

**The Rink Carnival.**

The Rink Carnival is always anticipated as one of the most delightful entertainments of the winter season. There is a fascination in the graceful movements and the fanciful dresses of the skaters, as they move to the sound of music through the decorated gas-lit room, which irresistibly draws men and women alike from the cosy fireside into the chilly air. We were not surprised, therefore, to see—notwithstanding the stormy day preceding—the balcony well filled with spectators. Indeed, the bright frieze of faces which surrounded the scene was perhaps the most pleasing feature of the occasion. We are quite certain that it was eminently pleasing to the Rink Directors, who could be seen regarding it in evident expectation of the prospective dividend. We feel tolerably sure that it was pleasing to many of the skaters as they

Glided by with upturned eye, seeking the admiring glance of friend or lover. Even to the not particularly interested spectator it must have been pleasing; for what more pleasing study than the human face divine? And here there were hundreds of human faces, forming one grand living circle!

The other adornments of the Rink were not, perhaps, quite so elaborate as those of past years. But, as a set-off to this, the descendants of Jubal were present in double force—the Band of the 82nd Battalion and St. Patrick's Band vying with each other in friendly rivalry. The music was excellent.

The ice was in good condition, and the performers both larger in number and, on the whole, better dressed than at last year's Carnival. But there were no gods or goddesses. The unseen worlds were represented by but one, solitary, wicked, but very attractive and tastefully dressed fairy. We are inclined to think that this fairy, with a perversity characteristic of "the fair," called herself "a wicked fairy," when she should instead have called herself "a witching fairy." However this may be, "February," appropriately dressed in a handsome light suit, with feet only in black—we suppose to represent the "February Thaw,"—presented a pleasing appearance. The "Silver Thaw," too, came in for a large share of attention, and in the reflected light of the gas jets, shed a mild radiance o'er the scene. Nor must we forget the deft and graceful "Silvia," and the beautifully triumed "Christmas Tree,"—both much admired. After these come the Kings and Queens in goodly array. There was the "Forest Queen," to match, with "sweet attractive grace," the fine, tall muscular appearance presented by the heroic "Coeur de Leon." The brave "King Harold," all in magnificent attire, found none of equal rank to be his queen; but the proud young "Gipsy Princess" seemed not unworthy of his love, and the "sweet little buttercup, dear little buttercup" was certainly good enough and pretty enough to claim the admiration of any king. The miniature "Earl of Essex" was "just perfect"—so the ladies say. "An old Gentleman of the Last Century" and "Some Eighty Years Ago," are entitled to our "best respects," and the little Quaker and Quakeress have an air of quaint and quiet self possession, which render them specially interesting. The young "Indian Chief" and the "Indian Girl" were remarkably well-dressed. "Methuselah's Widow" was indeed a great mystery, and "Rags" was as impenetrable as he was active and funny. The clowns were all excellent in their way. There were many other very good characters which we have neither time nor space to notice particularly.

**LADIES' LIST.**

- Broad Miss ..... Indian Girl
- Brown Miss ..... Forest Queen
- Carey Miss ..... A Spanish Dancer
- Dalziel Miss ..... A Flower Girl
- Davis Miss Kate ..... A Charity School Girl
- DesBrisay Miss Maud ..... Minnie-Ha-Ha
- DesBrisay Miss Rosa ..... Priscilla the Puritan
- Douse Miss Julia ..... "A Gleaner"
- Douse Miss V ..... Gipsy
- Dunn Miss Nellie ..... A Charity School Girl
- Gahan Miss ..... A Gipsy Princess
- Hazard Miss ..... An Ancient Dame
- Haviland Miss Blanche ..... Five o'clock Tea
- Henderson Miss Maud ..... Little Red Riding Hood
- Hobkirk Miss ..... Pastry Cook
- Hobkirk Miss Maggie ..... Sylvia
- Ings, Miss ..... Evergreens
- Ings, Miss Constance ..... Priscilla the Old Fashioned Girl
- Lea, Miss ..... February
- Lockhead, Miss ..... Bianca
- Longworth, Miss Fannie ..... Prudence, the Old Fashioned Girl
- Longworth, Miss Eliza ..... Rustico French Girl
- Longworth, Miss Bell ..... Red, White and Blue
- McLeod, Miss Georgie ..... Highland Lassie
- Peters, Miss ..... A Wicked Fairy
- Rankin, Miss Maggie ..... Needles and Pins
- Richards, Miss ..... A Polish Lady
- Roberts, Miss Edith ..... A Shepherdless
- Roberts, Miss Fanny ..... A Reaper
- Saunders, Miss H. ..... Anne of Gierstein
- Saunders, Miss ..... A Polish Peasant
- Strickland, Mrs. ..... Silver Thaw
- Strickland, Miss Lottie ..... Liberty
- Wilson, Miss Sadie ..... A Quakeress
- Wright, Miss Katie ..... Little Butter Cup
- Youngusband, Miss Lilly ..... Christmas Tree

**GENTLEMEN'S LIST.**

- Allan, John ..... Drummer Boy
- Bevan, Fredk. .... A Fireman
- Boulton, Capt. Old Gentleman of Last Century
- Boulton, Fredk. .... Earl of Essex
- Bourke, Crilly ..... Man-o'-War Sailor
- Bremner, Benj. ....
- Brown, Charles ..... A Brigand
- Crabbe, Otto ..... Tony Lumpkin
- Davies, Daniel, jr. .... Some Eighty Years Ago
- Davies, Harry D. .... Jockey
- Davies, Willie ..... Man-o'-War Sailor
- Davison, Wm. .... An Engineer
- DesBrisay, Delacour. .... Quaker
- Devine, Alex. .... A Turkish Gentleman
- Doyle, Thos. .... A Coal Miner
- Farquharson, R. S. .... An Irish Swell
- Fraser, James A. .... A Clown
- Gormley, James ..... A Callid Artilleryman
- Harris, W. C., jr. .... King Harold
- Higgs, Robt. C. .... Brother Jonathan

- Hobkirk, Percy ..... Clown
- Hobkirk, Harry ..... Little Boy Blue
- Kennedy, Frank ..... A Spanish Don
- Laird, Rene ..... An Indian Chief
- LeLacheur, Walter ..... Sailor H. M. Pinafore
- Longworth, B. F. .... Coeur de Lion
- Longworth, John A. .... Harlequin
- Longworth, R. .... Knight of the Golden Cross
- May, Thos. W. .... A Persian Magician
- Moore, John A. .... Ray Flax
- McEachern, A. .... Skidemore Guards
- McLeod, Frank ..... LaCrosse
- MacQueen, D. A. .... Cape Ann Fisherman
- Newberry, Arthur ..... Indoor Livery, 18th Cen.
- Norton, E. H. .... A Colored Clergyman
- Owen, L. C., jr. .... Sailor H. M. S. Cadmus
- Owen, Wm. .... Sailor H. M. S. Pinafore
- Palmer, Robert ..... A Page
- Palmer, Willie ..... Snow-shoer
- Peters, Arthur ..... Prince Charmer
- Reddin, D. O'M., jr. .... Lorenzo
- Rice, Stephen J. .... Methuselah's Widow
- Robins, Thos. .... Man-o'-War Sailor
- Sloggett, Harry ..... Page
- Smith, Wm. H. .... Court Jester
- Strickland, Wm. L. .... Fairy Prince
- Watson, A. F. .... Lozorandico the Mask
- Watson, L. W. .... Music
- Wright, John ..... Man O' War Sailor
- Wyatt, G. W. .... Naval Officer

**Public Meeting at Lot 8.**

**LOCAL WANTS DISCUSSED—WHARF AND BREAK-WATER AT WEST POINT.**

A meeting, called by the electors, and at which the different representatives of the district were requested to attend, was held at the Springfield Schoolhouse, O'Leary Road, on the 27th ult., for the purpose of making known to Dominion and Local representatives of the district the peculiar requirements of the Western part. After choosing Mr. Henry Welsh Chairman, and appointing a secretary, reports of two meetings, held respectively at Cape Wolfe and West Point, were read, after which it was announced by the Chairman that a petition for a breakwater at West Point, to which were attached nearly 300 names, lay on the table, but as neither of the representatives of the district in the House of Commons was present, it need not be then read.

A unanimously signed petition, praying for the opening of the Locke Road, was brought to the notice of the meeting. Mr. SAMUEL MINLEY said an extension to the wharf at West Point was needed. About fifty feet from the end of the wharf a bar prevented a schooner from coming nearer the wharf, for fear of grounding. The wharf is therefore avoided by vessels; whereas, if 100 feet were added to it, the difficulty would be removed.

Mr. JOHN YEO inclined to the opinion that the Dominion Government should carry on the building of the West Point wharf. Its having been begun as a local work is the great obstacle in the way of inducing that Government to take it in hand. Whatever additions to the wharf are necessary for the business of the country must now be made by the Provincial Government. Its having stood the storm of last October proves its suitable situation. Notwithstanding the difficulties in loading referred to by Mr. Kinley, he knew that several schooner loads of produce had been shipped from that port last fall, and had the people the shipping facilities asked for, the exports would be much increased. The delay in opening the Locke Road is not only a serious inconvenience to those who are settled on the road, but also debars many others from a privilege of considerable importance.

Mr. JAMES RICHARDS said the construction of a breakwater at West Point, and the extension to the wharf at the same place would not interfere with each other, and might be carried on at one and the same time. He had called the attention of the Commissioner of Public Works to the sand bank blocking up the road leading to West Point wharf, but was lately informed that nothing has yet been done to remove the obstruction. The people being so far from the Railroad are entitled to some compensation for being excluded from the privileges enjoyed by those living nearer the line.

Mr. BENJAMIN ROGERS referred briefly to the local wants of the district. He said a very important measure was discussed during the last session of the Local Legislature, and the same will probably be a subject for the next session. He referred to the question of the abolition of the Legislative Council. He voted against the House of Assembly Bill because it did not provide sufficient safeguard to property; was so dangerous a bill that the gentleman who introduced it in the Upper House, expressed himself as having no faith in it, and it was vastly inferior to the Legislative Council's Bill, in an economical point of view. The House of Assembly was not elected as a whole Legislature, but they endeavoured to arrogate to themselves this exclusive authority, and wanted the Council to assent to this usurpation, and resign the confidence reposed in them, into the hands of men who were not elected for the purpose of being so trusted.

Several electors present addressed the meeting, after which the following resolutions were passed. On motion of Mr. J. Currie—

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this meeting that the Constitution of the Island remain unchanged. On motion of Mr. John Crawford—

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered to the representatives of the district present for the manner in which they acted during the last session of the Local Legislature. S. McEACHERN, Secretary.

My WIFE suffered with prolapsus uteri, fluor albus, complicated with other female troubles. Her life was miserable. Rev. Guy S. Frazey, of the Methodist Church, advised me to try Giles' Liniment Iodide Ammonia, he telling me of the wonders it had performed on his wife, who was a martyr to such troubles and is now well. I obtained the Liniment, and my wife is cured. Charles R. Jones, Editor Observer, Charlotte, N. C. Write to Dr. GILES, 129 West Broadway, N. Y., who will cure without charge. Giles' Pills cure Gout. Sold by W. R. Watson. Trial bottles 25 cents.

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**FEBRUARY!**

**1880.**

**STOCK-TAKING.**

WE hereby inform the public of this city, and the Island generally, that previous to Stock-taking, we have resolved to clear out as much of our Winter Stock as possible. We are aware that at this season it is hard to get people to buy even at reduced prices; but in the face of this difficulty we have made up our mind to adopt full measures, and sell our Wool Goods and Dress Goods at a sacrifice.

Our Goods have been very cheap all winter, as the run of trade we have had fully testifies. Our store has become the resort of those Ladies who know how to make a penny go a long way, and who know a cheap article when they see it; and when we say we are going to reduce the prices of our Dress Goods and Trimmings, we know we shall be believed. We are particularly anxious to clear out our present Stock, in order to introduce as much of the newest style of Dress Material as possible, and at the very lowest prices. We shall make special prices on Black Cashmeres, Black Merinos, Black Cords and Lustres, Lustrines and Brilliantines.

Our Fancy Wool Goods will be sold at less than cost. Our Stock of this class was the largest, most select, and finest in the city, and the remains of it will be sold at a great sacrifice.

Blankets, Quilts, Horse Rugs, &c., will be cleared out at great Bargains.

We make no apology to the Tea-drinking public for drawing their attention to our fine flavored and rich Teas, 32, 36, and 40 cents per lb. They are receiving the highest praise, and those who use them, strongly recommend them to others. Our trade in this article is growing rapidly. Tea appeals to the most subtle of the senses, and as the proof of the pudding is in the eating, so the proof of the Tea is in the drinking. Friends, try it.

**83, QUEEN STREET,**

**TREMAINE & METCALF.**

Ch'town, Jan. 21, 1880.

**MASONIC.**

**GRAND MASONIC ENTERTAINMENT**

—AT THE—

**MARKET HALL,**

**On Monday Evening, February 9th, 1880,**

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF KING SOLOMON LODGE, A. F., A. M.,

And Under the Patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

The Quintette Club, with the best Vocal and Instrumental talent in the City, will provide the Musical part of this Entertainment, and a rare treat may be expected. Admission 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents. Tickets to be had at the different Drug Stores in the city and at Bremner Bros. Doors open at 7.30. Chair taken at 8 o'clock. Feb. 3, 1880—pat 2i, h li D. R. McLENNAN, Secretary.

**EXTENSIVE SALE OF STAPLE GOODS! AT AUCTION.**

I AM instructed to sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, an extensive Stock of Tea, Liquor and Tobacco,

—AT THE—

**Bonded Warehouse,**

**Thursday, 12th Feb'y, inst.,**

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Will be sold in lots to suit purchase, Duty paid or in Bond.

TEA.

50 chests } Warranted good.

25 half-chests }

LIQUORS

- 3 hhds Gin,
- 19 gr. casks Gin,
- 110 cases Gin, Red and Green Seal,
- 70 cases Brandy, Quart Flasks and Barrels,
- 116 cases Whiskey, Quarts and Flasks,
- 10 cases "Old Tom,"
- 3 casks Port Wine,
- 1 cask Brandy (dark) } Duty paid.
- 1 cask Ginger Wine,

TOBACCO.

- 12 boxes "Pride of Quebec,"
- 15 butts "Cable Twist,"
- 10 boxes "Beaver."

The above Goods are ordered for positive Sale, and afford a chance that will not occur again this season. The Stocks held of these classes of Goods is very light, and will be much wanted before new Spring arrivals come in.

W. D. STEWART, Auctioneer.

Feb. 5, 1880—eod

**ZION CHURCH CONCERT.**

THE SABBATH SCHOOL in connection with Zion Church will give a Concert and Literary Entertainment, IN THE BASEMENT,

**Thursday, the 5th February.**

Assisted by the Choir and several musical instruments, we intend this to be one of the most enjoyable entertainments of the season. Admission 15 cents; children 10 cents. Doors open at 7 1/2 o'clock; concert to commence at 8.

D. M. FRASER, Musical Director. J. A. LAWSON, Supt. S. School.

Jan. 26, 1880—2aw wth, pres pat ar

**Firewood. Firewood.**

THE Relief Committee have on hand 30 loads of Kindling and Firewood—cut, ready for use, which they will sell cheap. Application to be made to Jas Peake, Esq., L. L. Beer, Treas., or

W. D. STEWART, Sec'y of Com

Feb. 3, 1880.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

The President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Prince Edward Island, Plaintiffs; and Julia McRae, Defendant.

BY virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, issued out of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature at the suit of The President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Prince Edward Island against Julia McRae, I have taken and seized as the property, goods and chattels of the above named Defendant, Julia McRae, two (2) shares in the Capital Stock of the Bank of Prince Edward Island. And I do hereby give public notice that I will, on TUESDAY, the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1880, at Twelve o'clock, noon, at the Law Courts in Charlottetown, in the said County, set up and sell by Public Auction the said two (2) shares of the Bank of Prince Edward Island to satisfy the levy marked on said Writ, being \$194.50, besides Sheriff's fees and all other incidental expenses.

WILLIAM R. WATSON, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Queen's County, } 3rd February, A. D. 1880. R. R. FITZGERALD, Plaintiff's Attorney. 2i

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**THE 'BUDA' FLOUR,**

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**Choice Brands,**

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**BEER & GOFF'S.**

Jan. 12, 1880.

**Dissolution of Partnership.**

THE Co-Partnership heretofore carried on by the Subscribers, under the name of Dorsey & Jost, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the Firm will be paid by R. K. Jost, to whom all parties indebted to said Firm are requested to make payment—at McGill's old stand, Queen Street.

JOHN DORSEY, RICH'D K. JOST.

Charlottetown, Jan. 15, 1880—rg ar pat 3i

**NOTICE.**

I TAKE this opportunity to inform the public that I have leased the new Shop recently fitted up at McGill's Old Stand, on Queen Street, a few doors below the London House; and having bought the Stock and Machinery of the late Firm of Dorsey & Jost, I shall be prepared, in a few days, to carry on the Boot and Shoe business in all its branches. Custom work a specialty—on cash principles.

JOHN DORSEY.

Ch'town, Jan. 15, 1880—ar pat

**Herring. Codfish.**

CHEAP FOR CASH,—

- 50 bbis. Herring,
- 100 qtls Codfish,
- 200 bags Salt.

D. SMALL,

Head Queen's Wharf, opposite I. C. Hall's.

**To Fisheries and Factories.**

ONE TON AMERICAN MANILLA MARLIN (Tarred and White), Cotton Lines, Twines, Leads, Hooks, Bait Mills, Fishing Anchors, Cotton Ducks (light and heavy), 100 coils Manilla Rope, Hemp Rope, Wire Rope, Paints, Oils, Tar, Oakum, Ships Chandlery, Sail Making, Light, Ducks for Boats' Sails.

D. SMALL

Jan. 21, 1880—tf

**S. S. "NORTHERN LIGHT,"**

WILL MAKE DAILY TRIPS between Georgetown and Pictou, until further notice, (Sundays excepted) leaving Georgetown at 6 a. m., and Pictou at 1.40 p. m., weather permitting.

WM. MITCHELL, Agent o Dep't

Ch'town, Dec. 19, 1879.

**COOKED CORNED BEEF**

Most Economical for Family Use, being More than Twice its Weight of Uncooked Meat.

Sold by the lb. and in Tins,

—AT—

**BEER & GOFF'S.**

Jan. 13, 1880.

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