Local and Other Items.

REGULAR meeting of the City Council this evening.

ADJOURNED City meeting in Market Hall this evening.

MAILS left Cape Traverse at 12.50 to day; but there are none coming this way.

THE Government steamer Lansdowne sailed from Halifax on Saturday for Sable Island.

ONE drunk at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon—fine $1. Small, isn't it?

WE are indebted to the Hon. D. A. McDonald, of San Francisco, for late California papers.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of Steel Engravings, only 10 cents each, at the Diamond Bookstore.

REMEMBER the meeting of First Class Hotel promoters in the Cameron Block on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

MR. EWING, Paymaster of the Dominion Public Works Department, is in town—staying at the Rankin House.

FRANCIS BAIN will read a paper before the Dairymen's Association next Thursday night on "Growing Grain." Be sure you hear it.

THE first Photographs ever taken of Winter Crossing at the Capes for sale at Geo. Cook & Co., over Apothecarie's Hall. [mar 9 2in

PUT a five dollar note in your vest pocket and walk up to R. K. Brace's and you will get a barrel of flour that will make your heart glad. [mar 9

A MISCHIEVOUS boy yelled "Rats!" in a rink in Boston, one afternoon last week, and very nearly created a panic, as it is almost impossible for a girl to stand up on a chair with roller skates on.

SPECIAL attention is directed to the programme of the grand military concert advertised in another column, which is claimed to be one of the best ever presented to the people of Charlottetown. li

GENERAL BUTLER is charged with gross irregularities in his accounts as Secretary and Treasurer of the Board of Managers of the Soldiers Home. It is said that he is a defaulter to the extent of $200,000.

SCOTT ACT CASES.—Four Scott Act cases were up this forenoon;—that of Mrs. John J. Trainor, confessed and fined $30; and those of Mrs. Robins, Mrs. Offer and H. B. Smith, were postponed until Wednesday next.

A NOVEL and sensible temperance movement has been begun in a Georgia town, where the liquor dealers intend to "boycott" a large number of men who drink to excess, each dealer to forfeit $50 if he sells to any man on the black list.

"WOULD Canada from the present time be more prosperous as an independent nation than as a dependency of Great Britain?" The above question will be discussed before the Caledonian Club Literary Society this evening at 8 o'clock. Opener—John Small Macdonald, Esq.

PREPARATIONS are now in progress for celebrating with unusual pomp the 88th birthday of Emperor William which occurs on the 22nd of this month. Almost all German sovereigns will come to Berlin to attend the festivities which will include a great military review, a state banquet and a court ball

GOOD PORK.—John Court, Esq., of Millcove, brought to town on Friday last a carcass of pork killed at the age of ten months and two days, which weighed 374 lbs. Mr. Court has paid a good deal of attention to raising best breeds and profitable feeding, and the above fact is good evidence of his success.

THE Annual Meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society will be held in their hall on Tuesday evening the 10th inst., at 7 o'clock. A full attendance requested as the election of officers for the ensuing year, and other business of importance will be brought before the meeting. John Hennessey, Secretary. [mar 9 2in

ACCORDING to a statement by Vice-President Van Horne to a Chicago reporter, the Dominion Government have decided not to make any great fuss on the driving of the last spike of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Says the Vice-President, a plain iron spike will be driven into the last rail, and everybody who comes to see it done will have to pay his own fare. This is wisdom.

WE regret to learn from a Victoria (B. C.) paper that the house occupied by Mr. J. O. McLeod, assistant Postmaster of that city—one of our Island boys abroad—has been burned down, and that Mr. McLeod lost about $700. Public sympathy in Victoria, however, took a practical shape in this case, and a few days after the fire Mr. McLeod was presented with $300. This shows that he is highly regarded in the far west.

A NEW CREAMER will shortly be placed before the public of P. E. Island. It has every appearance of excelling all others, especially on account of its simplicity. Its construction is altogether new, and therefore different from others. It has no tap, no rounded bottom, no glass in the side, for the simple reason that it does not require such. The cream from the top of the milk is removed first, and this is done by a gentle pressure. Owing to its simplicity of construction it is likely to be cheap. The invention is by Geo. W. Millner of this city. He has applied for a patent, both in the Dominion and the United States. The creamer may be seen at Millner's Tin Shop.

Given Away For One Year.

We want 200,000 subscribers before May 1st, 1885, to our large Illustrated publication, The Sunshine Magazine. In order to get the above number of subscribers we must give away subscriptions the first year, and the second year we will make up the loss as most of them will subscribe again, paying our regular price. Send twelve two-cent stamps to pay postage and you will have the above Magazine to read every week for one whole year. If you accept the above offer, we expect you will be kind enough to distribute among your friends, a few small books containing our advertisements and 167 of the best household receipts, for which we will make you a present of a handsome, silver-plated, five-bottle Caster, or a pair of Roller Skates. State how many books you can give away for us, and we will send the books and Caster (or Skates) prepaid. Order for your friends also, and you will receive both presents. Address
SUNSHINE MAGAZINE Co., Fillmore, N. Y
March 6, 1885.—tin wkly.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE SOUDAN.

LORD WOLSELEY'S ADDRESS.

Health of the Troops and their General.

LORD WOLSELEY COMPLIMENTS HIS SOLDIERS.

KORTI, March 7.

Gen. Lord Wolseley, in his address to the British troops, used the following language: "The Queen desires me to express her admiration of your courage and self-devotion. To have commanded such men is to me a source of the highest pride. No greater honor can be in store for you than that I look forward to, in leading you, please God, into Khartoum before the year is out. On the river and in the desert you have borne hardships and privations murmurless. In action you have been uniformly victorious. You have done all that man could do to save a comrade, but Khartoum fell through treachery two days before it could be reached. A period of comparative inaction is now expected. The army is not yet formed with a view to the siege of Khartoum. We must content ourselves during this period, and prepare for the Autumn advance. I thank you heartily for your conduct in the past, and can wish for nothing better, and can ask for nothing more in the future, than the same uncomplaining devotion to duty which has characterized your conduct in all our recent operations."

HEALTH OF THE TROOPS AND THEIR GENERAL.

LONDON, March 7.

Advices from the Soudan state that the troops are in splendid condition.

KORTI, March 6.

The report that Gen. Wolseley has been recalled is denied. His health and eyesight is much better.

Spirit of the News.

NEW YORK, March 8.

The gist of the Sunday cable letter is about as follows:—England and Russia after glaring at each other seem likely to settle the points of dispute amicably. England took a firm stand. Operations against the Mahdi will be at a standstill during the summer, the main body of British troops remaining at Korti, with headquarters at Dongola. The Chinese Government has ordered all it subjects to leave France forthwith.

Russia and England

LONDON, March 6.

The Marquis of Lorne in a speech last night ridiculed the idea of the approaching war with Russia, and said the difficulties of opinion regarding the Afghan frontier would be ended by a friendly settlement.

The *Daily News* this morning confirms the report of the receipt of a St. Petersburg despatch, pointing to an amicable settlement of the difficulties between England and Russia.

A Desperate Fight.

WATERFORD, IRELAND, March 8.

While a regiment was waiting here to-day to embark for Egypt, a number of soldiers got drunk and came in collision with the police. A desperate fight ensued, during which several on both sides were badly wounded.

Ottawa News.

OTTAWA, March 7.

The cigar manufacturers strongly protest against the recent tariff changes. Two deputations will interview the Government to-day.

A telegram has been received from Winnipeg stating that A. Walsh, Dominion Land Commissioner, died suddenly there this morning.

OTTAWA, March 8.

Wiggins, the weather prophet, puts the 18th inst. down as the date of one of his terrible storms.

Toronto dry goods merchants here formally protest against the new tariff changes.

The Scott Act majority in Drummond County was 942.

The government's anti dynamite bill makes the procuring of an explosive with intent to destroy property or life a criminal offence, subject to imprisonment for life.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, March 9—10 a. m.

North and west winds, generally fair weather, preceded by light snow falls; lower temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE
Charlottetown March 9, 1885.

Highest Temperature Saturday	21.9
Lowest Temperature Saturday	7.1
Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight)	28.3
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight)	8.2
Lowest Temperature this morning	11 1
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock	13.1
Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock	14.5

Grand Trot at Souris.

THE Annual Trotting Races will take place on Souris Bay ice, on Tuesday, March 10th, commencing at 1 o'clock, p. m., sharp. Prizes to the amount of $65 will be offered.

1st Race—Free to all, purse $35.
2nd do —3 Minute class, purse $20.
3rd do —3-year olds, purse $10.

Horses to trot to harness. Heats best three in five.

Open to any horses on the Island.

DONALD McKINNON,
Secretary.

Souris, March 2, 1885—m3 3i

ANNOUNCEMENT

I HAVE purchased that very complete Book and Job Printing and Book Binding establishment lately owned by

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and have put the business into thorough working order, under efficient management, in the building it has occupied for so many years.

Orders from any part of the Province for

Printing or Book-Binding

will receive prompt attention.

The Foreman of the Mechanical Department was with the old firm upwards of fourteen years, so our customers may be assured of first class work

Quotations for all kinds of Printing or Binding will be figured as close as the quality of the work will justify.

W. A. BRENNAN,
44 Queen Street, Ch'town.
A. W. D. KNAPP,
Manager Ch'town Branch.
March 5th, 1885—eod wkly 4w

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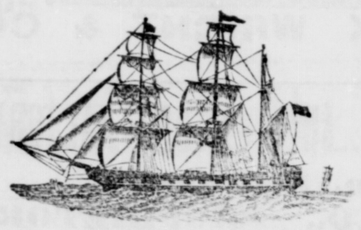

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Alexander McLeod, Commander.

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On or about the 1st APRIL next, carrying Freight at through rates to

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For Freight or Passage, apply in Liverpool to Pitcairn Brothers, 51 South John Street; in London to J. Pitcairn & Sons, 16 Great Winchester Street; or here to the owners

PEAKE BROS. & CO.
Ch'town, Feb. 3, 1885.

FREE TO ALL

GEORGE CARTER'S SEED CATALOGUE FOR 1885 will be ready March 1st, and will be mailed FREE to all applicants. It contains descriptions and cultural directions of all the leading varieties of FLOWER, VEGETABLE AND AGRICULTURAL SEEDS. *38 Pages. 50 Illustrations.* Valuable premiums to purchasers of seeds. $50.00 IN PRIZES FOR BEST VEGETABLES. No need to send orders to foreign firms. Patronize a home institution. Buy seeds suited to the climate. My seeds have given satisfaction for the last five years. I test the germinating qualities of all the leading varieties before sending them out. WHITE RUSSIAN WHEAT and CARTER'S IMPERIAL TURNIP are specialties. Orders for Catalogue will be booked as received, and mailed in turn. Send for it at once. Name and address on Postal Card will do. Customers of last year need not send. Address:

GEORGE CARTER, Seedsman.
Charlottetown, P. E. Island.
Feb. 11—1 aw wkly 3m

SALT, SALT, SALT

IN STORE:

5,000 Bags of Liverpool Salt.
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Ch'town, Feb. 14, 1884.

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Dealer in good time-keeping WATCHES, CLOCKS, Gold and Plated JEWELRY in the latest Artistic Designs.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, &c., Repaired and Warranted.

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Ch'town, Jan. 28, 1885—tf

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

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Ch'town, Jan. 26—wed fri

Perkins & Sterns.

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AT VERY LOWEST PRICES.

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Ch'town, Feb. 20, 1885.

Great Bargains!

For the next 30 days we offer the balance of our Dry Goods at a

LARGE DISCOUNT!

as we are shortly to make a change in the business.

Special Lines of Goods are MARKED DOWN to Prices that are Bound to Sell Them.

Don't Fail to Call Early if You Want Bargains.

We require a Prompt Settlement of all Accounts due up to date.

☞ **Remember the place: Desbrisay's old stand, opposite the Market House.**

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Charlottetown, Feb 7, 1885

MARCH!

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CLOSING OUT SALE

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This Month we are Selling our Goods so Fine that we would like to Give One and All a Chance!

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CALL! SEE

WHAT A CLEAN DOLLAR WILL PURCHASE.

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Remember this Month Closes our GREAT SALE!

C. ROBERTSON.

Ch'town, Feb. 6th, 1885

On Consignment.

Iron, Tin Plates, Pig Lead and Ingots Tin.

20 Tons Round Iron, sizes ½, ⅝, ¾ and ⅞ inch.
150 Boxes of Tin Plates, suitable for lobster packers.
2 Pigs Lead.
2 Ingots of Tin.

PEAKE BROS. & CO.
Ch'town, Feb. 14, 1885.

NOTICE.

A SPECIAL Meeting of the Shareholders of the Citizens' Skating Rink Co. will be held in the Rink Building, on Thursday, March 12th, at 7 o'clock, p. m., to take into consideration the advisibility of making certain alterations to the Rink.

By order,
W. W. STANLEY,
Secretary.

Ch'town, Feb. 26, 1885.

FLOUR FOR SALE.

WE have in store the following brands of Good FLOUR:—

1 Car Beaver Mills (patent),
1 do Strathroy Mills (Choice Superfine),
1 do Glenmorris Mills, do do
1 do Lorne Mills (Superfine), which we will sell from $4 up. All warranted.

A. HORNE & CO,
155 Upper Queen St.
Ch'town, Feb 6 4i aw wkly 4i

FOR SALE.

THE Black Bush Lobster Factory, Lot 45, lately occupied by Doyle & McBride, Souris East. That is:—1 main building, 52 feet long by 30 wide; 1 shed, 20 feet long by 13 wide; 1 warehouse, 20 feet long by 13 wide; 1 cook house, 20 feet long by 12 wide—all in good order, together with all outfits, nearly complete. Also, 660 lobster traps and trap ropes.

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Ch'town, P. E. I., Jan. 30—1m 2aw wky 4i

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