

Local and Other Items.

No Hockey to-night. BAND OF HOPE ENTERTAINMENT—At St. Peter's Schoolroom to-morrow evening.

It's a Good One.—The programme of St. James' Concert will appear to-morrow.

MR. BURKE AND HIS TRUE LOVE—At St. Peter's Schoolroom to-morrow evening.

Y. M. C. A.—Remember the lecture this evening on "British Columbia and the Northwest."

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POLICE COURT.—Two drunks—the first this month—appeared before His Honor this forenoon. One was fined \$30 or 30 days, and the other \$3 or 20 days.

A. O. H.—A meeting of Charlottetown Division A. O. H., will be held in McEachern's building, this (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance is requested.

MRS. WEEKS' CONDITION.—The St. John Gazette of Wednesday says:—Mrs. Weeks is now able to be up about her room and will likely be taken to her home when the steamer Stanley is ready to go on the route.

THEATRICAL.—Owing to the fact that seventy or eighty persons were unable to obtain entrance to the theatrical entertainment Wednesday night, it has been decided to repeat the performance, with a slight change of programme, on Saturday evening, 15th inst. The managers apologise to all persons who presented tickets and were unable to obtain access Wednesday night. Seats will be reserved for them on Saturday night.

BADLY BURNED.—We regret very much to learn that the son of Captain H. W. Mutch, of the Marine Department, was severely burned this morning. It appears that he came down stairs in his night dress, and while standing before the kitchen stove, the fire in which had been lighted a short time previously, his night dress accidentally caught fire, and before the flames could be extinguished the unfortunate boy was badly burned about the body and his father had his hands severely burned while trying to save the little fellow. Dr. Warburton is in attendance.

Burglaries at Georgetown.

ONE OF THE BURGLARS CAPTURED AND LODGED IN JAIL.

The store of Mr. W. W. Jenkins, on Kent Street, Georgetown, was broken into on Thursday night last, and several articles of jewelry and some watches were stolen therefrom. The burglars entered by a side window, and after loading themselves with plunder, left by the way they had entered.

From the store they went to the residence of Mrs. Griffin, on Richmond Street, which was entered through a hall window, and plundered it of jewelry, money, etc. After securing their plunder, the scoundrels proceeded to regale themselves with eatables from the sideboard. After the wants of the "inner man" were attended to, one of the burglars proceeded to the cellar, where he hid himself, the other leaving the house. Mr. Griffin, after searching several barns and outhouses for the burglars, at length found one of them in the cellar, hiding behind a potato measure. After compelling the burglar to disgorge, he was marched off to jail, where he will await trial before a justice of the peace.

The captured burglar gives his name as Joseph Higgins, and says he belongs to Tignish. He is apparently between 17 and 18 years of age. A diligent search is being made for his accomplice. The burglars are supposed to be the same characters that have lately been operating in Prince County.

The Fire at Souris.

We learn that the fire at Souris, on Wednesday night, was discovered about 9.30 p. m., by Mrs. Cameron, who was at home. Rev. Mr. Cameron was out at the time, but returned as soon as the alarm was given, and used every means to get at the place where the fire was burning. The only theory that will account for this accident is that the frost had cracked a flue in the attic, and that a spark caught in the wood.

The usual amount of extraordinary incidents took place during the conflagration; but the most laughable was an old woman who was trying to carry water in a potato basket.

The loss is estimated to be about \$2,000. The insurance amounts to \$1000 in offices represented by Mr. F. W. Hyndman of this city.

The "Roarin' Game."

The return match, Lawyers vs. All-comers, was played at Hillsborough Rink, on Wednesday afternoon, when the former again won by 2 points, after a very interesting and closely contested match, in which, by the way, insubordination in the legal ranks was one of the leading features of the game.

FIRST RINK.

All-Comers. C. B. McNeill, Wm. Brehaut, L. E. Brecken, O. Crabbe, (mate) W. A. O. Morson, (mate) P. H. Beer, (skip)—13 W. A. Weeks, (skip)—10

SECOND RINK.

A. A. McDonald, D. B. Stewart, Dr. Beer, H. C. McDonald, T. C. James, (mate) H. V. Palmer, (mate) P. Pope, (skip)—8 J. A. Longworth, (skip)—13 All-comers, total.....21 Lawyers, ".....23

News Notes.

A poor widow in London has fallen heir to \$40,000.

Pope Leo XIII has issued an important encyclical letter dealing with the relation of the church and the state.

Parliament will be asked to vote £50,000 to defray the expenses of the Parnell Commission.

Graham, charged with attempted jury bribing in the Cronin trial, has not turned up, and his \$15,000 bail bonds are forfeited.

Fresh-ground Baskerville and Graham Flour just received at Beer and Co's. feb 14

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

BRITISH POLITICS.

The Times-Parnell Affair

LONDON, Feb. 13.

Smith's statement yesterday in the House of Commons is interpreted as meaning that the Government will drop the subject of assisted education for this session. The Times reports that the Government has given even a more distinct intimation that free education is completely abandoned.

The report of Judges Hannen, Day and Smith, the special commission appointed to investigate the charges by the Times against the Parnellite members of the House of Commons, was laid upon the table in the House to-day by Mr. Matthews, the Secretary of State for Home Affairs.

The report of the commission occupies 162 pages. Each member of the House against whom charges were made, is treated separately. The Judges find that speeches made by many of the Parnellite members were intended to bring about the separation of Ireland from England; and that speeches of others, in view of the state of the country, were calculated to foment crime, as the speakers must have known.

The report is dated to-day, and in it the following specific charges against Parnell personally are not proved: "That at the time of the Kilmainham negotiations, Parnell knew that Sheridan and Boyton had been organizing outrages, and therefore wish to use them to put down outrages; that Parnell was intimate with leading Invincibles; that he probably learned from them what they were about when he was released on parole in April 1882; that he recognized the Phoenix Park murders as their handiwork; that Parnell on Jan. 23rd, 1883, by an opportune remittance enable Byrne to escape to France." We find it proved that Davitt was a Fenian, and received money from the Kilmainham fund, contributed for the purpose of outrages. In our judgment the leaders of the League, combining to carry out the boycotts were guilty of criminal conspiracy. We consider this charge established against Parnell, Dillon, Biggar, Sexton, T. P. O'Connor, Matthew Harris, W. O'Brien, T. D. Sullivan, O. M. Healy, T. Harrington, A. O'Connor, J. E. Kenny, W. Redmond, J. E. Redmond, Justin McCarthy, J. O'Connor, J. J. Condon, J. J. O'Kelly, Cummins, Cox, Patrick Shea, J. D. Sheehan, J. Leahy, E. Leaney, J. Barry, C. K. Lamer, Maurice Healy, J. Quinn, Daniel Crilly, Henry Campbell, P. J. Foley, J. J. Clancy, J. F. O'Brien, R. Lalor, T. Mann, J. Deasy, J. C. Flynn, J. Jordan, W. J. Lane, D. Sheehy, D. Sullivan, G. N. Burns, Michael Davitt.

The report lays stress upon the fact that Parnell did not produce a report of any speech wherein he denounced the use of dynamite. Denunciation by Parnell of the action of the physical force party in Ireland or America is given in the evidence. The statistics of crime, strongly corroborated by the statement of outrages, followed the establishment of the Land League, and there is no doubt the comparative statistics showed that the dominant cause was the League agitation.

The balance of our Feeding Staff must follow suit, and we offer as follows, viz:—

BRAN, per 100 lbs., \$1.00) Bags 10 cts. each
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JOHN JOY.
Notice of Meeting.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island, for the election of Directors and receiving a statement of the affairs of the Bank, will be held at the Banking Office on THURSDAY, March 6th, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, a. m.

Proxies for voting must be left with the Cashier on or before Wednesday, March 5th. By order, WM. McLEAN, Cashier.

News From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.

The House Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day referred the memorial of the Boston Board of Trade, praying for action by congress that would strengthen the trade relations between the United States and Canada, to a sub-committee, consisting of Dammill, Hitt and Chapman. This reference will have the effect of making the gentlemen named as the sub-committee to have full charge of all questions bearing upon reciprocity between the United States and Canada.

DIED.

At the residence of John Higgins, Esq., in the 81st year of her age, Catherine Auld, widow of the late Charles Higgins. She died resting upon the Solid Rock. [Funeral will leave the above residence at 10 o'clock, a. m., on Saturday.]

WHOLESALE!

To The Trade Only.

We Offer for Immediate Delivery:

250 Pieces Striped Hessians and Hooking Canvas.
100 Pieces Assorted Ticking.
200 " White and Colored Canton Flannels.
60 Pieces Heavy, Plain and Check Duck.
200 Pieces White Cottons.
1000 " Assorted Print Cottons.
30 Bales Grey Cottons.
30 " White and Colored Warps.
100 Bundles of Patches, Quilting Prints, Turkey Red Cottons.

USUAL TERMS.

WEEKS & BEER.
fb 13.

GEO. CARTER & CO.,
Market Square, Queen Street.

SEED TIME is yet in the distance, but we are preparing for it. All of our Flower Seeds are here, and nearly all of the Vegetable Seeds, and the coming weeks will find us busy testing, packing and arranging, so as to be ready when the season opens for the rush of orders, which is one of the features of the Seed trade.

In the meantime we must close out our Winter Stock of GROCERIES and FEEDING STUFF, which we will do at very low prices. Flour, Tea, Sugar, Kerosene Oil, Molasses, etc., must go, as we want the room they occupy as well as the money for our Seed Department.

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Great Dry Goods and Clothing Sale.

THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY is the best Month in the Year to get Bargains at our Store. All Remnants are sold off at any price to clear. Regular Line will follow with Big Discounts.

MEN'S OVERCOATS, REEFERS and SUITS—the very Cheapest in Town. A few SLEIGH ROBES left, will be sold off low, and a few MEN'S FUR COATS at tremendous bargains.

Don't fail. If you want Genuine Bargains in LADIES' DRESS GOODS, we would advise you to try

J. B. MACDONALD'S,
Charlottetown, February 3, 1890—dy & wky

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\$15,000 Worth of Boots and Shoes!

The Great Stock of Boots and Shoes at the DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE selling off at from 20 to 25 per cent. Discount for Cash during the next Two Months.

This Stock is all new and imported this fall. Customers can rely on getting good goods at the DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

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New White Cottons, New Print Cottons,
New Canadian Gingham, New Scotch Gingham,
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New Tickings, New Flannelettes.

Special Prices on Many Lines This Month.

Those who want the best value for their money should call on us.

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Charlottetown, February 6, 1890—eod

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED—A second-hand Office Desk, about fifty inches long, with or without legs. Enquire at this office. feb 14 31

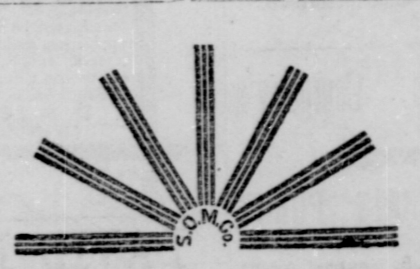
LOST—Horse Blanket this morning on Weymouth or Water Streets, between Sidney Street and the Railway Round House. A reward will be given if left at B. S. Davies & Co's, Cameron Block. feb 12

WANTED—A good Cook to go to the country where another girl is kept. Good wages to the right person. Apply at this office. feb 5-1m

FOR SALE—A dark bay driving Mare, unblemished, fast, and perfectly docile. Age about six years. Apply at this office. Jan 29—3w 2aw

WANTED—A Housemaid. Good wages. Apply to Miss PERCIVAL, Sidmont. dec 10

FOR SALE—A two-story Dwelling House, with good yard room. The house contains seven rooms, with kitchen attached, situated near corner of Edward and Fitzroy Streets. Terms reasonable. Apply to R. REDDEN, solicitor. Jan 29—4



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CAMERON BLOCK,
Charlottetown, Jan. 9, 1890—2aw wky