

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The French Treaty and Other Matters.

RUSSELL ON THE COAL COMBINE.

OTTAWA, March 14.

In the House of Commons last night, Hon. Mr. Foster presented further correspondence between the Dominion and Newfoundland, and then made a short statement with reference to the French treaty.

Mr. Foster also announced that the writ had been issued for the Vaudreuil polling, April 17th.

Replying to Mr. Edgar, Hon. Mr. Cartwright said that the evidence taken by the Commission had been printed, and that the exhibits were now in the printer's hands.

A bill granting Martha Ballantyne divorce was passed.

Replying to Mr. Perry's question, Hon. Mr. Haggart said that John McPherson, secretary on the P. E. Island Railway, was dismissed because one trackmaster was drier sufficient.

Mr. Charlton moved a resolution proposing that the Canadian section at Chicago World's Fair should be closed on Sunday in accordance with the British example.

Mr. McMullen supported the resolution and Mr. Amyotopoy said on the ground that Parliament had no right to force its views on Sabbath observance upon all persons who desired to visit Canada's exhibition at the Chicago fair.

Mr. McLennan, of York, thought that the matter should be left open, and Mr. Mills, of Annapolis, thought that Canadians should endeavor to show the Americans a good example in the matter of Sabbath observance.

Hon. Mr. Foster asked the House to remember that the Canadian Government did not manage the Chicago exhibition, and therefore, the Sunday closing question of the Canadian section would not effect the matter in any practical way or give the laborers any rest.

He thought that there was much to be said from the Christian point of view in favor of keeping the exhibition open on Sundays. England opened her art galleries and museums to her people on Sundays. Those who chose to visit the World's Fair on Sundays, should be free to do so.

The Canadian exhibits were displayed with those of other countries, and could not be separated. All that the Government could do to restrict Sunday work in connection with the Chicago Fair would be done.

Mr. Scriver was surprised to hear the Minister of Finance speaking in favor of the cultivation of the artistic and aesthetic in preference to the religious.

Dr. Christie favored the resolution. Hon. Mr. Daly moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. Charlton characterized the course of those who favored the adjournment as sneaking and cowardly.

The speaker asked Mr. Charlton to withdraw those words, and the latter did so.

After some further discussion, the House divided on the motion to adjourn, which was carried by 76 to 31 against.

An English syndicate has just purchased for half a million dollars, the controlling interest in the Ottawa Gas Company, and the Ottawa Electric Light Company, and will amalgamate the two concerns.

The company now has a bill before Parliament to empower it to buy out all the gas and electric light companies in Canada.

Benjamin Russell, a leading Liberal lawyer of Halifax, and a supporter of the Fielding Government, contributes to Saturday's Globe a powerful arraignment of the recent coal legislation, enacted in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Russell points out that a combine has been established, fraught with danger to every industry.

GLADSTONE IS ILL. Perfect Quiet Preserved.

LONDON, March 14. Gladstone's fever has risen somewhat this evening. He suffers from oppression of the lungs. Sir Andrew Clark still refuses to pronounce his illness influenza.

Mrs. Gladstone is attending her husband conscientiously and refuses access to the ministers or to Gladstone's personal friends, so as to be able to preserve the absolute quiet ordered by Sir Andrew Clarke.

Moncton's Elections. MONCTON, March 14. The civic elections resulted as follows: Fed. W. Sumner, re-elected by acclamation, in Ward One; Robertson Reid, in Ward Two; Altamison Seaman's in Ward Three; Magee and Martin by acclamation. This gives an entirely new board, except the mayor.

Obituary. ST. JOES, March 14. John McAdam, of Milltown, is dead. He was a lumber man and merchant, and was one of the representatives of Charlotte at the first national convention in 1854 to the time of Confederation and for some years after the union.

Lady Mowatt—in Extremis. TORONTO, March 14. Lady Mowatt, wife of the Ontario Premier, has been attacked with paralysis, and the doctors have given up all hopes.

The Races at the Rink

BREEN AND MCCORMICK SHOW UP IN GOOD FORM.

The attendance at the Hillsborough Rink last evening was good, considering the bad condition of the streets and the heavy downpour of rain. Those who were present witnessed a fine exhibition of skating, and those who remained away missed a rare treat.

Owing to the mild weather of the past few days, the ice was not in the best possible condition for making fast time. But notwithstanding this fact, and the additional fact that it took fifteen rounds of the track to make a mile, the time in each race was excellent, showing that both McCormick and Breen were skating for all there was in them.

The men emerged from their dressing rooms about a quarter after eight o'clock. McCormick was the first to appear, and was followed a minute or so later by Breen. Both were received with applause.

McCormick wore dark stockings, knickers and cap, with white sweater. Breen wore blue throughout.

After a few preliminary turns about the Rink, the first event on the programme was called, viz., the one-mile race. The men were started from opposite sides of the Rink. Breen from the east and McCormick from the west. At the word "go" from referee Ings both men took the ice almost simultaneously.

Along the sides they sped with long, graceful strokes, and around the corners they went without any very perceptible diminution of their speed. For five or six laps their relative positions remained unchanged; now McCormick would have an advantage of a few feet, and a moment later Breen would have a similar advantage.

After the sixth lap, however, McCormick began to gain slowly and steadily on his opponent, maintaining his advantage for the remainder of the race, coming in the winner by about twelve feet in the good time of 3:14.

After an intermission of about half an hour, the five-mile race was called. As in the first event, both men got off well together, skating a clean, easy stroke. There was no change in the relative positions of the men during the first mile.

In the twenty-second lap, however, Breen put on a magnificent burst of speed, and moved up a few yards nearer to his game competitor, who was skating in splendid form.

This order was maintained until the forty-fifth lap was entered upon, when the pace of each skater was increased and for the remainder of the race there was considerable spurring. Breen, however, continued to gain steadily, and despite all McCormick's efforts he soon had a lead of about a quarter of a lap, which he held for the remainder of the race, winning in 17:00.

The third race was between Breen and Fred Rattray, of Charlottetown, the latter having a handicap of half a lap. Breen started from the western side of the rink, and Rattray from the eastern. Rattray held his own for about two laps, when Breen spurred and soon overtook and passed him, coming in an easy winner by three-quarters of a lap, in 2:20.

Rattray was in no condition to race with a man like Breen, and he showed considerable pluck in facing him. Besides, his skates were not at all suitable for racing.

The skating of both Breen and McCormick was much admired. Of the two, McCormick is the more graceful skater, but Breen, who is much the younger man, has the greatest staying powers. Last night Breen never left the ice, skating steadily from a quarter after eight until after his race with Rattray, which brought the proceedings to a close, and never seemed to mind the work the least bit.

During the evening excellent music was furnished by the Citizens Band. The men have agreed to stay over and skate two or three races to-night. Everyone should see them.

REMEMBER THE Gospel Union Meeting every Tuesday evening in Euston Street Hall.

A. O. H. — Special meeting this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

AT THE CAPES — Crossing both ways today. Mail arrived in the city at two this afternoon.

I. O. F. — Regular meeting of Court Avondale this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance requested.

TIMEY. — The city workmen are to-day engaged relieving some of the principal streets of the winters dirt.

ANDREW USHER'S SCOTCH WHISKIES are a blend of the oldest and finest Highland products. Selected with the greatest care and attention.

DON'T FORGET IT — What? The concert in the Lyceum on the evening of St. Patrick's Day. The programme is an excellent one. Read it in another column.

TO HIS CUSTOMERS — Mr. James McLeod, late of McLeod & McKenzie, will be prepared to receive his many customers about the beginning of next month.

THE WARD SYSTEM will be showed up in the Lyceum to-night — spectators. Don't fail to attend, as some big guns are expected to take part. Admission 10 cents; ladies free.

NOTICE — There will be a meeting to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at the old Board of Trade rooms, Cameron Block, to arrange for a race to take place on the ice as soon as possible. All interested are requested to attend.

Y. M. C. A. CONCERT. — The gross receipts of the concert given by the Y. M. C. A. are \$177.75; the expenses were \$31.50, and thus a balance of \$146.25 was realized, which will be applied towards the furnishing of the young men's parlor. The committee charge desire to thank the public for their patronage.

ALBERTON CONCERT — Mr. Charles Bell, our popular and accomplished vocalist, goes up to Alberton on this St. Patrick's Day to sing a couple of numbers on the splendid programme prepared for the concert in Woodman's Hall on the night of the 17th. Our Western friends will appreciate Charles to the full or we are much mistaken.

ST. PATRICK'S AT SUMMERSIDE — Songs by the leading soloists; selections by the Band; vio in solo by a leading artist; banjo duet by accomplished lady performer; recitations and readings by the best talent available; address by Rev. J. A. Macdonald, of Moncton. These are some of the leading features prepared for the concert to be given in the Market Hall at Summerside on the evening of the 17th inst. Take it in. You cannot afford to miss it. Besides the object is a most worthy one — to assist the poor.

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Personal

Mr. Lord, Agent Department Marine and Fisheries, is visiting the western part of the Province on departmental business. He will not return to the city before the latter part of the week.

MEETING OF PRESBYTERY. — The Presbytery of P. E. Island will meet in the Hall of St. James' Church on Wednesday, March 22, at 11 a. m., when conveners of standing committees will present their reports and other important business will be transacted.

HOCKEY. — There will be a meeting of the Victoria Hockey Club this evening in the Y. M. C. A. at half-past 7 o'clock. As this will be the last meeting of the season, every member is requested to attend. — H. Bruce Wright, sec'y.

FURNITURE SALE. — Remember the sale of Furniture at the residence of A. S. Urquhart, Bayfield Street, commencing at 12 o'clock sharp to-morrow. — R. Bearist, auc'r.

What do you look for in a hat? Only the maker's name, or comfort and becomingness? You will find the latter qualities in our hats. — James Paton & Co. mch14-3i

The hats of to-day are as far superior to the hats of ten years ago as is the Charlotte-town electric light ahead of the tallow dips our grandfathers used. See James Paton & Co's show window. 3i—mch14

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At 70 Summit Avenue, St. Paul, Minn., on the 27th February, 1893, by the Rev. Dr. Carson, James Leslie, of that city, to Lottie E., eldest daughter of the late Henry Cooper, of Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

From Liverpool to Charlotte-town, P. E. I.

THE fine A 1 Iron Screw Steamer "ALBERT," 160 Tons gross tonnage, Bat Bros. owners, will sail from Liverpool for Charlottetown on or about the 10th day of April next, and will carry goods at through rates of freight to Summerside, St. John's and Georgetown.

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MISS FRANCES E. WILLARD is a convert to the Bicycle. She says: "Certainly bicycling seems to me the most healthful of all forms of outdoor recreation for girls and women."

The Ladies' Columbia for 1893 is a beauty—light, graceful and strong. Miss Willard rides a Columbia Pneumatic. R. M. YOUNG, Agent for P. E. Island. mch14

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To the Editor of the Examiner.

DEAR SIR.—Some short time ago information was laid against me for a violation of the present liquor law. I was perfectly well aware that I had not in any way violated the Act, as I had been particularly careful to keep within the provisions, and I therefore knew that the information must have been laid from malice or spite. The case came on and was heard before the Secondary Magistrate, four witnesses being called, reliable and respectable men, who all swore that they either had not been in my place at all, or if they had they had been in the ordinary open bar, properly constructed, and the case was immediately dismissed. I was, however, determined not to let the matter drop, as I had made up my mind I would find out who instigated Officer Carter to lay the information. I therefore instructed my Attorney, Mr. Arthur Peters, to take proceedings against Officer Carter for malicious prosecution, unless the authorities paid the expenses I had been put to and gave me the name of the informer who instigated Officer Carter to take proceedings against me. After a good deal of haggling with the authorities, to avoid being sued they consented to pay and have paid my expenses, and have handed me an anonymous letter addressed "Marshall Cameron," which letter, they inform me, was the only authority or information they had against me to ground even a suspicion that I had offended. I trust that this will be a lesson to the police that they cannot, on such information as this, haul up time and again persons who are perfectly innocent, and put them to the expense, annoyance and inconvenience of appearing before the Court. And I hope that others, against whom groundless information may hereafter be laid, will take the course I have, and it will soon put a stop to this kind of haggling on the hands of the police, but I am certain, and I think every right-minded person will agree with me, that these precautions should not be allowed to be laid without some substantial ground to go on, and if they do so they must abide by the consequences. T. WHITE. Charlottetown, March 11, 1893—51

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Dissolution of Partnership

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business at Charlottetown under the style and firm of McLEOD & McKENZIE, has, this first day of February, A. D. 1893, been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this first day of February, A. D. 1893.

JAMES McLEOD, JOHN McKENZIE.

Signed in the presence of FRED. W. L. MOORE, Attorney-at-Law.

MR. JOHN T. MCKENZIE will continue the business at the Old Stand, Queen Street. All bills contracted by the late firm will be paid by him. All book debts, notes of hand, etc., must be paid to him without delay.