

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

SPONSORSHIP at Beer Bros.
What about that tunnel now?
REMEMBER THE POOR by patronizing the concert in St. Patrick's Hall.

TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER
THE GOVERNMENT'S MILITIA POLICY.
\$3,000,000 for Defences.
OTTAWA, Feb. 17.
It has transpired that the purchase of new rifles is simply one phase of the Government's policy regarding the militia.

WORTH A GUINEA A BOX. BEECHAM'S PILLS

(Tasteless—Effectual.)
For Sick-Headache, Impaired Digestion, Liver Disorders and Female Ailments.
Renowned all over the World.
Covered with a Tasteless & Soluble Coating.

NEW BOOKS TO-DAY.

"The Men of the Moss Hags," by S. R. Crockett.
"The Amazing Marriage," by George Meredith.
"From the Memoirs of a Minister of France," by Stanley Weyman.

A BIG BANK ROBBERY.

The most successful and daring bank robbery that has occurred in Western Missouri for a quarter of a century took place at Savannah a small town fifteen miles northwest of St. Joseph, Mo., on Saturday night week.

DAINTY WHITEWEAR.

Fine goods, neatly made, tastefully trimmed and finished. Cheap—but the PRICE is less noticeable than the QUALITY FOR THE PRICE.
Night Gowns.
Corset Covers.

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UNGAR DYE WORKS,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

Suits, Coats, Vests, Pants, Sacques, Dresses, Skirts, Waists, Gloves, Feathers, Curtains, Table Cloths, or anything that you want to get dyed. Just send them to W. C. TURNER'S CLOTH STORE, Masonic Temple Building, Grafton Street, Charlottetown, and have them Dyed, Pressed and returned in two weeks.

W. C. TURNER, Agent,

MONCTON WOOLLEN MILLS, Moncton, N. B.
UNGAR DYE WORKS, St. John, N. B.

If You Are Not in Good Form LET US PRESCRIBE FOR YOU.

With the aid of Artistic Cutters we can perform an operation upon you that will make you feel well and look well. It's a new Suit of FASHIONABLE CLOTHES we would suggest. No more scientific operators at our cutters' table and on our work bench can be found on this Island. Then the EXQUISITE STYLES in our Imported Fabrics. We have them. Our charges, too, are as low as any First-class Establishment in the country.

JOHN T. MCKENZIE,

STAR MERCHANT TAILOR,
Next Door to J. D. McLeod & Co's.

BIG DISCOUNT SALE NOW ON!

SKATING BOOTS at 20 per cent. discount. Now is your time to buy a pair.
Our \$2.50 Boots now \$2.00.
Our \$2.00 Boots now \$1.60.
Our \$1.50 Boots now \$1.20.
LADIES, do not let this opportunity pass to secure a pair of good Boots cheap.

Don't Buy Moccasins

until you see the Bargains we are offering.
Men's Moccasins, 80c. a pair.
Ladies' " Tie, 85c. "
" Lace, \$1 "
" Lined, \$1.15 "
Boys' " Lace, 50c. a pair.

Watch, Rings, Chains.

G. H. TAYLOR, North Side of Queen Square.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c

Advertisements under this heading charged five cents per line.
COOK WANTED—February 21th, a competent cook in a small family; liberal wages. Apply to G. H. TAYLOR, 11-16-95.

True Lovers

of delicious TEA are satisfied when supplied with our lines of English Breakfast Congou, India, China, Oolong and Ceylon Teas. We believe our 22c. Blend to be the best on the market for quality, strength and flavor and price. The public realize a good article when they use it, and to-day our sales on this Tea are larger than ever before.
We carry a full line of Canned Goods, Jams and Jellies, Fish, Boned and Skinned Dried Codfish Flour, Meal, etc., which we will sell at the very lowest prices.
Our aim is to buy the most reliable good and sell them at the lowest prices. Eggs taken in exchange for cash or goods. Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

WILLIAM GRANT & CO. QUEEN STREET.

Haszard & Moore,

BOOKSELLERS.
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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Benj. Rogers left for Rochester, N. Y., on Saturday, to see her mother, who is very ill.
Mr. H. James Palmer leaves for Georgetown this afternoon en route to England. He will sail from Halifax on Saturday next.

STREET SKIRTS

That are easy to walk in and never lose their proper rippling folds and firm hem, may be made by using light weight No. 10.

Fibre Chamois

all through them. But cut it across the goods and tack it frequently to the lining and put a narrow band of heavy weight No. 30, around the bottom for extra stiffness.
Get the real Fibre Chamois (The name is on each yard.)

Did You Know

Wampole makes a tasteless COD LIVER OIL combined with Wild Cherry, Malt and Hypophosphites, forming a valuable tonic. This preparation in stock.
A. W. REDDIN, Pharm. B.
CENTRAL DRUG STORE,
North Side Queen Square.

Mail Contract.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on FRIDAY, 20th March, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week each way, between Lansdowne Hotel and Scarlettown, from 1st July next.
The conveyance to be made in a suitable vehicle.
The Mail to be conveyed via Carleton and North Carleton.
Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained, at the Post Office of Lansdowne Hotel, Carleton, Scarlettown, and at this office.

CURLING.

The third of the match series was played at the curling rink on Saturday afternoon with the following result:—
EPISCOPALIAN vs. PRESBYTERIAN:
F. W. L. Moore, (skip), T. C. James, (skip), S. Grey, (mate), T. James, jr., (mate), T. Taylor, Rev. T. F. Fuller, Judge Fitzgerald, D. McLean.
Score, 16.
This leaves Episcopalians and Presbyterians, as the result of two matches, tied, having scored 22 points each.

PROMOTER SOLD.—The well known Island stallion Promoter, 2 3/4 at three years old, son of Precipitor, 5301, was sold at auction in Boston a few days ago for \$255.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—Owing to the inability of the Reading Room Committee to allow the required number of rehearsals in the Lyceum, the Benevolent Irish Society have rented the Opera House for St. Patrick's Night, when the great Irish dramas, "Rose and Shamrock," will be presented by the Charlottetown Dramatic Club. It is intended that the celebration this year will be one of the best ever seen here.—Watchman.

LAKE VERD NOTES.

On account of the heavy falls of snow, there has been no trotting on Lake Verd this winter.
Mr. and Mrs. Morrow were very agreeably surprised not long since by the arrival of quite a number of their friends from Orwell, Charlottetown, Lake Verd and other places. They numbered about a hundred. They tripped it with the light fantastic toe until the small hours of the morning.
One of those happy events which seldom happen more than once in a lifetime to the participating parties, occurred at St. Joseph's Church, Vernon River, on Feb. 4th. It was the marriage of Miss Mary Annie Wood, of Lake Verd, to Mr. Wm. Coady, of Port Augustus. Miss Coady, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Owen Woods, brother of the bride, supported the groom.
After the ceremony, the happy couple took a long drive through the crisp frosty air, after which they returned the residence of the bride's father, where they received the congratulations of their many friends. The bride received many valuable presents. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Coady a long prosperous and happy life.

WEEKS' WHITE GOODS SALE.

We will continue our Great Sale of
Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Fable Linens, Fine Embroideries, Fable Napkins, Towels, Towelings, Muslins and Lawns.
Our Sale is very successful, being largely patronized by the Ladies.
NEW SPRING GOODS JUST OPENING.
New Spring Prints. Bleached Cottons in Plain and Twill. Fibre Chamois and Buckramettes, all colors & weights. New Selicias and Linings, and an immense New Spring Stock on the way.

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Bisley Team Commander.

HALIFAX, Feb. 17.
It is understood that Lieut.-Colonel Charles J. McDonald, Post Office Inspector for Nova Scotia, will be Commander of the Bisley team this year.

The Hamilton Robbery.

HAMILTON, Feb. 17.
Two well-known West End crooks have been arrested for the robbery of \$1,100 from J. T. Cauley, book-keeper of the Tuckett Tobacco Company. If the victim dies from the effect of the dragging, the prisoners will be charged with murder.

Fire and Loss of Life.

LONDON, Feb. 17.
A lodging house in Soho, in this city, was destroyed by fire yesterday and eight persons were killed.

SUPREME COURT.

MONDAY, Feb. 17.
The Supreme Court met to-day. Daniel E. Morris vs. Michael Kelly and James O'Hara.—An application was made in this suit to set aside the judgment and execution issued therein, and for leave for the defendant, O'Hara, to appear and defend on the ground that he had a defence on the merits. The Court after hearing Mr. Warburton in support of the application and Mr. H. C. McDonald in opposition, granted the same, the costs to abide the result of the suit.
Daniel Davies vs. Daniel A. Melnis, late Sheriff of King's County.—The Chief Justice gave judgment in this suit against the defendant for \$124, finding that the defendant had been guilty of negligence in the execution of a F. F. delivered to him. Warburton and Moore for plaintiff. D. A. McKinnon for defendant.
The Court adjourned until next Thursday, when judgment will be delivered in a case argued last week.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.—The topic for the Christian Endeavor meeting in Zion Church lecture room this evening is, "What faith can do for us," Hebrews, 11, 1-10 verse, and Hebrews, 12, 1-2. Bring your friends.

Hottest game ever witnessed in the city at the Rink on Wednesday evening. Admission only 15 cents.



If suffering from a bad cold use JOHN-SON'S COLU-H SYRUP, price 25 cents, or come in and get some Quinine Pills.

Johnson & Johnson, THE DRUGGISTS.

YOU COULD NOT HIT

a better time to get your Furniture repaired, repainted or reupholstered than this month. And of course you know that no one can do it quite so well as we can. Our sleigh and man will call any time.

MARK WRIGHT & CO., LTD.

LECTURE.—Reserve Tuesday, Feb. 25. for Mr. A. A. Bartlett's lecture in St. James' Hall. Subject, "Edinburgh by Line Light."

TECHNOMETRIC READINGS.—Coldest during the night, 5 below zero; at nine o'clock this morning, 3 below; at one this afternoon, 4 below.

CITY ELECTION.—Tuesday next will be nomination day for the Summerside Town Council. The election will take place on the Tuesday following.

CONCERT.—Watch for the programme of the B. Y. P. U. concert in Philharmonic Hall on Tuesday evening, 25th inst. It will be published in a day or two.

INFORMATION WANTED.—What about Mr. Earle's Quartette? They have not been heard from since the concert in St. James' Hall. Why is this so?

TENURE.—St. Vincent de Paul concert in St. Patrick's Hall. A good programme has been prepared. Make a point of attending. Proceeds in aid of the poor.

BASKET SOCIAL.—The basket social at South Shore will take place to-night. The League of the Cross Band will be present. The entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock. Admission 15 cents.

L. O. A.—Regular meeting of Victoria Fraternity, L. O. A., in Easton Street Hall this evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp. All Sir Knights are requested to be present. Important business.

LEAP YEAR SKATE.—No more leap year skating except next Thursday until 1904, so take advantage of this night and secure good partners, girls, as eight years is too long to wait. Look out, boys, and get your programme well filled.

LOST TABLES OF ISRAEL.—Mr. John Ross lectures in the basement of Zion Church on Tuesday evening, Feb. 18th, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. If you want to learn of the Lost Tribes of Israel be present. Admission 10 cents.

HOCKEY.—The St. Sebastian's Hockey team have decided not to accept the challenge of the Albrechts at present. They intend playing a return match with the Prince of Wales team, and feel that another match would interfere too much with their preparations for examination.

PELAGICAL SOCIETY.—At the meeting of the Pelagical Society on Saturday evening, the subject of "The Central Subjects of Study" as treated by Parker was discussed. The discussion was most interesting and instructive. The next meeting of the Society will be held on Saturday the 23rd inst.

GOOD WORK.—During last week 3159 lbs of butter were churned at the Central Creamery, 1255 lbs. of which were churned on Saturday. It is pleasing to hear that the local demand for butter made at the Creamery is increasing as its good qualities become better known, and that regular shipments are also being made to the foreign markets.

THE MAILS.—The boats crossed over from Cape Traverse yesterday, but the boats from Cape Tormentine had to put back after being out about two hours. This morning at 8 o'clock the boats left Tormentine with 101 bags of mail matter. There were 42 bags left behind, and they had been out some time one of the boats with 11 bags on board, had to put back, two of the men having "chilled" their feet.

OPERA.—Mr. Earle has had some very successful practices upon the opera he has in preparation for the Oddfellows of this city during the past week. Already the ladies sing the whole opera. It is his intention to have a full practice to-morrow evening of all the members at 7.30 sharp, in the Oddfellows' Hall. Let all the members for the rest of the season take a deep interest and assist Mr. Earle in producing a work that will not only be a credit to the town but themselves as well.

EPISCOPAL LEAGUE.—The Literary department of the Epworth League will study the Quakers in the Parlor of the First Methodist Church this evening at 8 o'clock. Several short papers will be given. The first will treat of the rise and religion of these interesting people. The Quaker statesman and the Quaker Post will each be briefly introduced. The papers will be followed by readings and a discussion. The public are cordially invited.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon Daniel McCarthy, for drunkenness, was fined \$2 or 10 days. The Scott Act cases against James Cummings and Sarah Ann McKeen, for a first offence, were fined \$50. Francis Walsh, for a first offence of the Scott Act was fined \$50 and \$4.75 costs or two months imprisonment; John McKenna, for a first offence, was fined \$50 and \$5.00 costs or two months imprisonment; Angus Darrach, for a third offence, was sentenced to two months imprisonment.

INTRODUCING A New Corset at a Very Low Price.

We wish to introduce our celebrated Nettina Corset, with new patent clasp, an easy fitting, well-made and good wearing Corset. The regular price of this Corset is \$1.20 net, but in order to get them introduced we will offer them for one week (from Monday till Saturday) at the very low price of 98c. We want you to try them, as we think you will like them.

BEER BROS.

THE WEATHER.—Fresh to strong north-westerly to westerly winds; fair and gradually cool.

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Dress Goods, Flannels, Flannelettes, Sateens, Prints, Challies, Skirtings, Tweeds for Boys' Wear.

HOSIERY.—Two special lines of Heavy Wool Hose in Baskets at 25 and 30 cents.

T. J. HARRIS.

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