

Local and Other Items.

MAILS arrived at noon. Don't forget the "Social." The County Court is in session. The snow is rapidly disappearing. The marble-playing nuisance has set in. REMEMBER the Social to-morrow evening. The ice is said to be unsafe in many places. GOOD FRIDAY falls on the 8th of April this year. WHEELED vehicles are to be seen on our streets. The letter of "Progress" will appear to-morrow. The steamers are being made ready for the season's work.

NEW Easter Cards opened at the Diamond Bookstore to-day. Two drunks occupied cells in the police station this afternoon.

The Civil Service examinations will be held in this city on the 10th May next.

WINDOW Poles and cornices very cheap; from \$1 up at Mark Wright & Co's.

ALL Custom and Law Blanks at the Diamond Bookstore. Cheapest in the city.

LONGEST stock of Room Paper in the city just opened at the London House. mar23/87

JUDGMENT in the McKay-Wise contested election case will be given at noon to-morrow.

STANLEY BROS. embroideries are good and cheap; and all widths from one to forty inches. march23/87

ANOTHER Scott Act case will occupy the attention of the Stipendiary Magistrate to-morrow.

HEAR A. McNeill, Esq., on "Sentiment," at the meeting of the Literary and Scientific Institute to-morrow evening.

EVERYBODY is delighted with the bargains in Felt Hats at James Paton & Co's. Those who have not bought one should see them at once.

ONE Scott Act case at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon. It was adjourned for a week owing to the absence of witnesses.

CHRISTY'S LONDON HATS, the only new Spring Stock in Charlottetown. Come along and get your choice, the prices can't be beat. -James Paton & Co.

It is now said that the world will not come to an end until A. D. 3000. The Halifax Herald says that this leaves us 1113 years in which to figure out the exact majority the Grits haven't got.

We learn from the Provincialist that at the annual election of the Boston Press Club, Mr. Stephen O'Meara, of the Journal, and formerly of Charlottetown, was re-elected President without opposition.

PHILIP CURLEY was brought before the Chief Justice to-day on an application for his discharge from jail, where he is imprisoned for a Scott Act offence. Mr. Davies, Q. C., opposed his discharge, and Mr. Hodgson, Q. C., argued for it. The Chief Justice reserved his decision.

CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE.—A countryman who is doubtless on a debauch in a low grocery allowed his horse to remain on the Market Square the whole of last night, and the half-perished beast was removed by some humane person about eight o'clock this morning. The owner should be severely punished.

MR. RONALD J. MCINTYRE, of Milcove, has fallen among thieves, or rather the thieves have fallen upon him. On two separate market days recently, while absent in the city, Mr. McIntyre was levied upon. On one occasion two stacks of hay were carried off and on another a stack of oats. The stacks of hay would amount to about five tons, and the stack of oats would thresh about two hundred bushels. The thieves considered left the farm, but will probably return for it some other market day. We hope that Mr. McIntyre will ferret out the guilty parties and bring them to justice.

THE Souris Benevolent Irish Society, at their first annual meeting, held on the 10th inst., elected the following officers for the ensuing year:—

President—Joseph Doyle. 1st Vice-President—Dominick Rice. 2nd Vice-President—Jas. Brennan. Treasurer—Jas. McQuaid. Secretary—Daniel E. Morris.

Committee of charity: Jas. Dunphy, Jas. McBride, Thomas Mullally, John Kierckham, Richard St. John, Marshalls: Herbert Pierce, Jas. Kierckham, Patrick McCarthy. Standard Bearer—Thomas Shea.

The benefit concert and entertainment in aid of Miss Bartlett, was very creditable and successful. The hall was crowded, and enthusiastic appreciation was manifested. The Artillery Band and the choir of Zion and the Baptist congregations supplied very fine instrumental and vocal music. Miss Knight's solo was perhaps the best she has rendered; and Miss Fowle sang her first solo in public so sweetly that she charmed the audience, and proved that her voice is one to be cultivated. The vocal duet by Miss Scott and Miss Hughes was very good, indeed; and Messrs. Knight and Walsh each gave an excellent solo. Mr. Fletcher's cornet solo was capital; and the readings by Miss Ellen Lawson and Mr. T. A. LePage were highly appreciated. One of the best pieces of the evening was the cornet duet by Messrs. Worth Brothers.

We are pleased to learn that the movement for the formation of an Athletic Association, in this city, has advanced considerably, and that a meeting to perfect arrangements will probably be held in the Caledonian Hall, on Saturday evening next. We understand that the promoters of the movement contemplate leasing the Caledonian Club grounds, near the Prince Edward Island Hotel. On these grounds they propose erecting a grand stand, underneath which will be a well equipped club-room and gymnasium with lath room attached. There will also be bicycle and running tracks, baseball, football, lawn tennis and quoiting grounds, a cricket crease, etc. The grounds will be enclosed within a high fence. In the autumn of each year a day will be specially set apart for games, etc. The entire cost will be in the neighborhood of \$500. We wish the movement every success.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.)

BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

An All-Night Session.

IRISH AFFAIRS DISCUSSED.

A LIVELY DEBATE.

LONDON, March 23.

There was an all-night sitting of Parliament which continued until noon to-day. The Parnellites obstructed the passing of the Civil Service Bill. When the House re-assembled to-night, Hon. Mr. Smith, the Government leader in the House, moved that the bill for amendment of the criminal law in Ireland have precedence over all orders of the day. He said that Ireland was in a state of disorganization and the Government were bound to act under a sense of public duty, particularly when they found in that country intimidated and notorious criminals, whose deeds were inimicable to the existence of society, getting off scot free. Referring to the amendment, of which notice was given last night by Mr. John Morley, rejecting the declaration of urgency for the Government's bill, he reminded the House how Gladstone resisted the adoption of similar amendments in 1881. The position of the Government now was the same as that of Mr. Gladstone's Government then. The Government's Land Bill would, he said, be in two parts—one would be introduced immediately, and the other be the land purchase bill—of wide scope. Both measures, he declared, would be found to be framed on the principles of honesty and justice. The Speaker thought the Government could not hope that any measure framed on these lines would satisfy the Irish National League which, he said, was an Apostolic succession of the Land League, and was the cause of all disorganization and terrorism prevailing in Ireland. He hoped the House would speedily adopt the Government's measures. If it did not adopt them the Government would be compelled to ask the opinion of the country to either confirm their policy or relieve them of the responsibility of the Government.

John Morley, in moving the rejection of the motion of urgency, denied absolutely Smith's assertions as to the lawless condition of Ireland, and demanded that the Government give comparative statistics of crime in Ireland, which, he said, would show that beyond a very narrow area the country had seldom been quieter than it is now. The Government's proposed Restrictive Legislation would, he argued, only aggravate such evils as existed, and would weaken and spoil whatever remedies they had in store from the Land Commission. He declared that the secret and cause of the combination among the people was the inability of the tenants to pay the excessive rents demanded. It had been shown that the Irish landlords had combined against their tenants, and that their habits of extravagance in emulation of the richer landlords of England, with system of rack rent—no matter how hard the tenants strive to meet the rents, the wretched landlords system crushed them. The coercion proposals of the Government appeared, he said, to be based upon the idea that the people of Ireland were indolent and dishonest. These who knew them had a very different conception of their character. He believed them to be honest, hard working and truthful. He could only regard the bill as a measure designed to enable the landlords to exact exorbitant rents. The tenants were to be deprived of the power of combining against the extortion of the landlords, while the landlords were left free to follow their own plan of campaign, which was more immoral and more deserving of being called a swindle than was the plan of the tenants. Some land agents attempted to coerce the tenants into buying under the Ashbourne Act, dictating terms of purchase and threatening to evict unless the tenants consented. Yet the Government demanded urgency for a Bill giving such men power to force tenants to pay an unreasonable rent or to purchase at an unreasonable price. Behind the Bill lay another proposal that the British tax payer be security for the coercion of the tenants failed to satisfy the landlords. This was Irish history over again. Moral wrongs pressing upon a suffering people without a legal remedy. Then illegal acts to secure something like moral rights; then coercion driving to just discontent under the surface and exciting fiercer discontent. Their wisest policy was, in his opinion, remedial legislation, which would destroy the roots of discontent. In 1881, when the coercion bill passed, the number of evictions rose enormously. He doubted whether the excessive penalties of the 18th century did more injury to Ireland than did the agrarian laws of the present century. The resort of the Government was, however, still the never failing poisonous remedy of coercion.

Mr. Balfour accused Mr. Morley of bestowing adverse criticism and invectives upon a measure that was not yet known. Mr. Gladstone in 1881 told the House to consider not only the amount of crime, but its character and what it was aimed at. The Bill has been forced upon the Government because the present current of crime was aimed at the subversion of the laws which are the basis of order. Referring to the land legislation of the late Government, he characterized it as a humiliating failure. The Land Bill about being introduced would, Mr. Balfour said, work far smoother than the act of 1881, and would give equitable relief to the tenants. He would not pretend by the measure to solve the land question. The only solution of that was the great measure dealing with Land Purchase which the Government was ready to introduce when the Opposition was prepared to receive it. In the meantime, what chance was there of the restoration of the sanctity of contracts or respect for law in Ireland unless the Government was able to enforce the law? What hope was there for any scheme of

purchase if, at the bidding of the League, a solemn compact, entered into under the legislation of 1881, was to be deliberately broken? If Parliament suffered that compact to be set at naught, a more important and serious compact of the settlement of the land difficulty might be broken also. Every man who wished to stop short of separation would, he said, be perfectly mad if he followed the policy of Morley. Let the Government have power to vindicate the existing law, and then respect for future legislation would be ensured.

A Dastardly Act.

A BOMB THROWN

Through a Broken Window.

The Building Damaged.

QUEBEC, March 22.

The city is all excitement over a dastardly attempt to destroy human life. While the French portion of the Salvation Army were worshipping in their Hall to-night, some person threw a bomb into their Hall through a broken window. The bomb exploded almost immediately, and completely wrecked the front of the building. The first meeting had just closed when the explosion occurred and but a few persons were present, outside of the staff. No persons were killed but two or three were seriously injured. It seems miraculous that all the inmates were not killed. The dastards that concocted and carried out the hellish plot are believed to be young men belonging to a higher class of society, who made themselves very conspicuous in the riots waged against these defenceless women when they first arrived.

The Emperor's Birthday.

BERLIN, March 22.

The 90th anniversary of Emperor William's birth was ushered in by pealing of joy bells in all the churches and in the tower of the town hall. The city is decorated as it never was before. Prince Bismarck has assured Crown Prince Rudolph of Austria Hungary, who is here representing his father at the Emperor's celebration, that Germany's foreign policy is pacific, that peace is assured for 1887, and that there is no cause for disquietude in either east or west.

The New Speaker.

HALIFAX, March 23.

Colonel Oumet will be the Government candidate for Speaker of the House of Commons. Mr. Porter, who defeated Annanias Cameron, of West Huron, will move, and Mr. Weldon will second the address in reply to the speech from the throne.

A Jubilee Ode.

LONDON, March 22.

The April number of MacMillan's Magazine will contain the poet Tennyson's Jubilee ode to Queen Victoria.

The Naval Review.

LONDON, March 23.

The naval review will take place on July 23 to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 23—10 a. m.

Strong winds and gales from the eastward, gradually shifting to westward, cloudy weather, with rain or sleet.

MARRIED.

At the Manse of St. James' Church, on the 21st inst., by the Rev. Jas. Carruthers, Mr. William Warren Harper, to Miss Agnes Gillispie, both of Charlottetown.

DIED.

At Portage, Belfast, on Friday, the 18th inst., Roderick McLeod, in the ninetieth year of his age.

Department of Public Printing and Stationery.

THE Revised Statutes of Canada, 1886. The English Edition, is now ready. The French in Press. Price for the 3 Volumes, (5 00) five dollars. Also ready, a number of important separate Acts. Price Lists forwarded on application. Usual discount to the trade.

R. CHAMBERLAIN, Queen's Printer and Controller of Stationery. Ottawa, 4th March, 1887—mar22/87

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.

NASAL BALM SOOTHING, CLEANSING, HEALING. It Cures CATARRH, Cold in Head, HAY FEVER. STOPS Droppings from Nostrils, and all the troubles to the throat and chest caused by Catarrh. Sent pre-paid on receipt of price, 50c and \$1. Address FULFORD & CO., Brockville, Ont.

NOTICE.

ALL amounts due W. R. BOREHAM, unpaid by the 21st MARCH, inst., will be placed in our Attorney's hands for collection on that date. Amherst Boot & Shoe Man'g Co. March 22—t/87

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 Grettonnes, 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.

JAS. PATON & CO., MARKET SQUARE.

March 16, 1887.

Canned Salmon

TWENTY cases Canned Salmon, "Cairns" brand, packed at Annapolis, N. S., fine large neat, and far superior in quality and flavour to the British Columbia salmon, sold by grocers. For sale by HORACE HASZARD, Charlottetown, March 16, 1887—4 cod pd

PURE GOLD GOODS ARE THE BEST MADE. ASK FOR THEM IN CANS, BOTTLES OR PACKAGES. THE LEADING LINES ARE BAKING POWDER, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, SHOE BLACKING, STOVE POLISH, COFFEE, SPICES, BORAX, CURRY POWDER, CELERY SALT, MUSTARD, POWDERED HERBS, &c. ALL GOODS GUARANTEED GENUINE. PURE GOLD MAN'G CO. 31, FRONT ST. EAST, TORONTO.

Tenders--Tenders.

TENDERS will be received up to the first day of APRIL for the building of a Stone Foundation for a large brick building. All information given at our office. MARK WRIGHT & CO.

LOBSTER FACTORY FOR SALE

WE will Sell by Public Auction, On TUESDAY, the 22nd Instant, COMMENCING AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., the Valuable Lobster Factory, situated at Park Corner, New London, lately occupied by Andrew C. McLeod, together with Cook House, Bait House, Stables, &c. Also—Boats, Traps, Rope, Fishing and Packing Gear, Cooking Utensils, Stoves, &c. Also, about 250 Empty Boxes and about 100 Boxes, Cans, and sundry other articles too numerous to mention. Terms made known at sale. ANDREW BOWNNESS, BOWNNESS & ANDERSON, Auctioneers, Kensington, March 8, 1887—t/87

The above Sale is postponed until TUESDAY, the 29th inst., same hour. A. BOWNNESS, Assignee.

SEED WHEAT

THE Subscriber offers for sale a few hundred bushels of his famous White Russian Wheat, grown on the Warren Farm (one year). Call early and secure the best seed, cheap. JOHN NEWSON, March 9, 1887—2mos eod & wky

CORNWALL CHEESE FACTORY FOR SALE.

I AM instructed, by the Riverside Creamery Company, to offer for Sale the Cornwall Cheese Factory and Plant, situated at Cornwall, 6 1/2 miles from Charlottetown. The Building and Plant are in good repair and can be put in operation as soon as required. Further particulars on application. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Real Estate Agent. March 16—& wky tf

ITS PURITY

WOODILL'S & GERMANN'S

CERTIFIED TO BY F. W. BEST, DOMINION ANALYST, St. John, N. B. Feb. 10, 1887.

Carpets, Oilcloths, AND HOUSE-FURNISHINGS.

WE offer the Largest Assortment in the City in these goods, and at prices very low during March.

28 BALES ROOM PAPER NOW READY.

See our Sample Books before buying elsewhere.

Sheetings, White Linens, Pillow Cottons, Towels, Prints, Tickings, Gray Cottons, Gingham, SEERSUCKERS.

A very large assortment of LADIES' CORSETS, at extremely low prices.

JAMES PATON & CO., MARKET SQUARE.

Charlottetown, March 12, 1887.—dy wky

BEER BROS.

WE are offering very fine value in Black and Colored Cashmeres and Merinos, also in White and Gray Cottons, Prints and Gingham. In Ladies' Corsets we have exceptional value. We are also offering Carpets and General House-furnishings at very low prices. Good value will also be found in all other departments.

BEER BROS.

Charlottetown, March 2, 1887.

CHARLOTTETOWN BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY.

SPRING, - - - 1887 - - - SPRING.

WE must thank our friends and the public generally for their ever increasing patronage since we have commenced business. Our Boot & Shoe Factory, in starting, had many difficulties to overcome, and we are glad that to-day those difficulties have been surmounted, and we are now well able to compete with the best Boot and Shoe Factories abroad. Some of the advantages purchasers have in buying from us is, saving of freight, ordering goods when you want them (not six months before), getting them without delay—which saves carrying a large stock which deteriorates on the shelves. Our leathers are bought directly from the tanneries, thereby saving commissions which many factories have to pay. We are more determined than ever to give the

BEST OF SATISFACTION

and to merit the whole of the Island's patronage. We hope to see many new industries arise, thereby increasing the prosperity of this "Gem of the Sea."

DORSEY, GOFF & CO.

Charlottetown, March 15, 1887.—eod & wky

Y. M. C. A. WAVES, LOSS, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—An old style, high, eight-day Clock. Address, "Clock," EXAMINER office. mar23/87 wed sat wky li

TO LET—The Brick House on Sidney Street next to Dorsey & Goff's Factory, containing eleven rooms, shop and large porch, and warehouse if required; rent low. Enquire of Joseph A. Macdonald, Queen Street. ma22/87 wky ti

LOST—On Tuesday, 22nd inst., a Pocket Book, containing a Note of Hand and a small sum of money. Finder will be rewarded on leaving same at this office. march22/87

TO LET—A new House on Chestnut Street, containing seven rooms. Apply to Mrs. B. Pickard. mar24/87

SERVANT WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. K. Jost, Sydney Street, near Convent. mar19/87

TO LET—A large, well-finished Dwelling House, containing 12 rooms, on Prince Street. Apply to F. S. Moore. mar17/87 eod tf

TO LET—Shop and Garden, belonging to the late John J. J. Esq. Also, a large safe, good as new, which I will sell for \$50; second-hand Piano at a low price.—Mrs. Sarah A. J. Kent Street. mar17/87

TO LET—A two and a-half story Brick Building, with slate roof, in good tenable condition, containing ten rooms, besides pantries, 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 Warehouses and Offices, suitable for a good business stand on Water Street. Possession given immediately. For particulars apply to Peake Bros. & Co. mar23/87

TO LET—That brick House on Dundas Esplanade, now in the possession of G. H. Haszard, Esq.; possession given 1st October next. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. mar23/87

TO LET—Shop and Warehouses lately occupied by Beer & Sons at Head St. Peter's Bay. Apply on the premises. mar23/87

TO LET—A Shop and Saw Mill at Milton. Apply on the premises to Otto Curtis. mar23/87 & wky tf

TO LET—Shop and Tenement on Upper Queen Street, lately occupied by W. W. Rodd. Apply on the premises. nov24/87

WANTED—A Parlor Maid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmouth. march5/87

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Cook and a Housemaid, to whom good wages will be given; references required. Apply at The Exam. mar23/87

"DEVONPORT" FOR SALE.

THAT valuable property, known as "Devonport," situated on the Malpeque Road, within one mile of the city, containing about 26 1/2 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. DEBLOS, Provincial Building. Charlottetown, March 2, 1887—eod tf

A Rare Chance for Business at Tignish.

I WILL rent, for a term of years, with privilege of purchase, my establishment at Tignish Railway Station, consisting of— 1st, Large, commodious Shop, Office and Ware room, with Dwelling attached, also Coach-house and Stable. 2nd, A Warehouse, 3 storeys, 25x40. 3rd, Large Yard, with shed for 20 horses. 4th, Large Warehouse alongside Railway track. The Stock Book shows \$1,400 general merchandise and shop fixtures, which will be sold on long terms. Possession can be given immediately, and my clerk will stay with the next occupant if desired. For terms, &c., apply to GEORGE W. HOWLAND, Charlottetown, March 4, 1887—see post office times.