

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Beer Bros. for Dress Goods. H. B. C.—Regular meeting on Monday evening. See the window of Watson's drug store this evening.

Buy Your Hats at Prowse Bros

WHEELMEN, ATTENTION!—We have just opened a very nice line of Sweaters. We have the different colors to suit the wheel.—Prowse Bros. Boys' Sweaters in all the different sizes for boys from 8 years up.—Prowse Bros.

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REMEMBER the lecture, by Mr. J. T. Mellish on Monday next, on "A Tour Abroad, in the Upper Methodist Church." HARRY'S HALL.—Mrs. Major Jewer of the 8th Cavalry Army will preach in Harry's Hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THE W. C. T. U. will meet at 4 p. m. on Monday. The first half hour will be devoted to a Bible reading, after which the annual reports will be read and the officers for the ensuing year will be elected. All members are requested to be present.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY RACES.—The advertisement announcing the races at the Charlotteville Driving Park appears elsewhere in today's issue. The programme includes a free-for-all, three minutes, gentlemen's drivers and a pacing race. Entries will close on the 15th inst.

WAREHOUSE BERGULARIZED.—The warehouse of Mr. Hugh Currie, at Mount Stewart, was entered by burglars on Wednesday evening last, and a sack of beef and two barrels of pork were stolen therefrom. The burglars got in through one of the windows after breaking the glass and removing the inside fastening.

HOLDS THE RECORD.—Mrs. Mary Lewis, of Hamilton, Ont., on Tuesday last completed her 100th term for drunkenness in the jail of that city. She was born in Ireland, and is 66 years of age. She is the mother of seven children, five of whom are living—three sons in the States, one daughter in Ireland, and one in Ontario. She began drinking about five years after her husband's death in 1865.

AN ISLANDER KILLED.—The Montana papers give particulars of the Nihart mining disaster by which Mr. Hugh MacKenzie, formerly of this province, lost his life. It seems that an explosion occurred in the dynamite magazine whilst the miners were at work. Six miners were killed outright and about twenty others were badly injured. MacKenzie was the first man to be taken out. He was breathing when discovered, but before he reached the open air the vital spark had fled.

DONATION PARTY.—The donation party in the Y. M. C. A. parlour last evening was very successful. The donations included linen and groceries to the value of \$60 and a cash contribution of \$6. During the evening Miss Elsie McKinnon read an interesting paper descriptive of the life of a hospital nurse, and vocal solos were given by Mrs. A. S. Johnson and Miss Earle. Tea, coffee and cake were passed around before the party closed, which all partook of. The party was in aid of the Prince Edward Island Hospital. Mr. W. W. Clarke presided.

ESCAPED FROM JAIL.—George and Henry McDougall, confined in Summerside jail awaiting trial in the Supreme Court for burglary at Alberton, escaped during Thursday night and at latest accounts had not been recaptured. According to the Summerside correspondent of the Guardian the manner of their escape is a mystery as the jailer had the keys in his possession all night, and they had to pass through five doors before reaching the street. It is supposed that the doors were either unlocked for them from the outside or they managed to procure keys and unlock them themselves. At any rate it was found that the cell door and the doors leading to the main hall were all open in the morning and that the prisoners had gone out the front door.

Money Will be Saved by you if you take advantage of the great bargains we offer to-day. "Dr. Tim" and "Triby," the new Walking Hats, 40 cents up. Cotton Blouses, 39 cents. "surprising value, 49 cents. White Cotton Night Gowns, 49 cents. Cotton Wrappers, well made, \$1.15. Spring Weight Undervests, very cheap.

Startling Value in Hosiery! Owing to the Saturday crush these offers will be continued next week. BEER BEOS.

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THE STANLEY left for Picton this morning to go on the slip to be painted and cleaned. Do NOT forget the meeting in the Philharmonic Hall on Monday evening. Arrangements will then be made for the reception.

TEMPERANCE.—Orient Division, Sons of Temperance, meets this evening at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple. All the members are specially invited to be present. —In full view of the youths hearing the lecture, "Our Motto—Obstruction," the Patriotic says: "Last night was a thrilling indication of the spirit of Liberalism that is abroad in this province."

FIRST OF THE SEASON.—The steamship Polino, with a general cargo, arrived from Quebec yesterday afternoon. This afternoon she left for Sydney and St. John's with a cargo of produce and cattle. FROM MONTREAL.—The S. S. Bonavista sailing from Montreal Friday morning, May 31st, will be due at Charlottetown Monday morning, May 11th, and will sail for St. John's, N.B., via Sydney. For further particulars see advt. later.

LAST SERVICE IN OLD ST. PAUL'S.—It is probable that the last service in old St. Paul's will be held to-morrow. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion after the morning service, and the sermon in the evening will be appropriate to the occasion. GOSPEL MEETING.—Remember the Gospel Meeting in the Philharmonic Hall on Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, conducted by the railway men. Strangers always welcome. Lessor, John 6:37: "Him that cometh to Me I will in no wise cast out."

ALL the friends of the Liberal Conservatives are invited to be present at the Philharmonic Hall on Monday evening next to make arrangements for the reception of the Hon. D. Ferguson, P. C., who will arrive on Tuesday evening. GET ONE.—The Furthest Steamship Line has issued a neat little book giving the Dominion election returns, local parliament's vote and other information of a character peculiarly interesting at this time. Mr. W. W. Clarke is distributing them.

THE FOREIGN MAILS.—On and after Monday, the 4th inst., a special train will leave Charlottetown with the mails at 2:20 a. m. standard, connecting at Summerside with the steamer Northumberland and returning on the arrival of the steamer from P. de Cheze and will be in Charlottetown at 6:05 a. m. ndard.

EVERY friend of the Liberal Conservative party should make it a point to be at the Philharmonic Hall on Monday evening to attend the reception of the Hon. D. Ferguson, P. C., who will arrive on Tuesday evening. "The Kind That Catch" is the class of Fishing Rods, Flies, Lines, etc., we sell. A large assortment to select from, and everything new this year, will be found at each of our three stores.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, Charlottetown and Souris. NOAH WEBSTER says in his dictionary that a "bargain" is an "agreement." We want to make an agreement with you. You bring us little money and we agree to give you much FURNITURE for it.

MARK WRIGHT & CO., LTD.

THE GREATEST SNAP ON EARTH!

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY SIX!--We have just received from a manufacturer one of the greatest bargains ever shown on the Island. Two Hundred and Forty-six Suits of good all Tweed for \$6.75 and \$7.75, worth in the regular way \$9 and \$10. Now this is no fake ad. to draw trade, but more to show you that when we get a snap we are willing to give it to our customers. Call and see this line for yourself.

PROWSE BROTHERS. the Wonderful Cheap Men.

Spring Hosiery,

Now showing, new stock of Ladies' and Men's Hosiery and Spring Underwear.

- Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, extra value, 20c. pair. Ladies' Black Fibre Ribbed Cashmere, Fast dye, 30c. to 75c. a pair. Ladies' Black Plain, fine and medium makes, all prices. Misses' Black and Tan Cashmere Hose. Children's 3-4 Cashmere Hose. Children's Short English Socks, in Pink, Sky, Cardinal and Black. Ladies' and Misses' Cotton and Black Sanitary Hose, all qualities.

UNDERVERSTS, Ladies' and Misses' Undervests, all qualities, 10c. to \$1.00 each. Gentlemen's Underwear, In Natural Wool, in Balbriggan, in Brown Cotton, light, light and medium weights. Men's and Youths' Cashmere Half-hose, Black Navy and Fancy.

The People's Store. W. A. Weeks & Co.

Carter's for Wall Paper

THE EXAMINER—A TRIBUTE BY A READER. If you want to find the best news, If you want a paper to instruct and amuse, What local paper would you choose? TRY THE EXAMINER.

Its reading matter is up to date, For general news it never is late, Its advertisements are all at first rate, In THE EXAMINER. Its political opponents are dealt with fair, Of both sides it gives a very good share, Whatever is best is always found there, In THE EXAMINER. If you want to rent, or buy, or sell, If you lose your money (and purse as well), The best and cheapest way to tell Is in THE EXAMINER. Its morals are safe, its reading sound, A portion for all here may be found For every taste its pages abound, See THE EXAMINER. To advertise here is to reach the most, At the very lowest of money cost, You will soon get returned whatever is lost, Through THE EXAMINER. It is cheap in everything but the matter you read, Its just the family paper you need, The paper giving the most mental feed, Is THE EXAMINER.

Have You Seen Them? Our \$2.50 GENTS' LACE and CONGRESS BOOTS, worth \$3.50, and our LADIES' \$1.25 LOW SHOES. About twenty different styles to select from. These lines will cost you about 25 per cent. more in any other store in town. If you see them you will buy sure. Yours for Shoes.

A. E. McEACHEN, THE SHOE MAN. Double Tenement House. I am instructed by Mrs. Boswell to sell by Auction, on THURSDAY, the 7th day of May, at 11 o'clock, a. m. That desirable property situate on the corner of Pownall and Sidney Streets, comprising a lot of land fronting 84 feet on Pownall Street, and 84 feet on Sidney Street, with large two-story House and Stable. Terms at sale. R. BEAIRSTO, Auctioneer.

MEGILL COLLEGE EXAMINATIONS. The complete results of the recent sessional examinations in the Faculty of Applied Science of McGill University are published in the Montreal Gazette of the 28th ult. In the graduating class we observe the names of Messrs. J. W. L. Gill, of Little York, and Henry A. Bayfield, of Charlottetown. Mr. Gill won the British Association gold medal, British Association Exhibition, and took honors in dynamics of machinery, hydraulics, thermodynamics and mechanical engineering. Mr. Bayfield graduated in mechanical engineering. In the third year Geo. R. McLeod passed the sessional examinations in civil engineering and in the second year William McPhail, Thos. T. Irving and Ernest H. Matheson, all of this Province, passed in the same subject. Mr. Thomas A. McLean, of Charlottetown, passed in mining engineering, second year. Mr. Reginald Rogers, of Alberton, passed the first year sessional examination. The detailed report of the examinations, which occupies several columns of the Gazette, shows that all the students from this Province gave an excellent account of themselves in the various subjects.

OUR MOTTO—OBSTRUCTION. SIR.—Such has at last been adopted by the reception committee of the great Liberal party, as was evidenced at their demonstration given in honor of the Leader of the Maritime Liberals on Thursday night. The foremost banner in the procession, in fact leading the band, bore this inscription, the most fitting any body of men could adopt. "Obstruction," said Mr. Davies! The Liberals obstructed the passing of every good work for the benefit of the country, particularly anything to benefit P. E. Island. Obstruction is an appropriate motto for them; but I hardly thought they were bold enough to parade it on our streets. However, cheek and bluster have always been their stock-in-trade. PROGRESSION.

How to Get a "Sunlight" Book. Send 12 "Sunlight" soap wrappers to Lever Bros. Ltd., 43 Scott St., Toronto who will send post-paid a paper-bound book 160 pages. For "Life buoy" and "Life buoy" soap wrappers, a similar book will be sent. This is a splendid opportunity to obtain good reading. Send your name and address written carefully. Remember "Sunlight" sells at 6 cts. per tin-bar, and "Life buoy" at 10 cts. One cent postage will bring your wrappers by leaving them open. NOTICE.—The balance of Dr. Stickland's furniture will be sold by auction in the vacant store in the Morris Block on Wednesday, the 6th day of May, commencing at 11 o'clock, comprising superior Piano and stool, Drawing Room and Bedroom furniture, Bedding, Carpets, Window Curtains, Pictures, &c., &c.—R. BEAIRSTO, auctioneer. May 2, 31.

Opened yesterday—12 cases more new boots. These are fine goods, made in the best styles. See our window. Our prices are to be found right—J. B. Macdonald & Co.

OPERA HOUSE. Monday, May 4, 1896. 77th ANNIVERSARY I. O. O. F. The Oddfellows of this city beg to announce the presentation, by the Charlottetown Dramatic Co., on above date, of the Romantic and Spectacular Drama, in Three Acts, entitled "The Streets of New York," with New Scenery, New Costumes and Complete Stage Settings. This Drama contains all the elements that go to make up a popular play—Comedy Scenes in plenty, with a touch of sensationalism. Musical Director—Prof. Vinnicombe, with full Orchestra. Stage Manager—Mr. W. C. Whitlock. Admission at popular prices. Reserved Seats, 35 cents; unreserved seats, 25 cents. A limited number of seats specially reserved in the Dress Circle at 50 cents. Plan of Hall will be on exhibition at DeWitt's Medical Hall and Rankin's Drug Store on Wednesday, 29th instant, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Doors open at 7.30. Curtain rises at 8. H. D. JOHNSON, JOHN F. WYKAL, Chairman Com. Secy. Com. ap21-246

DON'T FORGET that the place to have your WATCH REPAIRED PROMPTLY and as it should be done is at W. N. TANTON'S, Late of the employ of W. W. Wellner Great George Street, NEAR QUEEN SQUARE. C. Charlottetown, April 11, 1896.

PERSONAL. Mr. W. A. Brennan, of the Summerside Journal, is among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies. Revs. T. F. Fullerton and D. Sutherland, and Mr. T. C. James were among the passengers in the Northumberland last evening on return from Halifax. At the Queen Hotel this forenoon there were registered: Rev. G. W. Fisher, Mrs. Fisher and Master A. B. Fisher, Truro; John McEachern, Cherry Valley; F. Bearjeto Summerside. Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Currie, whose marriage has already been noticed, were the recipients of some beautiful wedding presents, among which was a very handsome and costly clock kindly donated by the officers and crew of the S. S. Stanley. At the Revere Hotel yesterday were registered: John Horne, Winslow Road; Thos. Spellman, Halifax; John McMillan, Millville; Geo. Bagnall, Hazel Grove, H. McMillan, New Haven; A. Wright, West River; Fred Scott, Clyde River; Oliver Mason, Southport.

NEW NOVELS, New Rubber Balls, New Base Balls, New Footballs, New Stationery. LARGE STOCK! LOW PRICES! Haszard & Moore. Charlottetown, April 15, 1896—dy

GRAND Liberal-Conservative RECEPTION. HON. D. FERGUSON, P. C. All friends of the Liberal-Conservative Party are invited to take part in the Demonstration On Tuesday Evening Next, THE 5th MAY, INSTANT. GRAND MASS MEETING IN THE MARKET HALL AT EIGHT O'CLOCK. The Senator and other prominent speakers will address the Meeting. Seats reserved for Ladies, who will enter the Hall by the eastern door. All clergymen are specially invited, and seats will be provided for them. Further particulars by Posters and Monday's and Tuesday's papers. P. BLAKE, President. C. R. SMALLWOOD, Secretary-Treasurer.

THE CHARLOTTETOWN DRIVING PARK. QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY RACES. The following Queen's Birthday Races will be held on MONDAY, 7th May, on the Charlottetown Driving Park Track— FREE-FOR-ALL.....Parade \$60 00 THREE-MINUTE....." 40 00 GENTLEMEN'S DRIVERS (horses to be driven by the owners in carriages)....." 30 00 PACING RACE....." 30 00 RULES.—Five horses to enter and three to start in each race. Horse distant from the field entitled to fly at money only; he to withdraw and remaining horses to finish the race. Purse divided; 60 per cent. to first, 30 per cent. to second, 10 per cent. to third. Entrance fee, 5 per cent. of purse, payable with nomination, and winners to pay 5 per cent. additional. Entries close 15th May. No horse larrer by rec'd made after 1st August, 1895. All communications to be addressed to the Secretary. BENJ ROGERS, President. A. B. WARBURTON, Secretary. Charlottetown, May 2, 1896—246 & wy tl die

LONDON HOUSE. New Capes, New Millinery, New Dress Goods, NOW OPENING. T. J. HARRIS. C. Charlottetown, April 11, 1896.

Every Week Adds Something

new to my stock of Sterling Silver Novelties. The new arrivals this week are Embroidery Scissors, Hat Pins, Silk Belts, Belt Buckles, Shirt Waist Sets, Stamp Boxes, Match Protectors, etc. My choice line of Belt Buckles and Shirt Waist Sets are very attractive Don't cost much—from 30 cents up. Tastes differ, I know, that is why I secured such variety in designs. See show window. Will you call? Buy only if you wish. W. W. WELLNER. You can get the latest at Wellner's. Charlottetown, May 2, 1896.

FOR SALE—In Southport, Lot 48, that house and land owned by J. P. Hall, C.E., formerly occupied by Ignatius Roach, carpenter, as a yearly tenancy, price \$1200, a clear deed of the property to be seen in the Registry Office. Enquire of E. S. Hall, by power of attorney from J. P. Hall, C.E. Property is situated in the North British and is encumbered at new rate—Mrs. BALL, Connolly H. use. may2-1m

WANTED—Young or middle-aged man of character; hundreds foremost in Canada started with us; about \$14 a week to begin with.—THE BRADLEY GARDNERSON Co. O. J. D. Toronto, Ont. d.w. 11-may2

SHOP TO BE LET—Shop adjoining Geo. V. Moore's barber shop, suitable for dressmaker. Apply to G. V. MOORE. 11-may2

WANTED AT ONCE—A tailor's press; man; steady work. Apply to SCOVILLE BROS. Co., Kankai, St. John, N.B. 31-may2

Use Judgment.

Are you a careful, particular buyer—one who makes no purchases unless the goods shown exactly please you? If you are, this is the store for you. To-day we want to speak of two seasonable items:—

LADIES' CAPES!—A splendid line, just the useful stylish garment for cool evenings all summer, and just the thing for right now. Price marked on each—that makes buying easy. Will you drop in and find yours?

DRESS GOODS!—It would take a bigger space than this to tell anything of the variety, and, best of all, the value in this department. Lustrous (Plain and Figured), Sicilians, Crepons, Tweeds (in both Plain Wool and Silk Mixed effects), and hosts of others. But you need to see for yourself.

Shall we see you to-day? MOORE & McLEOD. Charlottetown, May 2, 1896.

New Boot & Shoe Store OUR FIRST OPENING WILL BE To-morrow, Saturday, May 2. W. H. STEWART & CO. LONDON HOUSE BUILDING.

A SNAP

IN TIES AND HOSE! Three Ties for 25 cents. Three Pairs of Hose for 25 cents. Good Wearing—Guaranteed all Cotton. D. A. BRUCE, Canada's Famous Tailoring Establishment.

ON THE RUN

is the way we keep competitors and hard times, more especially during the last two weeks in our old store, owing to our very low prices on Spring Suits, Overcoats and Trouserings. Call and see. S. A. McDONALD, Leading Fashionable Tailor, Queen Street. Ch'town, May 1, 1896.

The Cavalier Bicycles

are taking with the people wherever they are offered for sale. They are made by The National Sewing Machine Co., Belvidere, Illinois. EVERY WHEEL WARRANTED. FENNEL & CHANDLER.

EMPIRE BLEND TEA

Is the Tea that brings trade and pleases customers. Every pound satisfactory, but remember that there are two or three kinds of Empire Blend. Be sure and get the best. For sale wholesale or retail by T. J. MORRIS.