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## First White Goods Sale

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Ladies' Underwear in Night Dresses, Knickers, Skirts, Corset Covers, Chemise. All in the latest patterns and designs. Best value in the city.

Embroideries in handsome designs, from 1c up. Child ren's 27-inch Embroidery Skirting special value selling at 39c

# Household Goods

Sheetings Plain and twilled, English and Canadian makes. 72, 81, 90. All prices. Our special 72-inch at 16c

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White Cotton 4 1/2 to 16c Honorees, 32-inch, Times Cloth, Extra value 7c 6 1/2

Towels, Our two leaders in towels. Fine Linen Huck, 20 x 40 25c. pr. " 21 x 43 35c. pr.

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The People's Store

NOTE—We are daily expecting our table linens and Napkins. These are goods bought low for cash and the very best value. It will pay you to wait.—W & Co.

# Abegweits

VS

# Victorias

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10th

# Carnival at Souris.

A grand Fancy Dress Carnival will be held at SOURIS SKATING RINK On Wednesday, February 8th

Admission 20c and 10c. Ticket holders in costume free.

# Money Saving ADVICE

If you have not dealt with HUGHES the People's Druggist in 1898, resolve to do so in 1899.

He gives advice and services free, and sells the Best English Drugs and Medicines cheaper than any other store in the city.

You can save 25 p. c. on all prescriptions you have prepared by him. Your friends have proved this—Give him a trial and see if he cannot save money for you.

PATRONIZE ... **Hughes** The People's Druggist, Apothecaries Hall

## Local and Other Items

**A THANK OFFERING.**—At the regular meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. tomorrow afternoon, a thank offering collection will be taken.

**I. O. O. F.**—Regular monthly meeting of Port La Jolie, Eocompment, No. 4, I. O. O. F. will be held this evening in Odd Fellows Hall at 8 o'clock, (degree work)

**GRACE CHURCH.**—The lecture in Grace Church last evening by Rev. W. C. Mahews was greatly appreciated by everyone present. His subject was Under-Ground in the Orient and it was handled in a manner that was at once interesting and instructive.

**MILTON SOCIAL.**—Owing to the stormy weather on Jan. 24th the congregation of Milton have decided to have a repetition of their basket social at Winsloe Hall on Feb. 22nd. Proceeds in aid of the new church. Admission 10 cents. Ladies with baskets free. If the evening of the 22nd is stormy, the social will be held on the following evening. Doors open at 7 o'clock, concert at 7.30.

**ST. JAMES' HALL.**—A good audience assembled in St. James' hall last evening to hear Rev. T. F. Fullerton continue his lecture on "Ireland." The lecturer took his audience through some of the principal cities of the Emerald Isle, including Cork and Belfast, pointing out various places of interest en route, and incidentally giving some choice samples of Irish wit and humor. His discourse was illustrated by some of the most beautiful stereoscopic views ever shown in the city. At the close of the lecture Rev. Mr. Fullerton announced that the Y. M. L. A. had another set of views of Ireland, including the Lakes of Killarney, which may be thrown on the canvas at an early date. The next event on the programme will be a concert on the evening of the 28th, which closes the ticket course for this season.

## THE HOCKEY MATCH.

The Victorias Add to Their String of Victories.

The Crescents of Crapaud were downed last evening in St. Dunstan's College rink by the 2nd Victorias to the extent of six goals to nothing. The match was an easy one in so far as the city team was concerned, they never once having to exert themselves to any great extent. Their goal was never in danger, though the puck did find its way in that direction on several occasions. Whenever it did chance that way the defence relieved handsly. There was an absence of that pretty combination play which so marked the work of the Vics. in their game with the 2nd Abegweits, but possibly the ease with which they found the visitors goal by individual effort led them to relegate team work to the background.

The Crescents have yet much to learn about the game. Some of them skate well and rush with a will. Combination to them is an unknown quantity, each member of the forwards depending upon his own work alone to land the puck between the goals. Their defence was provokingly slow and appeared to have no knowledge of how to relieve the goal from danger. Competition such as that indulged in last evening however should do much to brighten them up and shade and show them wherein lies their short-comings.

The Vics. scored three times in the first half and a like number in the second. The game was free from roughness and the best of good feeling prevailed among the players. The game over, the spectators present enjoyed a skate of an hour or so.

In a letter to the Guardian, from Dr. Clift, Truro, he states that having an important case to treat in that city he has decided to remain there and make that his headquarters, and leave this "beautiful town." The doctor says: "I am sorry to leave Charlottetown and the Island where I have sown the good seed for over two years in pleasant places. The harvest will come a hundredfold." His departure will be regretted by many here.

Victorias practice tonight from 7.30 til 9 o'clock.

**Linens—Weeks & Co have always been known as the best Place to buy table linens etc., and household goods. Prices and quality always right. Weeks & Co., the Peoples Store**

We would like all Charlottetown business men to advertise in the EXAMINER.

We think it would pay them.

We would like to have a talk with YOU about your advtg. anyhow.

The Examiner Pub. Co.

## THE FIREMEN'S BANQUET.

Most Enjoyable Time at the Hotel Davies—A Large Attendance.

The spacious and splendidly-appointed dining room of the Hotel Davies was well filled last night on the occasion of the firemen's banquet, and an evening that was altogether delightful was passed. There were about 125 firemen and other gentlemen present, and the most ample justice was done to the choice bill of fare placed before the company by Mrs. Davies, Chief Engineer Large presided, having on his right His Worship Mayor Warburton and on his left Mr. Henry Smith, Chairman of the Board of Sewer and Water Commissioners. Mr. Charles Hermans, Assistant Chief, occupied the vice-chair.

After the menu had been thoroughly discussed letters of regret at their inability to be present at the banquet were read from Judge Warburton, Stipendiary Magistrate Haszard, ex-Mayor Dawson, Councillor Crabbe, ex-Captain Wonacott and Mr. W. A. Brennan, of the Summerside Journal.

The toast list was then entered upon, songs and readings being interspersed. The programme was as follows:

The Queen—"God Save the Queen." Our guests—Henry Smith, F. H. Beer, D. McLean and L. D. Thorpe.

Song—"The Death of Nelson," Charles Hermans.

The Provincial Parliament—Horace Haszard and D. O'M. Reddin. Song—"The Rhine Wine," Professor Cayen.

The City Corporation—Mayor Warburton. Reading—"How Jackson got Ahead of the Minister," Mr. Hatfield.

The Chief of the Fire Department—Chief Engineer Large.

Cornet solo—"The Old Oaken Bucket," M. M. G. Ibraith.

The Militia—Major Davison, Captain Watts and Lieut. Morris.

Song—"Paddy Leary," A. W. Reddin.

Retired Veterans—James McEchern and William Heartz.

Songs—"Down in Alabama," and "Dooherty's Boarding House," William Murphy.

Pipe music—Peter Ferguson.

Our Contributors—M. P. Hogan.

Song—"The Englishman," F. H. Beer.

The Ladies—G. W. C. Oland and D. O'M. Reddin.

The Press—H. McInnis, of THE EXAMINER

Songs—"Learning McFadden to Waltz" and "McCarthy at the Ball," George Hennessey.

The Host and Hostess—J. J. Davies.

This closed the regular programme, after which several volunteer toasts were enthusiastically honored.

The health of the Charlottetown firemen was proposed, in a neat speech by G. W. C. Oland, of Halifax, and fitting replies were made by Chief Engineer Large and Assistant Chief Hermans. This toast was also spoken to by Messrs. P. S. Brown and Maurice Blake.

Chief Engineer Large proposed the health of Mr. D'O'M. Reddin, and that gentleman responded.

The speeches, as a rule, were short and to the point, and many of them bubbled over with wit. Everyone spoke in terms of praise of the efficiency of the Charlottetown fire brigade, and their work in the past received many words of commendation. The songs and readings were all well rendered, and Mr. Galbraith's cornet solo was a treat. The accompaniments during the evening were skilfully played by Professor Watts, Mr. Stanislaus Blanchard and Mr. Hedley McKinnon.

The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the Queen" brought the festivities to a close about two o'clock this morning, and the happy company separated all feeling that it was good to have been there.

PERSONAL.

F. W. Cowan, Mt Stewart, is in town.

Mr. D. A. McKinnon has returned from Georgetown.

Mr. J. H. Haslam leaves to-night on return to Winnipeg.

Mr. R. M. Johnson was a passenger from Summerside this morning.

Hon. Angus McMillan was a passenger from the west this morning.

Father McAulay, Morell, was a passenger from the east this morning.

Mr. M. Delaney and Mrs. Delaney, of North Tryon, drove to town to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Prowse came to town this morning. They are at the Davies.

Mr. Henry E. Wright, barrister-at-law Summerside, registered at the Queen Hotel, yesterday.

Mr. Charles Kemp, the oyster expert, who has been in Ontario for some time past, returned to Charlottetown yesterday afternoon, coming by way of the capes.

## Local and Other Items.

**THE MAILS.**—The mails reached town to-day at one o'clock.

**THE PROBS.**—Winds increasing to strong breezes and gales, northerly to easterly, with a fall of snow.

**DONATION.**—The P. E. Island Hospital has received a legacy of \$50 from the estate of the late Mary A. Stentiford.

**COMES UP ON MONDAY.**—A young man arrested for being drunk and fighting on the streets, has been released on bail to appear for trial on Monday.

**THE WESTERN TRAIN.**—Owing to a slight mishap to the engine, about a mile out of Summerside, the western train was half an hour late this morning.

**STILL IN THE ICE.**—The Stanley is still fast in the ice about five miles from shore. She can be seen from Murray Harbor North, and is making smoke at a prodigious rate, but does not appear to be getting any nearer Georgetown.

**SOCIAL.**—A grand social and entertainment will be held in Afton Hall, West River, on Monday, Feb. 13th. A good programme, a spacious hall and a good time is assured. Proceeds in aid of hall fund. Admission 20 cents. Ladies with pies free.

**SCOTT ACT.**—Scott Act summonses were served at Souris this morning by Mr. McCarron, Scott Act constable, on Ambrose Moynagh, J. D. Lavie, H. H. Hooper, R. F. Macdonald, M. J. Foley, Mrs. Jonnas. They are returnable on Monday before Stipendiary Magistrate Blanchard.

**MOCK COURT.**—Mock court was held by the students of Prince of Wales College yesterday afternoon, in Professor Shaws room. The jury was sworn in and two witnesses examined. We hope to have a report of the proceedings and a synopsis of the case in THE EXAMINER to-morrow.

**A GIFT ACKNOWLEDGED.**—At the meeting of Court Mount Stephen, held last evening, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Lord Mount Stephen for his handsome donation. The vote will be forwarded in due time accompanied by two photographic groups of the officers of the Court for 1898 and 1899.

**TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE.**—At the annual meeting of the King's County Temperance Alliance, held at Montague yesterday, the following officer-bearers were elected: President, Rev. W. H. Spencer, Montague; First Vice President, Rev. Wm. Pheasant, Sturgeon; Secy. S. M. Martin, Heatherdale; Treasurer, Wm. McLeod, Dundas. Action was taken regarding the Government and the plebiscite vote and resolutions bearing upon the point were adopted.

**LECTURE AT CAVENDISH.**—Hon. Senator Ferguson lectured at Cavendish on Monday night, on the subject of "Departures," to an audience which greatly appreciated the discourse. The Senator first spoke of the departure from the British Islands of the early settlers in America, with special reference so those who settled in this province and made comfortable homes for their children and grand children. He also spoke of the many "departures" that had since been made in this province, referring, in passing, to the dairy industry, the cultivation of fruit, and the advances that have been made in agriculture and other sciences.

**NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.**—A commendable feature in the meeting of the Natural History Society, last night, was that it began promptly on time. The minutes of the last meeting having been read, and the matters of business suggested by them discussed, Mr. McSwain read an excellent paper upon "The Rust of Wheat" of which a digest appears in our leading column. The paper was illustrated by diagrams and was listened to by the appreciative audience with much satisfaction. We are sure that if our educated people knew the character of the information given at the meetings of this society there would be a large audience upon every occasion. A discussion followed the reading of the paper, in which Messrs. Newson, MacCreedy and Charles Palmer took part. Mr. Watson then read a concise history of the society from its inception to its reorganization with a wider scope of work. Several new members joined the Society, and it was announced that the Trustees of the Methodist School Board would provide rooms for the Society in the Spring. The announcement was greeted with much approbation. Mr. Thos. May will read the next paper. His subject, a geological one, will be announced in due time.

# The Always Busy Store

## Women Want To Buy White Wear Right

Cheap goods that will not stand the wear and tear is not the kind wide awake people buy—We handle none but good goods—no matter how cheap the goods, you get every cent's worth of value for money spent with us.

## This Weeks Great Offerings in White Underwear

### NIGHTDRESSES

LOT 1—Well made of good cotton, full size and latest cut front trimmed clusters of tucks and embroidery insertion—positively worth 75 cents 50c our price

LOT 2—30 nightdresses perfect in quality and finish, generous in size, best workmanship; tuckee yoke with box pleat frilled, large frilled collar and frilled cuffs; made to sell for 80 cents—60c our price EACH

LOT 3—assorted styles in this lot, tucked yoke & embroidery trimmed, tucked yoke with insertion, and tucked yoke lace trimmed, worth \$1.80c and \$1.05—our price 80c EACH

LOT 4—5 different styles elegantly trimmed, solid tucked yokes, embroidered fronts and lace trimmed, worth \$1.00 \$1.20 and \$1.25—1.00 Our price EACH

Drawers 12c, 28c, 32c. Special Values at 20c. 25c. 30c. 50c, 75c, 87c, and \$1.00

Corset Covers 12c, 28c, 32c, 50c, 69c, 75c, and 89c.

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All winter goods to be cleared out at sweeping reductions. All furnishing good at your own price.

GORDON & McLELAN Upper Queen St. Men's Stylish Outfitter

**An Exceptional Offer**  
A regular 25 cent package of good **TALCUM POWDER** put up in a nice tin box, complete with shaker, nicely perfumed for 10c. You can see it in our windows this week.

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