

Local and Other Items.

MAILS arrived at 2 1/2. LADIES' Button Boots for \$1.00, at J. B. Macdonald's. BAND at the Citizens' Rink this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

A HISTORY of Moncton and its early settlement is being prepared.

READ Beecher's last sermon on the first page of THE EXAMINER to-day.

THE basis of union of the Baptist denominations has been formulated.

Mrs.'s American Gum Rubber Boots at a big discount, at J. B. Macdonald's.

WHITE and fancy shirts in great variety and at prices to suit all at D. A. Bruce's.

J. B. MACDONALD will sell off the balance of his Felt Boots and Overshoes at less than cost.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER will visit Halifax to meet Lady Tupper on her arrival from England.

A SPLENDID lot of Ladies' and Gents' Fine Boots, 20 per cent. discount, at J. C. Sprague & Co's.

An assault case was disposed of for \$10 or 30 days by the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon.

New Lancers, Quadrilles, Waltzes, etc., just received at "The Music Store."—C. P. Fletcher.

In the partial elections in Quebec Province no opposition was offered by the Liberal-Conservatives.

THE editor of the Cornwall Freeholder has been committed for trial for criminal libel on Mr. B. R. McLennan.

THE fourth of May is officially announced as the date for the annual meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association.

THE case of Wise vs. McKay was closed yesterday-afternoon. Mr. Justice Hensley will deliver judgment on Thursday next at 12 o'clock.

A MAN named Jordan, belonging to Free town, lost a valuable horse by breaking through the ice in New London harbor on Thursday last.

THE Mock Parliament will discuss, on Tuesday evening next, the expediency of taking the power of granting divorces away from the Senate and establishing a Divorce Court.

Is yesterday's report of the Concert in the Lyceum, we inadvertently omitted referring to the concert solo by Mr. C. P. Fletcher, which was one of the successes of the evening.

EVERY purchaser goes away satisfied, and says the Print Cottons at James Paton & Co's are the best and cheapest they ever saw. Over 1,000 pieces to be sold before navigation opens.

OUR Print Cotton sale continues a few days longer. Come along and see them for yourselves. Great bargains. No old stock. All good patterns.—James Paton & Co., Market Square.

EX-GOVERNOR LAIRD will return to Prince Edward Island a sadder and wiser man, and will be in a position to nurse his revenge against Mr. Davies who sent him west to get him out of the way.—St. John Sun.

WE are informed that the Dramatic Club in connection with the Benevolent Irish Society intend giving a performance in this city on the evening of the 21st June next, the day upon which the Queen's Jubilee is to be celebrated.

ALL the returns from Algoma were in on the 14th inst., except Michipicoten Island, which has only six votes, and Dawson's majority was twenty-five. This effectually disposes of the story telegraphed from Toronto that Burke was elected.

ANOTHER addition to the fisheries protection fleet was made on the 16th inst., the Department of Marine and Fisheries completing at Shelburne, N. S., the charter of a fast-sailing schooner of 105 tons burden, to be used as a cruiser next summer.

It is rumored here that Dr. Parker, Mr. Beecher's intimate friend in Great Britain, will be asked to succeed him in Plymouth Church. Dr. Parker is a man of the Beecher type, the second most popular preacher in London. He is bizarre and theatrical in style and a very advanced Liberal. He is inferior to Beecher in originality and freshness.

In referring to the item in yesterday's issue, concerning the difference between standard and local time, the railway authorities desire us to state that the trouble is not with their Regular Clock; and Mr. E. W. Taylor informs us that the Town Clock is to-day 3 minutes (all but 5 seconds) slow of true mean time, as ascertained by Transit and Chronometer.

A good deal of interest is created by the announcement of the marriage of Mr. W. R. Dunn, of the Halifax Chronicle, to Miss Mylius, daughter of the captain of the steamer Newfoundland. It is said that there is considerable romance connected with the marriage, which took place some months ago. Mrs. Dunn is now on a visit to her friends in Denmark.

The astronomers predict the appearance of the "Star of Bethlehem" this year for the sixth time since the birth of Christ. The star is said to appear directly north of the south star, and to be visible in its dazzling light at noon. It is a solar orb, many times the magnitude of our sun, whose orbit is yet unascertained by any astronomer, and is the most marvellous of the celestial phenomena.

THE Truro Guardian reports that William Fisher, of Middle Stewiacke went to that place a few days ago, and not feeling well applied to a doctor, who gave him twenty-four pills, to be taken "one each day." By some means he got the idea that the pills were a powder and took twenty-two at once, and though every effort was used to save him, he died a few days after. He was an old man but quite vigorous.

With a request that its contents be made known to Canadian cattle dealers, the Aberdeen harbor commissioners have addressed a letter to Hon. Mr. Carling, Minister of Agriculture, setting forth the advantages possessed by Canadian cattle. This port has recently been licensed as a landing place for foreign cattle not subject to quarantine or slaughter, and expects to capture a good portion of the West India trade via Glasgow.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE SASKATCHEWAN.

LAIRD OUT!

By a Large Majority.

OTTAWA, March 19. Full returns show that the majority against Laird is over two hundred. Prince Albert and Battleford gave a large majority to McDowell.

FATAL FIRE!

Thirty Persons Burned to Death

HEAVY LOSS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 18. A fire was discovered at 3.30 this morning in the new Richmond Hotel. The alarm was sounded and the fire department responded promptly. The house contained a large number of guests, and their heart-rending shrieks could be heard for blocks. The entire hotel with St. James' Hall and other adjoining property was destroyed. It is supposed that thirty persons perished in the flames.

LATER.

As far as can be ascertained, thirty persons were burned to death and eighteen are seriously burned and injured. Many of the injured jumped from windows of the upper stories. The financial loss is about \$400,000; insurance \$200,000.

A Scandal—Corruption in London.

LONDON, March 18. The Parliamentary Committee, appointed to investigate the charges against the London Corporation, held its first session to-day, Lord Hartington presiding. Mr. Firth, formerly a member of Parliament, deposed that he had examined the accounts of the Corporation. He found a Special Committee had been appointed in 1882 to extend the Reform Bill, and that there was expended by the Committee a total of £50,000. He said that practically the city accounts had never been audited. The auditors heretofore appointed had been men entirely unfit for the duty.

The "Thunderer" Thunders Against Parnell.

LONDON, March 18. The Times asks why the Parnell party do not try to refute the charges made in its article on Parnellism and Crime. None of the party has taken legal action, says the Times, although if the charge were proven untrue, heavy damages might be asked. "Can Gladstone and his friends," inquires the Times, "persist in telling English and Scotch Liberals that it is safe and honorable to surrender the government of Ireland to the allies and instruments of anti-British plotters in America?"

A Popular Priest.

DUBLIN, March 18. Father Keeler, of Youghal, County Cork, was arrested to-day. He had twice declined to receive summonses ordering him to appear in court and answer questions respecting his alleged custody as trustee under the plan of campaign of money belonging to tenants on the Ponsonby estates. When Father Keeler reached Cork he was met by a great crowd and presented with an address.

Jubilee Drawing Room.

LONDON, March 18. The Queen held her second Jubilee Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace to-day. The number of presentations made was smaller than at the first reception. The weather was cold and snow falling.

Railway Disaster.

OTTAWA, March 18. Early this morning the Canadian Pacific express for Toronto ran into the rear of a freight train. The freight cars were mostly laden with vitrol which ignited and destroyed ten cars. Fortunately there was no loss of life.

Floods in the West.

BISMARCK, Dak., March 18. The Washburn Gorge broke last night and early this morning the river began to rise rapidly.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 19—10 a.m. North-east and north winds; mostly cloudy with light local rains; not much change in temperature.

MARRIED.

At St. Stephen's Church, St. Margaret's Bay, on the 2nd February, by the Rev. S. Smyth, father of the bridegroom, assisted by the Rev. G. C. Doss, the Rev. Samuel Cox Smyth, lately Priest of St. Peter's Church, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada, to Ruth Katherine Mary, youngest daughter of David Dias, Esquire, of The Hope, Hope Bay, Portland, Jamaica.

DIED.

On the 18th inst., at the house of Capt. Andrew Doyle, Katie Goodwill, aged 20 years. [Funeral on Monday morning at 10 o'clock to St. Dunstan's Cathedral.]

SLAUGHTER SALE

—OF—

Printed Cottons.

—WE OFFER—

20,000 Yards Printed Cottons and Cretonnes, from 5cts a Yard, Upwards.

Cheapest Goods in the City.

HARRIS & STEWART, LONDON HOUSE. March 17, 1887.

GREAT Print Cotton Sale

COMMENCES

To-morrow, Thursday, March 17th.

1000 yards 10c Print Cotton for 6cts a yard.

1500 yards 12c Print Cotton for 8cts a yard.

8000 yards 14c Print Cotton for 10cts a yard.

3500 yards 16c Print Cotton for 12cts a yard.

2000 yards Cretonnes, worth from 20cts up, now for 15cts.

This is a Genuine Sale—See these Goods.

Also—Great Bargains in Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Tickings, Gray and White Cottons.

JAS PATON & CO., MARKET SQUARE. March 18, 1887.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH SOCIAL.

THE Ladies of the Congregation intend having a Tea, Refreshment and Fancy Tables in ST. JAMES' HALL.

On THURSDAY, 24th March.

COMMITTEE: Mrs. JAMES CARRUTHERS.

Mrs. D. McNeill, Miss McGILL, Mrs. Rankin, Miss GRAY, Mrs. A. Lord, Miss G. Brown, Mrs. W. R. Frame, Miss K. Hyndman, Mrs. M. McLeod, Miss E. McKinnon, Mrs. A. L. Brown, Miss G. Mason, Mrs. C. McGregor, Miss E. Murray, Mrs. R. Angus, Miss Henderson, Mrs. D. Montgomery.

The ladies have made up an excellent assortment of Pinafors, Aprons, &c., &c. The public are invited to favor them with their patronage.

TICKETS—Admission, 10 cents; Tea and admission, 35 cents.

Doors open at 2 o'clock, p. m. R. MACNEILL, Secretary.

Ch'town, March 4—31 at 11 1/2 then daily till date

PURE GOLD GOODS ARE THE BEST MADE. ASK FOR THEM IN CANS, BOTTLES OR PACKAGES.

THE LEADING LINES ARE BAKING POWDER, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, SHOE BLACKING, STOVE POLISH, COFFEE, SPICES, BORAX, CURRY POWDER, CELERY SALT, MUSTARD, POWDERED HERBS, &c.

ALL GOODS GUARANTEED GENUINE. PURE GOLD MANFG CO. 31 FRONT ST. EAST TORONTO.

LOBSTER FACTORY FOR SALE

WE will Sell by Public Auction,

On TUESDAY, the 22nd Instant,

COMMENCING AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

the Valuable Lobster Factory, situated at Park Corner, New London, lately occupied by Andrew McLeod, together with Cook House, Bait House, Stables, &c.

Also—Boats, Traps, Rope, Fishing and Packing Gear, Cooking Utensils, Stoves, &c.

Also, about 20 Empty Boxes and about 100 Boxes, Cans, and sundry other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms made known at sale.

ANDREW BOWNNESS, Assignee.

BOWNNESS & ANDERSON, Auctioneers.

Kensington, March 8, 1887—41 sale

NOTICE.

ALL amounts due W. R. BORNHAM, unpaid by the 2nd MARCH, inst., will be placed in our Attorney's hands for collection on that date.

Amherst Boot & Shoe Manfg Co. March 12—41

Y. M. C. A.

THE Y. M. C. A. Bazaar Committee intend holding their sale of useful and fancy articles on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, April 13th and 14th. Contributions will be gratefully received by—

- Mrs. SHENTON, President. Mrs. J. J. Davies, Mrs. Henstley, Mrs. G. Bremer, Vice Presidents. Mrs. Poole, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. MacKinlay, Mrs. W. W. Stanley, Mrs. J. M. McLeod, Mrs. Shenton, Mrs. Whitmar, Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. Carruthers, Mrs. Law-on, Mrs. D. MacNeill, Mrs. P. Weeks, Mrs. Unsworth, Mrs. S. Mutch, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. G. Brown, Mrs. Neil Macleod, Mrs. Laird, Mrs. R. Hartz, Mrs. Alice Weeks, Mrs. G. Macleod, Mrs. B. MacNeill, Mrs. Gidley, Mrs. Makinlay. ELIZA MACNEILL, Secretary.

Feb. 8-11 sale Sat tu th sat

A Rare Chance for Business at Tignish.

I WILL rent, for a term of years, with privilege of purchase, my establishment at Tignish Railway Station, consisting of—

1st. Large, commodious Shop, Office and Ware room, with dwelling attached, also Coach-house and Stable.

2nd. A Warehouse, 3 stories, 6x10.

3rd. Large Yard, with shed for 20 horses.

4th. Large Warehouse alongside Railway track.

The Stock Book shows \$1,000 general merchandise and shop fixtures, which will be sold on long terms.

Possession can be given immediately, and my clerk will stay with the next occupant if desired.

For terms, &c., apply to

GEORGE W. HOWLAN, Ch'town, March 8, 1887—ex pat jour 1mo

SEED WHEAT

THE Subscriber offers for sale a few hundred bushels of his famous White Russian Wheat, grown on the Warren Farm (one mile from Tignish). Call early and secure the best seed, cheap.

JOHN NEWSON, March 9, 1887—2mos eod & wky

FOR SALE.

Ten Shares in "The Examiner Publishing Company,"

each Share representing \$100 in the Capital Stock.

THE undersigned offers for Sale TEN SHARES (all paid up) of the Capital Stock of THE EXAMINER PUBLISHING COMPANY. Will be sold in lots of one or more shares, to suit purchasers. For further particulars apply to

J. W. MITCHELL, Ch'town, Nov. 9, 1886.

"DEVONPORT" FOR SALE.

THAT valuable property, known as "Devonport," situated on the Malpeque Road, within one mile of the city, containing about 26 1/2 acres of land, with large and commodious Dwelling House, Barn, Stables, Coach House, Dairy, Ice house, Root House, &c., &c. Good Title guaranteed.

Apply to R. F. DEBLOIS, Provincial Building, Ch'town, March 2, 1887—eod tf

NOTICE.

ALL goods ordered, previous to July 1st, 1887, and all Furniture repaired, Pictures framed, &c., &c. will, if not called for, on or before March 20th, 1887, be sold at auction to pay expenses, and the subscriber will not hold himself liable for any loss sustained by owners of such goods. Please secure your goods at once.

JOHN NEWSON, March 9, 1887—121

ITS PURITY

WOODLIE'S & GERMAN BAKING POWDER

CERTIFIED TO BY F. W. BEST, DOMINION ANALYST, St. John, N.B. Feb. 10, 1887.

WIVES, LOST, FOUND, &c.

SERVANT WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. K. Jost, Sydney Street, near Convent. mar18 tf

TO LET—A large, well-finished Dwelling House containing 12 rooms, on Prince Street. Apply to E. S. Moore. mar17 eod tf

TO LET—Shop and Garden, belonging to the late John Jury, Esq. Also, a large safe, good as new, which I will sell for \$30; second-hand Piano at a low price.—Mrs. Sarah A. Jury, Kent Street. mar17 tf

TO LET—A two and a-half story Brick Building, with slate roof, in good tenable condition, containing ten rooms, besides pantries, kitchen, cellar kitchen, also ice-house, now filled with ice, stable yard room, with garden attached, situated on Water Street. Possession given 1st July next.

Also—A two and a-half story wooden tenement dwelling, containing eight rooms in good repair, situated on Prince Street. Possession given 1st May, next.

Also—Brick Warehouses and Offices, suitable for good business stand on Water Street. Possession given immediately. For particulars apply to Fiske Bros. & Co. mar2 eod

WANTED—A Parlor Maid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmouth. march2 tf

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Cook and a Housemaid, to whom good wages will be given; references required. Apply at THE EXAMINER'S office. mar3 tf

TO LET—The Dwelling House lately occupied by the subscriber, situated on the corner of Prince and Dorchester Street. Apply to T. C. BODIN. feb19—2aw tf

TO LET—That brick House and Shop on Dorchester Street, formerly occupied by Owen Connolly; immediate possession given. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jun21 eod

TO LET—That brick House on Dundas Esplanade, now in the possession of G. H. HAZARD, Esq.; possession given 1st October next. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jun21 eod tf

TO LET—Shop and Warehouses lately occupied by Beer & Sons at Hotel St. Peter's Bay. Apply on the premises. feb11

Six Hundred Pairs CORSETS,

Best makers, and all sizes from 18 to 36 inches, ranging in price from 33 CENTS, UP.

A Large Stock EMBROIDERIES, very cheap.

- Sheetings, White Cottons, Dress Goods, Pillow Cottons, Gray Cottons, Cashmeres, Tickings, Print Cottons, Merinoes, Hessians, Shirtings, Pushes, Velvets, Towelings, Gingham, Silks, Satins, &c.

A Full Line of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods---New Stock,

AT PRICES AS LOW AS ANY IN THE TRADE.

STANLEY BROS., BROWN'S BLOCK.

Ch'town, March 11, 1887—eod & wky

CHARLOTTETOWN BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY.

SPRING, - - - 1887 - - - SPRING.

WE must thank our friends and the public generally for their ever increasing patronage since we have commenced business.

Our Boot & Shoe Factory, in starting, had many difficulties to overcome, and we are glad that to-day those difficulties have been surmounted, and we are now well able to compete with the best Boot and Shoe Factories abroad.

Some of the advantages purchasers have in buying from us, saving of freight, ordering goods when you want them (not six months before), getting them without delay—which saves carrying a large stock which deteriorates on the shelves.

Our leathers are bought directly from the tanneries, thereby saving commissions which many factories have to pay.

We are more determined than ever to give the

BEST OF SATISFACTION

and to merit the whole of the Island's patronage.

We hope to see many new industries arise, thereby increasing the prosperity of this "Gem of the Sea."

DORSEY, GOFF & CO.

Ch'town, March 15, 1887.—eod & wky

BEER BROS.

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MARCH SALE.

THE people are sick reading advertisements all about Big Discounts and void of meaning; but what L. E. PROWSE advertises to do, you may be sure he will do.

PLEASE READ:

A lot of Remnants of Dress Goods, about half price.

A job lot of Corsets less than half price.

A magnificent lot of Embroidery, 20 per cent discount.

Job lot of Dress Goods, 20 to 25 per cent discount.

Black Cashmeres and Merinoes, excellent value.

Gray Cottons, White Cottons, Sheetting, Shirting, Ticking, &c., very low.

Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars' Worth of Hats

FROM 25 TO 50 PER CENT. DISCOUNT, FOR 15 DAYS ONLY.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY HATS CHEAP

TRY US: WE MEAN IT EVERY TIME.

L. E. PROWSE,

SIGN OF THE BIG HAT, 74 QUEEN STREET. Ch'town, March 4, 1887—eod & wky

TO LET—Shop and Warehouse lately occupied by Beer & Sons at Hotel St. Peter's Bay. Apply on the premises. feb11