

Local and Other Items.

I. O. O. F.—Wildey Lodge meets to-night. Degrees conferred.

The steamer PREMIER from Halifax will be due here this evening.

S. of T.—Orient Division meets at 8 o'clock to-night. Initiation of candidates.

SPECIAL SALE—Gold, plated and silver brooches on Saturday, at G. H. Taylor's.

HAVE you tried our cat-rake? If not, do so at once and be happy.—A. & C. Quirk, north side Market Square. May 13 2i

THAT hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's cure.—Reddin Bros. nov13 2i

TRAY—C-py books two cents each at the Diamond Bookstore. Big bargains.

PRIME apples, oranges, lemons, and bananas selling low at A. & C. Quirk's, north side Market Square. may13 2i

THE members of the Crescent Football Club will meet for practice at Victoria Park this evening at 7 o'clock.

BE CAREFUL—Before paying your money watch the wrapper on each box of Everybody's Pills bears the signature "A. S. Johnson." None are genuine without it.

COOKS and get some nice fresh cocoanuts. Scotch pekins, cheese cake and angel cake—all made fresh to-day at Quirk's Steam Bakery, north side Market Square. may13 2i

SHIFTING TEAMS—The shifting team of No. 1 Battery, Garrison Artillery, will meet for practice this evening at half-past seven sharp. A prompt attendance is requested.

BLACK DIAMOND S. S. COMPANY.—The steamer Bismarck leaves Montreal next Thursday or Friday, and will be due here on Monday the 23-d inst., and will sail for St. John's, N.B.

POLICE COURT.—Three boys up for destroying the property of S. F. Hodgson were fined \$4 and costs each, and a man for keeping a vicious dog was ordered to have the same killed within 24 hours.

THE LADIES DELIGHTED.—The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which the ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

FIREFMEN'S TOURNAMENT.—Secretary Finlayson last evening received a letter from Mr. J. Doyle, Secretary of Union Engine Company, Halifax, informing him that that company had decided to send a delegation of forty or fifty men with hose carriage and a running team to the tournament. There will also be a large number of visitors from Halifax and other Nova Scotia towns.

THE MARKET.—The market to-day was small. Prices averaged the same as Tuesday, except for butter, which has dropped about one cent on the pound. Messrs. Saunders and Campbell's new daily market at the eastern end of the building is finished, and is now occupied by that enterprising firm. The place is well fitted up and well supplied with all the choicest meats of the season. Give them a call.

THE FORESTERS.—A court of the Independent Order of Foresters was organized at Murray Harbor a few evenings ago, with the following officers:—

C. D. H. R.—Isaac R. Prowse.

C. R.—Wm. H. Prowse.

V. C. R.—Wm. Harris.

P. C. R.—Albert P. Prowse.

Physician—Erskine J. Keir, M. D.

S. W.—Murdoch Biggs.

J. W.—Luther Gordon.

Chaplain—J. McKay.

S. B.—Alex. Bell.

J. B.—Jarvis Prowse.

F. N.—Malcolm McLeod.

R. S.—Ezra M. Henry.

Fireproof and Waterproof.

It is apparently a question of only a short time when all our garments will not only be fireproof but waterproof also. It was about a year ago that one of our great Eastern manufacturers placed fireproof curtains on the market, and these goods are now becoming staple. Indeed, it is only a question of time when none other than fireproof curtains will be found in our homes. It is well known that within the last year or two most of the leading theatres submit their scenery to a fireproofing process, and in our opinion the law should compel every theatre to do so. If a method of fireproofing shall be devised, it seems probable, which shall be applicable to every kind of fabric, the danger from fires in the house will be reduced to a wonderful degree.

The waterproofing of every class of fabric seems now to be an established fact. We have examined a large number of samples of dress goods of the better class which have undergone the Melissa process, and we must say that it appears to be a complete and practical solution of the problem of waterproofing, and no one can detect that there has been anything done to the fabric. Without altering the character, color, appearance, porosity, or odor of the goods, the treatment enables the fabric to resist any rain or prevent its absorption.

When these two great processes shall have become of universal adoption, it will aim at work a revolution in the modern dry goods business. The enormous insurance rates now paid by dry goods houses will be reduced to a minimum. Losses of life and property by fire will be greatly reduced in hotels, taverns and private dwellings. At the same time the sickness and death resulting from exposure to rain and snow should be greatly lessened. For children and persons whose duties call them near open fires, a fireproof garment would be invaluable.

There is no reason why the waterproofing process should not immediately be applied to all our garments, etc., while every woman who is searching for curtains or other household goods should now give her preference to that in which she knows will not be responsible for a conflagration in her house.—Chicago Dry Goods Reporter.

Bargains for Saturday—500 pairs men's and children's hose, regular prices 25 to 30 cents; will clear the lot at 9 and 10 cents a pair. This is a bargain. Don't miss it.—J. B. Macdonald.

Another bargain for Saturday—300 pairs women's and misses' gloves, worth 25 to 40 cents a pair, will clear at 10 and 12 cents a pair.—J. B. Macdonald.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

House of Commons.

OTTAWA, May 13.

Mr. L. H. Davies called the attention of the House to the fact that his amendment to Mr. McNeill's motion in favor of a preferential trade with Great Britain had been garbled in the English press in such a way as to place the Liberal party in a ridiculous light before the British public. He read a letter from Rouer's agent explaining how the error had occurred.

Mills said he believed the Liberal position had been willfully misrepresented.

Hon. Mr. Powell asked Mr. Davies if he had read the whole of the letter of explanation, as he understood the writer had made a correction, and Mr. Davies had not mentioned the fact.

Mr. Davies reluctantly read a paragraph from the letter, which stated that a correction had been made.

Sir John Thompson said the Government had to complain in the past of lying misrepresentations of its policy sent abroad by cable agency. The matter then dropped. The House went into committee taking up the I. C. R. extensions. All the items, with the exception of \$121,000 for additional station accommodation at St. John, were carried, after which the House adjourned.

An Extraordinary Suicide.

CHATEAUGUAY VILLAGE, Que., May 13.

A farmer named Prevost committed suicide near here yesterday. He had been ploughing in the field, and after tying his feet to a large tree he threw himself on the ground, put noose around his neck and with the line attached to the whiffle tree the horses were started off on a run. The result was that his head was almost severed from his body when found later by his father.

McLean's Majority.

TORONTO, May 13.

McLean's majority in East York is 240.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, May 13, -10 a. m.

Generally fair; stationary or a little higher temperature.

DIED.

At the residence of William Miller, Marshfield, on the 12th inst., Mary, wife of Robert Boyer, of Lot 48, aged 76 years.

[Funeral will leave Mr. Miller's residence for the cemetery at Lot 48, on Sunday next, at two o'clock.]

Our 10c. butter knives are nearly all gone. We offer on Saturday a lot of 3c. brooches for 15c., and one lot of 25c. cuff buttons for 10 cents a pair.—E. W. Taylor.

Selling out room paper.—The balance of stock, about 1000 rolls, will be sold at 33 1/2 discount. Some very good paper in the lot. See it before you buy.—J. B. Macdonald's.

Nothing gives us more pleasure than to be giving our customers the splendid value we have been giving in our carpet department ever since we opened. All our prices will be cheerfully met by the real and genuine.—Paton Bros.

Several ladies spoke to us this morning about our cheap carpets and wondered how it can be made to sell at the prices we are selling at. It can't be done by any other firm on P. E. Island, as they would cost them more than we can sell them at. We bought this lot at from 10 to 15 per cent cheaper than over before, and rather than have any left, we have decided to clear every piece of it at the prices we are quoting in our advt. Turn it up and read it and then come straight to the largest, cheapest and best carpet house on P. E. Island.—Jas. Paton & Co., Market Square.

Painters' Supplies!

White Lead, Colored Paints, Kalsomine, Whiting, Rose Pink, Blue, Umbers, Siennas and all other Dry Color pig stock.

JOHNSON'S PURE READY MIXED COLORS.

Largest Stock of BRUSHES in the city, all of which I will make special prices for this month.

Agent for the following celebrated VARNISHES:—Nobles & Hoare, Valentine's, Rosenberg's, P. D. Dod & Co

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10 TONS 2 TONS

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White Russian, White Fife, North Western Red Fife.

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Timothy Seed, Early Red Clover, Mammoth Clover, Alsike Clover, White Dutch Clover.

Black Vetches, White Vetches, Fodder Corn, Field Peas, White Pea Beans, Flax Seed, Rape Seed, Barley, Buckwheat, White Oats, etc.

Turnip, Mangel, Carrot, Parsnip, Beet—all the leading kinds for Garden and Field culture, and a full supply of Vegetable and Flower Seeds.

We keep all kinds of Seeds required for the Farm and Garden.

GEO. CARTER & CO., Seedsmen.

Ch'town, May 10, 1892—law & wy

W. A. WEEKS & CO'S.

SPECIAL SALE

OF THEIR Wholesale Stock

WILL CONTINUE THIS WEEK.

All Goods Sold at Bargain Prices!

W. A. WEEKS & CO.

Charlottetown, May 9, 1892

OPENING TO-DAY

LONDON HOUSE.

A further lot of Dress Goods, Mantles, Prints, Satteens, Oxford Shirtings, Flannelettes, Umbrellas, Sunshades.

HOSIERY—Cashmere and Cotton. GLOVE—Silk, Taffeta, Thread. These goods are all excellent value, and are marked at very low prices.

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RESPECTFULLY tender their heartiest thanks to the public for the liberal patronage received in the past. Our aim has been and still will be to please our customers. We have succeeded, and nothing will be wanting on our part to make the future surpass the past.

It is a well known fact that our CARPET DEPARTMENT is the BEST IN THE PROVINCE, and that we sell more Carpets than any other firm in the city. To add still more to the popularity of this department, our buyer, when in England, secured some very extraordinary cheap lots in the very Newest and Best Designs; and in order to give our friends and customers the benefit of this lot, we offer them at the following marvellous low prices. Never in our experience have we been in a position to offer such inducements. Just imagine a Tapestry Carpet at 24 cents a yard, usual price 36 cents, and good Brussels Carpet from 70 cents a yard; and five-frame Brussels, worth \$1 55, for \$1.15; a very special line of Brussels for 85 cents.

Now is Your Time, Ladies, to Buy Cheap!

EVERY YARD MUST GO! Don't miss this golden opportunity. Come and choose your Carpet. If your home is in the city, we will measure your home; if you live in the country, bring the measure with you and we will cut and match free of charge. If desired, we make and lay at cost price.

It is the value we give that makes us do the lion's share of the Carpet business. The lowest price and the excellent value is what counts. Take our Great Sale in progress now, for instance. Nothing like it has ever been offered the people of Prince Edward Island. Come and cast your eye over the Bargains we are offering in the Carpet Department. If you buy from us you will save money every time.

JAS. PATON & CO.,

The Largest Carpet Importers on the Island.

Charlottetown, May 11, 1892—eod & wky

FIRST-CLASS HOSIERY!

Perkins & Sterns.

We have a first-class stock of Hosiery imported for this season's trade. We buy direct from the manufacturers and our prices will be found, when you see the quality, to be the lowest in the city.

3760 pairs Cotton Hose, 6c. to 50c. a pair.

1320 pairs Cashmere Hose, 16 to 75c. a pair.

A job lot of Cashmere Hose at 16c. a pair.

A job lot of Cotton Hose at 8c. a pair.

Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves, Lisle Thread Gloves.—Our stock of Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves and Lisle Thread Gloves is first-class, and the price—well, we would like to hear of any selling cheaper. That party is not to be found in this city if we know it. Trade at the Old Reliable Dry Goods Store.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, April 30, 1892—eod & wky

J. A. FARQUHARSON & CO.,

Commission Merchants and Wholesale Grocers.

FRUIT, EGGS AND PRODUCE.

WANTED THIS SEASON—100,000 Dozen EGGS, for which the highest price will be paid. EGG CASES SUPPLIED FREE. EGG CASE FILLERS at lowest prices.

Having engaged an experienced man in the FRUIT BUSINESS, we intend to give this line our special attention.

REMOVED.

SAUNDERS & CAMPBELL, MEAT DEALERS.

HAVE removed to the Eastern end of MARKET HOUSE, opposite the Post Office, where we will be pleased to see all our old customers and as many new ones as may favor us with their patronage. This will be our headquarters daily.

We always keep in stock a variety of FRESH and SALT MEAT of the best quality. Meat delivered promptly to any part of the city. Telephone communication.

Charlottetown, May 11, 1892—2w eod

WE WISH to contract with three men to engage in canvassing Prince Edward Island. Will pay a liberal commission for the first two months on trial, and afterwards, if an satisfactory, will give a large weekly salary. Address at once Box 156, St. John, N. B.