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Good black all wool Serges 44in wide, sale price, 35c. Heavy, fine firm Black Serge, 44 inch, special sale price, 47c. Extra wide, 49 inch jet black, all wool Serge, heavy, special sale price, 75c.

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All wool Black Merino, 38c. Handsome blue black Merino, 42 inches wide, special, 46c. Rich, heavy, jet black Merino, 43 inches wide, special price, 50c.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

Beer Bros. for Dress Goods. St. Valentine's Day—Sunday next. I. O. O. F.—Willey Dolge tonight. Third degree and important business.

ARROWWEAVERS.—The Arrowweavers will meet for practice tonight from 10 till 11 o'clock.

THERMOMETER READINGS.—Two below zero during the night; one above at nine o'clock this morning.

AT THE CAPES.—The boats crossed as usual today. The mail special reached the city at half-past one.

CHURCH ALTERATIONS.—The proposed improvements to the interior of the First Methodist Church will cost about \$3,500.

THEATRICAL.—The manager of the Opera House has closed with Daniel A. Kelly's Dramatic Company for the week commencing August 2nd.

FAST IN THE ICE.—The Stanley left Pictou for Georgetown yesterday morning. At latest accounts she was fast in the ice off Carleton.

Y. M. L. A.—Rev. Mr. Bryan, Rector of St. Paul's, will lecture in St. James' Hall on Tuesday evening next. Subject, "Life in Other Worlds."

TO SUBSCRIBERS.—Will subscribers to THE DAILY EXAMINER, who have received bills for subscriptions now due, please attend to the same promptly and oblige.

DOING THE CITY.—As we go to press we notice Messrs. Dawson and Bartlett with a handsome pair showing Mr. Kalenstein the sights of our city on market day.

THE STANLEY will be laid up at Georgetown on the 19th or 20th inst., to have her boiler cleaned and machinery adjusted. She will be off the route about ten days.

OPERA HOUSE, FEB. 25th.—Doll drill, muster of macons, Greek drama and many other attractions at the Opera House on Feb. 25th. Keep the date in view and make no other engagement.

SKATING RACE.—Howatt and Gaudet have tonight, and the races will be very hotly contested. Gaudet has not been pushed so far this winter, but he will have to skate fast tonight.

MOSE SUMMONSES.—Yesterday summons charging violations of the Scott Act were served on Geo. V. Moore and Lily Doyle, both of Gratton Street. The summons are for first offences, and are returnable on Monday next.

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE.—The Halifax City Council has unanimously decided to ask the legislature to pass an act authorizing an assessment for \$1,500 to defray any necessary expense that may be incurred by the board in the celebration of the queen's diamond jubilee.

COMMITTED TO JAIL.—The police broke into the house of William Prout, on Richmond Street, this forenoon, and arrested Prout against whom there are three separate convictions for violating the Scott Act. Prout was taken direct to the jail.

AN UNKNOWN ARRESTED.—This forenoon the police arrested John O'Brien, alias Joe Beef, alias Joseph Blanchard, alias Bartender, on a charge of violating the Scott Act, on Gratton Street. The prosecutor Cameron, O'Brien, etc., runs a bar in the place lately occupied by H. C. Connolly, on Gratton Street.

FRUIT GROWERS MEETING.—A public meeting in the interest of Fruit growers will be held in the hall at Eldon on Thursday Feb. 18th at 7 o'clock p. m. Addresses will be delivered by Governor Howland, T. J. Dillon, F. B. McBay, A. Martin, Senator Brown, Dr. Jenkins, and others. An invitation is extended to every one.

SULLIVAN WEAKENING.—John E. Sullivan, convicted of the murder of the Dutchess, is worrying greatly over his approaching execution, and a few days ago wrote a letter to his mother beseeching her to do something to save his life as he was an innocent man. Accordingly a petition asking that the sentence be commuted to imprisonment for life has been drawn up and is now in circulation.

CARD OF THANKS.—The promoters and those in charge of the High Tea, Fancy Sale and Entertainment given at the Hotel Davies on last Wednesday afternoon and evening, desire to express their cordial thanks to those who so generously patronized the same. They also wish to state that the proceeds amounted to the handsome sum of \$250. This, as the result of only two weeks' effort, is something unprecedented in the fancy sale and concert line here. The generosity of Mrs. J. J. Davies is especially appreciated.

BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY.—The constitution of the Benevolent Irish Society has recently been revised and amended and now provides for the granting of a sick members benefit of \$3.00 per week, and nursing by members of the Society. The revised constitution retains its original provision for the granting of relief to the deserving poor of all classes and creeds. This Society is now in a prosperous condition and has ample funds for the laudable objects it has in view. The membership has been steadily increasing and we expect soon to see scores of names added to the roll. The dues are only two dollars per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and no admission fee is now charged.

MARRIED.—At the Manse, Jan. 27th, by Rev. Thos. F. Fullerton, William C. McPhee, of Long Creek, to Miss Lucy Ann McEachern, of the same place.

At the residence of the bride's father on the 2nd inst., by Rev. M. Campbell, John D. Nicholson, of Lot 30, to Miss Jane McLennan, daughter of Murdoch McLennan, Hartsville.

On the 4th inst., at the residence of Mr. Hugh Gillis, the bride's brother, by Rev. Campbell, Mr. Phillip McDonald, of Beaufort, to Mrs. Catherine McDonald, of Beaufort.

DIED.—In Boston, Massachusetts, on February 4th, Harriet Amelia Mayne Stewart, widow of the late Robert Bruce Stewart, Esq., of Strath Gartney, Prince Edward Island, and daughter of the late John Bayner Mayne, Commander R. N.

At Head of Hillsborough, on Feb. 9th, Mrs. W. L. Douglas, widow of the late W. L. Douglas, aged 82 years.

At Brudenell, on Jan. 13th, after a lingering illness, which she bore with Christian patience, Miss Charlotte Stewart, second daughter of the late Peter Stewart aged 43 years.

Today, Feb. 12th, at Tracadie Cross, Johanna Lacey, beloved wife of Thomas Lacey, aged 65 years.

[Funeral on Sunday at 2 p. m.] At Brackley Point Road, on January 27th, Joseph A. M., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stewart, aged 3 years and 6 months. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family.

At St. Peter's Bay, on Jan. 8th, Matilda, relict of the late John Steele, aged 79 years.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

RELEASE AND MURRAY HARBOR RAILWAY.

Sir,—In an editorial, on Monday, under the above heading, you state that I "strongly opposed the passing of the resolution in favor of the Belfast and Murray Harbor Railway."

If you saw the resolution I think you are mistaken in your statement. I was introduced by Mr. McPhee, and seconded by A. P. Prowse, Esq., and in its preamble was woven a network in partisan language from a strong Conservative point of view implicating Hon. L. H. Davies in a way I deemed offensive, and in the main part expressed distrust in the Liberal Government at Ottawa if they delayed building that Railway.

An amendment was moved by Charles Senechal, Esq., of High Bank, and seconded by me, in favor of the Railway, and of memorializing the Government for its immediate construction, and that amendment was carried.

Senator Prowse and Alexander Martin, M. P., after warmly supporting McPhee's and Prowse's resolution, publicly asked the mover and seconder to withdraw it. So McPhee and Prowse did withdraw it. I am not going to pass an opinion whether this course was adopted because they saw that it could not be carried. No vote was taken on it.

Your correspondent has led you into error. Anything I can do in favor of that Railway I shall be happy to do; but that resolution I considered would do more harm than good to the cause.

Yours respectfully,  
D. A. MACKINNON.  
Georgetown, Feb. 10, 1897.

THEY WANT MR. CULLEN.

The Parents of Pupils Petition the City School Board.

The parents of the pupils in the Principal's department of Queen Square School are anxious that Mr. Thomas E. Cullen should be reinstated as Principal, and have signalled their desire in the following petition:

To the Board of School Trustees of Charlottetown.

The petition of the undersigned, parents of children attending the Queen Square School, humbly sheweth that—

Whereas, your petitioners are of the opinion that, under the circumstances, Mr. Thomas E. Cullen, the late Principal of the Queen Square School, was fully justified in tendering his resignation to your honorable Board; and

Whereas, your petitioners deeply regret that your honorable Board saw fit to, and did, accept his resignation; and

Therefore, your petitioners being unwilling to lose the advantages which their children have enjoyed under the care of Mr. Cullen, respectfully request your honorable Board to take the necessary steps to have Mr. Thomas E. Cullen reinstated as Principal of the Queen Square School, in which case your petitioners promise, and pledge themselves, to contribute and pay in to the Board, for the present year, the sum of twenty dollars, being the amount of the increase of salary necessary to retain his services.

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

George A. Dixon, William Dillon, P. S. Brown, Francis Trainor, Mrs. B. McQuillan, Mrs. Hush, Joseph Kent, Bernard Kiggins, Mrs. W. Mitchell, J. A. Griffith, John Joy, M. J. Moore, Mrs. J. Merry, Mrs. D. D. Ryan, Mrs. J. G. Payne, Mrs. John Leahy, Walter Oger, Patrick Connolly, James Morgan, James Lafferty, Wm. Hennessey, Wm. Brawlers, W. D. Cantwell, Mrs. Benj. Scott, Mrs. J. Gorman, P. McKenna, Martin Walsh, Augustine Callaghan.

Bismarck is said to show the marks of age far more than Gladstone. He is lonely listless and despondent, while England's G. O. M. is energetic, cheerful and industrious. The difference is to be found in Gladstone's love of literature and devotion to humanity, as well, no doubt, as in the natural energy and buoyancy of his disposition. The difference between them otherwise is even more striking. Bismarck is a bad man with false ideals—militarism and despotism; Gladstone is the direct antithesis of all this.

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COST OF SCOTT ACT PROSECUTIONS.

Sir,—I wonder how long the citizens are going to allow their taxes to be squandered by those fanatics in prosecuting the Scott Act at their expense. The prosecution salary was not included in the Scott Act report which was then \$350. Add to this the Barron case \$115, and the expenses for cases since which must be \$250, will make, in all, about \$700 in about a month taken out of the City Treasury on account of the Scott Act. Why don't the citizens put a mandate on the Mayor and Council, stopping them from using our taxes in this way. Out of all the cases that are up and are to be up, there is not probably one dollar to be got.

A GENTLE HINT.

Sir,—I noticed an article in THE EXAMINER a day or two ago stating that Mr. Warren had informed you that he had accepted the city's offer and was now on full time as prosecutor. Now what is he doing? Nothing but sharp prompt work that will satisfy the taxpayers. We want no idlers, no sham, no "go slow" policy. Surely a man well acquainted with the city and its people—an ex policeman—and thoroughly acquainted with the people who visit the town should be able to do better work than Mr. Matthews, a stranger. Where was Mr. Warren's work yesterday? His Worship Mayor Dawson has promised to dismiss any city official found not doing his full duty. It looks as if he will have occasion to fulfil his promise unless matters change shortly.

TAXPAYER.

In the forests of the British Vell Lumbering Co., at Grand Falls, Que., not far from the Dalles, there is a railroad which does business without cars. An article in the Northwestern Lumberman, describing the work of this company, has a picture of a "train" on the road, which consists of an ordinary locomotive, such as are common on logging roads, and a string of logs, each log being as large as diameter as the boiler of the engine, or larger. Boards are nailed to the sleepers between the rails and on these the logs are piled up, and the train slides. Except on descending grades, the logs are grossed, and the train moves at good speed. Where the road is level or slightly ascending the engine pulls the logs, and where it is descending it holds them back. At the mills of this company the manufactured lumber, regardless of size, is run into a flume and this is carried about two miles to the planing mill and ship yard, the flume descending in that distance about 1200 feet.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas has been using burnt clay ballast on certain portions of its line in the Indian Territory, and the success has been great enough to warrant its use on other portions of the line. Kils are now being erected at Hillsborough, Tex., to burn the clay for ballasting portions of the Texas line.

It is reported that the directors of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company of New York City have decided to do away with horse power on their car lines on Fourth, Sixth and Eighth avenues, and to introduce the underground trolley system. The work of changing over will be started early in the spring.

A Child Off the Old Block.—Mr. Raymond Asquith, who has just been elected to the first of the open scholarships at Balliol College, Oxford, is the eldest son of the British ex-Home Secretary. Twenty-six years ago his father obtained the same distinction.

Lavinia Tabor and Charles Work were married at Annapolis on Tuesday, 22nd February. On the following Friday the bride became suddenly ill from inflammation caused by a severe cold, and on the following day she died.

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