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By way of throwing more light on the question of Prince Bismarck's disclosures, the Figaro publishes an extract from a letter which, it says, has come straight from the court of Berlin. In it the writer remarks that this is simply a new incident on the struggle which has been going on since the Prince retired into private life. The direct cause of the chancellor's fall, as this missive asserts, was that the Empress Frederic, having learned from the Princess of Wales the attitude assumed by Prince Bismarck in the Bulgarian question and "toward the Nihilists," succeeded in convincing of the fact the Emperor William II., who caused the army and the political world to be informed of the "diableries" which had severed Russia from Germany and had led her to draw nearer to France.

There was a universal outburst of indignation, particularly among the generals, and some strongly-worded letters were forwarded to Friedrichsruh. Prince Bismarck then declared that he would take up the gauntlet, and come out with counter revelations. "This man is disgracing us," exclaimed the Emperor to his mother, who replied, "I have always said so, and now the eyes of all are opened." Such is the version given by the Figaro, and which may be reproduced without any expression of opinion on the subject, as it is attracting much attention, and is the theme of considerable comment

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THE STANLEY is still fast in the ice.

DON'T FORGET the hockey match on Friday evening.

SILVER KING.—Rehearsal to-night in A. O. H. Hall, at 7.30.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—Several letters crowded out will appear to-morrow.

AT THE CAPES.—Crossing both ways to-day. The mail special reached the city about half-past one this afternoon.

MOUNT HERBERT SCHOOL.—A correspondent reports that the school at Mount Herbert is advancing under Miss Bertha Webster, the painstaking teacher.

ENTERTAINMENT.—At the Opera House on Thursday the 23rd inst., the Grecian Drama, Master of Maidens, Doll Drill, etc. Programme will appear in a few days.

APPOINTMENT.—The Canada Gazette, at hand today, contains notice of the appointment as sub-collector of customs at Vernon River Bridge of Mr. Thomas J. Furness, of that place.

REINSTATED.—The Maritime Province Amateur Athletic Association has reinstated Fred C. Rattray, of Charlottetown, and Roy C. Lea, of Victoria. The re-instatement dates from Feb. 8th, inst.

STILL THEY COME.—Yesterday evening a Scott Act summons was served on Patrick Trainor, Richmond Street. It is for a third offence and is returnable on Monday next.

LECTURE TOMORROW NIGHT.—Enjoy a literary treat by spending an hour in Zion Church to-morrow evening, when Rev. Mr Fullerton will lecture on Dr. Guthrie. Come and have a good time.

LECTURE.—Rev. Mr. Fullerton will deliver one of his popular lectures in the lecture room of Zion Church on Thursday, the 18th. Subject, "Dr. Guthrie, Philanthropist and Reformer," with humorous illustrations of Scottish life. Remember the date. Admission only 10 cents. tf

THEY'RE ALL RIGHT.—The chairman and council of Summerside have been re-elected by acclamation, as follows: Mr. R. Hunt, chairman; John D. Goss, Jas. A. McNeill, Wm. P. Baker, Geo. E. Baker, Alex. Campbell, H. A. Compton. Mr. Hunt has now held the position of chairman for ten consecutive terms.

POWNAL SPORTING ASSOCIATION.—At the annual meeting of the Pownal Sporting Association a few evenings ago the following officers were elected: President, John Smith; Vice-president, Samuel Gay; Secretary, W. E. Smith; treasurer, Henry Wood. A committee was appointed to arrange for a match with a team of Charlottetown marksmen.

THE HOCKEY MATCH.—The general admission to the Rink on Friday evening next to see two hockey matches is 20 cents. A row of seats all around the edge of the promenade is reserved and for these seats the price will be 25 cents, which includes admission. The plan of reserved seats will be open at C. D. Rankin's Drug Store on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

ORANGEMEN MEET.—The regular meeting of the Grand Lodge, L. O. A., were held in this city yesterday. There was a good attendance and the proceedings was of more than passing interest to the brethren throughout the province. Grand Master Bethune, in his report, makes reference to the progress made by the order in this province, as well as to the Manitoba School Question and other matters.

SILVO, a story of the relief of Terradelphia, a very interesting and affecting story of olden time, written by Staff-Capt. Douglass of the Salvation Army and composed partly as a service of song, will be given to-morrow (Thursday) evening at the S. A. Barracks. Silver collection at the door. Prof. Hawley has charge of the musical part of the story. A very profitable and interesting time may be expected.

HAS PROFESSED RELIGION.—It is stated by the friends of John E. Sullivan that he has professed religion. Prayers in behalf of the condemned man were offered in the Central Methodist church prayer meeting on Saturday night, and on Sunday evening pastor Brewer also made a touching reference in his prayer to the prisoner at Dorchester condemned for the crime of murder by his countrymen.—Moncton Times.

ENTERTAINMENT AT LONG CREEK.—An entertainment and pie social will be held in Mr. W. E. Stretches Hall, Long Creek, on Saturday, the 27th inst., for the purpose of purchasing an organ for St. Thomas Church, Long Creek. The programme will include a Punch and Judy show, besides recitations, songs, etc. Admission 10 cents. Ladies with pies free. Doors open at 7. If weather proves unfavorable the entertainment will be held on following Monday. d&w.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.—Members of the Epworth League and affiliated societies in the Charlottetown district are again reminded of the convention to be held in the Methodist Church, Highfield, Thursday, Feb. 25th. The first session will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. A good programme is in preparation and a large attendance of young people is expected. The secretary of the district, Rev. H. R. Baker, M. A., requests the societies to take and forward to him at convention the collection for the general Epworth League Fund of the church. A collection for the same purpose will also be taken at the evening session of the convention.—The Committee.

"LIFE IN OTHER WORLDS."

The large audience assembled in St. James' Schoolroom last evening to hear the lecture of the Rev. Mr. Bryan, may be taken as an evidence that there is in this community a good deal of interest in life in other worlds. After giving an idea of the eternity and infinitude of space and the innumerable suns and worlds floating therein, Mr. Bryan referred particularly to the planetary system surrounding this globe, and to the conditions subsisting in Neptune, Venus, Ceres, Mars, Uranus, Jupiter, etc., as discovered by astronomical science. He then argued that in these conditions there must be life. The planets are invested by air, soil and warmth. They have, for the most part, changing seasons longer or shorter than those of this world. It is, therefore, not to be supposed that the great author of the universe has restricted life to this planet, or that creatures of greater or less power and intelligence than those of this earth do not exist upon the surface of other worlds. The style of the lecture was lofty, luminous, positive and eloquent. Still we must confess to a feeling that the astronomers, andperhaps even Mr. Bryan himself, see as yet "through a glass darkly." A hearty vote of thanks, moved by the Rev. Mr. Fullerton and seconded by Mr. James, was conveyed to the lecturer by the President of the Young Men's Literary Association—Mr. D. Stewart.

PERSONAL.

Rev. J. C. McMillan, of Cardigan, is in the city.

Captain Taylor returned home yesterday afternoon.

Hon. William Richards, Bideford, is at the Hotel Davies.

Dr. Matheson, of Montague, registered at the Queen Hotel last evening.

John Stirling, the well known traveller, is among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies.

Miss Peters returned yesterday afternoon, crossing in the morning by way of the Capes.

Mr. Fred Ings, of the Northwest Territory, arrived last evening to pay a visit to his parents in this city.

Angus Macdonald, of Charlottetown, is at the Halifax. It is understood he is in the city to negotiate for the purchase of the Queen Hotel.—Halifax Herald.

Sir Charles Tupper and Lady Tupper arrived at Halifax on Monday night. They came by the steamer Mongolian. Sir Charles is in the best of health and says he enjoyed the trip to England very much.

A most enjoyable and largely attended "at home" was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. L. H. Davies at her residence, 270 Cooper street. Mrs. Davies, who is a lady of great personal dignity, received her guests in a most gracious manner. She was ably assisted by her accomplished daughter, Miss Ethel Davies, and also by her niece, Miss Davies, daughter of Capt. Robert Davies, royal navy, who is a very bright specimen of a jolly English girl. This is Miss Davies' first visit to Canada, she having arrived from London last week.—Ottawa Citizen.

W. C. T. U.—Attend the lecture in Zion Church on Thursday evening by Rev. Mr. Fullerton and keep along this battle for right.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION. — The Sunday school convention at Montague was especially interesting. Thoughtful papers were read and discussed, the question box opened, committees appointed, etc. The executive committee for the year is as follows: Rev. Mr. Penna, chairman; Rev. Messrs. Estey and Gillis, Messrs. C. Moore, W. H. Beers, Wm. Webster, T. Robertson, L. McLure, H. Nelson, A. Curry, J. A. Stewart and Wm. McLeod.

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THE CURFEW BYE-LAW.

SIR,—Some parents seem highly indignant that by the new law their innocents are prohibited from wandering abroad after the curfew has rung. But there are others who will no doubt be glad of the new arrangement which will assist them in keeping their children indoors, where they will have an opportunity to study their lessons, which, in many cases, receive but a hurried glance on the way to school, with the result that little Nathan's education passes through his head as water through a sieve.

They will also miss the advantages (?) of an early schooling in corner-loafing and bad language. Then it will keep the small boy and his abominable hand or dog sleigh off the sidewalk, for a few hours at least. During the day he reigns supreme over policemen and everyone else.

The day is never too cold for him, the sidewalk is never so narrow or crowded but that he can clear a way for himself, regardless of the pedestrian's efforts to keep his equilibrium on the slippery pavement.

I know one child who has suffered all winter from the result of being run into by one of these dog sleighs on the pavement. No doubt there are others who could tell the same story. What with these little amusements, and the innocent pastimes of hanging on to sleighs, starting horses and snowballing respectable citizens, they have lively times, and should not grumble at the bell being rung.

The people of Charlottetown are taxed, and well taxed, and demand the right and freedom to walk or drive unmolested. Several days ago an invalid lady, while driving, was turned upon by a pack of boys who never stopped snowballing until they had the satisfaction and delight of seeing the horse run away.

The curfew bell is all right. Let little Johnnie do his ma's errands through the day, and this will keep him out of mischief and do what the police seem unable to do, namely, give citizens the freedom which it is their right to enjoy.

The good city fathers might follow up their good judgment by placing a birch rod in the police station for young offenders. This is done in Scotland at the present day.

CURFEW.

A bill has been introduced in the State Senate of Tennessee forbidding any person to linger or loiter on any street, alley, road or lane in the vicinity of a young ladies' boarding school. Neither shall anyone try to communicate secretly with the inmates of any such institution, nor loaf, lurk and loiter where the inmates of such institution are likely to be found.

Men's $1.00 White Laundried Shirts for 75 cents.—Moore & McLeod.

AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind 1 3 5 w

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"ENTIRE FAIRNESS."

SIR,—The Guardian yesterday morning contained a long article urging the citizens of Charlottetown not to sign the petition for another Scott Act election, in the course of which it is asserted that the Guardian desires to deal with entire fairness in this matter with those who may differ from it in opinion.

The Guardian evidently has a different idea of what "entire fairness" is from that generally accepted by others. The Scott Act, being a local option law, has no right to be kept in force in any community when the majority of the inhabitants are opposed to it. The Guardian admits that some of the citizens are opposed to the Act, and acknowledges that it does not know how many there are. It claims to believe that the great majority of the voters are in favor of the Act and still is afraid to submit the question to the electors, showing that it fears that the boot is on the other leg. If the Guardian believed what it asserts it would court, not shun, the trial of its faith.

Another instance of the Guardian's "entire fairness." It misquotes Holy Writ in order to intimidate voters from asking for an election to determine whether the Act can any longer be justly kept in force. "Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink," the Guardian says is a scriptural injunction. Where does it find such an injunction? Surely it does not pretend to be quoting from Hab. 2.15—the spirit of "entire fairness" would not permit the quoting of a few words out of a sentence, and thus destroying the real injunction. If, however, this is the text the Guardian intends to quote, all drunkards would be equally justified in quoting from the next verse "Drink thou also," or else from Jer. 25 27 "Drink ye and be drunken, and spue and fall," as an excuse for getting beastly drunk.

The Guardian's idea of "entire fairness" in this matter amounts to no more than this: Its party got the law brought into force by a fluke. It is a pet hobby of theirs, and although they feel assured that the majority of the people are opposed to the law they are determined to keep it in force, against the wishes of the people, if it can possibly be done by misrepresentation or by intimidating the voters from signing the petition by means of misquoting the injunctions of Holy writ or by threatening to publish the names of those who do sign the petition and holding them up to public ridicule and as a butt for those who glory in slinging mud.

ANTI-ROT.

Ch'town, Feb. 16th.

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Like a miniature cyclone,
With some sounds so strange that surely
Their like was never known,
While the mother listens calmly,
Even with a smiling face,
You may know that it is nothing
But the boy about the place.

When there's famine in the cupboard
And the milk pail soon runs dry,
And you can't keep pies or cookies,
No matter how you try;
When you vainly seek for apples
That have gone and left no trace,
Hard times is not the trouble—
There's a boy about the place.

When there's sawdust on the carpet
And some shavings on the beds,
When the rugs are tossed in corners
And your chairs stand on their heads,
While, if a tool you're needing, you
All round the house must race,
You may know he's making something,
Is the boy about the place.

When the house is full of sunshine
On the darkest kind of day,
And you have to laugh at seeing
Some outlandish, boyish play,
And when eyes so bright and loving
Oft are raised to meet your face,
You will pray, I know, "God bless him,
Bless our boy about the place."
—Pacific Coast Endeavorer.

Good bran from kiln dried Island wheat for sale very low at the Roller Mills.—Geo. E. Fall, proprietor.

37—12i, eod.

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Curfew Bell.—Now that the boys have to stay at home these long evenings, give them something to read. "The Boys' Own Annual," a splendid book for boys, regular price $2. We have a few left. You can have them now for one dollar at Carter's Bookstore. 35—1w

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate The Dominion Building and Loan Association of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, a Building Society already incorporated under chapter 169 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1887, for the purpose of enabling the said Association to carry on business anywhere in the Dominion of Canada, with all the powers of a Loan Company and Building Society.

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INLAND STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Annual General Meeting of the Inland Steam Navigation Company, will be held in the room (up stairs) in Mr. John McEachern's Building, Corner of Queen and King Sts, on Thursday, the 18th inst, at 3 o'clock p.m

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Ch'town, Feb 1— mon tues thur sat.

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WANTED—A good steady man as pressman in our tailoring department, one who is willing to earn his salary. Steady work from one end of the year to the other. We also want one good pant and one vest maker.—McKay Woolen Co. 37—tf

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Victoria's Diamond Jubilee

Will be held this year, and those who visit Ch'town this year will not do themselves justice if they fail to get their Lunches at Victoria Cafe, and drink the health of Her Majesty the Queen in a glass of Joy's famous Buttermilk

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