

Local and Other Items.

The trains are nearly on time to-day.

The "Northern Light" is still in the ice cut of Pictou Island.

PRINCE EDWARD COUNCIL, Royal Arcanum, meets to-night, at 8 o'clock.

MAILS are crossing from both Capes to-day. The mails for this Province are part English.

THE annual meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association is to be held on the 1st of March.

THE Stipendiary Magistrate to-day sentenced the boy, Whitlock, to one month's imprisonment.

FROM 2,000 to 3,000 tons of potatoes are now imported weekly at New York from Great Britain and Germany.

NOVA SCOTIA papers report the severe illness of W. S. Sterling, Esq., Cashier of the Union Bank of Nova Scotia.

MR. ALEXANDER MCKAY, M. P. P., for Pictou, N. S., is dead. He was born in West River, in April, 1818, and was consequently nearly sixty-four years of age.

AN adjourned meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society will be held in St. Patrick's Hall, this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested.—M. J. MORAN, Secretary.

THE steamer "Manitoba," of the Allan Line, arrived at Boston on Friday last, with the largest and most valuable consignment of celebrated Clydesdale horses, pure bred, that have ever been imported into any country.

THE steamer "Bahama" foundered at sea on the 10th inst., and twenty of her crew perished. A boat containing eleven of the crew and two passengers was picked up by a barque and landed at New York on the 15th inst.

THE BYTERIAN COLLEGE ENDOWMENT FUND.—Sixty-five thousand dollars have been paid in by the Presbyterian congregations of the Maritime Provinces of the required hundred thousand endowment fund of the Presbyterian College at Pine Hill, Halifax.

A MISERABLE effort at economy is practiced when the owner of stock decides that anything is good enough for his horse. His wiser neighbor uses St. Jacob's Oil, and never has anything else than good fortune with his animals, and pleasure in their appearance.

THE Lecture delivered in the Second Methodist Church last evening, by J. H. Fletcher, Esq., was very largely attended. It was on "The Ideal Boy," and although addressed to young people, was thoroughly enjoyed by the number of clergymen, teachers and parents present.

PROFESSOR ANDERSON'S lecture this evening in Y. M. C. A. Hall promises to be an interesting one. The subject is Education, and from the long experience which the Professor has had in educational matters, no one is better qualified than he to discuss such a subject. Those who attend will not fail to be benefited, and we, therefore, bespeak for the lecturer a good house.

SHIP NEWS.—The brig, "Natalie," Capt. Barnard, sailed from Boston for St. John's, Newfoundland, on the 4th inst. The brig, "Swiftsure," of Charlottetown, arrived at Salcombe, E. Jan. 30, from Santos, with foremost spring. The barque "Monselle," O'Connell, from Pernambuco for Boston, put into Barbadoes previous to Feb. 13, leaky, but would probably be able to repair without discharging.

CARD OF THANKS.—To F. W. Hyndman, Esq., General Agent Fire Insurance Association, Ltd.: I beg to tender my thanks for the prompt payment in full of my claim of Thirty-Five Hundred Dollars against your Company, it not being due until the twenty-eighth day of March next.—JOSEPH J. SEAMAN.

I hereby certify that I inspected thoroughly the above claim, and found it in every respect perfectly satisfactory.—D. J. STEWART, Inspector Fire Insurance Association.

AN esteemed correspondent furnishes us with the particulars of how a "crank" named Perry, or Palmer, excited the sympathy of a P. E. Island Bank stockholder, a hardware merchant, and two of the depositor's committee, and how, afterwards, their anger was aroused when they discovered that the "crank" never had, as represented, and probably never will have, a cent deposited in the Bank of P. E. Island. Our correspondent's account is laughable, but, being lengthy, we cannot afford to give it space. The facts in brief are:—The first gentleman referred to returned to his hotel, after a bank meeting, out of temper, and out of humor for a conversation. Seated at dinner, he was asked how about the Bank's affairs? His reply was "brief and to the point." At the opposite side of the table sat the "crank," well dressed, and bearing unmistakable evidence of being in his time a hard-worked man. He interrogated thus: "Is that the Old Bank you referred to?" Stockholder: "Yes; are you interested?" Crank: "I much regret to say that I am. I have in that Bank, on deposit, \$3,500. Money that I earned when in California. There are two classes of men interested in that Bank that I am sorry for, and they are Stockholders and Depositors. But as for the Directors, I would take the blasted boots off them; I would. They should be stripped of everything they had; and if there is law between here and California, I'll have my money. I worked hard night and day to gather that money together, and I now find that I am, by these men's neglect, robbed of every cent I am worth." On concluding these remarks the crank was much excited, and the stockholders who had been moved by the crank's name over written with him, and explained the plan adopted for the Bank's resumption of business, which were considered by the crank very favorable. The story of the unfortunate depositor was repeated to many, and he was introduced to the few—above mentioned—who, with kind words consoled the unfortunate. They did not, however, forget to ask him sign the depositor's agreement. He promised to do so, but as it was in the hands of one of the committee they agreed to meet him on the following day for the purpose of obtaining his signature. He did not turn up, however, and suspicion was aroused. The Depositors list was examined, but neither on it, nor the walls or desks of the Bank was the crank's name ever written. "By heavens, I wish I had held of that fellow!" said one. "He ought to be tarred and feathered!" exclaimed another. "We'll catch him yet!" they joined in chorus. He was caught. At the Railway Station on his departure for home, he was tendered one of the hottest demonstrations of his life, and, as the train moved off a tall gentleman, a member of the Depositors Committee might be seen shaking his fist at the crank, and shouting, "By heaven's Conductor, you had better put that fellow on a freight train, he's not fit to go with gentlemen!"

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions or statements of our correspondents.

Skating Rink.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

SIR,—I beg to call the attention of the ticket-holders of the Citizens' Skating Rink to the following suggestion, namely: that a meeting of the several ticket-holders be called at an early day, to take some action with regard to the manner in which the rights and privileges of skaters are interfered with.

The rules which regulate well conducted rinks, which have heretofore been generally well observed in the Rink in Charlottetown, have now almost entirely disappeared, owing to the carelessness and penuriousness of those who pretend to manage and control this institution.

The following are some of the many grievances which skaters have to endure:—

1. Furious and wild skating.
2. Neglect in scraping the ice.
3. Neglect in ringing the bell at the proper times.
4. Allowing the window panes to remain broken, to the great danger to the health of lady skaters, who are thus subjected to very unpleasant drafts of cold air.
5. Utter carelessness in providing good ice.
6. The rule—no smoking allowed—openly violated, and particularly by the Managing Directors.

It is to be hoped that ticket-holders will no longer submit to be imposed upon, but will immediately take steps by which these just grounds for complaint may be removed.

TICKET-HOLDER.

Irish National Land League.

The regular weekly meeting of the Charlottetown Land League was held last evening in St. Patrick's Hall. M. P. Hogan, Esq., President, occupied the chair. The audience was composed of quite a number of ladies.

The receipt of \$43.50 was announced from the "Parnell Branch," St. Cathbert's Parish. The names of contributors to this sum were read, after which a unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the above Branch for its very creditable effort.

The propriety of holding an entertainment on St. Patrick's Night having been under consideration by the League some months ago, the matter came up at this meeting. It was resolved that, should the B. I. Society decide not to hold their usual entertainment, the Executive Committee be authorized to make arrangements to hold one on that night.

Mr. C. D. Collins delivered an interesting address, which gave evidence of an intimate acquaintance with the unjust treatment of Ireland by a class of legislation enacted in the interest of only a chosen few of the country. He showed the League to be a powerful body, both in the moral sentiment created in its favor and in the resources at its disposal.

Messrs. Cox, Kelly, Leahy and Trainer spoke briefly as to the good which would result from the formation of a Ladies' Branch of the League in this city.

The meeting was entertained by some of the ladies with choice selections of vocal and instrumental music.

The ladies received a hearty vote of thanks for their attendance, and for the acceptable and pleasing manner in which they entertained the meeting.

The ladies present intimated their desire to aid the League in its benevolent objects, and would be happy to lend their assistance in the formation of a Ladies' Branch. A committee composed of Mrs. Captain Kichham, Mrs. M. A. Burke, Mrs. Ledwell, and Miss M. Cox was appointed to assist in the organizing of a Ladies' League, in St. Patrick's Hall, on Monday evening next, the 27th inst., at 8 o'clock.

Meeting adjourned.

RICHARD WALSH, Secretary.

Feb. 21st, 1882.

Personal.

A FOOL'S wrath is presently known, but a prudent man covereth shame.

WASHINGTON young ladies speak of the President's tall young son as Prince Arthur.

THE Governor General has declined to make an engagement for next summer, as he intends to visit British Columbia—the part of the Dominion he is not yet familiar with.

A BANQUET of horseflesh is to be given in New York before Lent by a party of gentlemen who have lived in Paris and there partaken of the flesh of deceased thoroughbreds. It is to be prepared by a noted chef and served under the superintendence of the well-known steward of one of the hotels owned by the Stewart estate.

OSCAR L. BALDWIN, the defaulting cashier of the Mechanics' National Bank, of Newark, who is now a convict in the State Prison, at Trenton, under a sentence of fifteen years, was employed last week as gate keeper. His position is at the great iron gates at the west end of the prison, through which pass the teams that take the supplies to the place or carry the finished work of the prisoners away. The gates open directly upon the street. Baldwin is dressed in the prison garb, which consists of cloth, the right half being deep blue and the left half red, the sleeves being of alternating stripes of bluish white and brown. He was clean shaven, and his hair was cropped close. There is a large scale near the keeper's lodge, and Baldwin, in a clerical capacity, assists in the weighing.

KEEP IT TO YOURSELF.—You have trouble, your feelings are injured, your husband is unkind, your wife frets, your home is not pleasant, your friends do not treat you fairly, and things in general move unpleasantly. Well, what of it? Keep it to yourself. A smouldering fire can be found and extinguished, but when coals are scattered, you can't pick them up. Bury your sorrow. The place for bad and disgusting things is under ground. A cut finger is not benefited by pulling off the plaster and exposing it to somebody's eye. Charity covereth a multitude of sins. Things thus covered are cured without a scar; but once published and confided to meddling friends, there is no end to the trouble they may cause. Keep it to yourself. Troubles are transient; and what a comfort it is to say, "No one ever knew it till it was over."

ALL our Druggists now heartily endorse the amazing success of Mack's Magnetic Medicine, and recommend it far both sexes in all cases of sexual weakness. Sold in Charlottetown by Apothecaries Hall Co. See advertisement in another column. [Feb 10 2w]

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Queen Square, —ARE SHOWING—

SPRING GOODS

GREAT VARIETY.

Their Stock is Always Purchased

BEST MARKETS,

And You Can Rely Upon Getting as Good Value as can be found on P. E. Island.

- Large Stock Grey Cottons,
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(IN EVERY COLOR.)

New Spring Tweeds.

A NICE VARIETY OF DRESS GOODS!

A Complete Stock of MOURNING GOODS.

- Table Linens, Table Napkins,
- Towels, Sheetings,
- PILLOW COTTONS, COUNTERPANES,
- TOILET COVERS, &c., &c.,

VERY CHEAP.

Carpet, Oil Cloths, Matting Rugs and Mats.

ROOM PAPER.

Perkins & Sterns.

Feb. 10, 1882.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Ottawa News!

Special Despatch to the Examiner.

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.

The Speaker took the chair at three o'clock. A number of petitions were presented against the proposed bill to legalize marriage with a deceased wife's sister; also a number of other petitions.

Mr. Beauchesne asked whether it was the intention of the Government to subsidize a line of steamers to perform the service on Bay Chaleur, between Gaspe and Campbellton, in connection with the Inter-colonial Railway.

Sir Charles Tupper replied that Parliament would be asked to provide an appropriation for that purpose.

GENERAL NEWS.

DUBLIN, Feb. 20.

Mr. Forster has unexpectedly arrived here.

LONDON, Feb. 20.

Betting is two to one on Hanlan.

Mr. Gladstone gave notice that on Monday he would move an enquiry into the working of the Land Act, with reference particularly to the question whether it would be injurious to the interests of good government in Ireland.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.

Bismarck has conferred with the Emperor in regard to Skobeloff's speech.

A mild remonstrance will probably be sent to St. Petersburg.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 20.

The steamer "Republic," at this port from New York, collided in the river Mersey with the American steamship "Palestine" from San Francisco while the latter was at anchor, the "Palestine" had her bowsprit broken, and was otherwise damaged. The former had a boat injured.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.

The plea in behalf of Sergeant Mason who fired at Guitau, whose trial begins to-day at Washington is insanity.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, February 21—10 a. m.

Easterly to northeasterly winds, increasing to a moderate gale, cloudy weather followed by snow.

Special Notices.

DAN. DAVIES, JR., has a few tons good Anthracite Coal, which he will sell for cash Feb 18—th.

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

TRUNKS AND VALISES.—Young men leaving the island, will save money by purchasing their Trunks and Valises at L. E. Prowse's, 74 Queen Street.

PICKLES and Cranberries by the quart, very good, half ton cheese, 2 lb bottled preserve, 36c., 3 lb box soda biscuit, 39c., at the Family Grocery.—R. K. BRACE. [f 17]

The only place on P. E. Island, where you can get every part of a Gun made, is at Brown's Shop, corner of Prince and Grafton Streets. nov 17 wky

MUST BE PAID—I beg to inform those indebted to me, and who have been notified by card and letter, that unless they pay up at once, they will be dealt with as the law directs.—J. H. FLEISCHER. feb 11 ft

A WORD to the ladies! Do not exchange your old Sewing Machine for a new one; but fetch it to me and I will repair it and make it as good as new or no charge made.—WILLIAM BROWN, shop on corner of Prince and Grafton Streets, Charlottetown, P. E. I. nov 17 ft wky

CHALLENGE.

I WILL match a two-year-old Colt, sired by my Stallion "ALL RIGHT" against any Colt same age, the get of any other Stallion on Prince Edward Island, for the sum of Fifty Dollars a side, half mile heats, best three in five, to harness, not to take place on Summerside ice, on the 17th day of March next. A deposit of \$25 a side to be placed in the hands of Mr. Daniel Campbell (Hotel Keeper), Summerside, on or before the first day of March next, and the balance to be made good on day of the race.

NEWTON LEE, Summerside, Feb. 20, 1882.

Bank of P. E. Island.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking House, Charlottetown, on TUESDAY, 7th March, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may be laid before the meeting.

Proxies for voting must be left with the Asst. Cashier at least one day previous to meeting.

LESLIE S. MACNUTT, Asst. Cashier. Charlottetown Feb 18, 1882—till meeting

PARTICULAR NOTICE.

ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS NOT PAID BEFORE THE

First Day of March,

will be sued for in the different Courts. Pay at once and save Court expenses.

A. A. BALDWIN & CO. Feb. 18, 1882—41, wky 11

TIN PLATES.

200 BOXES 14x20. For sale.

HORACE HASZARD, Ch'town, Feb. 10, '82—1w dly

THE WEEKLY EXAMINER.

—Per sons having relatives or friends abroad, and desiring to keep them informed concerning P. E. Island, cannot do so in a better or cheaper way than by subscribing to THE WEEKLY EXAMINER. Sent, postpaid, to any Address in Great Britain, United States or the Dominion, on receipt of One Dollar.

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Low Figure.

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January 27, 1882. wky

Ocean Steamship Co.



OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

NOTICE.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at the office of PEAKE BROS. & CO., on

Wednesday, 22nd of Feb. inst., at 7.30 o'clock, p. m.,

to take into consideration the propriety of extending the term of the Partnership of this Company, or otherwise, in accordance with the power contained in the Partnership Deed. Dated at Charlottetown, this 6th day of January, 1882.

PEAKE BROS. & CO., Managers. Feb. 6, '81—2w

Beer & Goff.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERIES!

Feb. 6, 1882.

MERCHANTS Marine Insurance Co'y

OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the

Y. M. C. A. HALL, —ON—

Wednesday, 8th March Next, at 3 o'clock, P. M.,

for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of other business. FENTON T. NEWBERRY, Manager. Ch'town, Feb. 7, '82—2w till 3rd, dly after

Beer & Goff.

Jam and Marmalade, in Crocks.

Jam and Marmalade, in Bulk.

DOMINION OF CANADA, Province of Prince Edward Island.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Between SIMON WILLIAM CRABBE, Plaintiff, and CHARLES FARLEY HARRIS, Defendant, an absent debtor.

BY virtue of a Writ of Attachment to me directed and delivered, issued out of the Supreme Court of Judicature in the above mentioned suit, I do hereby give public notice to all persons in this Province who are indebted to the said Charles Farley Harris, of Charlottetown, in said Province, Tinsmith, the defendant in the above mentioned suit, to pay the several sums so due by them to him, respectively, to me, at my office in Charlottetown, aforesaid, according to the statute in such case made and provided.

Dated this 30th day of January, A. D. 1882. H. J. CALLECK, Sheriff Queen's County.

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BEER & GOFF.

Amber and Golden Syrup.

NOTICE.

HAVING rented the premises lately occupied by C. F. HARRIS, the subscriber begs to intimate to the public that he is carrying on the

TINSMITH BUSINESS in all its branches. Orders punctually attended to. A call respectfully solicited.

Feb. 8, 1882. L. W. HARRIS, Upper Queen St.

BEER & GOFF.

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Low Figure. BOSTON BRANCH

THE BOSTON SILVER PLATING CO. are now prepared to do all kinds of Gold and Silver Plating, such as Knives, Forks, Spoons, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Crust Stands, Tea Sets, Watches and Jewelry of every description, Carriage Work, Handles, Dashers, etc. etc.

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Every job warranted to give entire satisfaction or no charge made.

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CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR,

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