

Local and Other Items.

ASH WEDNESDAY.

CIVIC.—Adjourned regular monthly meeting of the City Council this afternoon at three o'clock.

AT THE CAFES.—Crossing both ways to-day, Foreign mail arrived in the city shortly after eleven this forenoon.

ORGAN RECITAL in St. James' Church on the evening of the 27th. Mark down the date and attend the recital.

THE STANLEY arrived at Georgetown this forenoon at half past ten o'clock. She will leave for Pictou to-morrow morning.

FAST TRIP.—The ice-boats crossed to Cape Traverse today in an hour and twenty-five minutes. This is one of the fastest trips on record.

MILITARY.—No. 1 Battery, G. A., will not meet for drill to-morrow (Thursday) night in account of Col. Moore's social in McLeod's Hall.

THE TUNNEL.—Plans of the proposed tunnel across the straits, made by Mr. Alfred Palmer, C. E., are on exhibition in the show window of Hazard & Moore's store, Victoria Row.

SUSPENDED.—With regard to the case of Rev. L. G. Stevens, His Lordship Bishop Kingdon has suspended him from his ministrations.

CONCERT.—Come to the concert in Easton Street Hall on Friday, Feb. 17th. An excellent programme has been prepared. Tickets, 5 cents; reserve seats, 10 cents. Feb 12 4i.

STRIKE AT MONCTON.—It is stated that the moulders of the Record Iron Foundry, Moncton, have struck on account of the announced intention of the proprietors to make a cut in their wages.

SOCIAL.—A very pleasant social was held in St. Paul's schoolroom last evening. Games and other amusements, as well as coffee and cake, were provided. In connection with the social there was a sale of fancy goods in aid of the Zenas mission. The social was under the auspices of the Young People's Society.

ILLUSTRATED.—A very interesting and instructive paper will be published this week. It contains many valuable articles and illustrations.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letter from James Paton & Co.

SIR,—If Messrs. Prowse Bros. desire to let the public know who did the crushing, whether it was the weak or the strong, the undersigned holds documents from Messrs. Paton Bros. and others in this city and Montague Bridge that can be published, which we think will satisfy them and the public as to who performed the dirty work in "revolutionizing the prices on several lines of goods—rugs, carpets, etc., etc.—"for which the public would be grateful to them." If the public know the means they adopted in trying to conspire against us but failed to accomplish, we say they would not be grateful but would scorn them and their sympathizers.

We may also add that Mr. Charles Paton admitted to us that Prowse Bros. would be the losers by the breaking up of the business, so if there is any sympathy required, why not ask it for them? Now the question that will interest the public is, seeing that they want to let the public know, is who did the business belong to? Our advice to the public is, ask Prowse Bros.

We regret having to make this matter public, and have refrained from doing so for several months, but the means adopted to hurt our name and business has called for this letter.

JAMES PATON & Co. Charlottetown, Feb. 15, 1893.

What About "Bunkum"?

SIR,—Why does not "Anti-Bunkum" come out over his own signature? Then we would know what his opinions are worth. Does he seek the shelter of a non de plume because his logic is bad and his intentions are dark? His unhappy reference to social equality would seem to denote that he is a Pharisee. However a man of his sentiments is hardly capable of expressing a sound opinion on religious matters, we should think.

METHODIST. Feb. 15th, '93.

Publicly Advice.

It is not well before understanding the matter, to discuss such questions in Christian doctrine and to learn to spellbinder think you, Mr. Anti-Bunkum.

ANTI-HUMBUG.

West Weather.

THE OLDEST IN REMEMBRANCE.

The 9th are as follows:

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SPECIAL SALE

—OF—

White Goods

—COMMENCING—

WEDNESDAY,

FEBRUARY 1st,

—AT—

WEEKS & CO'S.

Next to Beer & Goff's.

COTTON GOODS.

SHEETING, Bleached and Unbleached, in 24, 24, 10 4 widths, ENGLISH and CANADIAN.

PILLOW COTTONS.

PLAIN and CIRCULAR, in 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inch widths, ENGLISH and CANADIAN.

WHITE COTTONS.

FOUR THOUSAND YDS. (SPECIAL MAKE) OF HEAVY WHITE COTTON, suitable for Underwear and general purposes, bought at a big bargain. We offer the lot at our White Goods Sale at 11 cents per yard; sold in the regular way at 15 cents; full 36 inches wide.

Low Prices!

Best Value!

Large Variety!

We are confident that no firm in the city can give as good value in any of the above goods. Our English Sheetings and Print Cottons are part of a Bankrupt Manufacturer's Stock, and our Canadian Sheetings and Cottons are bought direct at the Mills.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.

FINE GOODS.

TABLE LINENS and TABLE NAPKINS.

COUNTERPANES and TOILET COVERS.

DRAWER LINEN and STAMPED LINENS.

CHECK MUSLINS and PIQUES.

SATIN CHECKS and OPEN APRON CHECKS.

VICTORIA, BISHOP LAWNS and NAINSOOKS.

TUCKED NAINSOOK and APRON MUSLIN.

EMBROIDERIES.

An Assorted Lot direct from Switzerland, 1 cent per yard to 20 cents. All new goods this season.

SPECIAL DISPLAY

—OF—

SPRING (ENGLISH) PRINTS,

LENGTHS FROM 3 TO 20 YDS.,

At about Twenty Per Cent. under Regular Prices.

If any of the above interests you, you will find it to your advantage to see these goods.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail,

NEXT TO BEER & GOFF'S.

Charlottetown, Jan. 27, 1893.

THE TELEPHONE COMPANY

OF P. E. ISLAND.

IN consequence of the near approach of the Company's Annual Meeting, subscribers who have not paid their rents are notified to pay forthwith. Any instrument not paid for by the 17th inst. will be shut off after that date.

ROB ANGER, Manager.

Feb 15-21 001

Remnants! Remnants! Remnants!

DO YOU WANT ANY? If you do, just see the lot we are offering. We are just through Stock Taking, and have made a collection of all the Remnants and Odds and Ends; Remnants of all classes of stuff. Good goods at merely nominal prices. An immense lot.

DRESS GOODS!—Lengths for Ladies' Dresses, lengths for Children's Dresses. A CHANCE TO BUY A GOOD DRESS CHEAP! Remnants of Gingham, Prints, Cloths, White Goods, Angola Suitings, Challies, Tickings, Skirtings, etc. THIS ECLIPSE ALL OUR FORMER REMNANT SALES!

STANLEY BROTHERS, BROWN'S BLOCK.

Charlottetown, February 6, 1893—cod & wky

DESTRUCTION OF BOOTS!

Immense Cash Discount Sale!

OUR ROOF has been in a bad condition for some time, and now leaks buckets full every big thaw. We have over twenty-five buckets, tubs and boxes in use to catch the water, and still cannot save our Boots on the top and middle flats (where we have thousands of dollars' worth stored) from getting damaged by water and dampness. We now offer 11,000 pairs of Imported Boots and Slippers at from 15 to 30 per cent. till March 10th FOR CASH ONLY. Placards announcing the discounts will be placed on each lot. We cannot repair our roof this weather, and whoever is to pay our loss you will get Genuine Bargains. Plenty of clerks and, if required, factory hands—to wait on customers. CALL EARLY.

Charlottetown, February 15, 1893.

GOFF BROTHERS.



OUR MAMMOTH OFFER

READY-MADE CLOTHING AND TWEEDS

Never before in this city has Clothing and Tweeds been placed on sale at such extraordinary low prices. A Genuine Marked Down Sale of Winter Clothing and Tweeds for Thirty Days only.

EXAMINE THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

Table with columns for OVERCOATS, MEN'S REEFERS, BOYS' REEFERS, and various clothing items with prices. Includes items like '10 Heavy All-wool Check', '12 Heavy Cheviot', '6 Good Heavy Nap', etc.

McKAY WOOLEN MILLS.

Charlottetown, January 27, 1893—dy eod & wy

A TEAPOT FREE!

With every five pounds of our Tea bought at either 20, 24 or 28 cents per pound, we will give, free of charge, one Earthenware Teapot.

Our Tea has given excellent satisfaction lately, and is too well known all over the country to require any puffing on our part.

Call early and get a Teapot free. This offer is good for one month from this date.

BEER & GOFF.

Charlottetown, January 17, 1893—eod & wky

WANTED!

WE have an export order for two tons of FEATHERS, and for two months will pay in own goods, at Cash prices, as below. The Feathers must be clean, free from sand, dirt and all quills.

Table listing prices for feathers: NEW GOOSE FEATHERS, Pure White, 30c. per lb.; White & Grey, 25c. per lb.; DUCK, White, 15c.; HEN & CHICKENS, Mixed, 4c.

Second-hand Goose Feathers in good condition will be taken at 10c per lb. Big Bargains in FURNITURE this month.

MARK WRIGHT & CO., Ltd

Charlottetown, February 9, 1893—2aw & wky

A BAD AGENT.

Whatever may be said of the methods adopted by Rev. Dr. Parkhurst for the moral purification of New York, it seems certain that he has not been completely successful in his first choice of an agent or detective for his society. Charles W. Gardner, to whom the society assigned the task of hunting down persons engaged in disreputable business whom the price passed over, has been convicted of attempting to extort blackmail from the keeper of a house of ill fame, as the price of not reporting her. The court considered it proved that he bargained, in consideration of receiving a monthly allowance, not to report the offender to the police or to Dr. Parkhurst's society. The woman is still at large, but Dr. Gardner is sentenced to the penitentiary.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once. It produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, relieves all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best-known remedy for diarrhea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. 1yr