Local and Other Items.

THE FOREIGN MAIL will be due at 4.20 (local) this afternoon.

I. O. O. F.—The third degree will be conferred in St. Lawrence Lodge to-night.

MILITARY.—No. 2 Battery, G. A., will meet for drill at the usual time and place this evening.

MUSIC PUPILS.—There will be two vacancies at Easter in Mr. Earle's music class at Miss Russell's school.

A. O. H — Special meeting to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

FANCY SALE.—The ladies of St. James' Church intend holding their annual fancy sale and tea on the 6th of April.

DON'T FORGET IT.—Be sure and go to the rink to-night. This may be your only chance to see professional champion skaters of the world.

TO HIS CUSTOMERS.—Mr. James McLeod, late of McLeod & McKenzie, will be prepared to receive his many customers about the beginning of next month

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon one drunk was fined $2 and costs or eight days' imprisonment, and the defendant in an assault and battery case was fined $1 or ten days' imprisonment.

THE ladies are jubilant over the prospects of an enjoyable evening on Easter Monday. The Garden of Flowers and the Dress Rehearsal will be given by the pupils of Miss Russel's school. Particulars later.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—The B. I. S., of Souris, intend having a grand concert, etc., in their new hall on the 17th inst. An interesting programme is being prepared which will include an oration by one of Charlotte town's lawyers.

A CURIOSITY.—Springhill has a curiosity, says the News, in the shape of a woman who has not spoken for three months. She has all the faculties of speech, but refrains from their use. Who says now that a woman cannot hold her tongue?

DEBATE.—The next regular debate before the B. I. S. Debating Club will take place on Tuesday evening next, 14 h inst. Subject, "Should the present ward system of Charlottetown be abolished," A lively discussion is anticipated. Admittance 10 cents; ladies free.

THE STREETS.—The streets of the city are in a disgraceful condition. The usual attention has not been paid to the opening up of the drains, and the winter's filth still adorns the different thoroughfares and squares, instead of being scraped up and removed on the first mild day.

A GOOD IDEA CARRIED OUT.—Mr. Duncan Munn, of Little Sands, who is about leaving for the Pacific Coast, has presented a large and costly cabinet organ to the Prince Edward Island Hospital. The presentation is made on behalf of Mr. Munn's two sons, who are at present residents of British Columbia.

AT SUMMERSIDE.—The Summerside conference of St. Vincent de Paul will give a concert in the Market Hall at that place on St. Patrick's night, for which an excellent programme has been made ready. The address on the occasion will be given by Rev. J. A. Macdonald, of Miscouche.

ST. DUNSTAN'S CATHEDRAL.—The third of the special sermons on "The Sacraments" was given last evening by Rev. Allan Macdonald, of Fort Augustus, the "Blessed Eucharist" being the sacrament considered. The rev. gentleman handled his subject in an able manner. There was a large congregation.

RESERVED SEATS.—In response to many requests it has been decided to sell 200 reserved seats at 50 cents each. The seats are in the centre of the ice, where a fine view can be obtained of the race. These tickets are for sale at the Drug Store of C. D. Rankin, and parties purchasing them are requested to be in their seats by 8 o'clock.

FOR THE POOR.—At High Mass in St. Dunstan's Cathedral, on St. Patrick's Day, a collection will be taken up in aid of the funds of St. Vincent de Paul Society. This Society has been doing a good work in the matter of relieving the poor, and it is sincerely hoped that the collection on the 17th will be a large one, as there are very many poor people in the city at the present time.

A BIG FAMILY.—A very poor man named Mersereau died the other day at Weldford leaving eighteen children. He had twenty-three by his last wife, besides others by previous partners of his joys and sorrows. The family is so large that there is no room for the cow, and, as there is no barn to keep it in, it is installed in the porch. They lived on a farm until recently, when the house was burned and they moved to the village. Mersereau is said to have given a deed of this farm of 300 acres to a Weldford merchant for a cooking stove and a barrel of flour. The widow and the eighteen orphans are very destitute.—Chatham World.

A WORD IN SEASON.—Rev. Allan Mc Donald, in St. Dunstan's Cathedral last night, speaking of the love of Catholics for the Blessed Eucharist, said: "'Love is active,' says St. Gregory, 'and if it exists at all it must work.' I feel assured that it exists, and that it will erect a monument on this very spot where we are assembled to-night that will be the pride not only of the city but of the Province—will be an honor to God, a joy to the saints, and for you will be the most perfect expression of your love and veneration for this most adorable Sacrament. I fancy I hear you say, while seated in His presence, "Too long, too long have we lived in fine houses while Our Lord dwelleth under a poor roof."

TEMPERANCE.—At the annual session of District Division No. 4, in Holdfast Division room, Winsloe, on the 8th inst., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: D W Patriarch, L Crockett; D W Associate, Annie Sabine; D Treasurer, N Peardon; D Chaplain, T Stibbings; D Con, Percy Mutch; D Scribe, Lilla Bryenton; D Sentinel, W J Bryenton; P D W Patriarch, Geo H Alexander. The various reports read were very satisfactory. A resolution was adopted asking for a plebiscite on the prohibition question; and a committee was appointed to wait on the Local Government asking them to amend the Charlottetown Liquor Regulation Act by providing that all the liquor shops in the city shall be closed at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of each market day. The next session of the Division will be held at Wiltshire in June next.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Our Civic Dead-lock

SIR,—How have you with the rest of our citizens, enjoyed wading through the ponds of water at our street corners, for the last few days. Can you imagine eight of our good business men, elected to look after the interests of our town, men carefully selected, and even selected by a law specially prepared for the better government of Charlottetown, could have a petty squabble over the loaves and fishes civic to continue such a length of time. If a number of our small boys were playing a game of marbles, I can imagine one or two little fellows pulling out and saying, "well I will never play with you again;" but from good, sensible, energetic men, not playing city politics with four other men equally good, for fear of being beaten by the casting vote of our worthy Mayor, who, from his long experience in public life, should be more than competent to decide so small a point.

Come, gentlemen, don't be flies on the wheel; step up and cast your votes. If you are beaten, many a good man has met a similar fate. We will look back at your recorded vote, and try you all in the balance of public opinion before we are called on again either to send you back to give you another opportunity either to play as children, or send you back to play with your own children around your firesides, where you are lords and masters.

Now, I for one do not care what men are employed to do the city work, nor from whom they rent their properties, nor in what places of business they trade, nor what churches they attend, nor whether they are for or against the Scott Act. We want our city matters attended to,—and if the present contingent are not capable of acting more like men, why, send in your resignations at once, gentlemen, and let the business go on.

OBSERVER.

Local Notices.

Beer & Goff's stock of canned goods is going off fast. Call early and get a supply at prices that are away down. m13 2i

Don't forget to call at Beer & Goff's and order a supply of canned corn, tomatoes, peas, salmon, peaches, &c., while the cheap sale is on. m13 2i

John McLeod & Co. are showing the nobbi st line of hats in the city.

At Auction Prices—The full stock of books, stationery, fancy goods, etc., at the Diamond Bookstore (new stand), Stamper Block, is being cleared out at auction prices. The old stand will be reopened about May 1, with an entirely new supply. Now is your time to get bargains

City merchants and house painters should attend the sale of groceries and paints at the old City Hardware Store at half-past 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Country merchants attending the House of Assembly can spend a profitable day at the trade sale of groceries and hardware to-morrow.

Paints, nails, sugar and tea at the trade sale to-morrow.—E H Norton & Co, Auctioneers.

Blank Books—Less than half price at the Diamond Bookstore, Stamper Block.

Beer & Goff's annual cheap sale of canned goods is now on. Call early and get bargains. March 7 3i.

Have you heard about the Melissa rain proof garments? We keep them. Call and see the goods.—James Paton & Co. mar11 3i

One hundred and fifty gentlemen's rainproof coats in all the latest and leading makes and styles in the trade, in plains, consisting of blacks, drabs, browns, and greys. Also, a nice range of plaids, in English, Canadian and Scotch makes, from $5 up.—James Paton & Co. mar11 3i

House furnishing department—We are now showing a large and choice stock of house furnishings, consisting of new carpets in Brussels, wiltons, velvets, tapestries, with lovely borders to match. Also a few extra super art squares that are selling fast. The above are direct from the best makers and include some of the very latest designs and colorings. Ladies and gentlemen are respectfully invited to inspect the above goods—Jas Paton & Co. m10 3i

A DISAPPOINTED MAIDEN.—The Halifax Mail says: Another case in which wounded love plays an important part was commenced yesterday in the Supreme Court. The writ was issued yesterday morning and ere the close of the day the alleged false lover was made aware of the fair one's intentions. The plaintiff, who seeks damages for breach of promise of marriage, is Miss Ellen McCarthy, a maiden of nineteen summers. The defendant is Charles Henry Webber. Miss McCarthy claims that Webber paid her attention for many months, and that he promised to marry her. The wedding day was fixed and all preliminaries arranged, but when the day arrived the fair one was disappointed, as Charles had changed his mind. Miss M Carthy places damages at $500. The case will be tried at the next sitting of the supreme court.

CROSSING AT THE CAPES.—The Chignecto Post says: The crossing between the Capes has been exceptionally good during the past few weeks, the boats being able to make round trips nearly every day. The mails to the Island still go by this route. During the week ending 27th ult, 37 passengers crossed, and during the week ending the 7th inst, 55 crossed, including 7 ladies.

Several sections of Manitoba are infested with wolves, and a number of cattle have been destroyed.

It is said that there is a lighthouse to every 14 miles of coast in England, to every 34 miles in Ireland and to every 39 miles in Scotland.

The Brazilian Government has ordered 70,000 small calibre rifles and 35,000,000 cartridges from the Loewes, small arm manufactures in Berlin, Germany. This fact is causing some speculation in military circles.

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, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best-known remedy for diarrhœa, 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

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Latest Styles.

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We have just received a very large stock or our WHOLESALE and RETAIL TRADE, and can show all the latest in

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BUY YOUR SPRING HAT FROM US,

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100 Pairs Odd and Soiled CURTAINS, in WHITE, CREAM and ECRU, at a Big Discount. Procure a pair before all are sold.

FOR MARCH TRADE!

We have just received 4 or 5 dozen COUNTERPANES, in Cheap and Best Honey Comb and Satin Finish; also, TABLE LINENS, NAPKINS, TOILET COVERS, SHEETING, PILLOW COTTON, etc., etc.

If you are still in need of any HOUSEHOLD GOODS see our lines, as we have a large variety and our prices are the lowest.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail,

NEXT TO BEER & GOFF'S,

QUEEN STREET.

Charlottetown, Feb. 20, 1893.

FOR SALE.

THREE BILLIARD TABLES and two POOL TABLES.

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The persistent popularity of FLANNELETTES has had the effect of setting the minds of designers and manufacturers working to improve upon these fabrics to the uttermost. If you want to see to what perfection Flannelettes can be brought, take a look through our New Stock of

TWO CASES OPENED TO-DAY.

We have them in Mixed Grounds, Broken Plaids, Polka Dots, Crescents, Checks, Blocks, Plain Pink, Blue, Sky White and Cream. Nice dainty little patterns for Children's wear.

STANLEY BROTHERS,

BROWN'S BLOCK.

Charlottetown, March 10, 1993—eod & wky

LIBERALITY!

Our Prices suit the times, our Boots and Shoes fit the feet, our Customers are pleased with the Bargains, the money is left on the Island, and there is satisfaction all around.

GOFF BROS'. BOOT FACTORY.

Charlottetown, March 10, 1893.

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—OF—

READY-MADE CLOTHING AND TWEEDS

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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:

OVERCOATS.	Price	Now selling at
10 Heavy All-wool Check Tweed,	$8 00	$5 25
13 Heavy " Diagonal,	9 00	6 00
1 " "	6 50	4 50
3 " " Worsted,	6 25	4 40
1 " " Tweed,	5 00	3 40
1 Fine " Worsted,	8 00	5 50
2 " " "	9 50	6 50
1 " " "	6 50	4 75
1 " " "	9 50	6 75
2 " " "	14 00	8 50
4 " " "	7 75	5 50
1 " " Diagonal,	9 00	5 75
1 " " Melton,	9 75	7 50
2 " " "	8 75	5 75
3 " " "	10 00	7 50
26 Heavy (assid col) "	9 00	5 90
1 " (brown) "	12 50	7 35
1 " (blue) "	10 00	6 50
1 " " "	6 50	4 00
1 Fine Diagonal, lined,	5 75	3 75
" " "	6 75	4 50
2 " Check, "	7 75	5 90
12 Heavy Cheviot, "	9 00	5 80
11 " "	9 50	6 55
3 Fine Nap, All-wool,	12 50	7 00
1 " " satin lined,	16 00	12 00

MEN'S OVERCOATS.		
1 Fine Nap, all-wool,	$12 50	$8 75
1 " "	8 50	5 00
2 " "	9 00	5 75
1 " "	10 50	7 00
1 " "	9 50	6 00
1 " "	8 75	5 25
6 " "	6 25	4 00
1 Heavy Irish Frize Ulster	12 50	8 80
12 " Etoph "	8 00	5 25
4 " Tweed "	8 00	5 25
11 " " "	9 25	5 90
2 " " "	11 00	7 25
5 " Scotch Twd Cape Overcoats	12 50	7 75
7 " " "	12 50	7 35
2 " " "	10 00	6 40
3 " " "	9 50	6 35
7 " Hood Ulsters,	9 50	6 35

MEN'S REEFERS.		
6 Good Heavy Nap,	$5 00	$3 40
8 " " " piqued edge and pockets,	6 50	4 00
6 Very Fine Nap, "	9 50	6 75
1 " " "	12 00	8 50
2 " " "	8 50	5 25
1 " " "	7 00	4 75
6 Heavy Nap,	5 50	3 50
2 " Frieze,	6 25	4 10
9 " Pilot Cloth,	6 50	4 40
6 " "	5 50	3 90
1 " "	8 00	5 75
3 " "	7 50	5 00

BOYS' REEFERS.		
3 Fine Nap (extra good),	$6 50	$4 50
1 " "	8 50	5 00
1 " "	5 50	3 50
2 " "	6 25	4 15
3 Heavy Nap,	5 00	3 35
3 "	4 50	2 85
Boys lot will fit Boys from 13 to 18.) (This Nap Reefers, to fit		
8 Boys' from 8 to 10,	4 00	2 30
12 Boys' All-wool Cheviot Tweed Reefers,	4 00	2 50
Boys' Reefers,		90c

YOUTHS' OVERCOATS.		
3 Cape O'coats, Scotch Tweed,	$10 50	$7 50
4 " "	9 25	6 30
3 " "	8 25	5 50
1 " "	9 00	6 40
1 Black Worsted O'coat,	5 50	3 80
3 Nap "	8 50	6 00
2 " "	8 00	5 50
8 " "	5 50	3 85
7 " "	5 00	3 35
10 " "	4 25	3 10
5 Tweed Cape "	9 75	4 85
7 " Hood "	9 50	4 50
6 " Cape "	5 25	3 52
3 " " "	6 25	4 25
4 " " "	5 00	3 35
5 " " "	4 75	3 15
4 " " "	3 75	2 30
2 " " "	5 75	4
7 " " "	4 25	2 80
7 Heavy Frieze Cape,	5 25	3 60

McKAY WOOLEN MILLS.

Charlottetown, January 27, 1893 —dy eod & wy

BAYFIELD STREET STILL TO THE FRONT,

With its Liquor Saloon in Full Bloom.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

DEAR SIR,—Some short time ago information was laid against me for a violation of the present liquor law. I was perfectly well aware that I had not in any way violated the Act, as I had been particularly careful to keep within the provisions, and I therefore knew that the information must have been laid from malice or spite. The case came on and was heard before the Stipendiary Magistrate, four witnesses being called, reliable and respectable men, who all swore that they either had not been in my place at all, or if they had, they had been in the ordinary openbar, properly constructed, and the case was immediately dismissed. I was, however, determined not to let the matter drop, as I had made up my mind I would find out who instigated Officer Carter to lay the information. I therefore instructed my Attorney, Mr. Arthur Peters, to take proceedings against Officer Carter for malicious prosecution, unless the authorities paid the expenses I had been put to and gave me the name of the informer who instigated Officer Carter to take proceedings against me. After a great deal of haggling with the authorities, to avoid being sued they consented to pay and have paid my expenses, and have handed me an anonymous letter addressed "Marshal Cameron," which letter, they inform me, was the only authority or information they had against me to ground even a suspicion that I had offended. I trust that this will be a lesson to the police that they cannot, on such information as this, haul up time and again persons who are perfectly innocent, and put them to the expense, annoyance and inconvenience of appearing before the Court. And I hope that others, against whom groundless information may hereafter be laid, will take the course I have, and it will soon put a stop to this indiscriminate sort of prosecution. I have no desire to hamper or tie the hands of the police, but I am certain, and I think every right-minded person will agree with me, that these prosecutions should not be allowed to be laid without some substantial ground to go on, and if they do so they must abide by the consequences.

T. WHITE.

Charlottetown, March 11, 1893—3i

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AFTER STOCK-TAKING!

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HARRIS & STEWART.

Charlottetown, February 13, 1893—eod & wky