

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

The city court was in session this morning.

MARCH.—Yesterday we had the lamb; today, the lion.

OATS.—Ontario oats are selling in St. John at 41 to 42 cents per bushel.

PORK AND BEEF.—Both pork and beef have lately advanced in the St. John market. P. E. L. mess sells them at \$15 to \$15.25 per bbl; prime mess at \$12 to \$12.50. Plate beef is quoted at \$13.75 to \$13.16.

PRESENTATION.—Rev. Jas. R. MacKay, Presbyterian minister of Souris and Bay Fortune, has been presented by the Bay Fortune section of his congregation with a valuable sleigh and rugs in token of appreciation of his services.

ALBERTA WEATHER.—From a memorandum kindly sent us from Yarrow District, Alberta, by Dr. J. T. Jenkins, we learn that the temperature during January registered a maximum of 48° on the 4th of the month and a minimum of 12° on the 25th. Only on two days was it below zero, the average minimum being about 14°.

SOCIABLE OLD MEN.—The "old men" of the congregation had a social last night in the basement of the First Methodist Church. The seriousness of old age was not very much to the front, but that was owing probably to the young men and women who acted as auxiliaries. But this only reflects credit on the wisdom of the managers. The social was greatly enjoyed and the numbers on the programme gave much pleasure. Those who took part in the latter were the choir, Miss Alley, The Messrs Earle and Dr. Maloney. The pastor presided.

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No crossing at the Capes to-day.

THE WEATHER.—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly north and west, not much change in temperature.

THOSE who intend going to District Lodge at Vernon River will meet at Wright's Hall at 9 o'clock, a. m., tomorrow morning.

HOCKEY TONIGHT.—The best sport of the season is what may be expected at the hockey match tonight between the Charlottetown and Summerside teams. All should go.

STALLION BOUGHT.—Mr. John M. Nicholson has bought the trotting stallion Almont Wilkes, race record 2.31 1/4 from Mr. Sam Grady of Summerside. Almont Wilkes is the sire of Montrose 2.20 1/4, the fastest trotting gelding in the Maritime Provinces, and Westie Wilkes 2.39 1/4. Almont Wilkes may be seen at Mr. Nicholson's stables on Grafton Street.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.—The cheese market is reported as without any new feature and business exceedingly quiet. The Liverpool public cable is unchanged at 40 s.

A fairly active trade is being done in butter. The tone of the market is firm, finest fresh made creamery selling 19c to 19 1/2c, and held stock at 17.

LECTURE AT BRADALBANE.—Hon. David Laird will deliver his famous lecture "A tour in Scotland" in Bradalbane Hall on Thursday, March 10, at 7.30 p. m. Peter Ferguson, Esq., Charlottetown is expected to play choice Scottish airs and Robert Lamont Esq. Clifton and others will sing select songs. An admission fee of 10 cts. will be charged to purchase chandeliers and other fittings for Public Hall.

HATS! - HATS!

Our Great Hat Sale One Week

25 per cent. Discount

In order to make room for 15 large cases of Christy's Celebrated London Hats, we have decided to clear our present stock out at 25 per cent off.

English, American and Canadian Hard and Soft Hats in all the leading and best makes, must be sold. \$1 hats for 75c; \$1.50 hats for \$1.13; \$2 hats for \$1.50; \$2.50 hats for \$1.88, \$3.25 hats for \$2.44.

Buy a Hat Now

Quality good—Styles all right—Prices away down.

Hard Hats from 25c up. Soft Hats from 25c up.

Don't go looking around town for later styles or better quality, for they are not in the town.

Remember this Sale is for

ONE WEEK ONLY

No hat will be charged at the discount price.

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The Wonderful Cheap Men



Are You Carrying

any Fire Insurance on your property? Are you carrying enough? A fire may happen at any time—generally when you least expect it. A policy in one of these good stock Companies, I represent will protect you from all loss. My Companies never contest a claim.

E. R. BROW, Insurance Agent Charlottetown

DAINTY JEWELRY

very pretty and attractive designs in

- Long Guard Chains
- Chain Bracelets
- Cuff Links
- Brooches

We've a complete line of them, and will be pleased to show them to you.

PRICES LOW

W. W. WELLNER

Jeweler.

Important Announcement

BY

BEER BROS

Our store will be closed during Wednesday and Thursday, to

RE-OPEN FRIDAY

During the two days the store will be closed, we shall mark all goods at

NET CASH PRICES

We intend to signalize this change in our business by instituting one of the greatest bargain sales ever witnessed in Charlottetown.

Be prepared for something sensational on Friday morning.

BEER BROS.

The Modern Girl.

A short skirted girl flying along on her bicycle, with merely a mocking backward glance at the masculine world, is perhaps a more inspiring picture than Amelia weeping over George's letters. A calve-eyed, athletic college woman is certainly in many ways superior to Lady Castlewood with her tender agonies. And yet—and yet—is there not now and then a subtle sense of loss?

If for one confess that Thackeray's type of woman is to me more charming by far than the heroine of today or her living prototype. But both are extremes, and between them lies the golden mean which we may see in Rosalind and Portia.

Today's fashion of hardhood will doubtless pass like yesterday's fashion of excessive softness, but for the present one is almost tempted to say, after The Lady's Book manner: "There is a void in the bright firmament of womanly perfection. Alas for the lost plea of sensibility!"—Annie Steger Winston in Lippincott's.

How to Rest.

Few women know how to rest as they should. They think that they must undress and go to bed to be thoroughly comfortable. This is a mistake, provided there is a tabouret or little footstool in the room on which the feet may rest while the other part of the body is supported by a chair. You can read and rest comfortably in this fashion. And let it be whispered here between ourselves that if we want to get the maximum of rest in the minimum of time we should copy that inelegant but healthful trick of the masculine drones and put our feet occasionally higher than our heads. Fashionable women, to whom the necessity of never showing fatigue and of ever looking their best has taught this knack, fall into this posture whenever they are in the seclusion of their own apartments.—Woman's Life.

The Best Disinfectants.

The best disinfectants are sunlight, fresh air, soap and water. They are all that are needed unless there is actual disease in the house. It is not at all necessary to keep carbolic acid standing about a bathroom if absolute cleanliness prevails. There are the so called disinfectants—deodorizers, which take away bad odors, but do not destroy the cause; antiseptics and others that are largely composed of oxygen, which is easily given out to combine with the same element destroying effete matter. Chloride of lime is of the latter class and permanganate of potassium is another, both being effective. Copperas merely precipitates solid matter from liquid, but does not destroy more than the bad odor. Charcoal is good as a disinfectant, but its process is slow. It is a good plan to always keep a piece of it in the refrigerator. Sulphur has been proved less effective than corrosive sublimate in killing disease germs, but steam is by far the most satisfactory process.—Chicago Times-Herald.

FOR THE LENTEN SEASON

We have secured a quantity of BONELESS CODFISH—guaranteed all codfish, no mixture—which we offer you at a small charge over cost.

ALSO

very fine dry codfish and shredded codfish in packages.

SANDERSON & CO.

TO LET.

That large, three story brick warehouse on corner of Pownal and Dorchester Streets, lately occupied by Messrs. B. & M. Rattenbury. Rent moderate. Apply at the office of the Connolly estate, Queen Street. A. A. McDONALD, W. W. SULLIVAN, ARTHUR PETERS, Trustees of the late Owen Connolly Feb 7 eodf

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Wiltshire Dairying Company, will be held in the hall at North Wiltshire, on Monday, the 7th day of March A. D., 1898 at 2 o'clock p. m. JOHN BALDERSTON, Pres. D. M. HENDERSON, Sec'y. North Wiltshire, Feb. 22nd, 1898.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Full Electric Company of P. E. Island, will be held in the office of F. L. Hazard, Esq., on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1898, at 4 p. m., to transact such business as may come before the meeting.

W. DICKENSON, Managing Director.

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS for the erection of a Methodist Parsonage at Cornwall, P. E. I., will be received by the undersigned, up to noon, on Saturday, March 5th. Plans and specifications may be seen at the store of Fennell & Chandler, Charlottetown.

The committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. GOLDING HOWARD, Chairman of Committee, Cornwall, Feb 23 dy 21 w1

5 Cases New Goods Just Opened in heavy and fine lines.

We are Clearing Out

Some choice lines Women's Boots for about half the regular prices.

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to suit all minds,

Many styles,

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D. STEWART

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BAKES BEST BREAD.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until March 5th, from persons wishing to purchase the surplus butter from the Hillsborough Dairying Company Tenders to state the price per hundred pounds.

JOSEPH FOWER, Secretary. Pro. Tem.

Norman, Lot 48.

TO LET—The house and premises known as the "Old London House," situated on Water St., next to Government Warehouse No. 1. Apply to Peake Bros & Co. Jan 28—17

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