

Liberal-Conservative COMMITTEE ROOMS. MARKET HOUSE Local and Other Items.

THE NEW NATION.—Edward Bellamy's new paper may be had at the Diamond Bookstore.

L. O. O. F.—Wildey Lodge holds its regular session at 8 o'clock this evening. Degree work.

A lot remnants white cottons cheap at Stanley Bros', Brown Block. 120 St eod&w

DON'T FORGET to come and see the tableaux of Canada in the West Kent Street School Monday.

POLICE COURT.—This morning John Ring was sentenced to two months imprisonment for vagrancy.

MILLS.—Boats left Cape Traverse for Toronto this morning, and will return this evening if possible.

St. PETER'S CHURCH. This evening 7.30, instruction on the Lord's Prayer, "Thy Kingdom Come."

FIRST OF THE SEASON.—A bunch of Mayflowers, half open, were picked in Tangier, N. S., last week.

SWORN IN.—Hon. James E. McDonald has been sworn in Commissioner of Public Works for this Province.

HOCKEY.—A full attendance of the members of the Hockey Club is requested at the rink to-morrow night, to practice for the match on Wednesday night.

MEETING.—There will be a Union Evangelical meeting in the Baptist Church this evening at 7.30. The pastors of the different churches in the city will take part. All are invited to attend.

THE STANLEY.—Telegraphic advices state that the Stanley left White Sands early this morning, and when last seen was rounding Cape Bear. She is expected at Georgetown this afternoon.

CANADA TEMPERANCE ACT.—The Governor-General's proclamation repealing the Canada Temperance Act in Charlottetown as published in the Canada Gazette of Saturday last, at 10 o'clock this morning. The proclamation is dated Feb. 10th.

SINGULAR.—Says the Farmer: Mr. Malcolm McFarlane, of Bedouque, cut his foot very badly with an axe a few days ago. While visiting him on Monday last, his brother, Neil McFarlane, of this town, was stricken down with paralysis.

POSTPONED.—The social which was to have been held on Thursday, the 26th inst., by the young ladies of the Wesley Mission Road has been postponed until Tuesday, 23rd of March. A splendid programme is prepared. There will also be a sale of useful and fancy articles.

WON THE BEE.—Mr. James Squarings, of Miscouche, on a wager of \$5 with Mr. Stanley Compton, of St. Eleazar, cut it for the former could not cut 40 poles in one day, cut as many as 423 poles recently, says the Farmer. The day is said to have been stormy and unfavorable for the work, too.

THEATRICAL.—A Company under the management of Mr. George Eiton, and presenting the farcical comedy in three acts, "Mother-in-Law," have engaged the Lyceum for the evenings of the 29th and 3rd May, next. The company aims to attract the better class of theatre-goers, and will likely be well patronized.

INCIDENT FIER.—A fire under the floor of the attic of the Market House yesterday afternoon was discovered just in time to extinguish before any serious damage was done. Some one evidently pulled down a portion of the gas fixtures in the room below the one in which the fire was found and applied a match to the gas which was not turned off.

"I could never consent to the Zollverein policy for obvious reasons, but I cannot conceive why any one should object to reciprocity free trade secured by treaty and not inimical to the inner strength of Great Britain as the heart of the Empire. I shall feel it to be my duty to vote in the direction of these remarks in Parliament."—Hon. Alexander McKenzie, 1891.

ANOTHER SOCIAL.—An entertainment and social was held in Montague Hall, on Tuesday evening, 17th inst., in aid of the hall. The hall, which is large, was fairly filled with an appreciative audience. The best of order prevailed. The affair was a complete success financially and otherwise. The clergy were well represented. Among the guests were some of our Local and Dominion representatives. The Philharmonic Society recently established at that place furnished the music. The new society did their part well.

WEDDING BELLS.—A very pretty wedding occurred at St. Patrick's Church, Boston, Mass., on the evening of Feb. 10th, the contracting parties being Mr. Joseph Cox, son of P. D. Cox, Lord Surveyor, and Miss Martha Green, daughter of the late Michael Green. The bride was attended by Miss Mary McCarthy, and Mr. Giles Cox, brother of the groom, acted as best man. The bride looked charming in a dress of white crepe de chene with tulle veil and orange blossoms. After the ceremony a supper was given, to which the immediate relatives of the happy couple were invited. All the parties mentioned were former residents of Charlottetown.

THE TRAINS DELAYED.—The Georgetown train which was due here yesterday morning at 10.25 was so delayed by ice and snow on the rails that it did not arrive till 3.45 this morning. There was no communication between Tignish and Summerside yesterday. To-day the trains left at the regular times and it is hoped the track will be open for through traffic by night. Trains have not yet reached Souris, but are expected to get through to-day. The track was never known to be in such an impassible condition. For miles the rail-roads were cleared of the ice with picks and shovels. A great number of men have been put at the work.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Political News.

British Public Opinion Roused, What the English Press Says.

Great Britain Might Retaliate.

LONDON, Feb. 20. English papers devote much space to Sir John's exposé of Farrar's treacherable paper.

The Chronicle says: Sir John Macdonald's revelation is likely to turn the whole course of the elections in Canada. If the language of the pamphlet alleged to have been written by Farrar is not treason, we do not know what to call it.

We hesitate to believe Sir Richard Cartwright is a party to the conspiracy. But unless the Liberal leaders are able to disassociate themselves from these intrigues, the returns are likely to lead them altogether out of the reckoning.

The Times says: That the long reign of Victoria can supply a proper description of such conduct as that of Edward Farrar may be doubtful. But in the reign of Elizabeth Sir John Macdonald's description would be accurate and appropriate, and penalties would not have been wanting.

The ultimate issue of the struggle is whether Canada will enter the American union—though the pending election will not decide it because, if the Liberals are victorious, they will find it only the beginning of their task.

Sir Michael Hicks Beach in a speech to-day favors federation of the Empire, and warns Canadian liberals that England might retaliate in duties if unrestricted reciprocity is adopted.

THE ANNEXATION PLOT Ruins Prospects of the Opposition in Ontario.

The Situation in Quebec Losses in P. E. Island admitted by the Grits.

OTTAWA, Feb. 20. The exposure of the Annexation plot has been completely ruined grit prospects in Ontario.

They will make a desperate struggle in Quebec, but the clergy are loyal to a man and the Farrar letter has decided their course.

The grits expect little from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and their hopes for the Island have been badly shattered by recent advices.

Mr. James Yeo's withdrawal from that party has knocked them cold. They are exceedingly anxious to retain Davies, and fearing his defeat in Queen's will nominate him for an Ontario constituency. They have abandoned King's to the Conservatives and acknowledge Howland's election, and their only hope is Davies.

Sir John at Strathroy. STRATHROY, Ont., Feb. 20. Sir John Macdonald last night addressed the largest political meeting ever held here. The meeting was a great success for the Conservatives.

The Grits in Ottawa. OTTAWA, Feb. 20. The grits have not yet nominated their candidates here.

Local Notices. "MRS. BUTTERMILK" at the school entertainment. It would be well for the citizens in their excitement over Prowse Bros. new hats to bear in mind that they also have the largest, best and cheapest stock of mens, boys and youths clothing in the city. Feb. 20 31.

People may differ in opinion on politics, but they all agree that Prowse Bros. new hats take the lead in nobby styles and low prices. Feb. 20 31

MARRIED. At the Methodist parsonage, Winslow Road, on Feb. 12th, by the Rev. W. J. Kirby, Charles B. Horne to Maggie May McCutcheon, all of Rustico, P. E. I.

At the Methodist parsonage, Winslow Road, Feb. 16th, by the Rev. W. J. Kirby, George Henry Ford to Harriett Jane Younker, all of Winslow Road.

DIED. In this city, on the 19th inst, Thomas Connolly, aged 46 years. [Funeral will leave his late residence, Sydney Street, on Sunday at 3 p. m. for St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to Roman Catholic cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.]

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Spring Trip From Liverpool.



THE CLIPPER BARKENTINE

EREMA, 300 Tons Register, R. McDONALD, Commander, WILL SAIL FROM Liverpool for Charlottetown ABOUT 1st OF APRIL,

and will carry Freight at through rates to the different Railway points on the Island.

For Freight apply in London to John Pitcairn & Sons, 7 Union Court, Old Broad Street; in Liverpool to Pitcairn Brothers, 51 South John Street, or here to the owners. PEARSE BROS. & CO. Charlottetown, Feb. 17, 1891.

The Charlottetown Steam Navigation Company (Ltd).

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at their Office, corner of Great George and Lower Water Streets, Charlottetown, on MONDAY, the Second day of March, A. D. 1891, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, a. m.

By order, F. W. HALES, Secretary. Charlottetown, Feb. 17, 1891—dy

POLITICAL MEETINGS. THE undersigned will meet the Electors at the following times and places:—

Morell—Wednesday, 18th inst., at 1 o'clock. Head St. Peter's Bay—Thursday, 19th, at 1 o'clock.

Souris—Friday, 20th, at 1 o'clock. Dundas—Saturday, 21st, at 1 o'clock. Cardigan—Monday, 23rd, at 1 o'clock. Montague Bridge—Tuesday, 24th, at 1 o'clock.

Whim Road Cross—Thursday, 26th, at 6 o'clock. Murray Harbor South—Friday, 27th, at 1 o'clock. Other announcements in due time. A. C. MACDONALD, JOHN MCLEAN. Feb. 17

Temperance Convention. THE Delegates to the Temperance Convention to be held in Charlottetown, at 11 o'clock, in McLeod's Hall, on WEDNESDAY next, the 25th inst., can procure tickets from the P. E. Island Railway at one single first-class fare, and will be returned free on the certificate of the Secretary of the Committee. Tickets good to return on the 26th inst.

SIMON W. CRABBE, Chairman Committee. Feb. 18

NOTICE. THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Inland Steam Navigation Company will be held at the office of L. C. OWEN, King Street, on SATURDAY, the 21st day of February, instant, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

L. C. OWEN, Secretary. Feb. 18

POLITICAL MEETINGS. THE Candidates for Queen's County will meet the Electors at the following times and places:—

Mount Stewart Hall—Friday, 13th February, at 6 o'clock. Monaghan Road Schoolhouse—Saturday, 14th, at 2 o'clock. Vernon River Bridge Hall—Monday, 16th, at 6 o'clock. Grandview Schoolhouse—Tuesday, 17th, at 6 o'clock. Wood Islands School (West)—Wednesday, 18th, at 1 o'clock. Belle Creek School—Wednesday, 18th, at 6 o'clock. Eldon Hall—Thursday, 19th, at 6 o'clock. Pownall Hall—Friday, 20th, at 6 o'clock. New Dominion Schoolhouse—Saturday, 21st, at 2 o'clock. Bonshaw Hall—Monday, 23rd, at 6 o'clock. Crapaud Hall—Tuesday, 24th, at 6 o'clock. Springton Schoolhouse—Wednesday, 25th, at 1 o'clock. Badalbane Hall—Wednesday, 25th, at 6 o'clock. Irishtown Hall, Friday, 27th February, at 1 o'clock, p. m. Clifton Hall—Friday, 27th, at 6 o'clock. Hope River Hall—Saturday, 28th, at 1 o'clock. Rustico Bank—Saturday, 7th, at 6 o'clock. Brackley Point Road Hall—Monday, 2nd March, at 2 o'clock. Feb. 11—all prs dy wy tl 28th

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c. TO LET. The House lately occupied by the Rev. Fred. E. J. Lloyd is to let. Apply at this office. Feb. 18

FOR SALE.—A nice building lot at head of Alley Street near Prince Street, situated on high ground and in good locality, near Upper Prince Street Church and School. Price low and terms easy. Apply to GEORGE ALLEY. Jan. 2

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PROWSE BROS' Spring Stock of Felt Hats is now Complete.

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Natural History Society. JOHN McSWAIN, ESQ., Principal Queen Square School, Will read a Paper before this Society on "THE DISEASES OF THE POTATO,"

IN Y. M. C. A. PARLOR, Monday, 23rd Inst. AT 8 O'CLOCK, P. M. Admission Free. Feb. 16

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FANCY SALE AND Children's Entertainment. A SALE of Useful and Fancy Articles, on behalf of the Band of Hope and other Church purposes, will be held in ST. PAUL'S SCHOOLROOM, Thursday, 26th February, inst.

In the Evening an Entertainment will be given by the Children of the Band of Hope. There will be Tea and Refreshments during the day. Doors open at 2 o'clock. Admission, 10 cts. Feb. 17—41 2aw

SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, CHARLOTTETOWN. To Open on the 1st September, 1891. MISS RUSSELL, PRINCIPAL.

THE Course of Instruction will include English in all branches, Mathematics, Latin, Drawing (South Kensington Course), Calligraphy, Needlework, French, German, Music, Piano and Harmony, Class Singing. Arrangements have been made with Trinity College, London, England, to examine pupils in the school for certificates in theory of Music, that those who wish to qualify for a musical degree may do so. Dr. Anderson has kindly promised to test the progress of the pupils in English, Mathematics and Latin by yearly examinations, and reports of progress and attendance will be sent to the parents at the end of every term. For further particulars apply to MISS RUSSELL, P. O. Box 14 Feb. 18—pat 31 eod sum jour 21

NOTICE. THE undersigned having purchased from Mr. Henry T. LePage, of this city, all his Stock in Trade, Notes of Hand, Judgments, Book Debts, etc., hereby notify all parties indebted to him to pay the amount of their said respective indebtedness at our office in Charlottetown, being the office on Queen Street lately occupied by the said Henry T. LePage, to Mr. Robert F. Irving, our bookkeeper, or to Mr. John Davis Schurman, Free-trader, who alone are authorized to give receipts for the same. We will continue, as Mr. LePage has done in the past, to keep on hand throughout this Island a full line of Agricultural Implements and Machinery, Seeds, etc., suitable for the Island trade. The patronage of the Farming public is respectfully solicited. THE GOWDY MANUF'G. CO. Ch'town, P. E. I., Feb. 16, 1891. Feb. 19—d 41 w 6w pat d 31 w 6w jour pio 6w

Lecture at Hunter River. DR. GEORGE A. BAYNES will deliver a Lecture at Hunter River on MONDAY EVENING next, the 23d inst., in aid of the Building Fund of the Union Church at that place. Subject—"MENTAL PHANTASMAGORIA." dy 31 wy 11—Feb. 19

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