

The Carnival Last Night.

The Carnival in the Excelsior Rink last evening was well patronized notwithstanding the storm. About one hundred and fifty skaters participated, and the promenade was well filled with spectators. Among the new features introduced the most striking was Uncle Tom's Cabin, which, however, did not remain long on the ice. Yum Yum, the Girl Graduates, Fancy Dress, the Flower Girl, the Royal Mail, Grace Darling and some others were very good representations. The colored people were too largely represented, and there was a fair sprinkling of such characters as Salvage Corps, Sailors, etc. The young men whose highest ambition appears to be to blacken their faces, don an old "plug" hat, and go as colored gents, should change their costumes—just for once. We have no doubt they would feel better themselves and contribute much more to the success of the Carnival. The same remarks apply to the Salvage Corps boys, the Sailors, the Sports—and by the way some of the latter appeared to be badly "broken"—the pages, etc. Some of the male characters were as far removed from what they should be as it was possible to have them. For instance, two young men, attired more like coal-heavers than prize-fighters, were labeled "John L." and "Paddy R." If either John L. or Paddy R. were present last night, these two worthies would have been short-lived. The habit which many of our skaters have of appearing in the same costume year after year, but under a different name each time, is also to be deprecated. These people do not deceive the spectators, but only make themselves ridiculous. They should remember that a change of costume is as necessary as a change of name. The fact of so much "swapping" of costumes going on among the skaters, is a great drawback to the success of the average Carnival, as it does away, to a large extent, with the introducing of new and novel features. The sooner there is a reform in this direction the better for both skaters and spectators. Following is a list of those in costume, but several did not send in their cards:

LADIES.
Barris, Janie—Girl of the Regiment.
Byrne, Annie—Hope.
Batt, Maud—Britannia.
Benoit, Eugene—Flower Girl.
Collings, May—Telephone Girl.
Crabbe, Nellie—Grecian Costume.
Crabbe, Minnie—Russian Lady.
Eleanor, Bessie—Bow Knot.
Godfrey, Lillie—Ye Olden Tyme.
Harris, Maggie—Piccola.
Henderson, Edith—Marquise.
Kickham, Etta—Oriental Dancer.
Mason, Ethel—Mother Goose.
McLeod, Janie—Leah the Forsaken.
McGregor, Lillie—Butterfly.
McKenzie, L.—Fancy Dress.
McDougall, Blanche—Jockey Girl.
McKinnon, Nelly—French Peasant.
Wilson, Sadie—Watteau Costume.
Wilson, Edie—Miralda, the Creole.
Webster, Bessie—Colleen Bawn.
Wakefield, Bessie—Star of Twilight.
Wakefield, Connie—Forget-Me-Not.
Jones, A.—Girl Graduate.
Peebles, Minnie—Tambourine Girl.
Robin, Nellie—Squaw of Olden Time.
Rogerson, Maty—Summer.
Sellers, Harriet—Over the Garden Wall.
Smith, Florrie—Yum Yum.
Sweden, Mrs.—Itma.
Doyle, Annie, } Three Old Maids of
Debbins, May, } Leo.
Winchester, Bessie, }

GENTLEMEN.
Allen, A.—Vocophone Band.
Bayfield, Harry—Chickerrunagum.
Bayfield, Frank—Page.
Burns, J. H.—Champion.
Bell, E.—Huntsman.
Bell, Geo. V.—National Colors.
Bell, J.—Clown.
Cameron, B.—Salvage Corps.
Collings, John—Esquimaux.
Donn, J.—Mrs. A. A. Jackson Washington.
Dougherty, Geo. P.—Commodore Nutt.
Donn, W. P.—King James I.
Dillon, W.—Fireman.
Davies, W. H.—Salvage Corps.
Duncan, H.—Japanese Nobleman.
Foster, Geo. F.—Mrs. Washington Jones.
Gill, Fenwick W.—King of Clubs.
Holl, E.—Vocophone Band.
Harvie, H.—Uncle Sam.
Hughes, C. R.—Greenlander.
Henry, W.—Commodore Union.
Huestis, W. A.—Sailor.
Large, C.—Hillsboro, No. 7.
Large, H. R.—Sailor.
Leigh, Albert—Negro Lassie.
Maloney, John—Clown.
Mason, James—Negro Dude.
Mitchell, F. T.—Watteau Shepherd.
Moore, Geo. E. F.—Bugler.
Morrison, Daniel—What Is It.
McGregor, H. C.—Neapolitan Boy.
McNeill, Jos. H.—Count DeLuna.
McGowan, Charles—Clown.
McCallum, H. W.—Gen. Wolfe.
McDonald, Wm.—Vocophone Band.
McKinnon, J.—Vocophone Band.
McKenzie, A.—Vocophone Band.
McLeod, John B.—Vocophone Band.
McKinnon, Geo.—Topsy.
Macdonald, F.—Mrs. McSorley.
McLean, W. J.—Negro Girl.
McPherson, Wm.—Clown.
Matheson, John—Trump.
Macdonald, D.—Chinese Mandarin.
McLeod, Wallace—Clown.
McLeod, A.—Commercial Union.
McKee, Geo.—Clown.
Nicholson, John M.—Hillsborough, No. 7.
Newson, W. H.—Incorable.
Newbery, B. R.—Grace Darling.
O'Reilly, John R.—Slave Driver.
Poole, Jos.—Mr. A. A. Jackson Washington.
Rowe, C. E.—Hindoo.
Rogers, W. P.—Sailor.
Rogers, Bennie—Negro Girl.
Ross, Geo.—Clown.
Stair, W. J.—A Would-be Negro Dude.
Strain, John—Negro Admiral.
Smith, F. E.—Nanki Poo.
Stevenson, Wm.—Country Clown.
Stanley, Dorsey—Miss McGinty.
Sullivan, Cleaver—Snowshoer.
Saunders, Albert—Highland Laddie.
Thorne, W.—Negro Fiirt.
Tanton, H. A.—Jama.
Waugh, D. M.—Beaver Fireman.
Weeks, Charles—Colored Lady.
Wilson, H. C.—Knight of White Eagle.
Wilson, D.—The Girl I Left Behind Me.
Worthy, Geo.—Vocophone Band.
Young, R. M.—Master of the Horse.
George McKee, } Uncle Tom's Cabin.
D. K. Ferguson, }

QUEEN SQUARE GARDEN FUND.—Received by Mrs. L. H. Davies towards this fund, from William Dodd, Esq., \$5; from William Miller, St. Peter's Road, 50 cents.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

THE MINING HORROR

At Victoria, B. C.

Further Particulars.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 26.

James Wetmore, one of the survivors of the Wellington mine disaster, says the explosion extinguished all the lights in the mine. Accompanied by 11 of his comrades Wetmore groped about in the darkness and stifling afterdamp. After wandering about the chambers for half an hour or more, all laid down to die. At last all succumbed but Wetmore, whose lusty shouts attracted the rescuing party. It is estimated 90 miners lost their lives in the pit. Michael Lyons was blown 700 feet from the shaft. His eyes are gone and one arm was torn from its socket. Hobart Comblen was leading a gang of men out of the pit after the explosion when all were struck by a wave of after-damp and killed. Two sturdy young men, supposed to be brothers, were found in a tight embrace of death. The mine is filled with after-damp, and more explosions are feared. Some bodies cannot be reached, as they are under tons of coal and timber.

The Postal Conference.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.

The President to-day approved of the Postal Convention recently concluded between the United States and Canada. By this, articles of every kind or nature are admitted to be admitted at the same rates of postage and under the same conditions and classifications of mails exchanged between the two countries, except articles other than letters, in the usual form, are excluded from the mails unless so wrapped as to permit the contents to be easily examined by postmasters or custom officers.

A Coal Steal.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Jan. 26.

An extensive systematic coal steal has been discovered at Bainbridge, Ross Co. A carload of coal would at times disappear in a single night. The speculations were so extensive that the company employed detectives. The result was the arrest of 15 prominent citizens, including the marshal, hotel proprietors and a minister. The detectives say half the people in town are implicated. Peculations amount to many hundreds of dollars.

Big Snow Fall.

BOSTON, Jan. 26.

From 12 to 20 inches of snow has fallen all over New England the past 24 hours. A terrible gale was blowing all day, and is still raging. The drifts in the back country are 10 feet deep, and hundreds of feet long. Trains on the trunk lines are two to twelve hours late. In Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont railroad traffic is partially suspended on the main lines, and entirely suspended on the branches. Highways are generally impassible.

Election Trial.

CAYUGA, Jan. 26.

At the Haldimand election trial to-day, all the remaining charges of corrupt practices were dismissed, and the investigation of alleged irregularities by the Deputy Returning Officer was begun. The scrutiny stands postponed till after the investigation.

Gone Across.

TORONTO, Jan. 26.

Cashier Allen, of the Central Bank, has taken his departure for the United States. His examination was to have been resumed at 2 o'clock this p. m. His departure has caused a great sensation.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Jan. 27—10 a. m.

Gales shifting to north and west; clearing colder weather.

TOBOGGANING to-night.

THERMOMETER.—Warmest since yesterday—29 above zero.

WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.—That the Lyceum Comedy Company deserve a crowded house on Monday, January 30.

NEW POST OFFICE.—The fine new Post Office at Montague Bridge has been opened to the public. The first mail was received there on Sunday last.

TEACHERS ATTENTION.—Superintendents of Methodist Sunday Schools throughout the Island are requested to send their names to Rev. R. Wilson, St. John, N. B., who has important communications to make.

B. I. S.—The members of the Benevolent Irish Society are requested to assemble in regalia at their Hall, Prince Street, on Sunday, the 29th inst., at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother member, John Hennessey, deceased.—JOHN CONNOLLY, Secretary.

SAD ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that a young man named Crawford had the fingers of his right hand sawed off while operating one of the saws in Newson's factory yesterday. The young man who has suffered this serious loss and painful injury is a son of Mr. J. Crawford, formerly Registrar of Deeds in this Province.

IN TROUBLE.—A telegram from Montreal says J. G. H. Brown, partner of Lawrence Rose, who so mysteriously disappeared some time ago, is petitioning the courts to dissolve the firm of Hamilton, Brown, Rose & Co., of which he and Rose are members, and is also asking the courts to condemn Rose to pay \$16,500 which he alleges Rose has defrauded him out of. (Mr. J. G. Hamilton Brown referred to above belongs to Charlottetown, and is well known throughout the Island.—Journal.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Jacob Schurman, Summerside, on the 24th inst., by Rev. J. A. Cahill, Wm. Gordon, a son of Summerside, to Miss Flora Ann Brown, of Charlottetown.

At Georgetown, on the 26th inst., by Jas. Easton, J. P., Henry Campbell, of Milltown, Lot 61, King's County, to Catherine Matheson, of Lot 57, Queen's County.

DIED.

In this city, on the 26th inst., after a lingering illness, John Hennessey, aged 38 years. May his soul rest in peace.

Funeral will leave his late residence, Great George Street, on Sunday afternoon, at 2.45, for St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to the Catholic Cemetery.

On 8th January, of typhoid fever, at Spillmuckna River, British Columbia, John A. J. MacKay, aged 28 years.

At Georgetown, on 15th December, 1887, Daniel McInnis, aged 23 years. May he rest in peace.

At Mount Stewart, on the 25th inst., Geddie Toombs, infant son of John and Elizabeth Alleck, aged 3 months. Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.

1888.

SPRING TRIP

From Liverpool.



The well-known Clipper Barkentine

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JOHN ROACH, Commander.

—WILL SAIL FROM—

Liverpool for Charlottetown,

ABOUT THE 1st APRIL.

And will carry Goods at through rates to the different Railway points on the Island.

For Freight apply in London to John Pitcairn & Sons, Midway Chambers, 7 Union Court, Old Broad Street; in Liverpool to William Bullen, 51 South John Street, or here to the Owners,

PEAKE BROS. & CO.

Ch'town, Jan. 27, 1888—eod

Lyceum Theatre.

MONDAY EVENING,

JANUARY 30th, 1888,

—ON WHICH OCCASION—

The Lyceum Comedy Co.

Will perform the THRILLING DRAMA,

entitled:

JESSIE VERE,

—OR—

THE WANDERER'S RETURN.

To conclude with the LAUGHABLE

PARCE, entitled:

"I DINK SO."

Tickets for sale at the usual places. Prices—

25, 30 and 50 cents.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Curtain rises at 8 sharp.

Jan 25—51

S. WHITTY,

Secretary.

St. Paul's Church Association

WILL BE OPENED WITH AN

ENTERTAINMENT

—IN—

St. Paul's Schoolroom,

—ON—

FRIDAY EVENING, 27th INSTANT.

The Programme will consist of READINGS,

MUSIC, &c.

Doors open at 7.30. Entertainment to commence at 8 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

Jan 24—5, 26, 37

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, and doing business under the name of JAMES PATON & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

(Signed) JAMES PATON, HENRY WEEKS, HERBERT W. FINDLEY.

(Signed) Witness—Ingram Wood, Charlottetown, Jan. 16th, 1888.

Referring to the above, the business will be continued under the style and firm of

JAMES PATON & CO.

(Signed) JAMES PATON, HENRY WEEKS.

(Signed) Witness—Ingram Wood, Charlottetown, Jan. 16th, 1888.

TO LET—A House on Sidney Street, opposite the Brick Church, containing seven rooms, a good cellar, stable and coal house. Apply on the premises.

GREAT DRY GOODS SALE.

We intend to make extensive alterations in our premises next spring, and a change in our business, and to do this must clear out our entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets, &c., &c

To dispose of this immense stock within so short a time, it must be sold at a sacrifice, and we shall therefore, give discounts varying from 20 up to 30 per cent.

The stock consists of Seasonable and Fashionable Goods, which are all marked in plain figures, and at prices that are well known to be the lowest in the market.

This Sale will be for CASH ONLY.

HARRIS & STEWART

SUCCESSORS TO GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, Nov. 18, 1887.

CARNIVAL.

A GRAND CARNIVAL

WILL BE HELD AT

Georgetown Skating Rink

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 1st.

The Artillery Brigade Band will be in Attendance.

Tickets, at Excursion Rates, will be issued at Charlottetown and all Stations east.

Admission—Adults, 25 cents; Children, 15 cents. Doors open at 7.30 p. m.

Jan 25—wy 11 27th dy 25th, 30th

FOR SALE,

THE valuable Property on Great George Street, formerly occupied by the late G. P. Tanton. Apply to

W. N. TANTON, Jeweler,

218 Queen Street.

Jan. 24, 1888—4w eod & wky

MORTGAGE SALE.

TO be Sold by Public Auction, on the premises, Brackley Point Road, Lot 33, in Queen's County, on THURSDAY, the 29th day of January, next, A. D. 1888, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale, contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the 29th day of September, 1872 and made between William Sidney Smith, of the one part, and John Duif, of the other part, all the leasehold interest of the said William Sidney Smith, for the unexpired term of 99 years in and to,—

All that tract, piece or parcel of land, situated lying and being on Township Number Thirty-three, in Queen's County aforesaid, bounded as follows in said Mortgage, that is to say: Commencing at a stake fixed in the ground in the east side of the Brackley Point Road, thence easterly along the southern boundary of land in possession of James Walker, forty-seven chains and sixty-three links, thence west along the western boundary of the said William Sidney Smith's land, southerly for the distance of ten and one-half chains, or until it meets the northern boundary of John Duif, Junior's land, thence along said road to stake or place of beginning, containing fifty acres, a little more or less, and being the premises lately occupied by the said William Sidney Smith.

For further particulars apply at the office of R. B. Fitzgerald, Solicitor, Charlottetown.

Dated 23rd day of December, A. D. 1887.

H. J. CUNDALL, Trustee.

Assignee of Mortgage.

Dec. 27—law ts wky

per R. B. FITZGERALD, his Attorney.

The above sale is hereby postponed until THURSDAY, the NINTH (9th) DAY OF FEBRUARY next, then to take place at the time and place above mentioned.

H. J. CUNDALL, Trustee.

Assignee of Mortgage.

W. S. SMITH, per R. B. FITZGERALD, his Attorney.

Dec. 27—law ts wky

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED—Two Thousand Dollars, at 5 per cent. First-class Real Estate security. Apply at this office. 2w dy wy—Jan 27

WANTED TO RENT.—A small Cottage or three rooms in a convenient part of the city. Apply at this office. pd 1w—Jan 13

NOTICE.—The subscriber hereby gives notice to the citizens of Charlottetown that he will be prepared to deliver on the Mill Pond, South-west of Spring Water Ice, on the first day of February, or sooner if required, at moderate prices.—EDWARD KELLY. 6t eod—Jan 16

TO LET.—The Hall in Scott's Warehouse, Kent Street. Apply to D. MacKenzie, on the premises. 4t—Jan 20

FOR SALE.—Two well-bred Cows, one seven months, and one four months old. Enquire of Dr. Blanchard, at Mrs. Stirling's. 3t—Jan 14

TO BE SOLD at Auction, on Thursday, the 26th January, instant, at noon, the House and Premises on Selwyn Street, occupied by the late Mrs. Mabey. Terms at sale. 1t—Jan 14

HALL STOVE.—For sale, a Denmark Base Burner, with a quantity of Stove Pipe, in good condition. Apply to WILLIAM HEARD, Jan 7

BOARDERS ACCOMMODATED.—At Mrs. McLean's, Hillsborough Street, between Dorchester and King. oct 19 eod 1f

WANTED—A small property (a mill or two out of town), having on it a never-failing spring of water. Information of such please furnish to P. O. Box 83, Charlottetown, or this office. 4t

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AT

Perkins & Sterns.

Ch'town, Nov. 30, 1887.

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OUR New Factory is furnished with the most Modern Labor Saving Machines. We are now able to offer good, reliable home-made Furniture as cheap in price as any imported and guarantee the buyer

25 Per Cent Better Value for his Money

We invite careful comparison of Goods and Prices, and feel confident that our patrons save money by trading with us.

Large Stock! New Designs! Cut Prices!

MARK WRIGHT & CO,

Manufacturers of House, Store, Office, Church and School Furniture.

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Jan. 6, 1888.

Tremendous Knock Down in Prices for

the Holiday Season.

NOW is the time to secure Xmas and New Year's Presents for your friends and relatives, as we have just received a very large stock of goods for you to select from.

Ladies' Gold Watches from \$15, upwards.

Ladies' Silver Watches from \$12, upwards.

Gents' Silver Watches from \$25, upwards.

Nickle Watches from \$5, upwards.

New Style in Brooches from 25cts, upwards.

Ear Rings from 30cts, upwards.

Ladies' Colored Gold Sets from \$15, upwards.

Ladies' Gold Band Rings from \$1, upwards.

Plain Gold Rings from \$1, upwards.

Ladies' Set Rings from \$2, upwards.

Silver Bracelets from \$1.50, upwards.

Range Necklets from 75cts, upwards.

Ladies' Thimbles from 35cts, upwards.

Chains from 40cts, upwards.

Scarf Pins from 20cts, upwards.

Watch Chains from 40cts, upwards.

Collar Buttons from 5cts, upwards.

Cuff Buttons from 20cts, upwards.

Lockets from 25cts, upwards.

Gents' Gold Rings from \$2, upwards.

Silverware at a big discount.

Spectacles from 25cts, upwards.

Eye-glasses from 30cts, upwards.

Nickle Clocks from \$1.75, upwards.

American Walnut Clocks, from 2.50, upwards.

and a lot of other goods, cheaper than has ever been sold before.

Repairing attended to—Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

G. G. JURY,

WATCHMAKER & JEWELLER, NORTH SIDE QUEEN SQUARE,

(Opposite Post Office, Ch'town, P. E. I.

Dec. 5, 1887—2w dy & wy