

Local and Other Items.

The fast Skating Tournament takes place at the Rink to-night, commencing at a quarter past eight, sharp. See advertisement.

The Local Legislature meets to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

No mails crossing to-day on account of high winds.

ROBERT YOUNG wants a smart, intelligent boy for his shop.

J. B. SNOWBALL, M. P., arrived from England on the 2nd inst.

Mrs. KERR, the sister of Hon. Edward Blake, died at Toronto on the 3rd inst.

"PRINCE EDWARD COUNCIL," Royal Artillery, meets to-night, at eight o'clock.

The "Northern Light" has not yet arrived in Georgetown. She is reported off Wood Islands.

The letter of Dr. Jenkins regarding the Lunatic Asylum received—will appear to-morrow.

CHARLES MORRISON, Esq., of Alberton, is paying his friends in this city a visit. He is staying at the "Revere."

The case of Edward Gahan vs. James Miller, before the Stipendiary Magistrate yesterday and to-day, was dismissed.

The mails which crossed yesterday, arrived in the City last night. A large quantity of mail matter still remains at Cape Tormentine.

A YOUNG man named George Buchanan, of Portland, N. B., had one of his legs cut off by a train at Hampton Station, on the 3rd inst.

There is extraordinary activity just now in the shipbuilding yards of the Tyne. The weekly pay roll of one firm was lately within \$5 of \$50,000.

The annual meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society will be held in St. Patrick's Hall, on Friday evening, 10th inst., at 8 o'clock.—M. J. Moran, Secretary.

PORK is selling, at the Market to-day, for 6 1/2 and 7 cents per pound per carcass. The quality of the pork this year is not so good, nor the supply is not so large as it heretofore has been.

BLAKE, the weather prophet, visited Moncton a few days ago. The Times says the boys gave him rounds of congratulation on his recent hit. "That sleighing would be gone by 10th of March."

THE Y. M. C. A. Debating Club will meet in the basement of the building, this evening, to discuss "Which is more conducive to Temperance, the Canada Temperance Act or the stringent liquor law?" Opener, Henry Lawson, Esq.

A SHOP, near March Bridge, St. John, N. B., was entered by burglars on Thursday night last. Fifteen dollars in silver were stolen, but the thieves refused to take a lot of P. E. Island Bank bills, which were in the drawer with the silver.

THERE is discord between the two Sackville papers. They will soon be as bad as the Miramichi press, which is nearly as bad as the P. E. Island publications, which are probably, as to personalities, the worst in the world.—St. Stephen Courier.

In view of the great scarcity of domestic servants in Toronto a number of ladies have together written to the Superior of the Good Shepherd, Belfast, Ireland, to have a number sent out on the opening of navigation. Servant girls cannot be had for less than \$10 a month at present.

A MONTREAL man, Julien Lefebvre, has returned from Winnipeg. He went to the North-West six weeks ago from Montreal with a life's earnings, \$1,200, and speculated in lands. He lost and returns, the owner of a few acres hardly worth, he says, having as a gift.

THE tournament at Citizen's Skating Rink to-night will be quite exciting. The contestants are all fast skaters, and while the prize will certainly be taken by either Brown or Weeks, the other prizes will be well contested for by the other skaters. Anyone who wishes to see a good race should attend.

We direct attention to the offer of the Lorne Hotel by private sale. The hotel, if it falls into the hands of a proper person, will shortly become one of the most popular summer resorts in the Dominion. It is well known, beautifully and conveniently situated, and therefore cannot fail hereafter to attract the attention of a large number of

MR. SMALLWOOD, of Southport, had on exhibition at the Market to-day a pair of beautiful Langshan fowl which attracted much attention. These fowl were imported from England by Mr. Pugsley, of Ontario, and purchased by Mr. Smallwood. They and the Brahmas, are said to be the best table fowl yet bred, and are very profitable to the farmer.

ANOTHER FATAL BURNING ACCIDENT.—Mrs. John McPherson, Back Mines, Stellarton, was burned to death on Friday night. It appears that she got out of bed, and went to the stove to light her pipe, when her clothing caught fire, burning her very badly. She only lived a short time. Deceased was over 60 years of age.—New Glasgow Plain Dealer.

The trains east of Charlottetown are running on time to-day. In the west about five miles of line have yet to be cleared between Charlottetown and Summerside. The engines and plow are off the track at Brantford; and, therefore, operations are delayed. West of Alberton the ice is very bad, and Monday morning's train has not yet reached that place.

NEW RINK.—The adjourned meeting of the committee for the organization of a Rink and Music Hall Company, will be held at the usual place, to-morrow (Wednesday) evening, at eight o'clock, to settle the draft Act of Incorporation to be submitted at the present session of Parliament, to decide upon a site, and to transact other business. A full attendance is requested.—In

REV. LAWRENCE WALSH, Treasurer of the Land League, reports that the sums received from January 13th to October 10th, 1881, when the third quarterly reports were issued were \$101,566.76 remittances received from 16th Oct. to Feb. 14th, 1882, \$60,341.32; total \$161,898.08. Sums reported as sent direct from date of Buffalo Convention to October 10, 1881, \$34,535.74; reported from Monroe county League through Dr. Casey, Rochester, N. Y., \$4,000; grand total \$201,253.82.

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Feb. 10, 1882.

NEWS NOTES.

A two-foot rule—Keep your feet dry. Business generally in St. John wears very promising aspect.

Bluebirds, the harbingers of spring, have made their appearance in New Jersey.

A farm of 160 acres adjoining Brandon has been sold for \$20,000 to an Ontario gentleman for a market garden.

The Chicago "Times" says that the leading Democrats of that city are in favor of the nomination of Tilden for President in 1884.

Frederick May, whose duel with James Gordon Bennett still lives in memory, was married last week in San Francisco to a niece of the late millionaire, O'Brien. The bride's mother is worth several millions. Some kinds of mothers-in-law are not objectionable.

A Torontonian purchased a lot in a certain town in Manitoba, several months ago, for \$200. He had occasion to go to Winnipeg shortly after his purchase, and while there succeeded in finding the lot, but it was under fifteen feet of water. However, he had the satisfaction of skating over it.

A gentleman, calling on a farmer, observed: "Mr. Jones, your clock is not quite right, is it?" "Well, you see, sir," said Mr. Jones, "nobody don't understand much about that clock but me. When the hands of that clock stand at twelve, then it strikes two; and then I know it's twenty minutes to seven."

There was nothing peculiar about a recent Toronto wedding up to the point when the married couple quitted the church. Then the bride dropped her husband's arm, got into her father's carriage, and returned home alone. She refused either to see him again or to make any explanation of her conduct.

The following story is told of a distinguished Edinburgh professor: Desiring to go to church one wet Sunday, he hired a cab. On reaching the church door, he tendered a shilling—the legal fare—to the cabman, and was somewhat surprised to hear the cabman say, "Twa shillins, sir." The professor, fixing his eye upon the extortioner, demanded why he charged two shillings, upon which the cabman drily answered, "We wish to discourage travelling on the Sabbath, as much as possible, sir."

Word has been received of the whereabouts of the first party of young Haligonians who were induced to go out to Mexico for a Silver Mining Company, and who left the work there, which alleged desertion resulted somewhat seriously. One of them, who was wounded at the time of the trouble is still in jail on a charge of desertion from his work, and the others have succeeded in getting into Texas, losing whatever was due them from the silver mines. One of them is working on a railway survey in Texas, receiving good pay. The rest are working on the roads, enjoying good health, but receiving small pay.

Boston woman went into Delmonico's recently and sat down at one of the tables. A polite waiter handed her the bill of fare. She glanced at it a few seconds and then opened a terrific fusillade of criticisms on its French. After listening to her about five minutes the waiter humbly interposed the request:—"Will you please give your order, madam?" "I'm so faint," she said, languidly leaning back in her chair, "that I don't believe I can eat anything, but if you'll fetch me a pot of Boston beans, a plate of hash, some pickled cucumbers and brown bread, I'll try." The foundations of the highest culture and purest aestheticism are laid in good digestion.

The steamer "Flamborough," from Martinique, at New York, reports that during the negro insurrection there, a short time ago, the U. S. Vice Consul distributed hand torpedoes among the white residents. Because of his activity in the defence the Vice Consul was imprisoned by blacks and kept in close confinement five days and released only on the promise not to take any part in the insurrection. He was also compelled to give up names of persons to whom he had given torpedoes. He was further made to pay a fine of 25,000 francs. Dr. Lotes' house was razed, other houses were sacked, and for a while it seemed as if the blacks would attempt to exterminate the whites. All was quiet when the "Flamborough" left.

Special Notices.

CRANBERRIES, 10 cents; cheese, 16 and 18 cents, digby herring, 8 cents; at the Family Grocery.—H. K. BRACE.

SNOW SHOES at Morris' Book Store, Summerside P. E. I., Gentlemen's \$4.00; Ladies' \$3.00; Children's \$2.00 Sent by train, freight paid, upon receipt of the price.

PEA SOUP (very nice), at Beer & Goff's.

L. E. PROWSE has just received a very large stock of Christy's, London, hats for spring.

ICE ON THE NEWFOUNDLAND COAST.—The steamer Embervia, which arrived at Halifax on the 3rd inst. from Dundee, reports having encountered large quantities of ice on the Banks of Newfoundland, which seemed to hang right around the edge of the Banks. The steamer was obliged to run away to the Southward in order to get clear of it. The brigantine Birdie (of P. E. Island), Rankin master, which arrived at Halifax on the 3rd inst., sailed from Alberton, P. E. I., with a cargo of produce, Dec. 24, for St. John's, Nfld., but found it impossible to get to St. John's on account of the large quantities of ice on the coast, and had to put back to Halifax. She had a hole knocked in her starboard bow by the ice.

A TORONTO exchange says: "Some fifteen carpenters, bricklayers, and laborers returned to the city yesterday morning from Winnipeg. One of them stated that there was as good, if not a better, chance of getting employment in Toronto as there was in Winnipeg. Four of the men, bricklayers by trade, obtained engagements to go to Galt to work, and left by the Credit Valley in the afternoon. The others are in hopes of obtaining employment in the city."

Notice to Farmers and Others.

FOR the next sixty days, or till the busy season commences, I will repair and paint wagons in first-class style at a discount of 25 per cent, on usual prices.

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- 1500 yards Spring Tweed, - - - 40 " "
- 700 yards Table Damask, - - - 20 " "
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White Cotton Sheetting, Lace Curtains, Curtain Muslin, Tapestry Carpets, Scotch Carpets, Felt Carpets, Hemp Carpets, Flour Oil Cloth, all widths, and Room Paper.

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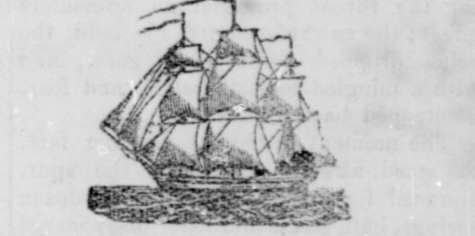
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March 3, '82—1w pat

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MORE LIGHT!

THE Charlottetown Gas Light Company have imported some of "Bray's Burners," which they will supply and fit on Gas Brackets, etc., at a moderate cost to consumers.

These Burners are reported to be the best Flat Flame Burner yet produced, and will give a far greater amount of light than any other Burner with the same consumption of Gas.

Dr. Wallace, F. R. S. E., F. C. S., Gas Examiner to the City of Glasgow, in a lecture delivered by him, calculated that £130,000 (\$650,000) a year are thrown away in Glasgow by the use of imperfect fittings. On the subject of Gas Burners he says: "Another and as I think a better Burner is that called Bray's regulator, and as I consider these the best union Burners attainable at moderate cost, I have selected them for a series of experiments."

The Report of the Committee of the British Association of Scientists to enquire as to the best means for the development of light from Coal Gas of different qualities—comprising Dr. William Wallace, Professor Dittmar, and Mr. Thomas Willis, F. C. S., F. I. C. E., showed that Bray's Burner yielded the greatest amount of light of all the two or three score of Burners reported upon which included all the Burners of repute in the market.

In a pamphlet upon Light and Heat, published by R. B. Taber, A. M., he says: "The cost of Gas as compared with other illuminants is much more economical when rightly used, than many suppose. From experiments made for this purpose, the following results have been obtained. They were made by burning samples of Devco's Brilliant Oil and ordinary Oils, and testing their illuminating power. It was found that Coal Gas costing one cent at \$3 per thousand feet, gave a light equal to 18 candles, while Devco's Brilliant Oil consuming 27.4 grammes costing half a cent, gave a light equal to 9 candles. "A good Argand or Johnson's Burner, the Burner used in the last experiment, will therefore give the light of 2 ordinary Oil Burners in direct comparison, at no greater expense in the case of the finer and safer grades of Oil. Lights, however, on the authority of Scientists, are not to be compared in direct proportion, but in proportion to the squares of their powers, and such a comparison with the case of the use of Gas, its cleanliness, freedom from odor and dangers, renders its use desirable wherever it can be introduced."

As the above experiments were made with Gas at \$3 per 1000 feet, and not consumed through Bray's Burner, it will readily be seen how much more economical it is to consume Gas instead of Oil, when its price is only \$2.63 per 10.0 feet as now charged here when consumed, more especially through Bray's Burners.

Messrs. Goodwin & Co., of Philadelphia, the well-known manufacturers of Scientific instruments for testing the illuminating power of Coal Gas, etc., say in their Circular to Gas Companies: "In presenting the Bray's Standard Patent Silt Union Burners and Lanterns, for which we are the sole Agents in the United States, to the attention of the public, we are convinced that we are filling a want long felt." They further add: "The yield of light from these Burners is 12 to 20 per cent greater per cubic foot of Gas consumed than that from any flat flame Burner hitherto introduced."

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