

Local and Other Items.

No skating at the rink to-night. POLICE COURT.—One drunk was disposed of to-day for \$30 or 30 days. DRILL.—No. 1 Battery, G. A., will meet for drill to-night, at 8 o'clock.

LECTURE AT FOWNAL.—A. B. Warburton, Esq., will deliver a lecture in Fownal Hall on Monday evening next.

COKE.—A good substitute for Hard Coal, and a much cheaper one, is Coke. Orders for any quantity will be filled at the Gas Works.

TRADE SALE.—Fenton T. Newbery advertises in another column a continuation of his trade sale, to take place on Wednesday, the 15th inst.

THE STANLEY left Georgetown at half-past ten this morning, but up to four o'clock this afternoon no news of her arrival had reached the city.

NOTICE.—It is ordered by the City Council that the City of Charlottetown will not be responsible for goods furnished to any person or persons, city officials or otherwise, without a written requisition from the City Clerk and countersigned by one of the members of the Finance Committee.—31.

A VALUABLE GIFT.—On the 8th March, Messrs. Mackenzie Dixon and Even Henderson called at the Mansie, West River, and left a handsome set of harness, sleigh robe, carriage apron and whip, on behalf of the Clyde River Presbyterian congregation, for their minister, the Rev. A. A. Mackenzie. Mr. Mackenzie most gratefully acknowledges this among many other kindnesses.

ELECTION PETITIONS.—Petitions have been filed against the return of Messrs. Matheson and MacLellan, Arsenault and Montgomery, Bentley and Bell, Rogers and McMillan, Mr. Sutherland, Messrs. MacKay and Farquharson, Ferguson and Peters, McDonald and Forbes, and McLeod and Blake. Altogether, there have been filed petitions against the return of ten oppositionists and seven supporters of the Government.

CONCERT AT UIGG.—A concert was held in Uigg Hall, on the evening of the seventh inst., by the people of Alexandria. It was very well attended considering the bad roads and threatening aspect of the weather. The singing was conducted by Mr. Wm. Judson as leader and Mr. Jacob B. Dockendorff as organist, and the programme was well rendered, and much appreciated by the audience. The greatest kindness was shown to those of us who were strangers in Uigg, and everything was done that could add to our comfort. An admission fee of ten cents was charged to aid in the erection of a new Baptist Church at Alexandria. VISITOR.

TWO FIRES.—Shortly after midnight last night, some person poked a roll of Patriots, saturated with kerosene oil, under the door of the kitchen porch of Mr. W. W. Clarke's residence, and set fire to the roll. The reflection of the flames on a barn in the yard were observed by one of Mr. Clarke's neighbors who gave the alarm and extinguished the fire. We hope that the person who perpetrated this outrage will be found out and punished as he deserves to be.

We are informed that the house of a man named MacEachern, near Caidigan Bridge, was destroyed by fire a few days ago. The building was insured in the Eastern Insurance Company, represented by Mr. F. W. Hyndman, for \$400.

B. I. S.—The annual meeting of the Emerald Branch of the Benevolent Irish Society was held in their hall at Emerald on Monday, March 10th. There was a large and representative meeting. The reports of the different officers showed the Society to be in a thriving condition financially and otherwise. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

Patron—Rev. Dr. Doyle, (re-elected.) President—Wm. Clarke. First Vice-President—Peter F. Hughes. Second Vice-President—Angus McGinnis. Secretary—Geo. R. McMahon. Asst. Secretary—D. B. Macdonald. Treasurer—F. T. Murphy. Sergeant-at-Arms—James Power. Asst. do.—Terrence Goodwin. Standard Bearer—Peter Duffy. Sick and Relief Committee—Wm. Deighan, Patrick Whelan and John R. Murphy. Managing and Hall Committee—Patrick Duffy, M. Wall, M. D., and George R. McMahon.

The Battle of Election Petitions

The Oppositionists did not anticipate reprisals in the game of election petitions. They fondly and vainly imagined that the last day for filing petitions was the one on which they filed their factious petition against Messrs. McLeod and Blake. But they were wrong—as usual; and as a result of their foolish cabal to overthrow the Government, they will be compelled to respond to no less than ten election petitions, with the almost certain prospect of having several of their members elected disqualified by the Court. Of course they will have the pleasure of doing what they can to nullify the election of seven Conservatives elect, and they are welcome to all the fun they may obtain. It is significant that they have not dared to petition against any one of the solid Conservative contingent returned by King's County.

Local Notices

Just received—Five cases children's clothing.—Prowse Bros. mar13 Rubber boots and shoes, men's and women's all sizes, best quality, at the Dominion Boot and Shoe Store. mh13 dw 6i Beer & Goff have the finest display of apples in the city. See their show window. mar13 3i Call and see the children's new and stylish suits at Prowse Bros. mar13 Fresh halibut, haddock, codfish, trout, finan haddies and kippered herring received to-day at the Fish Market, Grafton Street. mar13 1i For \$5 Beer & Goff will sell you a barrel of flour warranted to give first-class satisfaction. mar13 3i The Wonderful Cheap Men are busy selling their children's nobby suits. Men's felt hats.—If you want a fashionable hat for spring go to J. B. Macdonald's. mh13 dw 6i Gents white and colored shirts, new stock, just opened at J. B. Macdonald's. mh13 dw 6i Specially made for his own trade.—J. B. Macdonald's ready-made clothing, just as good as custom made, and 30 per cent. cheaper. mh13 dw 6i

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Summary of Proceedings.

OTTAWA, March 12.

In the House of Commons to-day, in answer to an inquiry, Hon. Mr. Carling said the first of the two-rowed barley being imported by the Government for seed would arrive next week, and it would all be here before the first week of April.

Mr. Dewdney denied that the crofters in the Northwest were starving.

Mr. Ferguson, of Welland, moved a resolution proposing the erection of a monument to commemorate the battle of Lundy's Lane.

Sir Adolphe Caron said that the subject had been considered by the government, and he suggested that the resolution be amended so as to include all uncommemorated battle-fields. A design had been prepared for a suitable monument, which would cost about one thousand dollars, and, while monuments could not be erected everywhere in one year, he would suggest that the work be proceeded with by degrees until completed.

The motion, as amended, was then adopted.

After recess the House went into committee on Brown's anti-pigeon shooting bill.

Tisdale immediately moved that the committee rise, and this motion was discussed until 11 o'clock.

When Tisdale's motion was carried by a standing vote, Mr. Taylor moved the second reading of his bill prohibiting the importation of contract labor.

Sir John McDonald said he was opposed to the principle of the bill, but thought that it might be read pro forma and referred to a special committee, who might in their report suggest some plan whereby a peaceable communication might be continued along the border.

Mr. McMullen moved the adjournment of the debate, and the House rose at 11.30.

Important Testimony.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 12.

In the adjourned Sawtell hearing to-day, Edward Rollins, truckman, a new witness, testified to Isaac Sawtell coming to his house at noon on Feb. 5th, to engage board for his daughter. She was to arrive on the afternoon train at the depot. On the arrival of the train from Boston, he saw a man whom he described as Hiram Sawtell alight from the train and was met by Isaac, and they engaged in conversation. A severe cross-examination could not move the witness. The testimony is very strong for the State.

The League Abandoned.

LISBON, March 12.

The League formed here by students for the avowed purpose of assaulting Glynn Petre, the British Minister, has been abandoned and the anti-English feeling is subsiding.

The Bill Rejected.

LONDON, March 12.

The House of Commons this evening rejected the Irish Land Tenure Bill, 231 to 179.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 13.—10 a. m.

Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy light local showers, not much change in temperature.

Personal.

The Daily News Advertiser of Vancouver, has the following item concerning a native of this city—one who has hosts of friends here: "When the motion accepting the resignation of Mr. R. E. Palmer, Assistant City Engineer, was made Monday evening, Alderman Garden spoke to it, paying a tribute to the worth of Mr. Palmer as a professional man, and said that the city was losing an official whose place it would be hard to fill."

By the death of Sir Robert Kane, the hero of the Calliope hurricane at Apia has lost his father. The Calliope was intercepted at Port Said on her way home from the Pacific, through the difficulty over the Makololo affair, but we now learn that the gallant old vessel left Zanzibar for Portsmouth on Feb. 15, to be paid off. It goes without saying that Capt. Kane and his men will receive a hearty welcome when they reach the Old Country.

News Notes.

The Russian navy is to be re-organized and strengthened.

The Imperial naval estimates amount to £14,000,000, an increase of £100,000 over last year.

Portugal is determined to exclude England from Mozambique, and the latter country is resolved to have compensation for the outrages committed.

There is a surplus in the Dominion treasury of \$4,315,753.

The Shah of Persia has ordered his ambassadors to send engineers to provide large Persian towns with gas.

For Rickets, Marasmus, and all Wasting disorders of Children

Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil, with Hyphosphites, is unequalled. The rapidity with which children gain flesh and strength upon it is very wonderful. "I have used Scott's Emulsion in cases of Rickets and Marasmus of long standing." In every case the improvement was marked.—J. M. Main, M. D. New York. Sold by all druggists, 50c. and \$1.00.

People are sure of getting greater bargains than they can at auction, every day at Newson's. The rush continues. The largest stock to select from. Call and see. feb20dy1m

Brass Window Poles (slightly damaged), ends and rings and brackets complete—formerly \$3, now 75c to \$1. A dead bargain. feb20dy1m John Newson's. New Spring Suits, per steamer Stanley at John McLeod & Co's. 2i—mh4

Jas. Paton & Co.

FOR MARCH

THIS is the Month we sell Carpets, Oilcloths, Linoleums, Art Squares, Crumb Cloths, Rugs, Mats, and all kinds of House Furnishings at a sacrifice.

We have a few pieces of BRUSSELS CARPET, which we have marked down to 75 cents a yard.

Genuine Brussels Carpet

AT 75 CENTS A YARD.

and we have lots of the better grades, of which we sold so much last March, and which gave such splendid satisfaction. Never before had we such a large stock of good patterns and rich colorings to select from at this season of the year.

Tapestry Carpets,

from Thirty Cents up to the best made; also Scotch and Unions at very low prices. Measure your room (or let us do it). Take advantage of the low prices and have one of our handsome Carpets. An examination will convince you.

Lace Curtains.

We have just opened Three Hundred Pairs of Lace Curtains to be sold this month. Our prices on these goods are "away down."

WINDOW SHADES.

Plain and Decorated—over Fifty patterns to select from—with the best Spring Rollers made.

As our CARPET DEPARTMENT is the LARGEST ON THE ISLAND, you can depend on getting the best assortment, and our prices speak for themselves.

Jas. Paton & Co., MARKET SQUARE.

March 3, 1890.

Rare Chance.

THAT VALUABLE PROPERTY situate on the corner of Pownal and King Streets, known as the "Terrace House," is now in the market, and will be sold at a bargain. This property is so well known that further description is unnecessary.

If not sold at private sale before the 1st day of May next, it will on that day be offered at Public Auction. For further particulars apply to the owner on the premises. MRS. CATHERINE MCKENNA. mh11—dy law wby

Paper Hangings for 1890.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Our Stock of Room Paper for this season's trade is now in Store, and our new Pattern Books ready for your inspection. We have the Largest, Cheapest and Best Variety on the Island.

ENGLISH ROOM PAPER, SCOTCH ROOM PAPER, AMERICAN ROOM PAPER.

Gilt Papers, Embossed Papers, Satin Papers, Sanitary Washable Papers, Panel Papers, Dado Papers, Borders, Ceiling Decorations, etc. A complete stock and prices low.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, March 1, 1890—cod

EMBROIDERIES!

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN PATTERNS.

We cordially invite your inspection and comparison, and we consider it a pleasure to show you our stock of new Swiss Embroideries.

STANLEY BROTHERS, BROWN'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE MARKET SQUARE.

Charlottetown, March 8, 1890—cod

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

In re Estate of Ritchie Bros. & Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that George Ritchie, of Charlottetown, wholesale grocer and Commission Merchants, doing business heretofore under the style and firm of Ritchie Bros. & Co., have, by deed dated 7th March, instant, assigned all their real estate, stock-in-trade, goods and chattels, book-debts and credits, to the undersigned in trust for their creditors. AND all persons indebted to the said assignors are hereby notified that payment of the several amounts owing by them is to be made to the undersigned assignees, their attorney or agent, as they alone have power to give receipts for the same.

The Trust Deed is at the office of F. W. L. Moore, Solicitor, Charlottetown, and is open for inspection and execution by all creditors of the assignors.

Dated this 8th day of March, A. D. 1890.

W. A. WEEKS, } Assignees. L. L. BEER, }

March 8, 1890—dy 1w wkly 2i.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED.—By a young man, a situation in a store or office. Eight years' experience in the grocery business. Good reference. Address "Clerk," care of EXAMINER office. if—mh13

TO LET.—A first-rate Cottage on Sidney Street, containing six rooms and pantry. Possession given on 3rd April. Apply to W. W. WELLS. mh13

FOR SALE.—100 loads Kindling Wood. Prices low. Apply to JOSEPH M. HARR, Cumberland Street. 1w—mh19

WANTED.—A Girl to do general housework. Apply at this office. if—mh10

WANTED.—Two smart boys to act as news agents on the trains. Those residing at Souris, Georgetown or Summerside preferred. Apply at once by letter or in person, with references, to Railway News Agency, Charlottetown, P. E. I. 3i pd—mh19

WANTED.—By a boy aged seventeen a situation in a private family. Best of references given. Enquire at THE EXAMINER office. [mh17—3i pd

WANTED.—Young man with some business experience preferred, as clerk, and to be generally useful in store. Address, with particulars, A. B. City. [mh17

BANKRUPT

FURNITURE!

Lower than Auction Prices.

An Immense Lot of Bankrupt Furniture for sale at Dazzling Discounts. Must be sold at once. I defy competition.

JOHN NEWSON, South Side Queen Square,

Charlottetown, Jan. 29, 1890.

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE.