Local and Other Items.

EASTER CARDS at the Diamond Bookstore.

KENSINGTON HALL CONCERT to-night. Come early.

BABY CARRIAGES at Mark Wright & Co's. mh15 3

THE Stanley left Georgetown at 6 o'clock this morning.

LEAGUE OF THE CROSS.—Don't forget the lecture to-morrow evening.

ST. PATRICK'S HALL.—Lecture to-morrow night. General admission only ten cents.

LADIES' French kid gloves just opened.—Harris & Stewart, London House. mar19 4in

SCHOOL BOOKS.—Very special discounts on school books at the Diamond Bookstore. Call and see.

I. O. O. F.—A new Lodge of the Order will be organized at St. Stephen, N. B., on March 26th.

THE ADMISSION FEE to the lecture to-morrow evening will be only ten cents. Let there be a full house.

SPECIAL SESSION.—Port la Joie Encampment confers the G. R. degree to-night. Session at 8 o'clock.

POLICE COURT.—This morning two men, for fighting on the streets, were remanded until the 26th inst.

TIRED OUT.—The grit papers have abandoned the arduous task of counting up the Government majority.

THE PLACE TO BUY.—Excellent square envelopes from 3½ cents per package, at the Diamond Bookstore: best value in Canada.

TEA MEETING.—Don't forget the old-fashioned tea meeting at the Upper Prince Street Methodist church. Tea from 5.30 to 7.30.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—Mr. Tanton tenders his sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted him at St. Patrick's concert.

DID NOT COME OFF.—The horse trot advertised to take place at Souris ice on the 17th did not come off, owing to high wind and heavy track.

MR. W. L. KNIGHT, who received so much praise for his clarionet solo at St. Patrick's concert, will play at the concert to-night in Kensington Hall.

CHANGE OF DATE.—The concert to be given by the pupils of Prince Street School, will be held on Friday, April 3rd, instead of the 2nd, as previously announced.

BURGLARY.—The store of Mr. J. A. Farquharson, corner Prince and Water streets, was entered by burglars last night, and about fifteen dollars' worth of groceries stolen.

AT YOUR OWN PRICE.—The large stock of room paper at the Diamond Bookstore will be sold at marvellously low prices. This is a bona fide offer. Call and examine the varied stock.

SOCIAL.—A literary entertainment and basket social will be held in the hall at Brookfield, on Thursday, the 26th inst., commencing at 7 o'clock p. m., sharp. A good time may be expected.

CONCERT AT MOUNT HERBERT.—Remember the concert in the Mount Herbert Hall, Lot 48, on Monday evening next, 23rd inst. A pleasant time may be expected. Admission only 15 cents. mh19 3i

SANITARY OFFICER.—The City Council should at once appoint a sanitary officer, a position now vacant. A thorough inspection of the yards of the city will soon be in order in the interest of the general health.

SEE PATON & Co's. advertisement to-day. In a letter to the firm, Mr. Paton says he remains a few days longer in London to secure the latest novelties in Straw Goods, Millinery, Dress Stuffs and Fancy Goods. These may be expected on their counters in ample time for spring trade. 3i—mch18

MERCHANTS BANK OF P. E. ISLAND.—At the adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Merchants Bank of P. E. Island, held at their banking house on Thursday, March 12th, the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year: L. L. Beer, H. J. Callbeck, L. H. Davies, Wm. Dodd, D. Farquharson, F. L. Haszard and Benj. Heartz. Mr. Davies was re-elected president.

ST. JOSEPH'S DAY.—This being St. Joseph's Day the customary services were held by Members of St. Joseph's Sodality. The services consisted of three Masses, the first at 6.30 was celebrated by Father Reid, the second at 7 o'clock by Father McIntyre. Both of these were Communion Masses. At 7.30 Thanksgiving Mass celebrated by His Lordship Bishop McIntyre, assisted by Rev. P. A. McEimeel. About 300 persons received Holy Communion. The singing of the choir, assisted by Messrs. Blanchard and Hermans, was excellent.

EVERYBODY SATISFIED. — A stranger once entered a new England town—so runs a very old story—and, noticing an unusual bustle and animation in the streets, enquired the cause. An affable native promptly replied to his query:

"Deacon Pogram's dead."

"Ah, indeed," said the stranger. "And what was the complaint?"

"There ain't no complaint, stranger," replied the affable native. "Everybydy's satisfied."

Let that be the epitaph of the fifty-first Congress. For the first time it has done something with which everybody is wholly and entirely satisfied. It has died.

THE LATE ANDRE CUSHING, ESQ.—Our telegraphic despatches yesterday contained a notice of the death of Andre Cushing, Esq., St. John, N. B. Although advanced in years he was a most vigorous man, personally superintending the extensive business of his firm. In all matters of interest affecting the condition of society Mr. Cushing took an active part and was justly recognized as one of St. John's most valued citizens. As an Oddfellow he will be long and lovingly remembered, being a Past Grand Master and Past Grand Representative. He attended the session of Grand Lodge in this city in 1889, upon which occasion he highly complemented our local degree team on their efficiency. As a temperance advocate Mr Cushing also took an important part and several divisions of the Sons of Temperance in the Maritime Provinces bear his name. In business he was very successful, being ranked amongst the wealthiest men in the province.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Deficit in the Provincial Accounts.

FREDERICTON, March 19.

In the Legislature yesterday afternoon, the Provincial Secretary (Hon. Mr. Mitchell) made his annual budget speech, admitting a large deficit which he hoped to considerably wipe out, he said, by an increase in the subsidy received from the Dominion Government after the next census.

The Opposition made a fierce attack on the Government's recklessness, which brought about deficit, and declared that direct taxation was only a question of time if such extravagance continued.

OTTAWA NOTES.

Postmaster-General's Report.

OTTAWA, March 19.

The Postmaster-General's report for 1890 has just been issued. It shows an increase in the expenditure of 5 per cent., and in the revenue of 8 per cent. Thirty-one post office savings banks were created during the year, making a total of 494. The saving effected by the Government on account of the decrease in the rate of interest amounts to, $80,000. The total issue of stamps amounts to $3,000,000—which grit candidates forgot to add to the cost of envelopes and wrappers.

THE IRISH QUESTION.

Speech of Mr. J. J. Curran, M. P.

MONTREAL, March 18.

The speech of J. J. Curran, M. P., at the concert of the St. Patrick's Society here was the event of the Irish celebration in Montreal. Speaking of the present crisis in the affairs of Ireland, he said they hoped the unfortunate break in Irish national ranks would soon be a thing of the past, and with a united front all would be well. People here could do nothing for either wing of the Irish party until they settled their difficulties on the other side of the water.

Interprovincial Trade.

A LARGE INCREASE.

MONTREAL, March 18.

The report of Montreal Harbor Commissioners shows that the tonnage entering that port from the Maritime Provinces has increased forty per cent. in the last ten years.

Against Judge Lynch.

NEW YORK, March 18.

The meeting held here to protest against the New Orleans Lynching case, was addressed by George Francis Train and Col. Domville—Foster's late opponent in King's County.

A Man Missing.

ST. JOHN, N.B., March 18.

E. S. Dubbee, a Canadian Pacific Station Agent at Florenceville, is missing, and there is a shortage in his accounts to the amount of two hundred dollars.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 19.—10 a. m.

Moderate to fresh winds, cloudy to fair with light local falls of snow or rain.

Only 16 Days.—All parties who have not filled in their guesses should do so as the bottle of beans will be opened on the 2nd of April.—Prowse Bros. mh17 3i

Anyone in want of dinner sets, tea sets, chamber sets, or anything in the shape of crockery, china or glassware, would do well to call at the Cheapest Crockery Store.—W. P. Colwill. mar16d&w4w

Call and get some bargains while we are selling off so cheap to make room for the new goods to arrive in the early spring. Those goods must be sold at the Cheapest Crockery Store.—W. P. Colwill. mar16d&w4w

A splendid assortment of stamped asuaburg for hooking, at Jas. Paton & Co.

The balance of the stock of men's and boy's readymade clothing will be cleared at 20 per cent. discount to make room for new stock expected shortly.—J. B. Macdonald. mh1461 dw

MARRIED.

On the 17th March, at the residence of the bride's father, Cherry Valley, by the Rev. James Simpson, Priest Incumbent of St. Peter's, Florence A. Carrier to Wm. D. Sherren, of Crapaud.

DIED.

In this city, this morning (March 19), James Flynn, at the advanced age of 92 years. May his soul rest in peace.

[Funeral will leave the residence of H. MacInnis, Euston Street, east, at twenty minutes to 9 o'clock, on Saturday morning, for St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to Roman Catholic cemetery.]

At Wesley Manse, Poole, England, on March 1st, Mary Beal, youngest daughter of the late J. T. Thomas, Esq., of Liverpool, and formerly of Charlottetown, aged 38 years.

Fell asleep in Christ, after 20 years of Christian warfare, at Lakeville, March 4th, Peter Rose, aged 58 years, leaving a widow, nine children, and numerous other relatives and friends to mourn an irreparable loss. May God graciously sustain the bereaved, and grant at length a blissful reunion in the skies.

At Bradalbane, on the 7th inst, Margaret, the beloved wife of Donald Matheson, aged 38 years, leaving a disconsolate husband and two children (one an infant) to mourn their loss. For her to live was Christ, and to die was gain.

CONCERT

In Kensington Hall,

EDWARD STREET,

Thursday Night, March 19th.

PROGRAMME:

PART I.

1 Cornet Duet.....
Messrs Mitchell and Johnson.
2. Male Quartette.....
Messrs. Davison, Moore, Moore and Turner.
3. Clarinet Solo.....
Mr. W. L. Knight.
4. Vocal Solo.....
Mr. J. R. Davison.
5. Vocal Duet.....
Misses Hurvie and Johnson.

PART II.

6. Electricity.....
Mr. W. P. Doull.
7. Piano Duet.....
Misses Wilson and Read.
8. Vocal Solo.....
Mrs. Roome.
9. Vocal Solo.....
Miss Earle.
10. Male Quartette.....
Messrs. Davison, Moore, Moore and Turner.

God Save the Queen.

Doors open at 7.15. Concert at 8. Admission 10 cents.

MISS LEWIS,
Accompanist.

March 17, 1891.

Political Convention.

THIRD DISTRICT.

A MEETING of Liberal-Conservative Delegates of the Third Electoral District of Queen's County, will be held in J. D. McLeod's Hall, on Tuesday, the 24th March, instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, to select a Candidate to contest the seat made vacant by the resignation of Donald Ferguson. The electors of each Polling District are requested to appoint forthwith three delegates to attend this Convention.

W. S. STEWART,
Secy. Lib.-Con. Association.

Ch'town, March 17, '91—td

FOR SALE.

AT No. 11 Queen Street—

Tons Pressed Hay,
Bags Cracked Barley and Oats,
Bags Flour and Bags Shorts,
Bags Bran,
Casks Cod Oil,
50 Boxes V. Raisins,
300 11b. Boxes Figs,
20 ½ Chests Tea,
Qtls. Codfish.

W. J. BOSWALL.

Ch'town, March 17, '91—dy w1i

FOR SALE.

AS I intend selling my Dwelling House on Sidney Street, those desiring a first-class home will do well to investigate. It is one of the finest finished houses in the city. Gas and water throughout. Bath Room and sewerage to the river. The lot is 70x78 feet. The Warehouse and Lot next to it can be had if desired. No encumbrances of any kind. Price and terms on application between 2 and 4 o'clock.

MRS. M. H. GAHAN.

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INTENDING to leave the Island, we have decided to sell, as early as possible, the following properties:—

Valuable Farm of 84 acres on St. Peter's Road, 7 miles from Charlottetown, in good order and fenced with spruce hedgerows.

Two Building Lots in Judge Young's block, joining the residence of Mr. C. D. Rankin. Size of each, 43x100 feet, and handsomest lots in the city.

One Lot on Strawberry Hill, directly opposite the residence of Mr. William McLean, on St. Peter's Road.

5 shares Charlottetown Driving Park,
20 " Georgetown " "
2 " Inland Steam Navigation Co.,
1 Cherry Mantle and Grate, } extra fine,
1 Marble " " " }
1 good second-hand Piano—will be sold for $75.00,
1 do. do., will be sold for $25.

Also, all our stock of Stoves.

For Auction, if not sold by Private Sale.

E. H. NORTON & CO.

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

TO LET.—One-half the House situated on the corner of Hillsborough and Euston Streets, at present occupied by Mr. D. T. Johnston. POSSESSION MAY 1ST. Enquire at this office. mch19—tf

WANTED.—A reliable person to act as local representative of a corporation with a paid-up capital of $250,000, in the sale, through Sub-Agents and Solicitors, of Instalment Savings Bonds. A desirable and life-long position to the right person. Address, Mutual Investment Co., Eastman Block, Minneapolis, Minn. 1w—mh19

WANTED.—An assistant Bookkeeper, who has had experience in an office. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. tf—mch18

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN from the subscriber's residence, Fitzroy Street, a small brown spaniel dog, with leather-studded collar. Any person giving such information as will lead to the recovery of said dog will be suitably rewarded by the undersigned.—CHAS. LEIGH, JR. mch18—3i pd

WANTED.—Pant and vest maker. Must be neat hand and willing to learn. Board free to the right party.—W. N. RIGGS. m17 d2i w1i

FOUND.—On Prince Street, a few days ago, a watch and chain. Owner may have the same by proving property and paying for this advt. Apply at his office. m17 3i pd

TO LET.—A Brick Dwelling, situate on Water Street, now in the occupation of George J. Wright, Esq., containing drawing room, dining and breakfast rooms, and six bedrooms. Possession given 1st July. Also—A Cottage containing eight rooms, situate on Hillsborough Street, now occupied by Mr. Wm. H. McEwen. Possession given about 1st May. For particulars apply to PEAKE BROS. & Co. eod tf—mch16

WANTED.—A reliable man who understands the care of horses. Good wages and constant employment will be given to a suitable person. Apply at this office. mch16

TO RENT.—The eastern side of Brick Dwelling House on Hillsborough Square. For particulars apply on the premises to JAMES TURNER. mch16—2w pd

EXPECTED SHORTLY
FROM LONDON.

(x)

125 Pieces of Dress Goods,

Bought by Mr. W. W. Stanley and shipped to ensure an early arrival.

(x)

STANLEY BROTHERS, - - BROWN'S BLOCK.

Charlottetown, March 13, 1891—eod & wky

NEW PAPER HANGINGS!

(x)

Largest Stock, Newest Patterns, Lowest Prices,

—AT—

PERKINS & STERNS'.

(x)

Our importation of English, Scotch, Canadian and American Room Paper is now ready for sale, and should be seen by every purchaser, as we have the best variety, newest patterns and lowest prices in the city.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, March 3, 1891.

New Hats,

(x)

PROWSE BROS'

Spring Stock of Felt Hats is now Complete.

(x)

The success with which our Hat Department has been crowned in the past is due to the care we have taken in selecting and keeping to the front all the leading and most fashionable styles, as well as the best English, American and Canadian makes. Don't forget when you want a Hat, that the Wonderful Cheap Men have the Largest, Best, Cheapest and Most Fashionable Stock of Hats on the Island.

136 QUEEN STREET.

Charlottetown, February 20, 1891—eod & wky

All the Nutritious Constituents of Prime Beef

are preserved in JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF

An invaluable food for all who need strong nourishment in an easily-digested form.

March 17—dy & wky

BUILDING LOTS.

AUCTION.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1st

TWO of the handsomest Lots in the City, Corner of Fitzroy and Hillsborough Streets. Size of each lot, 43x100 feet, with southern front and shade trees. Joining the beautiful residence of Mr. C. D. Rankin in Judge Young's Block.

Terms: 25 per cent. cash, balance can remain on the property.

E. H. NORTON & CO.,
Auctioneers.

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