Local and Other Items.

THE rush for hats is to L. E. Prowse's.

L. E. PROWSE's hats are very nobby and cheap.

GOODS sold very cheap for cash at J. B. Macdonald's. ap21 dy wy

THE largest, best and cheapest hats in town are at L. E. Prowse's.

W. A. BRENNAN, ESQ., of the Summerside *Journal*, is in the city.

MILITARY.—No. 1 Company, G. A., meets for drill to-night at eight o'clock.

YOUNG men's meeting this evening at 7.30 o'clock. A full attendance requested.

FRESH oysters and a good programme at the tea and entertainment this evening.

FIVE cases Gents Hard and Soft Felt Hats just opened at J. B. Macdonald's. ap2idy wy

ANOTHER Scott Act summons, returnable on Tuesday next, was served yesterday afternoon.

ONLY 25 cents for tea and entertainment in Zion Church this evening. Go and take your friend.

A SPECIAL train with mails will leave for Cape Traverse at 8 o'clock (standard) this evening.

DON'T fail to attend the tea and entertainment in Zion Church this evening. A good time may be expected.

WE are pleased to learn that the Rev. A. H. Lavers, of North River, is gradually recovering his health.

ALL the newest styles in Ladies Hats, Flowers and Feathers just opened at J. B. Macdonald's. ap21 dy wy

THE western train was five hours late yesterday afternoon owing to the severity of the snow storm west of Summerside.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society will be held in their Hall, Prince Street, this evening, at 7.30.—John Connolly, Secretary.

MESSRS. PLAW BALL and R. A. Palmer have passed their final examinations at McGill College, and have entered the noble army of engineers.

THE steamer Northern Light is fast in the ice about two miles outside of Pictou harbor, and there is no water to be seen. The mails on board were landed at Pictou this forenoon.

THOSE about purchasing carpets should not forget that we cut and match all carpets bought from us, thereby saving the buyer the trouble and expense of having it done outside. —Jas. Paton & Co.

WE understand that Mr. W. W. Clarke, the lessee of Queen's Wharf, is willing to allow the City Council to erect the proposed fish market building on his wharf premises without any compensation from the city.

FOUR Scott Act cases occupied the attention of the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon. One of the defendants confessed and was fined $50, another was held over until Tuesday next, and the remaining two were dismissed for lack of evidence.

AT the meeting of the Literary and Scientific Association to-night, Dr. McLeod will read a paper dealing with "Some Social Problems." The paper has been carefully prepared, and will no doubt be highly interesting. A rare treat is expected. Don't fail to attend.

REMEMBER the proper place to buy carpets and oilcloths is where you can see the largest and best assortment. We claim to have the biggest stock, together with the most elegant designs, ever shown in the city. Fifty-four bales now open and to arrive for spring trade. —Jas. Paton & Co., Market Square.

WE are pleased to learn that Mr. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, auctioneer of this city, has negotiated a sale of the Cornwall Cheese Factory to a Company composed chiefly of leading farmers in the vicinity of the factory. The new Company will start under favorable auspices and we wish them every success.

THE Benevolent Irish Society's Dramatic Club performed to a fair audience in Market Hall, Summerside, last evening. Those who were present say that both drama and farce were well acted. The Summerside Band furnished the music. There was a quadrille party at the conclusion of the entertainment.

WE learn that the committee appointed for that purpose at the Jubilee meeting in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening last, waited upon the Leader of the Government this morning, and were given to understand that the Government would do all in their power to assist the Council in celebrating Her Majesty's Jubilee.

THE members of the Victoria Jubilee Club hold a grand ball at the residence of Mr. George Ryan, at the west end of the city, to-night. An extensive supply of refreshments have been laid in, and some of the best musical talent in the city will keep time to the fantastic movements of the assembled belles and beaux. Owing to the inclemency of the season—and the prevalence of epizoo and pink-eye—the full dress rule will be suspended for the evening.

WE were shown a day or two ago, by Mr. Richard Hunt, a very excellent sample of linen damask, manufactured by Mr. Michael Adams, Manager of the Royal Linen Manufactory, at Ardoyne, near Belfast, Ireland, from flax grown in Prince Edward Island. If such goods can be manufactured from our flax, we are the more firmly convinced of the fact that our farmers can make big money by planting a few acres each year, and we would suggest that they commence the experiment this season.—*Journal.*

DURING 1886 the three great life companies of New York wrote between them over $252,000,000 of insurance, in 1885, $214,000,000 in round figures The New York Life made a decided gain above all the competitors. The figures published below, represent the entire new business transacted in 1886:—

The New York Life Gains	$ 16,656,842
The Equitable Life Gains	15,528,825
The Mutual Life Gains	10,233,825

It will be seen that the New York Life is ahead of all competitors, because no other life companies but those referred to in any degree approach to the business of the New York Life. The New York Life is represented in this Province by Messrs. McLean, Martin & Macdonald, and in Summerside by Robert Bearsto, Esq.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

MR. MILLS' ATTACK.

Sir John Replies

ON THE GRIDIRON.

OTTAWA, April 20.

The House met at 3 o'clock.

When the orders of the day were called, Mr. Mills took the floor and made a violent attack on returning officers and the present system of appointments of returning officers. He read a list of members gazetted, with the dates of publication, to show that Ministerial members were gazetted earlier than Oppositi n members, thus giving the former an advantage in the matter of petitions.

Sir John was not surprised at the bad temper of Mr. Mills and his friends. The most disappointed people in Canada were the gentlemen in the Opposition benches. It was permitted to a sailor led up to be flogged to abuse the captain; to the gentlemen opposite who had been badly flogged by their masters—the people—was allowed the liberty of abusing everybody. It was not true that officials under the old system were impartial. Sheriffs were the appointees of local governments, and there was no security that they would act in an unimpartial manner when, as was now the case, they were the servants of bitterly hostile local government. He (Sir John) had got no benefit in the matter. He was himself the victim of a protest. The papers asked for would be brought down.

The discussion was resumed after recess, and continued till 10.30 o'clock, Mr. Blake, Mr. White and others taking part.

The motions for returns and correspondence passed.

In moving the adjournment, Sir John remarked that Hindspeth, the Government candidate, had been elected for South Victoria, by a majority of fifty, and if it would please Mr. Mills, he would be willing to leave him on the gridiron forty days before gazetting.

The Fisheries Matter.

WASHINGTON, April 20.

The Secretary of State declines either to confirm or deny the statement cabled from London to the effect that Lord Salisbury has sent a despatch to this Government on the subject of fisheries, offering to revert to the old condition of affairs without pecuniary indemnity. The subject matter of the despatch is not exactly known in diplomatic circles, the same proposition having emanated from a Canadian source some time ago.

Sir Vernon Harcourt Speaks.

LONDON, April 20.

Harcourt in a speech at East London tonight, endorsed Earl Spencer's recent assertion that there was no evidence which showed that the Parnellites had ever associated with crime. He further said in view of Parnell's denial of the accusations made against him, it remained for his accusers to substantiate the charges.

Perry Gets Noti e of the Petition.

OTTAWA, April 20.

Stanislaus F. Perry, one of the members from Prince Edward Island, was to-day served by the Sheriff with notice of an election petition having been filed in Court against his return to the House of Commons, on the ground that he is a member of the House of Assembly for Prince Edward Island.

A Libel Suit.

LONDON, April 20.

The *Globe* of this evening says that Bigger will sue the London *Times* for libel, and make that paper's article on "Parnellism and Crime," of which Parnell's letter was the calumniating part, the basis of the action.

More Evictions.

DUBLIN, April 20.

Nine tenants on Lord Lansdowne's estate were evicted to-day. The onlookers groaned, but no resistence was offered.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, April 21—10 a.m.

Moderate to fresh north-west to west winds; fine weather, with a little higher temperature.

A Threat.

SIR,—If that retriever at the head of Pownal Street is further allowed to make the night hideous by his continual barking to the great annoyance of the neighbors in the immediate vicinity, he will be shot by the undersigned without further notice.

DESPATCH.

April 21, 1887.

MARRIED.

At Northcote, Minnesota, on the 23rd of March, 1887, by the Rev. J. H. Hovis, Fred. W. Hales, of Lincoln, to Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Wm. Pollock, of Northcote.

On the 7th inst., by the Rev. Mr Garrior, Summerside, James W. Pellman, of Lot 16, to Flora Lawson, youngest daughter of Mr. Richard Cotton, of The Grange, Wellington, Lot 16.

DIED.

At St. Peter's Bay, on the 2nd inst., after an illness of six weeks which he bore with Christian resignation to the Divine will, George McInnis, in the 76th year of his age. He leaves a wife, five sons and two daughters to mourn their loss. R. I. P.

(Other papers please copy.)

THE *Journal* reports that the Church of England Bazaar, in Ludlow Hall, Summerside, on Thursday evening last, was a great success. The ladies of St. Mary's deserve great credit for the zeal and energy displayed by them in providing such an attractive, well conducted, and thoroughly enjoyable affair. The sum of $200 was realized thereat.

Provincial Legislature

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, April 20.

House in Committee of the Whole further considered the Hillsborough Subway Bill. To the last clause of the bill Mr. Yeo proposed the following amendment:

"Provided that nothing in this Act contained shall have any force or effect until after the next session of this House, and until the Government of this Island shall have laid before the House,—

1st. A report from a competent engineer of an examination and survey of the bed of the Hillsborough River proposed to be traversed by the Subway.

2nd. A report from a competent engineer as to the feasibility, the probable cost of construction, the durability and the probable annual cost of operation of the proposed Subway.

3rd. A report from a competent authority of the comparative cost and public convenience of a bridge as compared with a subway —said bridge or subway to be suitable for railway purposes if required.

4th. A report from a competent authority as to whether a subway can be safely and successfully operated when used as a footway, a roadway for vehicles, and for the purposes of a railway.

5th. A report as to what company or person, if any, can be found willing to construct and operate a bridge or subway on said Hillsborough River; and if so, with what amount of subsidy in addition to the present rates of toll."

The amendment was discussed and lost, and the bill reported agreed to. The amendment was again put by the Speaker and lost, on the following division:—

FOR THE AMENDMENT—Messrs. Yeo, Farquharson, Richards, Sinclair, J. R. McLean, Matheson, Martin, Bell, Sutherland, Forbes, Wise—11.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT—Messrs. Sullivan, Ferguson, N. McLeod, Arsenault, Bentley, Lefurgey, Prowse, McDonald, Gordon, Gillis, John McLean, A. McLeod, Shaw, H. L. McDonald—14.

THURSDAY, April 21.

The Hillsboro Subway Bill was read a third time and passed. A bill to incorporate the Victoria Rink Company passed in Committee. A bill respecting the examination of witnesses passed in Commit ee. A bill to change the time of opening the Michaelmas term of the Supreme Court in Queen's County, from the last Tuesday in October to the first Tuesday in November was also read a second time and passed in Committee.

ODDFELLOWS'
NATAL DAY CELEBRATION,
1887.

THE Sixty-eighth Anniversary of American Oddfellowship will be celebrated by the Island members in Charlottetown,

On Tuesday, April 26th,

in the Evening of which day a

CONCERT

will be given in the

LYCEUM.

The first part of Programme will contain several new features—New Orchestral Selections, "Mikado" Selections, New Songs, and the first appearance in this City of the

VOCOPHONE BAND

an entirely new attraction on this Continent—exceedingly fascinating and amusing, alone worth the price of admission.

The second part of the programme will be

An Old-Time Minstrel Entertainment,

consisting of some of the choicest Christy Vocal Gems with Orchestral Accompaniment, under the direction of Mr. Vinnicombe.

Programme will appear shortly and will, without doubt, be the most attractive since the days of "Pinafore."

Tickets for sale at the usual places.

Admission—Reserved seats, 50 cents; Parquette and Gallery, 35 cents.

Be sure and place a sum sufficient in your estimates for Concert purposes to attend this one.

A. E. McDONALD,
Sec'y Committee.

April 9—wed & sat tl 20 then daily tl 26

FOR SALE.

THE valuable Freehold Property situated on Kent Street, being one-half of Town Lot number Thirty-two, in the fourth hundred of town lots, Charlottetown, together with Dwelling House, Baker's Oven and other Buildings thereon. This affords an excellent opportunity for any person wishing to purchase a very desirable property in a central position. Part of the purchase money may remain secured by a mortgage on the property for a term of years. For further particulars apply to MRS. JAMES WATTS, the owner, on the premises, or to

JAMES D. MASON.

Ch'town, April 2, 1887—2aw sat tu wky 4i

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for an Act to Incorporate a Company, to be called "The Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company," for the purpose of carrying on the business of a Loan Company, with power to loan money on real estate, and on certain classes of debentures and stocks, and with power to borrow on debentures, to receive deposits, to issue debenture stock, and with other powers granted to other Loan Companies.

WHITMAN & SILVER,
Solicitors for Applicants.

Dated at Halifax, this 11th day of March, 1887
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For Sale or to Let

DWELLING HOUSE and Outbuildings, with Garden attached, situated on Spring Park Road, now occupied by George Tweedy, Esq., Attorney-at-Law.

Possession of house given on 18th June next, of garden immediately, if required.

For terms, &c., apply to

MRS. OFFER,
Queen Street.

Ch'town, April 18, 1887—mon sat tf

TO LET—House, corner of Euston and Cumberland Streets Possession given May 1st. Apply to Robert Fennell. mar31 3aw

WANTED—By a lady and gentleman, Board in a private family, with one or two unfurnished rooms. Address, stating terms, "C.," P. O. Box 659. apr13

TO LET—A new House on Chestnut Street, containing seven rooms. Apply to Mrs. B. Pickard. mar22 tf

Jas. Paton & Co.

offer the following Goods at Very Low Prices during APRIL:—

Carpets,
Oilcloths,
Room Papers,
Sheetings,
Pillow Cottons,
Tickings,
Gray Cottons,
White Cottons,
Print Cottons,
Table Linens,
Towels,
Scotch Tweeds,
Worsteds,
Gents' Furnishings,
Christy's London Hats,

and a few pair of Gilray's Patent Lace CURTAIN STRETCHERS. Ladies should see these.

Jas. Paton & Co.,

MARKET SQUARE.

Ch'town, April 5, 1887—dy wky

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, New York City.*

GOOD THINGS

—FOR THE—

Garden and Farm.

Carter's Stratagem and **Carter's Telephone Peas**, the Champion Peas of the world. Pkt., 10c.

Danver's Carrot (new), best for table or stock. Pkt., 16c; oz., 15c; lb., $1.25.

Carter's Mammoth Mangel, the heaviest cropping and best long Red Mangel. Per lb., 45c.

Carter's Prize-Winner Swede, the hardiest and heaviest cropper. Per lb., 40c.

Carter's Paris Prize Barley (2-rowed), produces one-third more than ordinary barleys. Per lb., 12c.; bush., $1.50.

Carters Prize Cluster White Oats, very heavy, earliest and most prolific in cultivation. Per lb., 10c.; bush, $1

Carter's Extra English Clover, true late English variety. Per lb., 22c. (By mail 26c.)

The varieties above to which the name of "**Carter**" is attached are the leading specialties of the great Seed House of **Carter & Co.**, London, Queen's Seedsmen.

☞ **Improved Seeds** PAY AS WELL AS IMPROVED STOCK.

At the pound or packet rate we send by mail, post paid. By the bushel, by freight, at purchaser's expense.

Order now. Stock limited. Our Catalogue free to all.

Address:

GEO. CARTER & CO.,

SEEDSMEN, CH'TOWN, P. E. I.

April 1, 1887—2aw wky

—NO—
Ammonia, Lime or Alum

USED IN MANUFACTURING

WOODILL'S GERMAN BAKING POWDER

All Ingredients Perfectly Pure

April 13, 1887.

SLAUGHTER SALE
— OF —
Printed Cottons.

—WE OFFER—

20,000 Yards Printed Cottons and Crettones, from 5cts a Yard, Upwards.

Cheapest Goods in the City.

HARRIS & STEWART,

LONDON HOUSE.

March 17, 1887.

BRITISH WAREHOUSE
83
QUEEN STREET.

EXTENSIVE CASH SALE!

I have decided to close out the whole of my stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, commencing December 15th, 1886, and continuing until the whole is disposed of, at

LARGE DISCOUNTS FOR CASH.

A. L. BROWN.

Ch'town, Dec. 14—wky

NEW SPRING GOODS

IF you want to dress in the Latest Style go to JOHN McLEOD & CO'S, where you will get all the novelties in Suitings, Trowserings and Gents' Furnishings.

Now opening, Ex Northern Light, 5 cases TWEEDS, 9 cases HATS (newest styles).

JOHN MACLEOD & CO.

Ch'town, April 19, 1887—eod & wky

Six Hundred Pairs CORSETS,

Best makers, and all sizes from 18 to 36 inches, ranging in price from

38 CENTS, UP.

A Large Stock **EMBROIDERIES**, very cheap.

Sheetings,	White Cottons,	Dress Goods,
Pillow Cottons,	Grey Cottons,	Cashmeres,
Tickings,	Print Cottons,	Merinoes.
Hessians,	Shirtings,	Plushes, Velvets,
Towelings,	Ginghams,	Silks, Satins, &c.

A Full Line of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods---New Stock,

AT PRICES AS LOW AS ANY IN THE TRADE.

STANLEY BROS.,

BROWN'S BLOCK.

Ch'town, March 11, 1887—eod & wky

GREAT
Print Cotton Sale

COMMENCES

To-morrow Thursday, March 17th.

1000 yards 10c Print Cotton for 6cts a yard.
1500 yards 12c Print Cotton for 8cts a yard.
8000 yards 14c Print Cotton for 10cts a yard.
3500 yards 16c Print Cotton for 12cts a yard.
2000 yards Cretonnes, worth from 20cts up, now for 15cts.

This is a Genuine Sale—See these Goods.

ALSO—Great Bargains in Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Tickings, Gray and White Cottons.

J. S. PATON & CO.,

MARKET SQUARE.

March 16, 1887.

"DEVONPORT"
FOR SALE

THAT valuable property, known as "Devonport," situated on the Malpeque Road, within one mile of the city, containing about 26½ acres of land, with large and commodious Dwelling House, Barn, Stables, Coach House, Dairy, Ice House, Root House, &c, &c. Good Title guaranteed.

Apply to
R. F. DEBLOIS,
Provincial Building.

Ch'town, March 2, 1887—eod tf

NOTICE.

THE celebrated stallion ALL RIGHT will stand on the coming season at Charlottetown, Summerside, Cape Traverse and New Glasgow.

NEWTON LEE.

Truro, March 21, 1887.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED—A Girl for general work. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Hillsborough Street. apr21 3i

LOST—On or near Queen Street, a Shop-door Key. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office. apr21 tf

WANTED—A Wooden Hoist (second-hand). Apply to John W. Cox, carpenter. apr1

FOR SALE—That valuable property known as "Wagstaff Hotel," situated corner Pownal and Sidney Streets. The House could be made a double tenement with little expense, and pay a good interest on investment. Apply to Arabella Douse. apr21 tf eod

AMERICAN Cents and Silver taken at their face for goods; also, Song Books, Ballad Sheets and Penny Ballads from the best publishers in New York, for sale at my store, corner of Pownal and Euston Street.—R. F. Madigan. apr20 3i pd

WANTED—A Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. Fennell, east end of Euston Street. apr20 tf

FOR SALE—The two Tenement House and Barns at head of Desbrisay Street. The land is leased and can be bought out at any time, or lease can be renewed. Premises rent for $100 a year; will be sold at a bargain; good title guaranteed. Apply at the office of Phillips & Chappell. apr20 6i eod pd

WANTED—A Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Findley. apr19 3i pd

SHOP TO LET—To Let, and possession given on the 1st June, a Shop on the corner of Kent and Prince Street. Apply to Lemuel Wright. apr18 tf

TO LET—A two and a-half story Brick Building, with slate roof, in good tenantable condition, containing ten rooms, besides pantrys, kitchen, cellar kitchen; also an ice-house, now filled with ice, stable yard room, with garden attached, situate on Water Street. Possession given 1st July next.

Also—A two and a-half story wooden tenement dwelling, containing eight rooms in good repair, situate on Prince Street. Possession given 1st May, next.

Also—Brick Warerooms and Offices suitable for a good business stand on Water Street. Possession given immediately. For particulars apply to Peake Bros. & Co. mar8 eod.

WANTED—By a young man, who can furnish good reference and has some experience in book-keeping, &c., a situation in an office or store; the former preferred; would like the insurance business. Please address immediately. "A. Quill, Jr., EXAMINER office." apr 16

WANTED—A Housemaid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmount. apr16 tf

TO LET—Shop belonging to the late John Jury, Esq. Also, a large Safe, good as new which I will sell for $50; second-hand Piano at a low price.—Mrs. Sarah A. Jury, Kent Street. mar17 tf

TO LET—A comfortable Dwelling on Upper Euston Street. Apply to Charles McGregor. apr6tf