

Local and Other Items.

STAMPED ROO PATTERNS—A good assortment...

YOUNG LADIES' JOURNAL—The March number is at the Diamond Bookstore.

AT THE CAPES.—Crossing both ways today. Boats with 85 bags of mail matter left the other side at 7.50.

HOOK AND LADDER.—Regular monthly meeting of the Hook and Ladder Co. on Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

THE SALE OF FANCY AND USEFUL ARTICLES in the basement of the Meth. dist. (Brick) church next Tuesday evening will commence at 7.

THE STANLEY arrived at Georgetown this morning, where she will lay up until Monday week, for the purpose of cleaning boilers, etc.

LECTURE.—A lecture on "The Footsteps of Boats" will be delivered in St. James Hall on Tuesday evening next, by A. A. Bartlett, Esq. Don't fail to attend.

EVERY person should see Prowse Bros. new hats, and see for themselves that they are the best, as well as the cheapest hats on the Island. Feb 27 '91.

AT DUNDAS.—Mr. J. C. James will preach at Dundas Sabbath March 3rd, morning and evening. A collection in aid of the schemes of the Church will be taken up at each service.

ACKNOWLEDGED by both sides of politics, as well as by the independent, that Prowse Bros. new hats take the lead for nobbly style, good quality and low prices. Feb 27 '91.

PERSONS wanting anything in fancy goods, etc., had better make it a point to attend the sale next Tuesday in the Basement of the Methodist Church. Sale commences at 7.

SHOW ON THE ICE.—Complaints have been made about parties depositing snow and rubbish on the approaches by the ice to the city. The police have been instructed to prosecute all offenders in this respect.

DON'T FORGET IT.—The Social in aid of the Wesley Mission Band comes off in the Basement of the Methodist Brick Church on Tuesday evening next. The committee of management are making every preparation for a pleasant evening.

H. B. C.—The annual meeting of the Hillsborough Bowling Club will be held at their rooms on Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock. An important business will be transacted, all members are respectfully requested to attend.

CAPITAL STOCK INCREASED.—At the annual meeting of the stock holders of the Bank of Nova Scotia, held at Halifax last week, a motion was adopted to increase the capital stock to \$1,500,000. The new stock is to be issued at 150 per cent.

VERY SUCCESSFUL.—The net amount realized at the Bazaar in St. Paul's Schoolroom, on Thursday, was \$125. The attendance was good, considering the wet weather and the attractions elsewhere. During the Bazaar some very good vocal music was given.

ACTUAL IMPROVEMENT.—An institution to be known as the Boys' Mutual Improvement Society, has been organized at Hamilton. Its object is to give general information and to forward the minors in public speaking. The Society already has a goodly number of members.

MR. BAIN'S LECTURE.—This is our last opportunity for reminding our Summerside readers of Mr. Bain's lecture in Market Hall, on Monday evening next, and of advising them to take advantage of the means of hearing a great deal of information about the proposed tunnel.

A HORSE costs much more than a cycle, and demands 12 lbs. of hay, 12 lbs. of oats, and 10 gallons of water per diem, versus a few drops of oil. The labor of grooming horses is much greater than that of looking after and cleaning Columbia Bicycle.—Lieut. Eustace Balfour, of London.

HOCKEY.—The Hockey Match between teams representing the Liberal-Conservative and Liberal Parties, will be repeated at Summerside on Tuesday evening next, in aid of the sufferers by the Spryghill mining disaster. The people of Summerside have a rare treat in store for them.

PRESBYTERY.—The Presbytery of P. E. Island will meet at Montrose church, on Wednesday, March 4th, at 7 p. m. Elders and delegates attending will inform ticket agents when purchasing their tickets, and they will be returned free on presentation of certificates of attendance signed by the Clerk of Presbytery.—James Carruthers, Clerk.

THE HIGGINS WILL CASE.—The further hearing of the Higgins will case yesterday adjourned until Monday, owing to the illness of Mr. Justice Young. The Judge has been suffering for some days from a severe cold, and to accommodate this parties has been hearing the evidence at his own house; and not being quite as well yesterday, the case stands over until Monday. The witnesses in support of the will have not all been examined.

THE SPRINGHILL SUFFERERS.—A public meeting of citizens will be held in the City Council chamber this (Saturday) afternoon at three o'clock to take into consideration a telegram received from the Mayor of Springhill, appealing for pecuniary assistance for the many families rendered destitute and helpless by the recent sad and disastrous mining accident.

ANOTHER CLERGYMAN REMEMBERED.—We learn from the Farmer that a very pleasant gathering took place at the residence of Mr. Robt. Ellis, Jr., O'Leary, on the 28th of Jan. last, the main object of which was to make a presentation to Rev. J. E. C. H. This accordingly was done, the Rev. gentleman being presented with \$50 as a token of the esteem with which he is held by his congregation. Tea was also served by the hostess and the evening was spent in social entertainment.

If you are a Loyal Man, and represent the reasonable representations of Cartwright and Farrer, vote for the Liberal-Conservative Candidates.

Now is the time to get bargains in Carpets. Jas. Paton & Co.

For the latest styles in Hats and Caps see the show window of Jas. Paton & Co., tonight.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Canada's Trade!

GRATIFYING INCREASE

FIGURES THAT DO NOT LIE!

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.

The trade returns continually back the statements made by the Grit press and Grit speakers that the country is going to the dogs. The exports for the month of January, 1891, exceed those for the same month of the previous year by over a million dollars. For the seven months ending the 31st January, 1891, the increase in exports amounted to over nine millions of dollars. Not only is this increase maintained this year, but it has been added to, making the increase in the exports for 1891 over 1889, \$9,723,270. It must not be forgotten that the McKinley Bill was in operation four months of this present fiscal year. The imports for January show an increase of \$900,000.

ANOTHER DESPATCH.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28. The exports for the month of January amounted to over four millions and a quarter of dollars, exceeding those for January last year by upwards of a million dollars. The exports of farm produce amounted in value to \$400,000 more than for January last year, and the fish export was also \$400,000 larger. There is a large increase in the volume of exports to the United States. The January imports are also nearly a million larger. The volume of trade for the month of January is about two millions larger than for January last year.

MUDDLING THE ISSUE.

This is What the Grits Are Doing!

BUT THE GAME WON'T WORK

TORONTO, Feb. 28.

The Mail says that the grits are muddling the issue by insisting that under unrestricted reciprocity Canada would retain control of the tariff. The Mail says further that the Americans have no thought of any form of unrestricted reciprocity which does not involve an assimilation of our tariff to theirs. The Liberal policy is no more acceptable to our neighbors than is partial reciprocity, and it is not surprising that many electors are more perplexed than ever as to the course they should pursue.

A Bright Outlook

NEW BRUNSWICK SOLID

Liberal Desertions in Nova Scotia!

ST. JOHN, Feb. 28.

Advices from all parts of the Province indicate that New Brunswick will go almost solid for the Government. Clarke will beat O'Leary in Charlotte; Adams will defeat Mitchell in Northumberland and St. John will return three Conservatives. The Liberals cannot possibly elect over two from this Province. Nova Scotia advices show that the Liberals are deserting the old party in large numbers. So disgusted is Premier Fielding with the outlook that he is now in St. John in the interests of his father-in-law, Rankine, one of the grit tickets.

In Good Health.

KINGSTON, Feb. 28.

Sir J. has in in good health and actively engaged in campaign work.

Queen's County.

MEETING AT MOUNT HERBERT

There was a large gathering of electors at Mount Herbert Hall last evening. The Hon. Attorney General and Messrs. J. T. Mellish and W. S. Stewart ably presented unanswerable reasons why Sir John Macdonald's Government should be returned to power, and were listened to with marked attention. Messrs. H. C. McDonald, F. Peters, D. Farquharson, J. H. Good and others spoke on behalf of the opposition.

TO RENT.

STABLE AND COACH HOUSE; Stall for two horses; ample room for carriage and sleigh. If desired, water pipe will be run into building. GEORGE SCANTLEBURY, Sr., Cor. Prince and Dochow streets. Feb 28 - 61 eol

Prince County!

Big Meeting At O'Leary.

A Favorable Impression Made

By Howlan and Hunt.

O'LEARY, Feb. 28.

A meeting was held at Coleman last night. A large number of intelligent electors of the district were present. The meeting was well and ably addressed by Messrs. Howlan and Hunt, the Conservative Candidates.

Mr. Hunt was the first speaker. He explained the policy in behalf of which he was now seeking their support—the policy of Sir John. Mr. Hunt made many points in his address, and his language brought home to a large number of electors from a remote cove, in an address which was received by all present with enthusiasm. He is now recognized here as the "Grand Old Man" of P. E. Island.

The next speaker to take the platform was no less an individual than James F. White, of Alberton, who attempted to force on the audience an opinion of slander and abuse, but it did not take worth a cent, as was clearly shown by the talented speaker, Mr. Brennan, who followed in a speech of over an hour. Mr. Brennan plainly exposed the true inwardness of the grit policy which simply means nothing more nor less than annexation.

The meeting then adjourned with a vote of thanks to the chairman, Dr. McDougall, and three cheers for the tunnel.

Religious Services.

Upper Methodist Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m., Rev. E. C. Turner; 7 p. m., Rev. W. W. Brewer. Special Evangelistic Service after the regular evening service, conducted by the pastor.

Methodist Brick Church.—Wesley Central Services to-morrow. Preaching at 11 a. m., by Rev. G. W. Fisher; 3 p. m., United Sunday School Service will be held; 7 p. m., preaching by Rev. John Read, reception of members and communion. Collection on behalf of Superannuated Fund.

Remembrance of the Railway Gospel Meeting to-morrow afternoon, in McLeod's Hall, at four o'clock. Strangers always welcome. Lesson from Luke 15—"The Prodigal Son and the Elder Brother."

St. Peter's Church.—8 a. m., Holy Communion; 11 a. m., Matins and sermon—"The Rest Remains for the People of God"; 3.45 p. m., Evensong; 7 p. m., Special service and sermon on "The Warning of Pharaoh."

Zion church.—There will be service in the church this evening at 8 o'clock. Services to-morrow will be conducted by the pastor at 11 and in the evening at 7 o'clock. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the close of the morning service. Morning prayer meeting at 10.15. Sabbath School and Bible classes will meet at 2.30 p. m.

Every vote cast for the Liberal candidate in most of the constituencies at least, will be in effect a vote for Annexation, since Commercial Union must lead to that.—BUFFALO NEWS

The Dominion Elections Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Patrick Blake, a Candidate at the Election now pending in the Electoral District of Queen's County, has appointed George Peake, of Charlottetown, his Agent under the provisions of the 118th Section of the above Act.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1891.

JAMES CURTIS, Returning Officer.

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The Charlottetown Steam Navigation Company (Ltd).

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at their Office, corner of Great George and Lower Water Streets, Charlottetown, on MONDAY, the Second day of March, A. D. 1891, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, a. m.

By order, P. W. HALES, Secretary.

Charlottetown, Feb. 17, 1891—dy

POLITICAL MEETINGS.

SPEAKER of the Liberal-Conservative Party will address the Electors of Queen's County at the following times and places:—

- St. Patrick's Schoolhouse—Monday, March 2nd, at 6 o'clock.
New Haven Schoolhouse—Monday, 2nd, at 6 o'clock.
Emyvale Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 6 o'clock.
Cavendish Hall—Tuesday, 3rd, at 6 o'clock.
Montague West Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 1 o'clock.
Point Prim Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 1 o'clock.
Orwell Cove Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 6 o'clock.
Caledonia Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 6 o'clock.
Stanhope Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 1 o'clock.
Tracadie Cross Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 3rd, at 6 o'clock.
Donagh Schoolhouse—Wednesday, 4th, at 1 o'clock.
Aberny Plains Schoolhouse—Wednesday, 4th, at 1 o'clock.
Avondale Schoolhouse—Wednesday, 4th, at 1 o'clock.
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LOOKING BACKWARD!

Is a pleasant occupation to many. They enjoy contemplating, with secret self-satisfaction, the good they have done. It is not like us, however, for we believe in progression of the most rapid-type consistent with safety. Our plan for the future contemplates taking advantage of every circumstance that will aid us in securing your trade. To accomplish that end we advertise. If you read and act you will find that we'll secure it by our goods and prices. White Goods, all grades, from the lowest to the best; Grey Cottons, fine qualities, for family use; Shirting Gingham, an endless variety of patterns; White Pillow Cottons and Sheetings, Table Damasks and Napkins, Tickings and Hessians. Low Prices on all lines of goods.

STANLEY BROTHERS, BROWN'S BLOCK.

Charlottetown, February 18, 1891—eod & wky

GREAT COTTON SALE.

- 325 Pieces WHITE COTTON,
790 " GREY COTTON,
200 " TICKING,
500 " PRINT (New),
400 " GINGHAMS.

ALSO—30 Pieces of New Flannelettes, Table Damasks, Towelling, Towels, Sheetting, Circulars, Pillow Cottons, selling off at very closest prices for Cash

J. B. MACDONALD.

Charlottetown, February 12, 1891—dy & wky

February for Bargains!

PERKINS & STERNS.

Our Bargain Counter will be full of Cheap Goods during this month.

A JOB LOT OF EMBROIDERY.

- 300 Pieces Shirtings and Ginghams,
200 Pieces White Cottons, Cheap,
700 Pieces Grey Cottons,
100 Pieces Ticking,

Print Cottons, Cretonnes, Muslins, Pillow Cottons, Sheetings, Table Linen.

BEST VALUE IN THE CITY AT PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, February 3, 1891.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &

- TO LET.—The Dwelling House on Hillsborough Street lately occupied by Mr. George Carter, and adjoining the residence of Mr. Leavelle. Possession given 1st March next. Apply to GEORGE ALLEY. s11-feb25
PASTURE.—Wanted, a Pasture Lot—about 2 acres—near the city, with water preferred. Feb 24—1w eod. Apply to P. O. Box 33.
WANTED.—A Cook or House-maid. Apply to Mrs. FREDERICK BRECKEN, King Street. Feb 27—21 pd
WANTED.—A Servant Girl. Inquire of Mrs. BAGNALL, corner of Weymouth Street and St. Peter's Road. 21 pd—Feb 27.
WANTED.—A smart youth as a waiter in a Restaurant. Apply to A. N. LAPORE. Feb 24.
WANTED.—An apprentice to the Bookbinding. Apply at once to TAYLOR & GIBLES. Feb 21.
WANTED TO PURCHASE.—A Building Lot, in central location. Apply at this office. Feb 16.

Do the People Like to be Gulled?

IF NOT, HOW IS IT THEY WILL PATRONIZE WORD COMPETITIONS! Why do they buy Shoddy for Cloth? Why do they send, in answer to a foreign newspaper advertisement, for a SOLID GOLD PLATED CASE WATCH, with WALTHAM style movement, when they can get the GENUINE article at a less price than is often paid for the imitation. Watches have been brought to us by the hundred from parties who have bought as above, and which no respectable Watchmaker could repair and guarantee. Glass for jewels, brass where steel ought to be, and iron for steel. They will get when carried, \$5.00 to \$25.00 is often paid for a Watch that is not literally worth more than the price of old metal. Now there is no need or excuse to keep up such a trade, for the cheapest Watches made by the large American Watch Companies—the Waltham, the Elgin, the Rockford, the Hampden, and even the despised Waterbury—are far away ahead of the best of these imitation articles, and can be had in those days of perfected machinery at prices far below their actual value. E. W. TAYLOR, Watchmaker and Jeweler. Charlottetown, Feb. 4, 1891.