

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

SPECIAL PRICES ON FURS—BEEBROS. Tonka Smoking mixture don't bite the tongue, and is cool, sweet and lasting. Try a 10c. package or 1 lb. Tin.

BUSINESS COLLEGE.—The students of the Charlotteville Business Academy have resumed work to-day. Night class opens at 7.30.

HOSPITAL ENTERTAINMENT.—The hospital entertainers left for the Stanley Hotel to-morrow night. Help also a deserving institution by attending. Return fare only one dollar.

GOSSIP MEETING.—Remember the Gospel meeting to-night at the Mission, 1499, Chestnut Street, at 8 o'clock. Every body is cordially invited to attend.

FOR QUEBEC.—Ten gentlemen from our Artillery Companies left by the Stanley Hotel to Quebec, to three months' course at the R. S. A., Quebec. Also three infantrymen of the 2nd Battalion for Fred Croft.

ROYAL ARCHANGEL.—Prince Edward Council, B. A., meets this evening at 7.15 o'clock, sharp, in the office of K. B. Jost, Esq., for the installation of officers and other business. A full attendance of members is requested.

AT BARBADOS.—The bark Charles E. LeMay, for whose safety fears were entertained at Barbados on Tuesday, 21 days from Canada. It is said that several of the crew were frost-bitten during the run, and the sails were badly torn.

NEW YEAR'S DAY.—Passed off pleasantly. The weather was fine throughout, and a good many people were about. The services were held in the churches, and in the afternoon "calling" was indulged in. There was also a turnout of "hazards" in the afternoon.

FOR SUMMERSIDE.—The entertainment special will leave here for Summerside to-morrow afternoon at half past two, and will leave Summerside on return after the entertainment. Return tickets only one dollar. Go and pass a pleasant evening, and at the same time assist a deserving institution.

A SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.—There was a good attendance at the Summer School concert at St. Paul's schoolroom on Tuesday evening, and the splendid programme prepared for the occasion was rendered in a most satisfactory manner. Those who took part were well as those who managed the concert are to be congratulated.

THE MARRIAGE COURT.—The case of Sheriff Robinson vs. the Mayor of Murray Harbor Road is being heard before the Municipal Magistrate Palmer to-day. Macdonald is charged with interfering with the Sheriff while in the discharge of his duty. The case is the outcome of the trouble at Murray Harbor Road last fall.

WATSON'S SERVICES.—The Watch-night services in the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening of a very interesting and most impressive character. In the Upper Methodist Church Rev. Mr. Kirby delivered an appropriate sermon, taking his text from Luke 12, 6-9, and the choir, assisted by Mr. W. G. Gillespie with cornet, rendered excellent music. In the First Methodist Church the pastor was assisted by Rev. Mr. Lodge, and each gave an appropriate address.

MARRIAGE BILLS.—Miss Florence M. Currie, daughter of the late Donald Currie, and Mr. John McLean, of Long Creek, were yesterday afternoon united in marriage at the residence of John H. Gator, Esq., St. Peter's Road. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Gertrude Currie, and Mr. Frank McLean supported the groom. The interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Sutherland. The bride received many beautiful presents. THE EXAMINER extends congratulations.

PAUCE COURT.—This afternoon Michael Madden was arrested on a charge of assault with intent to rob, the complainant being Henry Smith, of Malpeque Road. Mr. Smith charges that Madden was one of three men who, on the 14th September last, knocked him down on the street and demanded money from him. Madden was remanded to jail for eight days. Martin Flynn was fined \$5.00 for assaulting John Connolly, on the 29th of August for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. One other drunk was also disposed of.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN GRAHAM.—By telegram from St. John's, Nfld., on Dec. 30th, to Jas. E. Macdonald, Esq., Cardigan Bridge, the safe arrival of the Brig James E. is announced. We regret, however, to learn that Capt. William Graham, late of the Sibir, Cardigan, and was a most worthy citizen and capable seaman. He was about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and two children to mourn.

A NEW DEPARTURE.—As a reference to her advertisement elsewhere will show, Miss Macmillan will inaugurate a new departure in the way of conversation classes during the coming year. These classes are very popular in larger cities, and should be well attended here. They are an education in themselves. Literary and other topics of public interest will be discussed in class, and the pupils will be taught to think while on their feet. Miss Macmillan has been very successful during the time that she has been conducting classes in Charlotteville, and expects to do even better work this year. She will be "at home" to intending pupils on Saturday, when she will give the fullest information to all who may call.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Geo. F. Owen's in town en route for Ottawa. Mr. Justice Fitzgerald and Mrs. Fitzgerald gave a large party last evening in honor of the New Year.

Wm. Campbell, Esq., of Sea View, is among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hales and family are here from the Northwest, visiting relatives and friends.

Messrs. P. Kelly, Montague, H. F. B. A. Scott, and T. W. Wilkinson, A. L. Bennett, are among the guests at the Queen's Premier Whiteaway will visit England after his return from Canada. It is supposed he goes there in furtherance of the confederation movement.

Mr. L. H. Davies, M. P., and Miss Gertrude Davies left this morning. Mr. Davies will accompany his daughter to Boston and proceed to Ottawa.

Mr. W. E. Gladstone passed his eighty-sixth birthday a day or two ago quietly at Biarritz, with the members of his family. Mr. Gladstone is in good health and fine spirits.

The many friends of Mr. Martin E. Maloney, the popular representative of Lawrence A. Wilson & Co., Montreal, will be pleased to hear that he has been admitted to a partnership in the business.

The young Duchess of Marlborough, nee Vanderbilt, who is now with her husband in Rome, is negotiating with a London insurance company for a policy in a large sum on her life for the benefit of the Duke.

Miss Sayre, who is to take charge of the Kindergarten in Charlotteville, arrived last night. The Kindergarten will open next week, and the prospects look as if there will be applications for as many pupils as can be accommodated.

Mr. Charles Morris, son of Mr. W. F. Morris, arrived here last evening. Mr. Morris, who left Charlotteville about five years ago, is now ranching at LaCombe, N. W. T., and has been very successful. His many friends in Charlotteville will be glad to see him looking so well, and to hear of his success in his adopted home.

COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON.—The following telegrams are self-explanatory: OTTAWA, Jan. 1, 1896. To His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of P. E. Island.

Heartily good wishes for the new year to you and Mrs. Howland and to your province. CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 2, 1896. To Governor-General and Countess Aberdeen, Ottawa.

Good wishes fully reciprocated by the people of this province. MRS. HOWLAND AND THE LIEUT. GOVERNOR OF P. E. ISLAND.

R. M. C. A.—The Rail way Men's Christian Association has appointed the following officers for the year 1895: President—John McPherson. Vice-Presidents—Horace McEwen, F. Danahill. Secretary and Treasurer—J. J. Chapell. Committee—Messrs. Turner, McLean, Clarke, Riggs, Corbett, Dalziel, Coffin, McFadyen, Ross, Sutherland, Craswell, Aitken.

Gospel meeting every Sunday afternoon in Philadelphia Hall, at 4 o'clock. Annual convention at Montreal next August.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, THE DRUGGISTS.

THE LAST

few days of our stay in our old Warerooms we are going to celebrate by cutting prices up. Don't miss all the cheap offers on A 1 Furniture.

MARK WRIGHT & CO., LTD.

The New Year Bargains Drive Old Year Prices Out.

We want to begin the new year right in goods, right in prices. We are sure that you never saw a new year open as favorably for money saving as the year 1896 is and will be. We are prepared this week to put our best foot foremost and show you some very special goods at very special figures.

If you intend to buy Furs, buy now—our prices are as low as they will be any time this winter. You cannot but notice the extreme lowness of our prices on Ladies' Fur Capes and Muffs.

\$2.50 In Chenille Portieres we offer three really wonderful values. If you desire to buy any of these handsome goods (this is an opportunity you should not let pass.

BEER BROS.

Y. M. C. A. SOCIAL.

The first social of the season came off with great success on New Year's eve. There were upwards of 300 young people present. The President opened the evening with a short speech calling attention to the fact that the young men had been given the reins of power in their own hands, and that it rested with them to make this year's work a success. Much enthusiasm was manifested, and the boys promise to take hold with a will and make things hum. He also thanked the ladies for their attendance and help, and expressed the desire of all present that they should be seen of more, and more of them, within the rooms, pointing out that special effort was being made to please them in the dining room. He also said that it was intended at once to form the nucleus of a small reference library by voluntary donations from members and friends, for which the good example had been set by the late Prof. LePage.

He then called on a short programme, as follows: Mandolin solo—Rufus Hogan. Song—Rufus Hogan. Violin solo—Miss Flo McKenzie. Cornet solo—Bessie Stewart. Which was well rendered and received much applause. Mr. Hogan's graceful dancing was watched with delight by the girls. The piano used on this occasion has been hired for the season. Some of the boys exhibited their agility on the parallel bars and horizontal bars to the delight of the onlookers, who demanded that they should give a public exhibition at an early date. We understand Mr. Kennedy, the instructor, is working up a good class, and that should such an event come off it will be worth getting up early to see.

Refreshments were served by the kindness of several ladies and the time was passed very pleasantly, the company breaking up into groups, conversing and strolling about until nearly eleven o'clock, when most of them went to one of the New Year services.

We must not forget to mention the choruses and songs which came off so informally, nor the rousing three cheers given for the ladies before saying good night.

EMPLOYEES ENTERTAINED.

Last evening Messrs. Mark Wright & Co. entertained their employees in their new warehouse, Grafton Street. Forty-five employees sat down to supper, which was prepared in Mr. Carter's best style, and after the many good things provided and being thoroughly discussed, several toasts were proposed, including the healths of the manager and the foreman of the concern. The responses were appropriate to the occasion. After the supper there were songs, instrumental music, and thus the evening was passed pleasantly until about eleven o'clock, when the gathering broke up. During the evening the employees presented Mr. Wright with a gold-headed cane, appropriately inscribed, accompanied by the following address, to which Mr. Wright replied in a suitable manner:—

MARK WRIGHT, Esq., DEAR SIR:—On this eve of a very important change in the history of the firm, we, your employees, would take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded us of giving expression to our esteem and good wishes toward you. We sincerely hope that the change will in every respect come up to your expectation. And we also trust we may ever be mindful of the very important part each one of us will have to play in order to make the future a greater success than the past has been.

Will you kindly accept this walking cane as a small token of our appreciation for the many kindnesses we have been the recipients of at your hands. Wishing you and yours a very Happy New Year, and also a very prosperous year in the new warehouse, we remain, (Signed) Geo. D. WRIGHT, On behalf of the Employees, Charlotteville, Jan. 1.

The best of good feeling evidently exists between Mr. Wright and his employees. We congratulate Messrs. Wright & Co. upon the success that has attended their business during the past year, and trust that the year upon which they have just entered will be even more successful.

THE POOR REMEMBERED.

"Happy New Year to you" is the phrase we so often hear at this season; but in a great many cases it is repeated without much thought. The C. E. Society of Zion Church, however, are not of this class. They added a practical meaning to the words when they visited the inmates of the poor house yesterday (New Year's Day) with loads of choice candies, fruit and candy. The pastor, Rev. D. Sutherland, accompanied the young people of the society and delivered a short and very appropriate address to the poor folk, reading from St. John's Gospel, "I have said unto the world, 'Behold, I send you prophets, wise men, and scribes; but ye will not receive them, neither will ye believe them, until ye shall see and touch me, and then ye will say, 'This is Jesus whom we seek.' He that giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord."

ONE WHO WAS PRESENT. DARRY MERRISS.—A touching meeting of the farmers of Mill Cove and Stanhope was held in the school-house at Mill Cove on New Year's Eve. Mr. Edward Lane presided. The meeting was first addressed by Mr. T. J. Dillon, who showed the advantages of cooperative dairying and the importance of aiding the central creamery at Charlotteville. Good practical addresses were also given by Messrs. John T. Macdonald and J. R. Moore, at the close of which the meeting was addressed by several of the farmers present.

POSTPONED.—Because of the unfavorable weather, the Carnival to have been held at Summerside last evening has been postponed until the last of the month or early in February. For the same reason the polytechnic parade, to have taken place yesterday afternoon, did not materialize.

MASONIC.—A regular convocation of Alexander R. A. Chapter No. 11, R. N. S., will be held at Chapter rooms, Masonic Temple, this evening at 8 o'clock.

S. O. E. B. S.—Regular meeting of Lodge Eton this evening at 8 o'clock. Installation of officers for ensuing year.

TEMPERANCE.—Charlotteville Lodge meets this evening at 7.30 o'clock in Wright's Hall. Visitors welcome. Juniors meet before Seniors.

January Magazines at McMillan & Hooper's.

Before stock taking—We are giving some slaughter prices on ladies' rackets and cloth jackets; a few ladies' felt hats, trimmed, for 50 cents; untrimmed for 25 cents; at J. B. Macdonald & Co's.

REPLY TO "JUSTICE."

Sir,—The Patriot of the 20th ult. contains a letter signed "Justice," purporting to be a reply to "Notes from Glenfinnan." The initials of "F. A." which appeared in a late issue of THE EXAMINER, in which the writer indulges in an abusive attack on one or two residents of Pond Settlement whose only crime seems to be that they possess the courage of their convictions and will not be a party to public rascality. I am no doubt the person "Justice" charges as being the author of the article signed "F. A.," of which I positively knew nothing whatever until I read it in the columns of THE EXAMINER; and I certainly have no desire to descend to the level of the writer of this tirade of vituperation lest I might become contaminated by contact with such a filthy source. But in the interests of honesty and truth I consider a brief explanation necessary.

It seems that "F. A." struck "Justice" on a sore place the way he howls forth in the columns of the Patriot with such frozied indignation as could but emanate from one who is guilty. It can never have been the lad English and incoherent sentences of "F. A." that aroused the ire of this classical master of English. Rather was it the truth of the statements contained therein which "Justice" well knows cannot be successfully contradicted. "Uncharitable" writer "F. A." certainly is who would dare to expose any of the methods used in obtaining public money in this section or any of the selfish parties who have always been accustomed to receiving. Headers of the Patriot cannot but admire the grandiloquence of the most of them at least can discover a sorehead largely interested in roads, bridges and new schools, who had his origin in Pond Settlement, but who now stays at Webster's Corner. With regard to the recent alleged subdivision of Glenfinnan school district "Justice" letter contains exaggerated and false statements. I have never read in public print the facts are: The supposed Tarentum district contains fourteen hundred and sixty acres, not one acre of which is valued at twenty dollars, a considerable amount of it being a blueberry barren rated at five dollars per acre, the highest farms being fifteen dollars per acre. "Justice" forgets to mention that some of the right-thinking people referred to, I understand, have not valued their land at all price, whilst others forgot to pay last year's assessment to Glenfinnan school. There are eight school districts in the county, and Grit at the last local election. He again says: "The Board of Education" had no ulterior motive but was simply complying with a request of a petition signed by seventy three of the most respectable ratepayers of Fort Augustus, Donagh and Glenfinnan asking for this much needed change! No mention of counter petitions from a district named; no mention whatever of names of persons obtained by misrepresentations of lying scoundrels afterwards applied to have their names cancelled in the enrolment petition; no mention of the arguments used in securing Fort Augustus to get a school at Webster's Corner and shelve the few respectable Protestant families re-iding in Glenfinnan, nor of the exaggerated schedules of scholars attached. Of course, those intolerant cranks in Pond Settlement opposing the scheme are not to be called "most respectable." Oh, no! Had they figured in the bankrupt court and paid their creditors with twenty cents on the dollar they would have been all right. But, no, they prefer to earn their living by honest toil, and can well afford to sneer with contempt at the impertinent audacity of the political schemers who give vent to their animus in an unprovoked and unbecomingly public manner. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I remain, yours truly,

JOHN T. GARLAND, Pond Settlement, Dec. 30th, 1895.

IT SAVED OUR CHILD.

"My little daughter, three and a half years old, suffered three years with Eczema. Her little body was covered with the itching rash, and doctors did no good. Four boxes of Chamber's Ointment have entirely cured and saved our child. Her skin is clear and not a sign of rash is to be seen." Andrew Alton, Hartland, N. B. "Mr. Alton's testimonial is the best proof of this wonderful cure for piles and skin diseases."

Miss Macmillan's classes in elocution and physical culture will reopen January 6th. A new feature of Miss Macmillan's work will be Saturday afternoon conversation classes. Miss Macmillan will be at home at her residence, Prince Street, on Saturday to those wishing to resume or commence work.

A pleasing sensation will shortly fill the minds of the ladies seeking new costume. Nothing better can be obtained than a Cravenette. In a variety of shades, it makes up a smart costume or wrap, or, if made in blue, is in the place of a dress. It is rainproof, and yet as porous as any other dress material, so that it is free from the objections of the rubber goods. Made in Navy, Myrtle, Brown, Grey, Castor and Black, the ideal dress goods for spring and summer. Save money in wear, while it guarantees a distinctive appearance. 246-

NEW YEARS GIFTS. Beautiful and useful. 20 Per Cent. off some of the Fancy Goods to clear. E. W. TAYLOR, CAMERON BLOCK.

\$1. One Dollar. \$1. One Dollar.

BLACK! BLACK! To Working Men and Others!

See our One Dollar Black Shirts. They are, without exception, the best value ever shown by us, and worth 25 per cent. more if bought in the regular way. We got a snap on this line, and we are prepared to supply the crowds, wholesale or retail, with any size from 14 to 18 neck, or any quantity from one shirt to one hundred dozen.

UNDERCLOTHING. UNDERCLOTHING. TWENTY-FIVE CENTS will buy you one of those wonderful cheap Undershirts. The regular price of this line is 40 cents each, but we bought them cheap and will place them on our counters for 25 cents each. Call early and see those goods.

PROWSE BROS, J. B. MACDONALD & CO., The Wonderful Cheap Men.

Charlottetown, December 28, 1895—246

A CLEAN SHEET!

We start to-day with a clean sheet. Our first page shall be the index of each succeeding one. On it we open our Bargain Ball, and we intend that bargains shall be our theme on every page through the entire book. Without egotism, and as a mere matter of fact, we claim to be quite competent to write a page on bargains every day of the year. The theme is to us an inexhaustible one. What we want is your attention. We believe that we have already your confidence. We have genuine bargains to start the year with. Our Bankrupt Goods are selling about half price, and they are among the finest Readymades in Canada. Are you going to want a Suit of Clothes this year? If so, come to the "Bargain Corner."

McKAY WOOLEN COMPANY.

UNDERCLOTHING Last Call for the Season

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Charlotteville, December 28, 1895—57

BUY Bissell's Perfection Carpet Sweeper,

THE BEST MADE. SIMON W. CRABBE, Stoves and Hardware, Walker's Corner.

Charlotteville, December 20, 1895—135 & wky

LONDON HOUSE. MEN'S FUR CAPS

Selling at Special Discount MEN'S HEAVY CLOTH CAPS. See the line selling at Thirty Cents.

T. J. HARRIS. Charlotteville, December 28, 1895—57

HALF PRICES.

20 Ladies' Cloth Jackets and Capes at Half Price.

JUST LISTEN TO THIS!

4 Jackets, price \$4.25, now \$2.12

6 " " 4.50, " 2.25

5 " " 5.00, " 2.50

2 " " 5.90, " 2.95

3 " " 10.50, " 5.25

We want to close this lot out. If you want bargains this is your chance.

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Wants, Lost, Found, &c

Advertisements under this heading charged five cents per line.

FOR SALE—One oxy-ether stereopticon. This is one of the best instruments made, and will be sold at less than half price. To a reasonable early time will be given for payment.—J. H. HASKIN, Springfield. dec1

LOST—This morning, between the Post Office and Water Street, a purse containing a small sum of money, finder will kindly bring it to this office. dec1

TO LET—Two large flats in the brick building on Queen Street, adjoining Norton's hardware store. Central locality, well lighted, with easy approach from Glasgow Street. Suitable for offices or large societies, etc. Apply to J. B. MACDONALD & Co. 3w-dec27

LOST—On Thursday evening, between Grafton Street and Queen Street, a gold bracelet with a white stone. Reward will be paid if left at this office. dec1

LOST—Last evening, about six o'clock, on Water Street, near Queen Hotel, the front board of a sleigh blue. Please return to Yorkwood, healthy, Grafton Street. Apply to A. McLELLAN, London House building, or corner King and Great George Streets. dec1

STAMPS—All kinds of postage stamps wanted; send for prices.—GEO. S. CHURCH, Bedford Road, Toronto. 1w pd-uov25

\$1500—\$200 down, \$300 on mortgage. If desired, or by, not far from park, good neighborhood, healthy, Grafton Street. Apply to A. McLELLAN, London House building, or corner King and Great George Streets. dec1

WANTED—A man for general housework for one month.—MRS. GEO. E. FULL, Upper Prince Street. 1w-u

MARINE VILLA TO LET—Situated adjoining Dundas East, in the most healthy part of the city, fronting the Hillsborough River, formerly occupied by Dr. Dawson. It has a fine lawn, coach house and stable, a most desirable residence; rent \$20 a year, paid quarterly. Apply to BERT DAVIES, oct1-dec w quarter law pad law

A BOOK FREE!—If you desire a copy send for particulars.—NICHOLS & Co., Wesley Buildings, Toronto. 1w 3-dec1

STORAGE—Garrages carefully stored for the winter season at F. H. TAYLOR'S, 22 E. GUY ST. 1w-dec13

FOR SALE—A hay press will be sold cheap. Apply at the residence of the undersigned 111 Richmond Street.—W. K. SCOTT, dec17-1w pd

TO LET—New residence, corner of Grafton and Yorkwood Streets; nice location, modern improvements, hot air, bath, etc. Rent moderate. Apply to K. M. MOORE. 1w-dec27

TO LET—A good tenement house on Bishop Street. Contains six rooms. Apply to THOS. CAMPBELL. 1w-dec27

TO LET—The Cottage adjoining West Kent School. Apply on the premises or Mr. Henderson. oct12, 1w

TO LET—A shop on corner of Bayfield and Great George Streets. Apply on the premises 1w1

MONEY—Loans made on city or country property. Apply to F. W. L. MOORE, Solicitor, &c., London House Corner. dec 7 3m-dec27

TO LET—Two offices in the Stamper Block apply to F. W. L. MOORE 1w-u