

Local and Other Items.

The forms to be used in amending Lists of Voters can be obtained from Mr. A. A. McLean, Secretary of the Liberal-Conservative Association.

READ outside pages.

TORONTOING to-night.

CITY COUNCIL meeting to-night.

MALES arrived at half-past three.

The City Small Debt Court was in session to-day.

The Northern Light is still ice-bound in Picton harbor.

SEVERAL civic officials have been suspended on account of intemperate habits.

THE steamer Rowena sailed from Halifax on Thursday. She took 330 packages for the Indian and colonial exhibition.

REV. MR. WHITMAN baptized six persons in the Baptist Church yesterday, making thirty-one baptisms since the new year.

JOHN BROWN was recaptured by officer Costello, in a house at the west end of the city, at one o'clock Sunday morning.

GRAND EXCURSION to Summerside Carnival. Train leaves station at 4.30, to-morrow. Tickets, good to return, \$1.25.

AN important meeting of the Dominion Alliance was held in this city on Saturday evening last. The results will probably appear.

EX Northern Light: New Feathers, new Tinsel Trimmings, new Mantle Ornaments, new Fringes, just received at J. B. Macdonald's.

CONCERT AT CORNWALL.—The Methodist choir intend giving a concert at Cornwall, on Wednesday evening next, in aid of the Cornwall Church funds.

JUST received, ex Northern Light, one case American Knitting Cotton, all colors, best quality, will be sold very cheap.—Stanley Bros., Brown's Block.

MOORE and Goldsmith are the poets to be discussed before St. George's Literary and Dramatic Society on Wednesday evening Mr. Malloy will read the opening paper.

THE Second Methodist Sunday School will have their programme out in a few days for the entertainment which they intend giving Thursday, 18th inst. (It will be on a new plan.)

A PAPER on "Common School Education" will be read at the meeting of the Caledonian Club Literary Society this evening. It will be followed by a discussion on the subject.

WE are sorry to say that Saturday night last, dogs obtained access to the sheep-pen of Hon. D. Ferguson, at East River, killing three or four valuable sheep, and severely mutilating as many more.

A RUNAWAY HORSE created a sensation on Queen Street, about half-past nine last night. Buffalo robes, &c., were strewn about the street, where they were picked up by the police, and the horse was slightly injured.

THE attraction at the Auction Sale to-night at the Diamond Bookstore will be a superb lot of Fancy Goods and Varieties. A fine stock of Electro-Plated Ware will be disposed of to-morrow evening, and may be inspected any time prior to the sale.

REMEMBER the fancy table to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. James' Hall. The ladies have prepared a supply of useful articles, and invite the public to come and see. St. James' Hall Entertainments have been always a success. Go and enjoy yourselves.

MR. THEO. L. CHAPPELL has had placed before his premises, the Diamond Bookstore, an additional Electric Lamp, which will be lighted for the first time to-night. It is placed in front of the south window, and will assist materially in the display of goods to be auctioned which are there exhibited.

A NEW ISLAND EXPORT.—The usually well informed, but of late reckless, Monetary Times, says: "There are forty lime-kilns in Prince Edward Island, which burned last year 50,000 tons of lime. Most of it went to Maine." As it originally appeared the item read "most of it went for manure." We are also in doubt as to the correctness of the quantity quoted by the Times.

F. R. PAGE, C. E., is in correspondence with Mr. McDonald, of the Customs Department, respecting waterworks for Charlottetown, with a view to tendering. He represents a very wealthy company in Massachusetts, and makes waterworks and sewerage especially. He wants accurate and definite information, which Mr. McDonald will, no doubt, be able to forward to him.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon, two men charged with being drunk and disorderly, were each fined \$10 or twenty days; two drunks were fined \$5 or ten days and \$4 or ten days. The Brown boys for the larceny of Dr. Bagnall's coat, were remanded for eight days, and the young man O'Hare, who was found with Policeman Steele's coat in his possession, was further remanded.

In an article on "The Opening Day," describing the sights and scenes in Parliament, the Ottawa Evening Journal says:—"Only one man in the House had the nerve to begin working immediately. That man was the Hon. L. H. Davies, who wrote letters." This probably accounts for the lengthy and brilliant correspondence which appeared in the Patriot agent the opening.

No means has been taken by the manufacturers to push the sale of their "Myrtle Navy" tobacco, except giving from time to time a simple statement of the facts connected with it in the public press. The large and rapidly increasing demands for it has been the result of the experience of smokers which these statements suggested. Their advice to business men is to advertise largely if they have the right article to keep up the advertisement with.

UNDER the head of Religious Intelligence, the Halifax Globe says: Rev. W. B. King

is expected to come into residence at St. Luke's, the first week in Lent. Mr. King is well known for his work under the late Rev. G. W. Hoagson, and possesses fine talents. He will be warmly welcomed in Halifax.

EXTENSIVE repairs are now being effected on Prince Street Ferry Wharf. The head of the wharf is being re-piled, about seventy-five feet of the north wing is being rebuilt with heavy timber, and a new block, 25x65 feet, built solid from the bottom, is being placed at the approach to the wharf. The slips, floats, gates, &c., are also being repaired. The cost will be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$3,000, and the work will likely be completed in a fortnight's time. Mr. John King is the foreman, and altogether about thirty men are employed.

WE are sorry to learn that the dwelling house of Mr. James McLeod, at Lot 48, together with all its contents—including several hundred bushels of potatoes and turnips stored in the cellar—was totally destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. The house was a new one, two storeys high, and was worth about \$2,000. The family were away from home at the time of the fire. As there was no insurance, Mr. McLeod's loss is very great, and it is hoped that a kind and considerate public will render him all the aid in their power in his misfortune, as no one would be more ready than himself to help a man in like position.

YESTERDAY afternoon Capt. M. Hickey and Mr. W. S. Stewart started out for a drive on the Hillsborough ice, the Captain holding the ribbons. When a short distance above the Hospital for the Insane the ice suddenly gave way beneath them. The Captain was thrown from the sleigh, and his companion scrambled out with much difficulty. The pan of ice upon which the horse and sleigh stood kept gradually sinking, while the horse was making every effort to secure a foothold on the solid ice. At length, by a good spring, he succeeded in jumping off the sinking cake and landed on the surrounding ice comparatively uninjured. Beyond a slight wetting, both of the gentlemen were unhurt.

In an account of the annual meeting of the New Zealand Gaelic Society, the Dunedin, N. Z., Evening Herald says: "Dr. Gillies spoke at some length in favor of upholding the Gaelic language, descended on its beauties, and severely condemned the conduct of such Highlanders as seemed anxious, when mixing in Lowland society, to lose their Gaelic as quickly as possible. As a contrast to such silliness he was proud to introduce to the meeting two Canadian Highlanders whom he observed present. One of them, Capt. Angus Macpherson, from Point Prim, Prince Edward Island, had never been in Scotland, nor his parents before him, but he spoke Gaelic as fluently and as correctly as if he had lived all his days in the Isle of Skye. The other gentleman, Mr. Donald McKenzie, was born in Cape Breton, had never seen Scotland, and had even left Cape Breton twenty-seven years ago, but had preserved his Gaelic so perfectly as to make it doubtful if any one present could surpass him in his command of the language. Such Highlanders were an honor to the magnificent Canadian dominion to which they belonged, and, as Vice-President of the New Zealand Gaelic Society, he gave them a cordial welcome."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Letter from Mr. J. M. Duncan

Sir,—Of late, correspondence from anonymous writers has appeared in the columns of THE EXAMINER, wherein I am made the subject of personal attack. Your correspondents have not had the moral courage to appear over their proper signatures, nor have they deemed it prudent to make mention of me by name; but, with all the treachery of assassins, have, under cover of darkness, aimed at injuring me. I have patiently borne with their flagitious tissues of baseless assertions, though often advised to contradict their statements, being assured they were directed at me. But my name not having been mentioned, and fearing, should I attempt a reply, that my communication should share, at the hands of the editor of THE EXAMINER, a fate similar to previous ones, wherein I sought redress for personal attacks in its columns, I took no further notice of your correspondents' slanders. But lest silence on my part should be construed into a belief in the truth of such foul fabrications, I have thought it advisable to ask you to give space to this notice of your correspondents.

So far as "A. O. T.'s" remarks are intended to refer to me, I state them to be the foulest of libels that ever appeared in print. As Mr. Lawson is, I presume, well able to take care of himself, it is more than probable that he does not thank "A. O. T." for having dragged his name before the public in this connection. As respects the statements of your correspondent "Catholic" they are as flagrant falsehoods as are those of "A. O. T."

It might not be taken amiss were I to suggest to the editor the propriety of excluding from his columns any more writing under this head from anonymous correspondents, unless it is intended to make THE EXAMINER a medium of slander.

In conclusion, permit me to say that if your correspondents "Catholic" or "A. O. T." will attack me by name, or endorse what they have already written over their proper signatures, I promise that their names, for once, at least, shall be placed upon the records of the civil courts.

Yours,  
J. M. DUNCAN.

March 8, 1886.

A Contradiction.

Sir,—For some weeks past communications have appeared in THE EXAMINER, over the anonymous signatures of "Catholic" and "A. O. T." It is well known to the public that the object of these disgraceful attacks is to injure Mr. J. M. Duncan, one of the city school teachers.

I hereby state, on behalf of the "Protestant Union Company," that the statements in these communications, as far as they affect Mr. Duncan, are false.

JOSEPH WISE,  
President of Directors.

REPAIRING.—All kinds of Rubbers and Boots mended at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. fo 11 ff

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.)  
British Land Reform.

LONDON, March 7.  
Gladstone has so far progressed with his landlord's expropriation scheme, as to require the services of Sir Henry Thring, parliamentary counsel to the Government, to draft the detail of the bill, he proposes ascending scales of rates of purchase on the ratio of the extent and value of the tenants' holdings.

A Fatal Duel.

EL PASCO, March 7.  
A special from Chichuapa, Mexico, says a duel with pistols, between Trinidad Alvarez and Senor Paredes, has been fought in this city, three shots being fired by each. Paredes received three wounds, and it is believed will die. The first two shots fired at Alvarez missed him, but the third struck him, killing him instantly.

Turkish Officers in Egypt.

LONDON, March 7.  
Lord Rosebery, British Foreign Secretary, has consented to make room for a number of Turkish officers in the Egyptian army by displacing British officers.

Fire.

BOSTON, March 7.  
The American House, on Hanover Street, was damaged \$50,000 by fire and water yesterday. Fully insured.

An Actress Ill.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 7.  
Miss Niane Van Zant, the opera singer, is seriously ill. She is attended by the Czar's physician.

Labor Strike.

ST. LOUIS, March 8.  
Nine thousand Knights of Labor are on strike here, on the Gould system. All are quiet, but great excitement prevails.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, March 8.—10 a. m.  
Moderate winds, fair weather, higher temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE  
Charlottetown, March 8, 1886  
Highest Temperature Saturday..... 33.0  
Lowest do do..... 21.6  
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight)..... 23.9  
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight)..... 1.3  
Lowest Temperature this morning..... 1.1  
Temperature this afternoon at 6 o'clock... 4.8  
Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock 12.0

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's mother, Nanucket, Mass., Feb. 18, James Charles Woodside, Esq., to Miss Lydia Hallist.

At Boston, Mass., March 3rd, Henry W. Patterson, Esq., to Miss Ella Bowley.

WE HAVE SOLD

NEARLY ALL OUR

Stem-Winding Rockford Watches,

which are giving good satisfaction, and as the Company, in the interest of the public, say they will not send any watches by mail, we shall defer getting a full supply until we can safely do so by express.

In the meantime we have several Key-Winding Rockford Watches on hand, accurately timed, and purchasers of any of these can have the privilege of exchanging for a Stem-Winder, when they arrive.

In stock, a nice assortment of Waltham & Elgin Watches, in heavy silver or gold-filled cases.

E. W. TAYLOR,  
CAMERON BLOCK.

Charlottetown, March 5, '86.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

LOST—Between Mr. Charles Heartz's and M M Ip-que Road, a sum of money. Finder will please leave the same at THE EXAMINER office. mar 5 11

WANTED—A good smart Boy. Apply to News Agency, Railway Station. mar 4 3i

FOR SALE—Fyles of "Littell's Living Age," from 1882 to 1884, complete—the best literature of the age. Also, Webster's Dictionary (unabridged). Apply at THE EXAMINER office. feb 27

LOST—Between Bagnall's and Charlottetown, a Black Robe. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at Mr. Bagnall's or THE EXAMINER office. feb 22 1f

TO LET—A Shop, Warehouse and three Rooms—a first-class stand for a shipper. Apply to J. D. Currie, Lower Spring Park Road. feb 20

WANTED—At the Osborne House, a good Cook. feb 11 8i eod pd

TO LET—The large brick Store on Queen Street, next to J. D. Macleod. Possession given first of May. Apply to A. White. sep 27 9aw pat

BOARDERS—Two or three gentlemen or lady Boarders may find comfortable accommodation by applying to Mrs. William Kennedy, Brick House, Hillsborough Park. ept 19 1f

LONDON HOUSE!

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE still going on. Goods selling cheap in all departments.

CARPETS! CARPETS!

Seven Bales Scotch Carpets, imported expressly for Spring Sale, now added to stock. See them.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

Dress Remnants, Print Remnants, Cloth Remnants, &c., Silk Remnants, Satin Remnants.

HARRIS & STEWART

SUCCESSORS TO  
GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, Feb. 25, 1885.—dy & wky

STANDARD GOODS

—AT—  
LOWEST PRICES!

PERKINS & STERNS'

LARGE STOCK OF SEASONABLE GOODS:

400 Pieces Grey Cottons, 55 Pieces Hessias,  
220 Pieces White Cottons, 48 Pieces Table Linen,  
150 Pieces Print Cottons, 140 Dozen Towels.

White and Colored Knitting Cotton.

Large Stock of Colored Dress Goods.

Black French Merinoes, Black Cashmere, Black Cords, Black Nuns' Veiling, Black Costume Cloth, &c.

Brussels, Tapestry and Wool Carpets.

OILCLOTHS & LINOLEUMS.

Cocoa, China and Twine Matting.

Largest Stock of ROOM PAPER on P. E. Island.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Feb. 23, '86.

PILLOW COTTONS

—AND—  
SHEETINGS,

TOWELS AND TOWELLING.

EXTRA GOOD VALUE

STANLEY BROS,

Brown's Block, Opposite Market House.

Ch'town, Feb. 16, 1886.—dy wky

REGULAR TRADER.



SPRING TRIP, 1886

From Liverpool to Charlottetown.

The well known Clipper Bark

"MOSELLE,"

R. KENDLE, Commander.  
now on the berth, will sail from

Liverpool for Charlottetown,

On or About 1st APRIL NEXT.

Carrying Freight at through rates to Picton, Georgetown, Souris, Summerside, and Slediac.

For Freight or Passage apply in London to John Piteairn & Sons, 16 Great Winchester Street; E. C. in Liverpool to Piteairn Bros., 51 South John Street, or here to the owners.

PEAKE BROS. & CO.,  
Ch'town, Jan. 30, 1886.—6w eod

REID BROS' MARCH PRICE LIST.

Shirting Gingham, marked price 11c, now 8c.  
All-wool Shirting Flannel, marked 32c, now 25c.  
Half-wool Drugget, marked price 32c, now 25c.  
Ladies' Winter Jackets, marked \$1.65, \$4.25, and \$5, now half price.

Men's Reefers, marked \$1, now half price.  
Ladies' Corsets, marked \$1.10, now 75c.  
Ladies' Rubber Circulars, marked \$1.40, now \$1.  
Men's Black Worsted Suits, marked \$7.40, now \$5.50.

Men's Tweed Pants, marked \$1.00, now \$1.10.  
Ladies' Four-button Kid Gloves, marked 75c, now 55c.  
Ladies' Four-clasp Kid Gloves, worth \$1.40, now 75c.

Men's Underclothing at 20 per cent discount.  
Men's Overcoats, reduced to clear, at half price.  
Genuine All-wool Heavy Tweed, marked 60c, now 45c.

Cotton Flannels, in white and colored, marked 12c, now 10c.

A genuine discount of 25 per cent on Men's Furnishings.

Men's White and Regatta Shirts, marked \$1.40, now \$1.

220 Fine Tweed Suits, to measure, now only \$14.

500 Fine Worsted Suits, to measure, now only \$20.

\$14 Tuxon Tweed Suits, to measure, now only \$12.

60 Scotch Tweed Pants, to measure, now only \$4.

Child's Tweed Suits, marked \$2, now only \$1.25.

Youth's Black Worsted Suits, marked \$6.50, now only \$6.50.

Fine Scotch Tweeds, marked \$1.25, now only 90c.

Heavy Island Tweeds, All-wool, 45c, 55c, and 85c.

Yard-wide Gray Cottons, only 4 and 5 cents.

REID BROS.,  
CAMERON BLOCK.

Ch'town, March 1, 1886.

MARLIN, ROPE, TIN, &c.

WE have for Sale, at the very Lowest Prices:—

100 bales Lobster Marlin.

600 coils Manila Rope.

160 packages Salmon Trawl Twine.

10 " Hemp "

2 bales Herring Twine.

25 Herring Nets.

ALSO:—

300 boxes Tin Plates, 14x20.

1 ton Ingot Tin.

1 ton Pig Lead.

10 tons Copper.

50 bundles Galvanized Iron for Boilers.

10 bbls Gold Lacquer.

10 " Turpentine.

100 kegs Box Nails.

10 " Lobster Trap Nails.

DODD & ROGERS.

Feb. 23—1m 2aw w 1m

North Atlantic Steamship Co.

SPRING SAILINGS, 1886.

From London and Liverpool

S.S. 'CLIFTON'

WILL LEAVE

London for Charlottetown,

ABOUT 15th APRIL

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Liverpool for Charlottetown,

ABOUT 15th APRIL

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FENTON T. NEWBERRY,  
Agent.

Ch'town, Jan. 30, 1886.

To Lobster Packers, FOR SALE.

400 boxes of TIN PLATES, suitable for Lobster Cans.

22 pigs of LEAD.  
22 ingots, TIN.  
1 bar of COPPER.

Apply to  
PEAKE BROS. & CO.  
Ch'town, Feb. 10—1f 8aw