liable for any loss sustained by owners of such goods. Please secure your goods at once. JOHN NEWSON. March 9, 1887—121

NOTICE.

I WILL rent, for a term of years, with privilege of purchase, my establishment at Tignish Railway Station, consisting of— 1st, Large, commodious Shop, Office and Ware room, with dwelling attached, also Coach-house and Stable. 2nd, A Warehouse, 3 stories, 65x30. 3rd, Large Yard, with Shed for 20 horses. 4th, Large Warehouse alongside Railway track. The Stock Book shows \$1,400 general merchandise and shop fixtures, which will be sold on long terms. Possession can be given immediately, and my clerk will stay with the next occupant if desired. For terms, &c., apply to GEORGE W. HOWLAN. Ch'town, March 3, 1887—ex pat four tmo

NOTICE.

ALL amounts due W. R. BOREHAM, unpaid by the 21st MARCH, inst., will be placed in our Attorney's hands for collection on that date. Amherst Boot & Shoe Manfg Co. March 12—tl dte

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

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AT COST!

FOR 30 days I will SELL AT COST, an immense lot of

HARD & SOFT HATS,

ALSO, 300 WHITE AND FANCY SHIRTS, some of which are slightly soiled, at half price. This is the cheapest lot of Hats and Shirts ever offered in the city.

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can buy Remnants and Ends at your own figures. A special bargain in MEN'S UNDERWEAR. Shirts of every description, Scotch Tweeds and Worsted Suits made in latest style, and at bottom figures.

CALL AND BE CONVINCED.

D. A. BRUCE.

CHARLOTTETOWN BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY.

SPRING, - - - 1887 - - - SPRING

WE must thank our friends and the public generally for their ever increasing patronage since we have commenced business. Our Boot & Shoe Factory, in starting, had many difficulties to overcome, and we are glad that to-day those difficulties have been surmounted, and we are now well able to compete with the best Boot and Shoe Factories abroad.

Some of the advantages purchasers have in buying from us is, saving of freight, ordering goods when you want them (not six months before), getting them without delay—which saves carrying a large stock which deteriorates on the shelves. Our leathers are bought directly from the tanneries, thereby saving commissions which many factories have to pay. We are more determined than ever to give the

BEST OF SATISFACTION

and to merit the whole of the Island's patronage. We hope to see many new industries arise, thereby increasing the prosperity of this "Gem of the Sea."

DORSEY, GOFF & CO.

Ch'town, March 15, 1887.—cod & wky

BEER BROS.

WE are offering very fine value in Black and Colored Cashmeres and Merinos, also in White and Gray Cottons, Prints and Gingham. In Ladies' Corsets we have exceptional value. We are also offering Carpets and General House-furnishings at very low prices.

Good value will also be found in all other departments.

BEER BROS.

Ch'town, March 2, 1887.

MARCH SALE.

THE people are sick reading advertisements all about Big Discounts and void of meaning; but what L. E. PROWSE advertises to do, you may be sure he will do.

PLEASE READ: A lot of Remnants of Dress Goods, about half price. A job lot of Corsets less than half price. A magnificent lot of Embroidery, 20 per cent discount. Job lot of Dress Goods, 20 to 25 per cent discount. Black Cashmeres and Merinos, excellent value. Gray Cottons, White Cottons, Sheetting, Shirting, Ticking, &c., very low.

Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars' Worth of Hats

FROM 20 TO 50 PER CENT. DISCOUNT, FOR 15 DAYS ONLY.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY HATS CHEAP

TRY US: WE MEAN IT EVERY TIME.

L. E. PROWSE,

SIGN OF THE BIG HAT, 74 QUEEN STREET. Ch'town, March 4, 1887—cod & wky