

Local and Other Items.

MAILED at the Risk to-night.
MAILS reached Charlottetown at 3 o'clock to-day.
ANNOUNCED MEETING of the City Council this evening.
E. J. HODGSON, Esq., Q. C., arrived from Ottawa to-day.
REMEMBER the Band Report in the Risk on Friday evening next.
MEETING of the Dairywomen's Association in Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening.
MEETING of the Citizen's Skating Rink Co. at the Rink to-night at seven o'clock.
PORK sells in Charlottetown at from 5c. to 6 1/2c., and oats at 30c. per bushel of 34 lbs.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Indian Soldiers in the Field.

LONDON, March 11.
A despatch from Suakin says the Indian soldiers of the Sikh regiment were in their first engagement on Egyptian soil yesterday. A party of Osman Digna's soldiers made an attack on one of the British outposts in the neighborhood of Suakin, and the Sikhs were sent out into the open field to repeat the attack. They were splendidly handled, and they showed admirable coolness and steadiness. The skirmish was hot while it lasted, but the Arabs were soon repulsed, and many of their dead left upon the field. The casualties among the Indian troops were unimportant. The Arabs became panic-stricken when they saw the swarthy Mohammedans from India facing them in their British style, and delivering their fire with such precision as to make almost every shot tell.

Preparations in India.

LONDON, March 11.
The native press in India with scarcely an exception express loyalty towards England, and confidence in the wisdom and firmness of Lord Dufferin. Every preparation is being made to meet the Russian attacks if such occur. Officials at the Russian Embassy here deny that any preparations for warfare are being made by Russia on the Afghan frontier. Russia's movements, however, are mysterious.

Determined to Resist the Russians.

SUAKIN, Feb. 11.
The Mohammedan portion of the Indian contingent say the Mohammedans throughout India scorn the Mahdi as an impostor. They say that in the event of a war between England and Russia, the native regiments in India could be troubled by volunteers determined to resist Russian invasion to the death.

France and China.

HONG KONG, March 11.
The French, after five days fighting, have carried the Chinese position around Kelung. Forty Frenchmen were killed and 200 wounded.

Stocks Excited.

LONDON, March 11.
War rumors have excited the Stock Exchange almost to a panic.

Parliamentary Proceedings.

OTTAWA, March 11.
In answer to Mr. Yeo to-day, Sir Hector Langevin said the question of expending the appropriation of \$5,000 voted last session for Casumpeck Harbor improvement was under present consideration.
Nothing of very much interest transpired in the House to-day. The House adjourned at an early hour.
The Bankruptcy Committee to-day decided that an insolvent would require to get the consent of three-fourths in number and four-fifths in value of his creditors, before getting his discharge.
The vacant Judgeship in New Brunswick, it is believed, will not be filled till after the session is over, as it is not regarded as formidable to the Government prospects in St. John County to hold the position open, and so secure it as an incentive to ministerial workers.
Sir John said the plans and reports of the engineers respecting the Short Line would be laid upon the table ere long.
A number of notices of motions were given, and the orders asked granted. Among them was an order of the House for statement showing the number of returns ordered by the Commons relating to the C. P. R. since the date of contract with the Government.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.
TORONTO, March 12 - 10 a. m.
Moderate win's; fair weather; comparatively cold.
METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE
Charlottetown March 12, 1885.
Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....19.0
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....3.2
Lowest Temperature this morning.....4.1
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....1.3
Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock.....3.0
Below zero.

Dairymen's Association.

A regular meeting of the Dairymen's Association of Three Rivers was held in the Cardigan Bridge Schoolhouse on Tuesday, the 11th inst., but owing to the almost impassable state of the roads, it was not so well attended as it otherwise would have been.
Admirable practical papers were read by Messrs. James D. Dewar and George F. Owen. Addresses were given by Wm. P. Lewis, Esq., and the President, Mr. John Hamilton. Several important subjects were discussed, principal of which was the possibility of having a foreign trade established in cattle and sheep, so that the raising and feeding of them would become more remunerative. As usual, the interest with which the meeting began was sustained to its close.
A special meeting of the above Association will be held in the Roseneath Schoolhouse on the third Tuesday in March.
WILLIAM KANEEN, Secretary.

DIED.

On the 12th inst., of congestion of the brain, Theophilus Guy, aged 10 years and 10 months, youngest son of Theodorice Abbott, Union Road; a bright and promising boy.
[Funeral will leave his father's residence, on Saturday, 14th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.]
At Mount Stewart Bridge, on the 12th inst., after a short and severe illness, Sarah Jane Mutch, beloved wife of William Vickerson, in the 31st year of her age.
[Funeral on Saturday at 1 o'clock.]

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY EXAMINER.

FAIRBANK'S SCALES repaired at Brown's, at the Atholmen Ch'own.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

MARCH 11.

The business in the Legislature, after the opening ceremony of a merely formal character, Messrs. Isaac Oxenham and George F. Owen were appointed official reporters for the House of Assembly; and Mr. B. Balderston official reporter for the Legislative Council.

In the House of Assembly the following committees were struck:—
Address in answer to Speech—Mr. McKay, Mr. Bentley, Mr. Gillis, Mr. Holland, Mr. Blake, Mr. Alex. Martin, Mr. McDougall.
Public Accounts—Mr. Bentley, Mr. Blake, Mr. John McLean, Mr. Alex. Martin, Mr. Richards, Mr. Beer, Mr. Farquharson.
Private Bills—Hon. Mr. McDonald, Hon. Mr. Ferguson, Hon. Mr. Arsenault, Mr. Beer, Mr. Farquharson.

Tenders for Journals—Hon. Mr. Ferguson, Hon. Mr. Prowse, Mr. McLaren.
Tenders for Debates—Hon. Mr. Prowse, Hon. Mr. Ferguson, Mr. McLaren.
Expiring Laws—Hon. Mr. Sullivan, Hon. Mr. McDonald, Mr. D. C. Martin.
Revising Journals—Hon. Mr. Campbell, Hon. Mr. McDonald, Mr. Sinclair.
Engrossed Bills—Hon. Mr. McLeod, Mr. Holland, Hon. Mr. Gordon, Mr. D. C. Martin, Mr. Perry.
Good Correspondence—Hon. Mr. Sullivan, Hon. Mr. Prowse, Hon. Mr. Lefurgey, Hon. Mr. Campbell, Mr. Yeo, Mr. Perry.

Temperance Meeting.

Pursuant to notice, a public Temperance Meeting was held in Elmsdale Church on the 28th inst. William McN. Simpson, G. W. P., first addressed the meeting, dealing chiefly with the advancement in temperance sentiment. Hon. B. Rogers, M. L. C., was then called on, and gave a very practical and instructive address. Mr. James Birch also addressed the meeting for a short time, in which he showed forth the benefits derived from temperance societies. After the close of the meeting the G. W. P. organized a Division of the Sons of Temperance, with 27 charter members. The following are the officers for the present quarter:—

- W. P.—M. R. Wells
W. A.—M. E. McNeill
R. S.—J. E. Crafer
A. R. S.—M. E. Stewart
Chap.—R. Hardy
Treas.—T. McNeill
F. S.—J. McNeill
Con.—M. Matthews
A. C.—S. A. Matthews
I. S.—W. Mountain
O. S.—A. Matthews
P. W. P.—H. Wells.

Temperance Meeting at Souris.

A public temperance meeting, under the auspices of the King's County Branch of the Dominion Alliance, was held in the Grammar School, Souris East, at 2 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday last. The chair was occupied by the Rev. D. F. McDonald. The meeting was addressed by Revs. Wm. Phelan, of Montague, J. G. Cameron, Gregory McDonald, and the Chairman; and by Mr. Bears, the new Chief Inspector, by J. G. Sterns and J. C. Underhay, Esqs., and by Messrs. Paquet, Mooney, Conroy, McDonald and others.

At the close of the meeting Prohibition petitions were presented and signed. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the meeting was not as largely attended as it would otherwise have been. There were a sufficient number present, however, to show that the noble cause of temperance is bound to be upheld in the eastern section of King's County, and that active steps will soon again be taken for the enforcement of the Scott Act.

The Markets.

BOSTON MARKETS.
POTATOES—At latest advices the prices in Boston were as follows:—
Rose, per bushel.....58 to 60c
Beauty of Hebron.....62 to 65c
Barbank Seedlings.....55 to 58c
Peerless.....53 to 55c
Prolixities.....58 to 60c

PORK—There has been a fair trade in Pork at unchanged prices. Mess rules at \$14 25 and \$14 50; clear at \$15 and \$15 50; and backs at \$16 and \$16 50 per bbl.
LARD—Demand moderate, with further sales at 7 1/2 and 8c per lb.
SMOKED HAMS—Prices are steady, with a good demand. Sales at 10 1/2 and 11 1/2c per lb., including large and small sizes.
Our quotations are for large lots. Small lots range higher.

SEED WHEAT. FOR SALE CHEAP.

THE best variety of "White Russian" Seed Wheat, a splendid yielding, good flour, stiff straw; best for our soil and climate.
JOHN NEWSON.
Ch'own, March 9, 1885—2mos

ANTHRACITE

and all other kinds of
COAL

McMILLAN'S DEPOT.

Duncan's Old Wharf.
March 7—Si wkly 4i
On Consignment.

Iron, Tin Plates, Pig Lead and Ingots Tin.
20 Tons Round Iron, sizes 1/2, 3/4, 1 and 1 1/2 inch.
150 Boxes of Tin Plates, suitable for lobster packers.
2 Pigs Lead.
2 Ingots of Tin.

PEAKE BROS. & CO.
Ch'own, Feb. 14, 1885.

Perkins & Sterns.

White Cottons,
Grey Cottons,
Print Cottons,
SHEETING COTTONS, PILLOW COTTONS, FLEECY COTTONS AND ALL OTHER COTTON GOODS, WOOLEN GOODS, SILK GOODS, &C.,
AT VERY LOWEST PRICES.
PERKINS & STERNS.
Ch'own, Feb. 20, 1885.

Great Bargains!

For the next 30 days we offer the balance of our Dry Goods at a
LARGE DISCOUNT!
as we are shortly to make a change in the business.

Special Lines of Goods are MARKED DOWN to Prices that are Bound to Sell Them.
Don't Fail to Call Early if You Want Bargains.

We require a Prompt Settlement of all Accounts due up to date.

Remember the place: Desbrisay's old stand, opposite the Market House.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.
Charlottetown, Feb. 7, 1885

MARCH!

CLOSING OUT SALE

This Month we are Selling our Goods so Fine that we would like to Give One and All a Chance!

CALL! SEE WHAT A CLEAN DOLLAR WILL PURCHASE.

Remember this Month Closes our GREAT SALE!

C. ROBERTSON.
Ch'own, Feb. 6th, 1885.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THIS is to certify that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business under the style and firm of Bremner Brothers, has on this third day of March, A. D., 1885, been dissolved by mutual consent.
Dated this 3rd day of March, A. D., 1885, at Charlottetown, in Prince Edward Island.
W. H. BREMNER,
BENJ. BREMNER.

Referring to the above, I desire on behalf of the late firm to thank the public for the very liberal patronage bestowed in the past, and to inform them that the good will of the business has been transferred to Mr. John Coombs, Queen Street. I would respectfully request all of our former customers to place their patronage with Mr. Coombs, whose facilities for doing the best class of work in Mercantile, Fancy and Book Printing, Book Binding and Blank Book Manufacturing, at the lowest prices, and in the shortest time, are unequalled in the Province.
BENJ. BREMNER.

Regarding the Dissolution Notice of Messrs. Bremner Bros., above, I beg to state that I will have, from this date, in my business, the practical assistance of Mr. Benjamin Bremner, who will be pleased to see all his former customers at my office, 18 Queen Street.
JOHN COOMBS.

March 5, 1885—1mo wkly 2mos

THE VIOLIN.

MR. VINNICOMBE is now prepared to take a limited number of pupils for Violin Instruction by "Danclas" conservatory method, which is so complete that each pupil is enabled to form a part of one harmonized body, thereby making the tuition a pleasure instead of the old class drudgery.
Pupils preferred from 12 to 16 years of age.
For terms apply at his residence, Water Street.
Ch'own, Feb. 14, 1885.

SALT. SALT. SALT.

IN STORE:
5,000 Bags of Liverpool Salt.
2,000 do Fishery do.
PEAKE BROS & CO
Ch'own, Feb. 14, 1884.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

God Liver Oil with Hypophosphites
EXCELLENT FOR DELICATE WASTING CHILDREN
Dr. Chas. C. Garrett, Calvert, Texas, says:
I have used your Emulsion for over a year, and have derived much benefit from it in the numerous cases of children, being tolerated by the stomach when all other medicines were rejected.

FAIRBANK'S SCALES repaired at Brown's, at the Atholmen Ch'own.