

Local and Other Items.

The County Court is in session to-day.

CITIZENS' RINK opens to-morrow night.

ST. JOHN is about to re-establish a home for fallen women.

No business at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon.

HON. MESSRS. SULLIVAN AND FERGUSON will arrive home to-morrow.

SHIRTS, collars and cuffs laundered in New York style at the St-am Laundry.

The Northern Light, with mails and passengers, arrived here at one o'clock to-day.

JEMBO will be cut up and sold by the pound very cheap this week.—B. Balderston, dec 29, 28

The Charlottetown Engineers will meet for drill this evening and to receive their drill pay for the year.

SAVE severe colds, worry and trouble during winter months, by sending your family wash to the Steam Laundry.

Don't forget the sale of Papers and Magazines to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at eight o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. Reading Room.

THE Tea retailing at 25, 30 and 35 cents at A. E. Yull's is unsurpassed for strength, color and flavor. Try a pound. 101 dec 29

COURTSHIP has acquired a new peril. A Wilkesbarre young man proposed, was rejected, and his father shot him to wipe out the disgrace.

MILLNER'S Prize Ash Sifter is on exhibition in the show window of Haszard's Bookstore. It is nicely painted and lettered, and is receiving much attention.

The six round glove contest at Bangor, Me., on the 22nd, between George Godfrey, formerly of Charlottetown, and Isaac Talbot, of Bangor, was declared a draw.

THE Y. M. C. A. acknowledges with thanks the receipt of Illustrated Papers and Magazines from His Honor Judge Young; also a framed Heliotype from G. H. Haszard, Esq.

SEASON tickets for the Excelsior Ice Rink, Kent Street, are now ready and may be obtained at Reddin's Drug Store and at the Osborne House. Look out for advertisement to-morrow.

The young men in connection with the Y. M. C. A. will meet at 7.30 sharp on Thursday evening, instead of at 8 o'clock, on account of the sale of Papers and Magazines which takes place at 8 o'clock.

We learn that Rev. A. J. MacIntyre will treat the boys attending St. Dunstan's Catechism Classes to a dinner in St. Patrick's Hall to-morrow evening. There are about three hundred boys to be attended to.

THE Northern Light left for Georgetown this afternoon, to which place mails will be forwarded by special train at 8.30 this evening. The steamer will make a round trip between Georgetown and Pictou to-morrow.

T. RANKINE & SONS, biscuit manufacturers St. John, N. B., presented each man in their establishment Christmas eve with a turkey and \$2 in cash, and each woman with a fur tippet, silk handkerchief and \$1.50 in cash.

BELOW VALUE.—"Yull's Best Flour" is now within reach of all. Retailing at only \$5 per bbl. It is the best ever brought to this city. Try a barrel and be convinced. No. 65, Queen St.—A. E. Yull. dec 29 101

FANCY Jewelry in Brooches, Bar-Pins, &c.; also Fancy Clocks, suitable for New Year's gifts, which have been left on hand from the Xmas trade, will now be sold at a great reduction.—G. H. Taylor, North Side Queen Square dec 29 21

We regret to learn that Mr. W. W. Macdonald, eldest son of Mr. D. A. Macdonald, died at his residence, San Francisco, on the 13th inst., of typhoid fever. Mr. Macdonald, who, at the time of his death, was in his twenty-fourth year, was a general favorite.

The treasurer of the P. E. Island hospital begs to acknowledge the receipt of the following amounts:—From Eldon Lodge, L. O. A. B. A., \$5; Mrs Wm Sterns, \$5; New London North and Sumnerfield Presbyterian congregations, per Rev. W. A. Mason, \$22.

The St. John Telegraph says: "Rev. J. W. Waldman, pastor of the Carleton Methodist Church, has accepted the call of the Methodist Church at Victoria, B. C., subject to the approval of the transfer committee. He will go to his new charge, if they agree, in July next."

Mrs. JENNIE LARKIN, of Shag Harbor, Shelburne, N. S., aged 66 years, has just completed a quilt called "The Bear's Paw," consisting of 2967 pieces. Miss Eva Swim, of Clark's Harbor, Shelburne, recently finished making a quilt containing 2,999 pieces. The work was done in less than two months.

THE work of putting the desks, boxes, etc., into the new Post Office was commenced on Monday. Messrs. Clarke & Schurman, of Summerside, are the contractors, and expect to have the job finished in about a fortnight. All the furniture was manufactured in Summerside, and all that remains to be done is the fitting up.

REV. MR. CARBUTHERS' second lecture, "Across the Channel," was delivered in St. James' Hall last evening. Mr. H. C. Macdonald occupied the chair. The lecture was exceedingly interesting, and being delivered in the rev. gentleman's usual good style, was duly appreciated. The third lecture of the course will be delivered on the evening of the 11th January next. Let there be a full house.

THE Sunday School entertainment held in the basement of the Methodist Brick Church last evening was a grand success in every respect. Every available inch of space was occupied. The programme, which consisted of solos, duets, trios, choruses, etc., was well carried out. The performance of the Boys' Orchestral Club was especially pleasing. The opening and closing choruses by the choir were also well rendered and much appreciated.

THE Christmas Festival of St. Peter's Church Sunday School was held last evening. A bountiful repast was provided for the little ones, and the Christmas Tree—with an agent of Santa Claus, all the way from the North Pole to distribute the prizes—was delightful. No one was forgotten. Some of the young gentlemen present received most appropriate gifts, and the new incumbent—Rev. Mr. Simpson—obtained a present calculated to remind him that if he would be successful in the spiritual direction of St. Peter's, he must combine with the humbleness of the dove the wisdom of the serpent.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The Ontario Elections.

TORONTO, Dec. 28.

The returns show that Mowat has been once more sustained, thanks largely this time to the manner in which he gerrymandered the constituencies.

MIDNIGHT.

TORONTO, Dec. 28.

The vote in Toronto stood: E. F. Clark, Con., 7,033; H. E. Clark, Con., 6,879; Leys, Govt., 5,357; March, 4,072; Roney, 3,414. Position of matters now, including Algoma, is: Reformers, 33; Conservatives, 23. The Reform gains are 6.

LATER.

At present the position of parties is 43 Reformers and 29 Conservatives, with 16 places to hear from.

LATEST.

TORONTO, Dec. 29.

Reformers, 55; Conservatives, 29; Labor, 1; Independent, 1; and four constituencies to hear from.

Bulgarian Affairs.

VIENNA, Dec. 28.

There are some apprehensions here that the Bulgarian deputation, and Prince Alexander will endeavor to arrange for a return of the Prince to Bulgaria. Austrian officials consider such a movement would tend greatly to aggravate the situation of affairs, and would render the Austrian occupation of Bulgaria inevitable.

Parliamentary Matters.

LONDON, Dec. 28.

The Queen maintains constant communication with the Marquis of Salisbury. It is declared that the Premier has no intention of resigning. The Cabinet met this afternoon and discussed the resignation of Lord Churchill. The other members of the Cabinet agree with Lord Salisbury that Lord Hartington should be asked to join a coalition ministry.

Another Fire.

CAIRO, Ill., Dec. 25.

A despatch says that a fire destroyed the Mississippi Valley transportation steamer, R. B. Hayes, four barges, and the Anchor line steamer City of Natchez, while lying at the bank. Loss about \$1,000,000.

Meeting of Parliament.

LONDON, Dec. 28.

It is officially announced that the meeting of Parliament has been postponed until February.

Obituary.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 29.

M. W. Higgins, night editor of the Argus, died suddenly yesterday.

The Bulgarian Delegates.

LONDON, Dec. 28.

The Bulgarian delegates have arrived in London.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, December 29—10 a.m.

Moderate winds, generally fair weather, not much change in temperature.

DIARIES for 1887, in all sizes. Get one at once at G. H. Haszard's. 21—dec 29

A CONNECTICUT youth sent his best girl forty pounds of candy as a Christmas present.

TWENTY-THREE vessels cleared from Bay Verte this season with eleven million feet of lumber.

THE managers of the Excelsior Ice Rink, Kent Street, will have a good sheet of ice New Year's night if the weather continues favorable.

MISS EMMA LUTHELL has received a commission from the Salvation Army and leaves Moncton to-morrow for this city, where she will be stationed.

BAYFIELD STREET pump is reported out of order. No water is the trouble. A resident informs us that the source of supply has been cut off by recent repairs to the gutter.

HORRIBLES, ATTENTION!—A meeting of the above named will take place to-night, in the rooms over R. Boreham's store, Grafton St. As this is the last meeting, the attendance of every "Horrible" is requested.

ONE of the six selected verses in competition to win Millner's Ash Sifter is as follows:—Hech! Dougald, mon! Hae ye got a Sift? I saw an doun town, At the shop o' a chiel call't Millner! It's worth nigh twenty poun'.

THE members of the late L. O. A. B. A. are requested to meet at Boyne Lodge Room, on Saturday next, 1st January, at 12 o'clock, noon, to attend the funeral of the late G. P. Tanton. Members will please appear in full costume.

All members of the Institution are requested to meet at Boyne Lodge Room, on Thursday, at 8 o'clock.—G. R. McCoubrey, Secretary to special meeting. dec 29 21

Prohibition.

The following is the platform adopted by the Council of the Dominion Alliance:—

- 1. That the time has come when the Parliament of Canada should pass an Act prohibiting traffic in intoxicating beverages throughout the Dominion.
2. That effective prohibition can only be secured through a Dominion Parliament, Local Legislatures and municipal bodies whose members are in sympathy with the foregoing declaration.
3. That all friends of temperance should unite to secure the nomination and election to the bodies named of representatives who are known and avowed prohibitionists, and who will do all in their power to secure the immediate enactment and thorough enforcement of prohibition.

Sale of Magazines and Papers.

THE Annual Sale of Magazines and Papers from the Y. M. C. A. Reading Rooms, will take place

Thursday, December 30th AT 8 P. M.

An opportunity is thus afforded of obtaining the best British and American publications, at reasonable rates. The periodicals will be delivered every week or month, upon receipt at the Reading Room of the following numbers.

G. E. BEER, Secretary.

Dec. 27, 1886.

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS.

RETURN TICKETS, at one first-class fare will be issued to and from all Stations on this Railway, except those on Cape Traverse Branch, on 24th, 25th, 27th, and 31st December, inst., and on January 1st, 1887, good to return up to and on 31st January, 1887. Tickets will also be issued from all other Stations to Stations on Cape Traverse Branch, on 24th, 25th and 30th December, inst., and on January 1st, 1887, good to return as above; and from Stations on Cape Traverse Branch to all other Stations on December 24th, 27th and 31st, inst., good to return up to and on January 4th, 1887.

JAMES W. LEMAX, Superintendent, Railway Office, Ch'town, Dec 17th, 1886. -ex pat eod wky pra 21

FIND THE PUZZLE.

FIFTY PIECES GREY FLANNEL, from 18 cents a yard.

THE Talk of the Town is PATON & CO'S. CHEAP GOODS.

BUY your TEA from JAMES PATON & CO., Market Square.

A BIG STOCK OF FUR CAPS and GOAT ROBES.

USEFUL PRESENTS FOR CHRISTMAS: Kid Gloves, Silk Umbrellas, Fur-lined Dolmans, Handkerchiefs and Glove Boxes. Cheap at J. PATON & CO'S.

JAMES PATON & CO., offer Special Inducements to CASH BUYERS.

LADIES' JACKETS, MANTLES, &c., much under regular prices.

COUNTRY CUSTOMERS will find JAMES PATON & CO'S unrivalled for Variety, Excellence and Cheapness of Goods.

GRAND LOT of MANTLE and ULSTER CLOTHS. Don't buy before you see our stock.

EVERYBODY who wants a new HAT or BONNET should go to JAMES PATON & CO'S.

STILL BUSY. Small Profits are the secret terms, and don't you forget the place. JAMES PATON & CO'S, Market Square, Charlottetown.

REAL BARGAINS in Blankets, Horse Rugs, &c., &c., at JAMES PATON & CO'S.

THE following is a list of the different CORSETS we have in stock, price 40 cents up: Dr. Warner's New Perfumed, Maud, Beauty, Star, Juno, Paris, Elastic, Sensation, Lansdowne, Improved, Bonanza, Health, Dermatoid, Lily, Progress, Nursing, and Butterfly.

USEFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FOR GENTLEMEN: Fur Gloves, Fur Mitts, Mufflers, Silk Scarfs, Cardigans, Silk Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas and Fur Coats.

MEN'S LINDERS & DRAWERS, extra value, at PATON & CO'S.

EXTRA GOOD VALUE in TEA this season, done up in 3, 10 and 20 pound parcels.

DRESS GOODS! Dress Goods! cheap, at JAMES PATON & CO'S.

WOOL SCARFS, Wool Sacques, Mitts, Hoods, Tam O'Shaniers, Vests, &c., &c.

TRUNKS, SATCHELS & TRAVELLING BAGS at Bottom Prices, at JAMES PATON & CO'S.

THE Largest and most Complete CARPET DEPARTMENT on the Island. Hemp, Scotch, Tapestry, Brussels and Plush Carpets, good patterns and Low Prices.

The Puzzle is to find a better place to buy your Dry Goods than

JAS. PATON & CO'S, CHARLOTTETOWN. Dec. 14, 1886.

THE PLACE

TO BUY ALL YOUR

Dry Goods

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Where Everything is Cheap.

COME AND SEE THE

B-A-R-G-A-I-N-S

that we offer in ALL KINDS of

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING.

GEO. E. FULL,

Sign of "RED LION," QUEEN STREET. Nov. 2, 1886.

CARVELL BROS.

WHOLESALE.

50 kegs Twist Tobacco (Hickey & Stewart's best),

100 caddies do do do

40 do W. C. MacDonald's Brunette,

60 do do do

50 do do do

25 do do do

100 boxes White's Scotch Clay Pipes.

CARVELL BROS. Dec. 21—21 eod pat

Skates! Skates!

JUST RECEIVED:

150 pairs Acme Club Skates, 200 do Imitation Spring do FOR SALE AT VERY LOW PRICES.

DODD & ROGERS.

Ch'town, Dec. 3—4wks eod



Dec. 8, 1886.

PURE CANDY

MADE on the premises, from the Best Sugar and Finest Flavorings obtainable. Don't run the risk of eating poisonous, adulterated candy, when you can be sure of getting it pure from us. Our

TABLETS AND DROPS

are equal to the finest English Confectionery, and have the advantage of being Fresh.

Our Caramels are very nice; our Chocolate Creams are delicious; our Brown Cream is the kind Ben Butler likes; our Cherry Candy and Chock Sicks are what the boys like. Come and we will suit your taste and your purse.

FRUITS AND NUTS

In great variety. Choice GROCERIES, Colgate's Toilet Soaps and Perfumery.

B. BALDERSTON.

Ch'town, Dec. 16—3 wks 2 aw wky 11

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FOR 1887,

CONTAINING, in addition to the usual invaluable information, a carefully prepared and correct

Directory of Charlottetown,

with a STREET PLAN of the City.

15 CENTS EACH.

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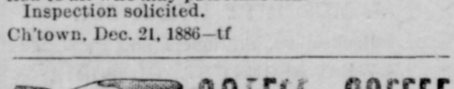
DIAMOND BOOKSTORE. Ch'town, Dec. 29, 1886—51 eod wky 11

NEW STORE.

A. E. YULL respectfully announces to the citizens of Charlottetown and vicinity that he has this day commenced the

Flour and Tea Business,

at No. 65, QUEEN STREET, with a well-selected stock of Flour and Tea, and guarantees satisfaction to all who may patronize him. Inspection solicited. Ch'town, Dec. 21, 1886—11



COFFEE, COFFEE

—AT—

BEER & GOFF'S.

Dec. 8, 1886.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A Loan of \$300 for twelve months, on good personal property security. Address, stating interest required, J. M. D., EXAMINER office. dec 27 51 wyl 11

LOST—A Lady's Muff; black curly fur. Any one returning the same to the office of Messrs. Bayfield & Blanchard will be suitably rewarded. dec 23 11

TO LET—A Cottage, on Sidney Street, opposite the Methodist Church; immediate possession given. Apply to John Kelly, City Councilor, or to the owner, Edward Kelly. dec 18 11 pd

TO LET—A Store and Dwelling, one door north of G. W. Millner's; possession given immediately. Enquire at the Duncan House, corner Prince and Water Streets.—W. H. Farquharson. nov 8 11

TO LET—Shop and Tenement on Upper Queen T Street, lately occupied by W. W. Rodd. Apply on the premises. nov 21 11

TO LET—The House at the head of Pownall Street, now occupied by Mrs. Robert Weeks. Enquire at THE EXAMINER office. nov 17 eod

TO LET—That brick House and Shop on Dorchester Street, formerly occupied by Owen Connolly; immediate possession given. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jun 21 eod

TO LET—A House on Pleasant Street, with stable and well in yard. Apply to William Dodd. oct 4

TO LET—That brick House on Dundas Esplanade, now in the possession of G. H. Haszard, Esq.; possession given 1st October next. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jun 21 eod 11

FOR SALE—A Dwelling House and Shop situated on Euston Street. For terms and particulars apply to George Alley or to the owner on the premises.—H. H. Pollard. sep 13 11

TO LET—A House and Outbuildings and 6 Acres of Land, known as "Maryfield," situated on Malpeque Road, adjoining the premises of Malcolm McLeod, Esq. For further particulars apply to J. G. Edmond at St. Vincent's Surgery. nov 8 11

ATTRACTIONS.

WE will make the following reductions during the Xmas and New Year's trade:—

Table with 2 columns of clothing items and their prices. Includes Fur Caps, Boys' Overcoats, Fur Caps, Boys' Suits, Fur Caps, Boys' Suits, Fur Caps, Boys' Suits, Boys' Overcoats, Boys' Suits.

JOHN McLEOD & CO.,

UPPER QUEEN ST., (Op. Roger's New Brick Block.)

h'town, Dec. 22, 1886.

"A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL."

E. PROWSE takes this opportunity of wishing his many customers and friends "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year," and at the same time wishes to tell them that he can sell them a SUIT or OVERCOAT at such a low price that they will feel happy, notwithstanding the low prices of oats, pork, potatoes, &c., &c.

CLOTHING:

He has the Greatest Assortment of

OVERCOATS AND SUITS

EVER SHOWN ON P. E. ISLAND.

WORSTED OVERCOATS FROM \$5.00, UP.

Merchants may blow and howl, but L. E. sells the cheapest.

EVERY DEPARTMENT FULL OF CHEAP GOODS.

His Custom Tailoring Department is turning out splendid fits.

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L. E. PROWSE,

Sign of the BIG HAT, 74 QUEEN STREET.

Ch'town, Dec. 16, 1886.

G. H. HASZARD,

BROWN'S BLOCK, QUEEN SQUARE.

English and American Fancy Goods,

English and American Stationery,

English and American Novelties.

STATIONERY,

of which I have, this season, imported a very choice and extensive line. I would also call attention to my large and varied assortment of FANCY GOODS for Christmas Presents.

Stationery Novelties for Ladies.—The Primrose Note, The Forget-Me-Not, The Royal Irish Lover Note, The Old English Note.

Xmas Presents for Gentlemen.—Handsome Writing Cases, Pocket Books, Books Photo Albums, Stylograph Pens, Shaving Sets, Inkstands, Gold Pens, Memorandum Books (in cases), Daily Memorandum Calendars, Stationery Cabinets, Gentlemen's Address Sets.