

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

PAINT CORTEX sale on at Beer Bros. C. C. S.—To-night. A CELEBRATED CASE.—Monday evening in the Lyceum.

RISE.—Rink open to-night, but no hand, non-ticket holders 10 cents to skate.

DELL TO-NIGHT.—No. 1 Battery, G. A. will meet for drill to-night at 8 o'clock.

I. O. G. T.—Charlottetown Lodge, No. 68, meets to night in Wright's Hall at 7:30 o'clock.

S. O. E. B. S.—Meeting of the White Rose degree to-night. Visiting brethren welcome.

THROUGH THE ICE.—It is reported that a horse went through the ice on the West River this morning.

THE MAILS.—Crossing both ways at the Cape today. The foreign mails arrived in the city at 12:30.

THE STANLEY arrived at Pictou about half-past ten this forenoon. She will leave on return to-morrow morning at seven o'clock.

MASSON.—A special convocation of Alexandra, R. A., Chapter No. 11 R. N. S. will be held at Chapter Rooms, Masonic Temple this (Thursday) evening at 8 p. m.

I. O. O. F.—A special meeting of Port La Joie Encampment, will be held in the Odd Fellows Hall this evening at 8 o'clock to confer degrees and other important business.

PARLOR CONCERT.—Be sure and reserve Monday next for the parlor concert at Beacomfield, in aid of the P. E. Island Hospital. The programme will appear to-morrow.

THE LYCEUM.—Reserve Monday evening for the Lyceum, when one of the best dramas ever given in the Province will be presented by the Dramatic Club of St. Dunstan's College.

GRAND CONCERT.—The Y. M. L. A. of St. James' Church will close this season's entertainments with a grand concert and readings in St. James' Hall on Easter Monday night, April 15th.

TRIP AT POWVAL.—Saturday next has been decided as the date of the proposed trip. The classes are well filled. There are eight horses entered for the three-minute race, so that an interesting afternoon's sport may be expected.

TEA AND ENTERTAINMENT.—A tea and entertainment, in aid of the Juvenile Temple, will be held in the basement of Zion Church on Tuesday, April 2. Tea on tables from 5 to 7 o'clock. Admission and tea, 15 cents. mar26 1w

A DIVIDEND DECLARED.—At the meeting of the patrons of the Cornwall cheese factory yesterday a dividend of 10 p. c. was paid the stock-holders present, and it was decided to put in a butter-making plant next fall.

CONTRACT LET.—The contract for the erection of the Hillsborough cheese and butter factory situated at Pippy's Corner has been given to Mr. William Leung of M. Herbert, for the sum of \$250. In all thirteen tenders were received ranging from \$155 to \$375. The factory is to be completed by June 1st next, and the work of erection will begin shortly.

KINDNESS REMEMBERED.—The kindness of the conductors and train hands on our Island railway is again highly spoken of. On Thursday, 14th inst., Mr. B. W. Ambrose, of St. John, representing the Imperial Oil Co., and Mr. A. F. de Forest, of Geo. S. de Forest, St. John, left in the morning train for Summerside and Alberton. They were, unfortunately, caught in the last great snow blockade, and for four successive days and nights were on the train. They reached town again on March 21st. Messrs. Ambrose and de Forest are loud in their praise of the conduct and kindness of Conductor Thompson and the train hands during the long and lonely trip.

A CRUEL HOAX.—Yesterday THE EXAMINER published a notice of the death of Mr. J. H. Monaghan, teacher of South Melville, which was said to have taken place on Sunday. The notice was published in good faith, as it was accompanied by a note requesting that it be inserted, which was duly signed. It now turns out that the whole affair is a cruel hoax. Mr. Monaghan, of Hunter River, a brother-in-law of Mr. Monaghan, saw him late on Sunday afternoon, and he was then in his usual health. Several others saw him on Monday, and he was alive and well. The man who would be so mean and contemptible as to perpetrate such a hoax on any person, especially on such an estimable young man as Mr. Monaghan, is deserving of punishment and THE EXAMINER will do all in its power to assist Mr. Monaghan and the other relatives in revealing his identity.

PERSONAL. Senator Prowse is in the city. He is registered at the Hotel Davies. The St. John Sun reports that M. J. McLeod, of Charlottetown is at the Victoria.

Mr. J. O'Brien leaves to-morrow for Wapella, Assiniboia, where he has secured a good position. There registered at the Queen Hotel this forenoon: Mrs. George Houston, New Glasgow; Archd. Currie, Souris; J. M. Egan, A. F. Feehan, Mount Stewart; D. J. Grant, Halifax; M. Anderson, Belfast; J. A. Macdonald, Orwell.

Arrivals at the Hotel Davies this forenoon: T. F. Mowbray, Toronto; H. H. Engleke, Montreal; H. W. Higginson, St. John; G. Green, Guelph; O. Taylor, Toronto; F. A. McAndrews, St. John; A. Weir, Toronto; Fred Ward, Halifax; C. H. Sterns, Souris.

Revere Hotel Arrivals, Charlottetown March 27th: Murdoch McMillan, Mill Vale; Daniel A. Martin, Montague; George McDonald, do; John Lyons, Montague; C. M. Lyons, do; Thos. McLenahan, Elton; Hugh J. McLeod, Orwell; Pascal Galant, John P. Arsenault, Jas. A. Sharp and daughter, Jas. A. Macneil, Summerside; Daniel Campbell, Belmont; William Andrews, Thos. Robertson, Fred Peters, John A. Cameron, J. H. Noonan and wife, A. C. Cullen, Miss Prescilla Daumfer, Miss Henevree Dumfries, Frank Herry, S. M. Bent, W. H. Manson, S. M. Richardson, John A. Arsenault, St. Andrews.

HOCKEY MATCH AND RACES.

The Charlottetown and Summerside Play a Draw—Winner at the Hotel Davies. The last hockey match of the season was played in the Hillsborough rink last evening, in the presence of a large number of ladies and gentlemen. The contesting teams were the Charlottetown and Summerside. Mr. George Pyke, of Halifax, acted as referee. Mr. John Carter was umpire for the Summerside, and Mr. Vivian Doran acted in a similar capacity for the Charlottetown. Shortly after eight o'clock the teams lined up as follows:

SUMMERSIDES. Goal—J. Green. Point—Frank MacKenzie. Cover Point—William Rogers. Forwards—A. Saunders (captain), C. McArthur, J. Dempsey, J. H. G. Arbutnot.

CHARLOTTETOWNS. Goal—F. Cotton. Point—L. G. Wheat (Capt.). Cover Point—J. A. Moore. Forwards—G. J. Rogers, H. Large, C. D. Weeks, H. D. Johnson.

The play throughout was most interesting and exciting. Both teams worked hard for victory, and each put up a good game. The puck was kept whizzing about the ice at a lively rate. Now it would be sent flying in the direction of the Summersides, only to be cleverly stopped and returned to the centre or to the other end of the goal posts. There were some very brilliant individual plays, but when all did so well it would perhaps be unfair to particularize. The Summersides, for a new team, play a rattling game, and promise to do even better in the future. In them the Charlottetown found worthy foemen. Each side tried hard to score, and each proved unsuccessful. When time was called at the conclusion of the second half, neither side had won a goal, and the game was declared a draw.

The ice was soft and during the greater portion of the last half was pretty well covered with water thus making things extremely disagreeable for the players. But as a spectator put it, "they didn't mind a little thing like that."

At the conclusion of the match, the referee, Mr. Pyke, who gave the fullest satisfaction to both sides, was most enthusiastically "bounced."

Between the first and second halves, Moore, of Crapaud, and Rattray, of Charlottetown, skated a two-mile race. They were sent off from opposite sides of the rink, striking a pretty lively clip. On the fourth lap Rattray obtained the lead, which he increased to about twenty feet during the first mile. But shortly after entering upon the second mile Moore began to reduce Rattray's lead and by the time they were rounding the rink for the twenty-ninth lap they were on equal terms. Then Moore's superior staying power manifested itself. Putting on a tremendous spurt, he forged ahead of Rattray, and when the race was finished he was only a few feet behind him, winning by almost half a lap. Time 8:51. The ice was badly cut up by the hockey players, and the time made in the race was therefore not so fast as it would have been were the conditions more favorable.

After the second half "Jimmie" Williams and Sam Doyle skated a mile race, which was won by the former by a few feet.

Galbraith's Band furnished splendid music during the sports, and the large audience well pleased with the evening's proceedings. The rink managers have been untiring in their efforts to furnish good healthful amusement during the season now rapidly drawing to a close, and it is hoped that their efforts have been substantially rewarded.

After the hockey match was concluded the Charlottetown entertained the visiting team and a number of friends at dinner at the Hotel Davies. The President of the Charlottetown Hockey Club, Mr. J. B. Dawson, presided, having on his right the President of the Summerside Club, Mr. J. E. Lefurgey, and on his left Mr. George Pyke, of Halifax. The vice-chair was occupied by the Vice President of the Charlottetown Club, Dr. H. D. Johnson. In all there were about seventy gentlemen seated around the board.

After the good things so bountifully provided by Mrs. Davies had been amply discussed, the intellectual feast began, the toasts being drunk in cold water. Following is the toast list and the names of those responding:

The Queen—God bless her. Our Guests—J. E. Lefurgey, President of the Summerside Hockey Club, and A. Saunders, captain of the team.

Our Sister Clubs—H. Moore, of Crapaud; St. John, and Frank Gushing, and W. Clarke, of Summerside. Mr. Ambrose, of St. John, recited "Casey at the Bat," and Mr. Crawford also gave a recitation. Dr. H. D. Johnson gave a reading dealing with "The game of hockey" as sometimes played in Montreal.

Mr. Richard Johnson played the accompaniments for the vocalists. About two o'clock the festivities were brought to a close after singing "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the Queen." The proceedings throughout were most pleasant, and the visitors are loud in their praises of the manner in which they were entertained by the Charlottetown.

The special train left on return to Summerside about half-past two this morning, and the cheers of the Charlottetown and their friends who escorted the visitors to the station.

The half yearly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent., which was declared by the Starr Manufacturing Company of Nova Scotia this year, seems to indicate that a new era of prosperity is dawning on the concern.

LATEST SUMMERSIDE NEWS.

A quiet wedding took place in Bequeve yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Thomas Hodgson and Miss Eva Wadman were united. Congratulations. The ice is reported dangerous for crossing at various places in the eastern part of the harbor.

Mr. Neil McLeod will deliver a lecture in the W. C. T. U. Hall to-night. Subject: "The Ascent of Man—A Review of Prof. Drummond's book."

A number of improvements are being made on the interior of the Russ Hotel. About half a dozen sleighs left here last night, conveying a merry crowd to the residence of Mr. William Hacker, some four miles east of town. After spending a pleasant evening in games and music they returned about two, a. m.

Market Hall is without a piano now. The one that had been there all winter was removed a few days ago by the owner, Mr. Charles Yeo. Can't the town supply another.

After recess the House resumed committee on the bill respecting the reclamation of marsh lands, Mr. Goldin in the chair. The measure was discussed and reviewed by Hon. Mr. Peters, Hon. Mr. Gordon, Mr. Bell, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Warburton, Mr. J. A. Macdonald and others. The bill was advanced a stage and progress was reported about half-past five.

Committee was then resumed on the bill regarding the incorporation of cheese and butter factories, with Mr. McLaughlin in the chair. Progress was reported and the House adjourned until ten o'clock to-morrow.

THURSDAY, March 28. This morning King Caucus held the attention of the supporters of Hon. Mr. Peters.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. AN EMPHATIC CONTRADICTION. Sir,—In this morning's Guardian a paragraph informing the public that one of the windows in my store was broken by some party hauling lumber for the West River Cheese Factory. Sir, such a calamity never happened, and I owe it to myself and the people of West River at large to contradict any statement which would tend to injure my business or the reputation of any community.

The people of West River are just as law-abiding as those of any other place, perhaps more so and scrupulous for newspapers should know whereof they speak before publishing paragraphs or notices which are misleading.

M. STEVENSON. March 28th 1895.

TWO VIEWS. She—"What's your idea of unhappiness?" He (tenderly)—"Being away from you. What's yours?" She—"An undecided man in a drug store trying to make up his mind among seven different kinds of sarsaparilla."

No need to hesitate. Johnson's Sarsaparilla and Coler leads the van as a combined blood purifier and nerve tonic.

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TO LET. That comfortable Brick Dwelling House known as the Peake Homestead, situate on Water Street, now in possession of Henry Douce, Esq. C. C. Possession given first of May next.

Also that beautifully situated two-story Dwelling on Prince Street, now occupied by James Reddin, Esq. Possession given first June next.

Also, Cottage situate on Hillsborough Street, now occupied by Wallace Arbing. Possession given 20th April next.

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New Clothing for Children. New Two-piece Suits, New Three-piece Suits, New Tweed Suits, New Worsted Suits, New Sailor Suits.

New Suits for Boys of all Ages, Sizes, Shapes and Colors, New Designs that will please everybody.

In fact, you may go all over this country and you cannot get over the fact that we show the best assortment of Little Suits on the Island, and this spring we are showing a better range than ever, adding many new novelties and special lines that cannot be bought in any other Store in the city.

Make no mistake—when we promise to show the best assortment we know what we are talking about, and do what we promise and promise what we do.

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Apply in London to John Pitcairn & Sons, 7 Union Court, Old Broad Street, E. C.; in Liverpool to Pitcairn Bros., 51 South John Street, or here to PEAKE BROS. & CO. Charlottetown, March 27, 1895-dy tf

NEW PRINT COTTONS! We have just opened a splendid assortment of NEW ENGLISH and CANADIAN PRINTS. MOORE & McLEOD. Cl'town, March 21, 1895-246

Howlison & Co., Hat Manufacturers, London, Eng. We have just opened a fine line of the above celebrated manufacturers' HATS, in Hard and Soft. For Quality, Style and Price they cannot be excelled. They are marked away down. Call and see them before purchasing your Spring Hat. D. A. BRUCE, The Leading Merchant Tailor. Charlottetown, March 19, 1895-246

THE GREAT CLEARANCE SALE CONTINUES. Bargains in Readymade Clothing of all kinds, Hats and Gents' Furnishings, All at the Lowest Prices Ever Touched in Charlottetown, at the "Bargain Corner." McKAY WOOLEN COMPANY.

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White Russian Seed Wheat. First year's growth from imported seed on the Warren Farm. The Seed Wheat grown on this Farm has given unparalleled results during the last fourteen years in all parts of the Island. JOHN NEWSON. mch19-1m dw

Wants, Lost, Found, &c. Advertisements under this heading charged five cents per line.

SEIZURE SALE. Rum, Gin, Brandy, Tobacco, &c. ON FRIDAY, 29th INSTANT, At 11 o'clock, a. m., At Customs Appraiser's Office, Water Street, the undermentioned goods will be sold for an infraction of the Revenue Laws:—

24 kegs Rum, 48 cases Gin, 30 " Brandy, 4 barrels Bottled Liquor, 1 Jar Liquor, 1 case Cassie Wine, 1 trunk Sundries, 1 case Cigars, 18 caddies Tobacco, 8 boxes " 1 bundle Leaf Tobacco.

Save Your Time, Money and Temper! If you have a poor Watch, call at our Store and get a good one at a low price, or have the old one at a low price running order. G. H. TAYLOR, North Side Queen Square. feb19

TO LET, for a term of years, that 11 acre sold at the head of Queen Street, cultivated by Mr. Richard Burke for several years past for market gardening, and one in good condition. Possession at once; rent to commence 1st of May. Apply to M. & D. C. McLEOD, Bank of Nova Scotia Building on 93-1m 246

50 or 60 Pairs of Lace Curtains, slightly soiled, are being placed on our counter to-day to be closed out AT ONCE. As we have decided to close them all out, you can depend upon getting great bargains. Discounts will range from 25 to 50 per cent. BEER BROS. THE WEATHER.—Fresh to strong winds; unsettled with light falls of sleet or rain.

LONDON HOUSE! MORTGAGE SALE. The Stock of DRY GOODS belonging to the late Firm of HARRIS & STEWART will be sold at Low Prices FOR CASH ONLY. T. J. HARRIS, Agent for Mortgagees. Charlottetown, March 21, 1895-4y