

NOT TO BE CAUGHT.

SIR.—Who is Prohibitionist in the Guardian? Is he one of the three famous Tailors of Tooley Street who said, "We, the people of London." Prohibitionist is not a temperance man at all, but a Grit first and last and all the time, and he need not tell us that he will vote for the party that will promise prohibition, for all know that he will vote Grit. He did that before but did not get prohibition, and what is more he does not want it, and never expected to get it. The Grits will promise everything that they are asked. But they do not fulfil their promises, as Prohibitionist and every body else knows.

I may tell Prohibitionist and Grit that there are other things to be considered besides schemes to catch votes.

CONSISTENCY.

Local Notices.

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Local and Other Items.

THE PRESS.—Moderate to fresh south to west winds; showery today. West winds and fine, mild weather tomorrow.

THEY COME HIGH.—On the 17th of last month eggs in Dawson City, according to the Klondike Nugget, sold for \$1.75 a dozen.

SPLENDID CHORUS and solo singing at the Patriotic concert for the Red Cross Fund on Monday evening. See the tabeau.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY Monday the 23rd Sons of England concert in the Opera House in the evening. Proceeds for Red Cross Fund.

THE TEMPERATURE.—The lowest last night was 40 above zero; the highest 1:30 to-day was 48. The rain fall since 1 p.m. yesterday was  $\frac{3}{8}$  of an inch.

BIBLE SOCIETY.—The treasurer of the P. E. Island Auxiliary Bible Society thankfully acknowledges the receipt of twenty-five dollars from the Princetown Presbyterian congregation through the Honorable Peter S. McNeill.

PATRIOTIC CONCERT—This evening in St. Peter's School Room, the concert, in behalf of the Soldiers' Wives' Fund will be presented by the juvenile sons and daughters of our city militia officers. We trust our patriotic citizens will give our young friends a full house. The programme is a good one and should draw a full house. Full boxes of candy only 10 cents. This evening don't forget the date.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.—The Mechanics' Manufacturing Company, of Summerside, has secured the contract for the erection and completion of the new St. Mary's Church at Indian River. The plans and specifications were prepared by Mr. W. C. Harris, A. R. C. A., who believes that this will be one of the handsomest church edifices he has planned. Mr. Harris has designed three altars and a pulpit for the church and under the supervision of His Lordship the Bishop of Charlottetown. The contract for these has been let to Mr. Bernard Creamer, of Souris.

GRADUATED.—Mr. Geo. C. Alchorn, son of T. B. Alchorn, Esq., and Mr. M. Vicent Blake, son of Maurice Blake, Esq., of this city, have just been awarded diplomas for a full business course at the P. E. Island Commercial College, by Principal Oxenham. Both of these young gentlemen have received a first class training, and they enter upon the duties pertaining to their profession grandly equipped for a highly successful business career. Our best wishes follow both of them. Wherever their services are secured, we expect to see them reflect honor upon their native city.

EVERYONE should remember that by the loss of health, enjoyment and happiness also are lost forever. Check the slightest cough or cold by using Adamson's Botanic Congh Balsam, according to directions printed upon the label of the bottle. 25c. all Druggists.

Don't forget that Thursday evening, April 26th, is the time of the great millinery opening.—Moore & McLeod.

MR. S. N. EARLE'S Grand Concert and Opera combined.—The music loving people of Charlottetown will have the opportunity of taking in two concerts in one evening at the Opera on Tuesday evening, May 1st. The first part will consist of 12 choice numbers, consisting of choruses, quintettes, orchestra music, vocal solos. The second part will consist of "The Beautiful Operetta in two acts, entitled Pauline, or the Bell of Saratoga. This is under competent management.

We'll not describe the big millinery opening in advance—only tell you to expect it on Thursday evening, 26th April. Expect to see the finest millinery show yet held in P. E. I.—Moore & McLeod.

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To your purse. If you need anything in our line just drop in and see what we can do for you. Your friends will tell you that we are in a position to supply Pure Drugs and Medicines at lower prices than our competitors. Our Prescription department is conducted in the interests of the people. Our prices are guaranteed to be 25 per cent lower than others. Every prescription receives our very best attention, and only the purest English Drugs and chemicals are used.

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PERSONAL.

The friends of Mr. H. V. Palmer are glad to see him out again after his severe illness.

Dr. John W. Daniel has been elected Mayor of St. John, N. B. His majority over Mayor Sears was 612.

Mr. F. S. Jost, of Miller Bros., who has been on a business trip to Toronto, returned home last night.

Mr. Thos. Hardrahan who has been on a business trip to Nova Scotia, returned to Charlottetown last evening.

Mr. Cadrin, who has been attending the Charlottetown Business College, left this morning for his home in Quebec city.

Major John Rogers, who has been east in the interest of Evans & Son, Montreal, came to Charlottetown this forenoon.

Mr. Geo. A. Freeze, the energetic representative of the Maine Central Railway, is among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies.

Madame Parent and Miss Parent, who have been in Charlottetown for several days, left this morning on return to Quebec.

Rev. J. W. McConnell left this morning for New York to attend the Ecumenical Missionary Conference which opens on Monday next.

Messrs J. F. Robertson and F. Sterns, two of the Island students at McGill University, Montreal, came to Charlottetown by the mail special last evening.

Rev. D. J. Gillis, of Indian River, and a number of other Roman Catholic clergymen are in the city to-day assisting the Cathedral clergy in the Forty Hours Devotion.

Mr. Malcolm McDonald, who was a few years ago a well known journalist in Montreal, is now editor of the Arctic Evening Sun, Nome, Alaska, the subscription to which is thirty-six dollars per annum.—Montreal Star.

The marriage of Mr. Angus R. McKenzie, of Cardigan, to Miss Emma Maclean, of New Perth, took place on the 16th inst., at the residence of Mr. Henry Seller, King Square. Rev. Mr. Gunn, of Cardigan, officiated. Miss Janie Moar, of New Perth, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Samuel A. Seller, of this city, attended the groom.

It is pleasing to hear that there is no truth in the report published in the papers a few weeks ago to the effect that Private Reginald Cox, of "G." Company, was among the sick sent to Netley Hospital, England. His mother yesterday received a letter from him written at Bloemfontein and dated March 20, at which time he was in excellent health.

NOTES AND COMMENTNS.

—Mr. Martin is carrying on a bad personal government in British Columbia, and Mr. Farquharson is carrying on a bad personal government in P. E. Island. The people are awaiting their chance to dismiss both of them.

—Judging by correspondence to hand, some of which we publish, the people see into the politico-Provincial Prohibition scheme of our promise breakers and grit editors, to catch votes, and have come to the conclusion that they have been humbugged often enough.

—The largest steamers which were launched in the United Kingdom during last year are the following: Oceanic, 17,274 tons gross; Ivernia, 13,000; Minneapolis, 13,750; Saxon, 12,970; Saxonia, 12,750; Persic, 11,972.

—The Patriot announces that "the steamer Southport runs to West River on Friday next." An election is at hand. When an election was in the distance, the Alameda was good enough for the people of West River. But Premier Farquharson expects the people of West River to forget all about that, and vote for him as of old. "The Alameda" and "License" are both, alike, repudiated now that an election is in sight.

—Mr. Fred Peters, Q. C., has been read out of the Liberal party in British Columbia. His offence is that as chairman of a Liberal convention, he accepted as suitable for discussion a resolution, as follows: "Resolved, That the liberals in provincial convention assembled hereby refuse to accept the government of the Hon. Joseph Martin as a representative liberal administration, and hereby declare that it is optional with any liberal to support or oppose the government." Several Liberals of the Martin wing protested that such a resolution ought not to be considered; Mr. Peters ruled that it was in order; the meeting broke up in disorder, and on the next day The World—the Liberal organ—denounced Mr. Peters.

TEMPERANCE OPINION.

SIR.—A wise man may be fooled once, but a fool you can deceive as often as you choose. "Prohibitionist" in the Guardian admits himself of the latter class. He admits himself ready to be deceived again, and the deceiver is also ready to take him in his trap. His champion, Farquharson, was a prohibitionist the day he introduced the Regulation Act, the next day he was full pledged for license. Now, under the Laurier hypnotism he is facing both ways and even scriptural like St. Paul—"all things to all men." A strong argument on the temperance platform has been don't vote for the liquor men. Watch those men and the Guardian writer on election day, hand in hand, working for the two-faced leader.

REAL PROHIBITIONIST.

Watch for the big millinery exhibit, Thursday evening, 26th inst. Moore & McLeod.

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Local and Other Items.

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C. O. F.—Regular session of Court Charlottetown, to-night at 8 o'clock, in Mechanics' Hall, Prowse Block.

ARTILLERY—No 1 Co., 4th Regiment, C. A., meets this evening at 7 o'clock at the Drill shed. All old and new members will attend and uniforms are to be given out.

FORTY HOURS DEVOTION.—The Forty Hours Devotion began in St. Dunstan's Cathedral at eight o'clock this morning. The Mass of Exposition was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Rev. R. B. Macdonald, of Rustico.

SONS OF ENGLAND.—Don't forget the Sons of England Entertainment in the Opera House on Monday evening next. The programme prepared is of the best description and should draw a full house. Secure your seats early.

A QUICK PASSAGE.—The arrival at Operto of the schooner Evelyn, Captain Benoit is reported. The Evelyn made the run from St. John's Nfld., to Operto in 15 days. This is the third time this year that Captain Benoit has made this passage in such good time.

MINSTREL SHOW.—The League of the Cross have posters in the store windows advertising their minstrel show on April 30th. The entertainment will be just as flashy as the posters, and will bristle with good songs, local hits, etc. Don't miss it. Tickets 25 and 35 cents and you will get "youa money's worth."

WOMEN'S COUNCIL.—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Local Council will be held in the Prince of Wales College on Saturday April 21st at 3:30 p. m.; and at 3 o'clock the same day and place. The President calls for an executive meeting with the request that there will be a full attendance as business of importance will be discussed.

BAIT FREEZER.—Mr. Fraser, of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, is at Alberton constructing a Bait Freezer for that enterprising place. The work is late in being started and the Department will need to move at a pace out of their usual to get the freezer ready for the spring herring, a necessity of the first order in this matter.

EASTER FESTIVAL POSTPONED.—The Festival and Basket Social which was to have taken place in aid of St. Joseph's Convent, on Wednesday evening, has been postponed until Saturday evening, 21st inst. Baskets or refreshments will be gratefully received by the committee. Admission 10 cents. Doors open at 7 p. m. Entertainment at 8 p. m. sharp.—3ins.

A REPORT CORRECTED.—We are asked to state that there is no truth in the statement made in the Patriot last evening to the effect that Louis Large, who left here with the Mounted Police some weeks ago, is to return home. So far as this being the case Louis intends taking part in the bicycle races to be held at Regina on Queen's Birthday, and in order that he may lose no time in beginning training his wheel was shipped to him to-day. The injuries he received are very slight, and were caused by his being kicked by a broncho.

A HANDSOME GIFT.—The young men's branch of the League of the Cross in this city have received from their spiritual director, Rev. J. F. Johnston, a magnificent flag which will serve in the future to grace the processions of their society. The flag is of purple silk. It has on one side a beautiful picture of St. Aloysius, the Patron Saint of the League, and on the other, in silver, a cross with the motto, "In Hoc Signo Vincas," in this sign thou shalt conquer. The painting of the picture was done by the Sisters of Notre Dame, Montreal, the other work was done at St. Joseph's Convent, in this city. The flag is a beautiful one, exquisite in every detail. Father Johnston takes a great interest in the young men of the Cathedral congregation, and this valuable gift serves only to give greater testimony of his devotion to their welfare.

**House Cleaning.**

Read our list of helps.

Disinfectant Soaps for washing paint, etc., 28 oz. for	12c
Varnish Restorer	
For restoring all varnished surfaces	15c
Ox Gall Soap	
For cleaning carpets, etc.	10c
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