

Local and Other Items.

RICHARD HUNT, Esq., of Summerside, is in the city.

ONE drunk at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court to-day.

The pump near the Drill Shed requires the immediate attention of the contractor.

The mails crossed from Cape Tormentine to-day, and reached the city about four o'clock.

YOUNG men remember the words of the late lamented Josh Billings:—"If your girl can't skate, let her slide."

A BILL has been introduced into the Iowa Senate to enable husbands or wives of incurably insane persons to marry again.

ONE firm in Germany has made and sold 3,000,000 thermometers during the last five years, yet the temperature is just as variable as ever.

WE understand that prizes of \$5 each for the two best costumes—lady and gentleman—will be awarded at the Carnival in the Citizens' Rink, on Friday evening next.

The funeral of the late James Alexander, Esq., took place at 2 o'clock, Sunday. It was one of the largest and most respectable funerals ever seen in Wellington.

A CLEVER girl was asked what her sensations were when she shot down the toboggan chute for the first time. "It was delightful," she exclaimed enthusiastically; "I thought I was dying."

THERE are five Commercial Travellers' Associations in Canada. Toronto with a membership of 2,300; Montreal, 1,500; London, 500; Winnipeg, 150; Halifax, N. S., about 150.

SCARLET FEVER is raging in Shenandoah, Pa. Upwards of 200 children have been carried off by the disease within the last two weeks and there are over a hundred new cases in the town.

ELDER IRA C. MITCHELL will preach again this evening in the Meeting House, Upper Great George Street at half past seven. Subject: "What is repentance?" The public are invited to attend.

WE desire to call attention to Mrs. Bartholomew Pickard's advertisement which appears in to-day's paper, and we bespeak for her a share of that public patronage to which the deserving are entitled.

MR. WM. PATRICK, MACAN, N. B., has a heifer calf dropped May 15, which gives 4 ft. 10. The mother is half Devon and half Durham; the sire a Durham owned by the Athol Agricultural Society.

HOCKEY is at last to the fore. A meeting of those interested in the game will be held at the Citizens' Skating Rink at 8 o'clock sharp, on Saturday evening next, after which a jolly good game may be expected. Don't fail, boys.

The subject for debate before the Benevolent Irish Society Literary and Debating Club, this evening, is, "Should the Legislative Council be abolished?" There being ample room for discussion, we look for a full attendance.

PEOP. EARLE'S Grand Concert, lately given in this city and so favorably received, will be repeated in Summerside, on Monday evening, 22nd inst. Over twenty performers will take part. Tickets for sale at Morris' Bookstore and Prince County Drugstore.

JUST OPENED ex Northern Light, a large stock of Ladies Kid Gloves, in quite new spring shades, imported expressly for the early spring trade. Four Button Dents only 65; 4 Clasp Dents only 85; worth \$1 and \$1.30, at Reid Bros. fe 17 4i

A MEETING of the St. George's Literary and Dramatic Club will be held to-night at 7.30 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor, when its organization will be completed. Any Canadian who takes an interest in the work proposed at the first meeting is invited to attend.

"REPENTANCE, what it is and its imperativeness," will be the theme of discourse at the Church of Christ, Upper Great George Street, at 7.30 this p.m., to be followed by a series of discourses on Baptism, its antecedents and consequences, by Elder Ira C. Mitchell.

In justice to Elder Ira C. Mitchell, we wish to state that in the notice of meeting in yesterday's EXAMINER, the concluding sentence, inviting the presence of ministers of other denominations, was not in the original notice furnished by Mr. Mitchell, but was doubtless added by the messenger. Mr. Mitchell, however, will be pleased to have their presence when convenient.

WE recommend the St. George's Literary and Dramatic Club to all who take pleasure in intellectual pursuits. Many Clubs of like character meet to organize in the fall only to go to pieces as summer approaches. This Club, on the other hand, will likely pull through, as there are field sports, the militia, and other things which will bind the young men together. Some of our leading men are taking great interest in the Club. It will meet to-night in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor to complete its organization. It is meant to be Canadian. We wish it every success.

ONE day last week while Mr. Henry Oulton, of Bala Verto Roads, was in the woods logging his attention was attracted by the loud and incessant barking of his dog. On going to where the dog was, he found a bear's den under an old woodfall. Not having any firearms, he immediately sent for Mr. Arthur Wood, who soon arrived armed with a double barreled rifle, which he made good use of by firing and putting the contents of both barrels into the head of what turned out to be a large she bear, killing her instantly. On dragging the body out, three young bruis about three days old were found in the den.

The Treasurer of the Prince Edward Island Hospital begs to acknowledge having received the following sums of money in behalf of the Institution:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes Mr. Henry Farquharson, Mrs. Albert Kelly, Miss Mary Buchanan, etc.

Also from the Baptist Church, East Point, West River, per Dr. MacLeod, \$5.00. Total, \$11.90. And the following were received at the Hospital: Mrs. Albert Kelly, 1 jar jelly and parcel linen; Mrs. James Farquharson, 1 blanket; Mrs. Wm. Farquharson, 1 towel; Mrs. Geo. Alexander, 1 pair sheets; Mrs. John S. Baker, 1 parcel linen.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Home Rule Demonstration

DUBLIN, Feb. 16. John Dillon presided at a meeting of the Dublin Branch of the National League to-day, and made several important declarations. Among other things, Dillon said, "We are on the eve of achieving a National Parliament for Ireland. We will only accept the completest form of Home Rule, and when we have that, then I and the other Irish extremists will join hands with Englishmen." Three hundred and fifty-nine Presbyterian congregations in Ireland, numbering 32,810 persons, adopted resolutions denouncing the project of establishing Home Rule in the country.

Servian Conspiracy.

LONDON, Feb. 16. A despatch from Belgrade says that a conspiracy has been discovered there to overthrow King Milan and place upon the throne Prince Alexander Karageorgevitch who has long been a pretender to the Servian throne.

Belgrade, Feb. 16.

Owing to the renewal of armaments by the Bulgarians, King Milan has ordered the second class of reserves of Servia to be mobilized. A Hungarian legion is being organized in Servia to aid King Milan, and it has already enrolled 400 men.

U. S. Senate on the Fisheries

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.

In the United States Senate, to-day, Senator Frye, of Maine, moved, and the Senate agreed, that the consideration of the resolution reported by Senator Frye from the Committee on Foreign Relations, expressing the sense of the Senate to be that no further fishery commission should be appointed or provided for, shall be taken up for consideration on Monday next.

Trouble Ahead for Greece.

LONDON, Feb. 16.

The Daily News has the following: "We understand that upon the arrival of two men-of-war, sent to reinforce the British Mediterranean fleet, forward operations will be taken with a view of disabling the Greek fleet. In the present temper of the Greek nation there is little doubt but that the Greek Admiral will forcibly resist the contemplated attack."

Horrible Disaster.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.

A portion of the Fisheries Exhibition building collapsed to-day, while several scores of workmen were engaged upon it. Most of them were recovered from the wreck, eighteen with broken legs or arms. It is known that several men killed by the accident remain buried in the debris.

A Drawn Prize Fight.

LONDON, Feb. 16.

The prize fight, which had been arranged to take place to-day, near Paris, between Greenfield and Smith, for the English heavy weight championship and £2000 stakes, has been declared a draw. The fight, however, when stopped was very much in favor of Smith.

Death in the Flames.

PLYMOUTH, Wis., Feb. 16.

James Ehle, wife, father and three children, and Mrs. Kinney perished by the burning of Ehle's residence, in the western part of Greenbush early this morning. It is thought the fire is the result of revengeful incendiarism.

Counterfeiters in the Toils.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., Feb. 16.

A gang of counterfeiters who have been operating in this city for some time was broken up to-day by two of their number being arrested.

Skating Match.

ST. JOHN, Feb. 17.

In the three mile amateur race at the Lansdowne Rink last night, after a very close contest Dowd, of Montreal, won, with Whelpley a good second.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Feb. 17.—10 a. m.

South and west winds, fair weather, not much change in temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE

Charlottetown, Feb. 17, 1886.

Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....44.0  
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....24.1  
Lowest Temperature this morning.....9.5  
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....11.4  
Temperature this afternoon, at 5 o'clock.....13.5

Supreme Court.

FEBRUARY 17.

Henry vs. Laird.—The evidence in this case being all before the jury, Mr. Davies, Q. C., yesterday afternoon addressed the jury on behalf of the defendant for over two hours.

This morning, Mr. Hodgson, Q. C., for the plaintiff, began his address to the jury, and concluded at three o'clock this afternoon. The Chief Justice then adjourned the Court until to-morrow, when he will deliver his charge.

DIED.

At his residence, Wellington, Lot 16, on Feb. 5th, after one year's illness of stomach complaint, James Alexander, Esq., in the 49th year of his age, leaving a wife and eight children to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate husband and father.

[Foreign papers please copy.]

BEER BEFORE BUYING. See Our Prices.

Special Notices.

MOURNING GOODS a specialty. Beer Bros.

START for L. E. Prowse's if you want bargains. fe 13

HATS! Hats! Hats! in great variety, selling low at L. E. Prowse's. fe 13

SLAUGHTER PRICES—Men's Plain Overshoes for \$1.20; former price \$1.60. Men's Fancy Overshoes for \$1.30; former price \$1.75, at J. B. Macdonald's Boot Store. fe 8

L. E. PROWSE is selling his stock of Dress Goods, Embroidery, Lace, Valenciennes, Lace Curtains, etc. at a great discount. Those who want bargains should call and see these goods. fe 13

This time of year, the cheapest and best place to buy Boots is at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. fe 11 4f

REPAIRING.—All kinds of Rubbers and Boots mended at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. fe 11 4f

LEAVE YOUR MEASURE.—The best Custom Boots made at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. fe 11 4f

PURE Island Honey just received at Beer & Goff's. fe 9

PLEASE call at L. E. Prowse's and get a receipt for the amount you owe him. jan 21, dy and wky

OYSTERS by the barrel at John Joy's, Water Street. jan 33, tf

L. E. PROWSE requests an immediate settlement of all amounts due him. jan 21, dy and wky

CAPE COD CRANBERRIES and Nova Scotia Fox-berries, for sale at Beer & Goff's. j 27

FRESH oysters received three times a week, at John Joy's, Water Street. jan 23, tf

SOME nice Dinner Sets in Ivory at W. P. Colwill's. ja 29 31 av 2w

A SPLENDID lot of good Codfish selling cheap at W. P. Colwill's. ja 29 31 av 2w

A FEW dozen Electric Lamps and a few dozen Common Burners will be sold cheap at W. P. Colwill's. 29 31 av 2w

Horsford's Acid Phosphate, A GOOD THING.

Dr. Adam Miller, M.D., says: "It is one of the very few really valuable preparations now offered to the sick. In a practice of thirty-five years, I have found a few good things, and this is one of them."

The Song of Millner's Ash Sifter.

As gentle dew upon the mountain's top, / Or rain distilling, trickles drop by drop, / By mystic touch in unions power descend, / Increasing still, as still they join and blend; / Adown the mountain's rough and rugged brow, / Still gathering force—increasing still—fill now: / A mighty torrent down the cession roars, / And huris tumultuous to the nether shores, / Thus little drops of dew and rain unseen, / Swell oceans vast, with continents between; / This little savings, by the sifter sough, / And found, and saved, are to advance, or brought; / Were little things but heeded as they pass, / They'd tell a tale untold if seen in mass. SIFTER.

Flour, Fish, Apples, &c.

BY Auction, WEDNESDAY, February 17th, at 11 o'clock, at my Auction Room:—

35 barrels Flour, some of which is slightly damaged; 50 barrels American Baldwin Apples, in choice order; boxes Lemons, large Peanuts, &c. Also—5,600 lbs. Dried Codfish, 200 barrels No. 1 Herring, &c. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. fe 15 2i

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have this day admitted my brother, G. FRANK BEER, into partnership. The business in future will be conducted under the firm name of BEER BROS. W. W. BEER. Ch'town, Feb. 1, 1886—1mo eod wky

RUSSELL HOUSE,

Souris, P. E. I., (op. Stones' Hotel).

THE Undersigned, having thoroughly fitted up his premises, is prepared to accommodate transient and permanent Boarders at reasonable rates. Sample Rooms, for Commercial Travellers' in connection with House. S. R. McLEAN, Proprietor. Souris, Feb. 2, '86—2wks eod wky 2i

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

MONEY to Loan on security of real estate. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. fe 17 2wks

WANTED.—A Girl to do general household work; one from the country preferred. Apply at this office. fe 15 6i pd

LOST.—A Gold Seal with initials "R. F. L. G." The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Boot & Shoe Factory. fell

WANTED.—A Girl to do general household work in a family of two; good reference required. Apply at this office. fe 11 1w eod

WANTED.—At the Osborne House, a good Cook. fe 11 3i eod pd

WANTED.—A Housekeeper to take charge of a farm-house a short distance from town. Make enquiries at EXAMINER office. fe 8 4f

WANTED.—A smart Girl for general household work, one from country preferred; good wages, work easy—a good home. Enquire at this office. fe 8 3i pd

WANTED.—A good kitchen girl in a small family. Second girl kept. Must understand plain cooking, and be good washer and ironer. Apply to this office. fe 8, 4f

TO LET.—The large brick Store on Queen Street, next to J. D. Macleod. Possession given first of May. Apply to A. White. apt 27 2av pat

BOARDERS.—Two or three gentlemen or ladies Boarders may find comfortable accommodation by applying to Mrs. William Kennedy, Brick House, Hillsborough Park. sept 9 4f

H. Our business is confined strictly to staple and fancy Dry Goods and a first-class Millinery Department.

R Dress Goods and Trimmings, Mantle and Sack Cloths, Silks, Velvets and Laces, Ladies' Lin-gerie.

E We are therefore able to present to all who favor us with their patronage, a large assortment of goods of good value in all departments.

O Carpets, Oilcloths and Room-paper, Table Linen and Covers, Curtains, &c.—a complete range of House Furnishings.

R We are now offering the balance of our Winter Goods at Reduced Prices to clear.

S STAPLES. Gray and White Cottons, Prints, Cretonnes, Gingham, &c., &c., &c. Feb. 2—dy wy

Facts Facts

PERKINS & STERNS'

WELL-KNOWN LOW PRICES ARE BEING FURTHER REDUCED TO CLEAR BALANCE OF THIS SEASON'S STOCK.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Fur-lined Cloaks.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Winter Jackets.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Millinery.

Dress Goods, Shawls and Hosiery Cut Away Down Very Low.

Just See the Prices we are Selling Blankets at.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

The Largest Stock, Newest Goods to be found—Useful and Ornamental. Prices to Please Everyone.

Our NEW, LARGE AND WELL-ASSORTED STOCK is now offered to the public at LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Let All Remember that we will not be Undersold by any House in the Trade.

SEE OUR PRICES BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Dec. 11, '85.

Special Sale.

Closing-out of the Entire Stock of GENERAL DRY GOODS at the

LONDON HOUSE

GEO. DAVIES & CO., intending to make a change in

their present business, offer the whole of their MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF MERCHANDIZE at prices that cannot fail to make a clearance.

This is a BONA FIDE SALE, as the stock must be disposed of during the next few months, and will present a Grand Opportunity to all buyers for Cash.

Our Wholesale Customers will be supplied on the usual Terms.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, Dec. 9, 1885.

J. H. MYRICK & CO.,

WHOLESALE and retail dealers in CANNED GOODS, FLOUR, TEA, GROCERIES, &c. Also; PORK, LARD, HAMS and FISH of all kinds, Grafton Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

In our Fish Market we offer CODFISH—boneless, dried, pickled; HERRING, MACKEREL, SHAD—pickled; DIGBY HERRING.

In Canned Fish we offer SALMON, FINNAN HADDIES and LOBSTERS. We wish to direct special attention to our

Fresh Salmon and Codfish,

which we receive and have on sale every day.

Our GROCERIES will be found fresh and reliable and our stock is complete in all departments. Our prices will compare favorably with those of the best grocers.

PORK, BACON, SUGAR-CURED HAMS, LARD, FRESH BEEF, CORNED BEEF and SAUSAGES. Our SAUSAGES are fresh made every morning, from the best material.

By dealing with us house-keepers can obtain everything they require in the house-keeping line without trouble or unnecessary running around.

Orders by mail or telephone will receive prompt attention.

J. H. MYRICK & CO.,

Fish Market Grafton Street. Charlottetown, Feb. 9, 1886—1 mo eod

North Atlantic Steamship Co.



SPRING SAILINGS, 1886.

From London and Liverpool

S.S. 'CLIFTON'

WILL LEAVE

London for Charlottetown,

ABOUT 15th APRIL.

S.S. "Nellie Wise,"

WILL LEAVE

Liverpool for Charlottetown,

ABOUT 15th APRIL.

The above Steamers, after discharging at Charlottetown, will proceed to Batavia or Miramichi.

Carrying Goods at Through Rates to the principal points in P. E. Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

For Freight, Passage, or other information apply in London to Stewart Brothers, 3 Fenchurch Street, Fenchurch Court; in St. John, Chamham and Bathurst, N. B., to R. A. & J. Stewart; in Liverpool to T. C. Jones & Co.

FENTON T. NEWBERRY, Agent.

Ch'town, Jan. 30, 1886.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, under the style and firm of GEO. DAVIES & CO., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Davies retiring from the business, which will be carried on by T. J. Harris and W. H. Stewart, under the style and firm of HARRIS & STEWART.

All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to pay their respective accounts to MESSRS. HARRIS & STEWART, who will continue the business at the London House and discharge all debts due by the late firm.

GEO. DAVIES, T. J. HARRIS, W. H. STEWART.

February 1, 1886—fe 13 1wk eod wky 3i

Canned Salmon.

A FEW cases of the "CAIRNS' BRAND" for sale, in cases, half cases and quarter cases. This brand is far superior to the British Columbia Salmon.

HORACE HAZARD, Queen Square.

Ch'town, Feb. 11, 1886.—1 mo eod

J. B. MACDONALD

REQUESTS all persons indebted to him to pay their accounts before the 1st MARCH. All accounts not paid at that date will be handed over for collection.

All balances due in his Boot and Shoe Store will be included.

Ch'town, Feb. 8, 1886—dy wky

NOTICE.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF P. E. ISLAND, Charlottetown, Feb. 4th, 1886.

THE General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Merchants Bank of Prince Edward Island will be held at its office, in Charlottetown, on THURSDAY, MARCH 4th, at the hour of 11 a. m., for the election of Directors and transaction of other business.

Proxies must be left with the Cashier on or before Tuesday, March 2nd.

By order of Board, F. McARDLE, Cashier.

Ch'town, Feb. 5, '86—pat tl march 1

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CAMPBELLS ARE COMING!

LADIES' ACADEMY, Sackville, N. B., Jan. 19, 1886.

WE have been using

WOODILLS

GERMAN

BAKING

POWDER

during the past year, and it has proved highly satisfactory.

M. A. CAMPBELL, Housekeeper.

Feb. 4, 1886.