

Local and Other Items.

St. Patrick's Day. Go to the Lyceum to-night. Mails arrived at 1.15 to-day. Be sure and go to the Lyceum this evening. Dr. D. DeW. Harrington, of Halifax, is dead. Dr. McIntyre, M. P., Souris, is at the Rankin. Another Scott Act offender was placed in disgrace vile to-day.

Young men's meeting this evening in the Y. M. C. A. lower parlour, at 7.30 o'clock.

I. O. F. - Natal Day committee will meet this evening at 7.30 sharp. By order.

CITIZEN'S RINK will not be open to-night. Band Saturday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

A case of abusive language was disposed of for \$5 by the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon.

A. B. Warburton, Esq., will deliver the address at the Lyceum to-night. Don't forget to attend.

The Literary and Scientific Institute meets to-night. Subject: "Improvements in the Telephone."

Now is the time to get a pair of boots cheap at J. C. Sprague & Co's clearance sale. Discount of 20 per cent.

G. M. Harris sells Furniture, Carpets, Feather beds, Crockery, etc., at his Sales-room, to-morrow, at 2 o'clock.

For the information of our correspondent "Enquirer," we may state that the Carnival at the Citizen's Rink is not to be repeated.

REVOLVENT IRISH SOCIETY.—Be sure and attend the Concert to-night and hear some of our most talented singers. It will be a rich treat.

Now that the manmoh turkey and goose have been disposed of, it may not be out of place to enquire, "What about the beef and greens?"

PAUL LEA, Esq., formerly of Charlottetown, has been elected a City Councillor in Moncton. We congratulate Moncton on its good judgment.

SONGS OF IRELAND.—Some of Moore's beautiful songs of Ireland will be rendered by talented amateurs at the B. I. S. Concert to-night. Don't miss them.

MR. W. F. TIDMARSH, of the Portland Packing Company, has arrived on the Island and is at the Osborne to-day. He comes to make preparations for the season's work.

ACCORDING to the returns of the Auditor-General, 953 bears were slaughtered in New Brunswick during 1886, at a cost to the Provincial treasury of \$1,910. In 1885 there were 720 bears killed, and in the preceding year 1,006.

Two constables and a truckman had a "go-around" encounter on Richmond Street, near Queen Square, last evening. The truckman was cut about the head and face. It is said that a slung-shot was used during the affray.

ACCORDING to Secretary Dickinson's report, fifty years ago two-fifths of the public school teachers in Massachusetts were men; now about one-tenth are men. The average wages of men then were \$25.44 per month, and of women \$11.38; now men average \$111.23, and women \$43.97.

We would like to enquire how it is that when there are only 152 names on the Skinner's Pond list, that 179 votes were polled, with no allowance made for splits. This looks much like stuffing the ballot boxes, and may account for a large proportion of Mr. Yeo's majority.—Summerside Journal.

A POTATO PLANTER has been patented by Mr. William C. Davidson, of Grandville, Mich. This invention covers a novel construction and combination of parts in a machine adapted to open furrows, drop the seed, cover them, press the soil down, and mark the rows as the machine is drawn across the field.

The Amherst Boot and Shoe Manufacturing Co., gave their employees a supper a few evenings ago. One hundred and thirty-seven employees, including 33 female operatives were present. The St. John Sun says: "It was learned from some of the speakers that the company's sales will this year reach over \$275,000 and that about \$46,000 is paid yearly in wages."

The Montreal Herald is a C. P. R. organ, a Liberal organ, a Knight of Labor organ, an Independent organ, a Mitchell organ, and with the result that it is really a hurly-gurdy and horribly out of tune. Peter Mitchell discovered Turveytope, and the latter has been discovering Peter Mitchell ever since. He says Peter is a tramp. Granted, but he is a trampster.—Grip.

The treasurer of the P. E. Island hospital acknowledges the receipt of the following amounts—\$2, from a friend of the institution, Havers, Mass., per Mrs. C. Palmer; \$5.25 from Birch Hill Presbyterian congregation; \$5.15 from Canoe Cove Presbyterian congregation; \$4.50 from West River Presbyterian congregation, per Rev. J. Goodwill; \$8 from St. James' Episcopal church, Port Hill, per Rev. H. Harper. \$8.58 from Montague and Murray River Baptist churches, per Rev. J. Williams.

On the recent change in the British Cabinet, Mr. Justin McCarthy said to a New York Herald representative: "I presume Sir Michael resigned because the work was too unobtainable, and because he couldn't stand the odium. Mr. Balfour is a nephew of Lord Salisbury, and I know him well, but he is not a man of much force of character. He will, however, probably manage the office respectably. Balfour will probably break down and resign, as all other secretaries have done during the last few years."

Says the Moncton Transcript: "On Friday afternoon, while engaged in hauling wood, Richard Miller, teamster for J. A. Humphrey, was very seriously injured. He was standing on a pile of wood, working when his foot slipped and he fell backward on a sharp spike or stump that was standing behind him. The piece of stump or stick upon which he fell pierced the upper part of his hip, entering his body and inflicting a terrible wound. Dr. Baxter is in attendance. He suffered terribly all day Saturday and Sunday. At last accounts his life was despaired of."

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The Queen's Jubilee.

OTTAWA, March 16. An order in council has been fixed for Tuesday, 21st June, as the official date for the celebration of the Queen's jubilee. The Government wishes it understood that this day will not be an obligatory one. Municipalities and corporations can elect any day they choose.

HALIFAX, March 16. A large meeting of the citizens was held to-day to take steps to suitably commemorate the Queen's Jubilee. It was decided to contribute \$3,000 towards establishing a School of Art and design principally for the benefit of mechanics. The city will spend \$5,000 on a grand jubilee jollification. A prize of \$500 is offered for a yacht race as an inducement for the New York Yacht Club to come here.

Irish Affairs.

LONDON, March 16. The Daily News says the Government has assured the Unionist Liberals that it intends to introduce concurrently in Parliament remedial and repressive Irish proposals. The remedial measure is to be divided into two parts, one dealing with pressing matters such as inclusion of leaseholdings in the operations of the Land Act and the suspension of evictions. The other to be introduced at the next session dealing with land purchase and local government questions.

The End of their Tether.

TORONTO, March 16. Daniel A. Stewart and Florence Andrews were committed for trial to-day on a charge of procuring girls for prostitution. Two victims showed that they had been hired as servants and sent to St. Mary's where they were taken to a house of ill-fame and ruined, but not before they had been threatened with death for resistance. Carrie Macdonald, of St. Mary's, has been arrested as an accomplice.

Another Railway Disaster.

MARIETTA, Ohio, March 16. The engine and tender of the east-bound morning train, on the Marietta, Columbus and Northern Railroad, went through the Vincent trestle, twelve miles from Marietta, to-day. Lyle Vincent and Albert Boothby, engineer and firemen, were killed, and John McCoy and William Stewart, conductor and brakeman, badly scalded.

No Danger of War.

BERLIN, March 16. It is reported that the Emperor William on receiving the French General, Marquis D. Alzac, said: "Tell your compatriots there is no danger of war. So long as I live I shall use all my influence to maintain peace. God will soon call me to Himself. I do not wish to leave my people a heritage of blood. Germany shares my desire for good relations with France."

The Hudson Bay Expedition.

OTTAWA, March 16. The Government has decided not to send an exploratory expedition to Hudson's Bay this year. Reports of the three voyages already made will be laid before Parliament this session. The navigability of the Bay has been pretty definitely determined.

Severe Snow Storm.

VENICE, March 16. The city and province of Venice have been visited by a severe snow storm. The trains were stopped and telegraph lines prostrated. The snow is five feet deep. Nine barges loaded with iron sank in the grand canal.

Parnell's Attitude.

LONDON, March 16. Mr. Parnell will oppose any Irish Land Purchase Bill based upon existing judicial rents, which, it is admitted, are at least 25 per cent. too high. During the Easter recess Parnell will abstain from political work.

A Big Failure.

LONDON, March 16. Stewart Brothers slate and timber merchants of London have failed. Their liabilities are \$500,000.

To Visit Halifax.

OTTAWA, March 16. Sir Charles Tupper will visit Halifax next week to meet lady Tupper on her arrival from England.

The License Law.

HALIFAX, March 16. The High License Law was into operation to-day. Liquor dealers generally accept the new law.

Final Returns.

WINNIPEG, March 16. The final returns show the Government to have carried every seat in the Northwest.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 17—10 a.m. Moderate to fresh winds; partly cloudy or cloudy weather, with light local rains; not much change in temperature.

FRANK DOWD, of Montreal, and Black, of Fergus, Ont., had a ten mile race for \$200 a side in Montreal last week. At the start Black took the lead and gained slowly on Dowd, leading him by a lap at five miles, which was made in 16.15. From this point it was a procession, Black maintaining his lead until the last lap when Black fell and Dowd sprouted and passed him; both, however, crossed the line together, a tie. Time, 39 minutes.

THE Benevolent Irish Society of Prince Edward Island

1825. 1887.

WILL hold their Sixty-second Annual Celebration, in Charlottetown, On Thursday, March 17th,

when they will march in procession from their Hall, at 9.45 a.m. to St. Dunstan's Cathedral. The day's proceedings will conclude with a

Grand Orchestral Concert, IN THE LYCEUM, PRINCE STREET.

Mr. Vinnicombe, Conductor.

VOCALISTS—Mrs. Strickland, Miss Newbery, Miss Hickey, Mr. C. F. A. Strong, and Mr. Maynard. Miss Lewis, Accompanist.

PROGRAMME.

- 1. Medley—"Merry Tunes of Ireland" D'Albert Orchestra.
2. Solo Vocal—"When 'tis Moonlight" White Miss Newbery.
3. Violin Duet—"String Study No. 2" Wohlfahrt Miss M. McDonald & Master Hyndman.
4. Waltz—"Solitude" Waldteufel Orchestra.
5. Solo Vocal—"Good-bye, Mavourneen" T. P. Westendorf Mr. Strong.
6. Address—A. B. Warburton, Esq.
7. Romance—"From Der Freischutz" V. Weber Orchestra.
8. Solo Vocal—"Killarney" Balfe Mr. Vinnicombe.
9. Clarinet Solo (with String accompaniment)—"Killarney" Balfe Mr. Vinnicombe.
10. Solo Vocal—"Beautiful Isle of the Sea" Thomas Miss Hickey.
11. Cornet Solo—"Irish Airs" Moore Mr. Fletcher.
12. Comic Song—Mr. Maynard.
13. "O Fair Dove, O Fond Dove" Schlegelgell Orchestra.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
March 15, 1887.

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. Shepton, President.
Mrs. J. J. Davies, Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. G. Bromner, Vice Presidents.
Mrs. Poole, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Mackinlay, Mrs. W. W. Stanley, J. M. McLeod, Miss Shepton, Whitman, Hensley, Carruthers, Dawson, D. MacNeill, F. Weeks, Unsworth, St. Aitch, Montgomery, G. Brown, Neil Macleod, Laird, B. Heartz, Alice Weeks, G. Macleod, B. MacNeill, Gidley, Mackinlay.
ELIZA MACNEILL, Secretary.

Feb. 8-11 sale 3aw 10 th sat

Nasal Balm advertisement with image of a bottle and text: SOOTHING, CLEANSING, HEALING. It Cures CATARRH, Cold in Head, HAY FEVER. STOPS Droppings from Nasal passages into the throat and excessive expectoration caused by Catarrh. Sent pre-paid on receipt of price, 50c. and \$1. Address FULFORD & CO., Brockville, Ont.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next ensuing session thereof, for an Act to amend an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Nova Scotia, Chap. 12, Vict. 12, entitled an Act for the regulation of Benefit Building Societies, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund, formed and established under said Act, to transact business as a Building Society throughout the Provinces of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, as well as the Province of Nova Scotia, and for other purposes. Dated at Halifax, 4th March, 1887.

JNO. W. PAYZANT, Solicitor of Applicant. March 16, 1887—2mos

NOTICE.

ALL amounts due W. R. BOREHAM, unpaid by the 21st MARCH, inst., will be placed in our Attorney's hands for collection on that date. Amherst Boot & Shoe Man'g Co. March 12-11 dte

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 C. McLeod, together with Cook House, Bath House, Stable, &c.

ALSO—Boats, Traps, Rope, Fishing and Packing Gear, Cooking Utensils, Stoves, &c. Also, about 250 Empty Boxes and about 100 Boxes, Cans, and sundry other articles too numerous to mention. Terms made known at sale.

ANDREW BOWNNESS, BOWNNESS & ANDERSON, Auctioneers. Kensington, March 8, 1887—11 sale

TO LET—Shop and Warehouses lately occupied by Bear & Sons at Head St. Peter's Bay. Apply on the premises. jan 11

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, Miss McNeill, Mrs. D. McNeill, Miss Gray, Mrs. Rankin, Miss Gray, Mrs. A. Lord, Miss G. Brown, Mrs. W. R. Frame, Miss K. Hyndman, Mrs. M. McLeod, Miss E. McLeann, 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.

B. MACNEILL, Secretary. Ch'town, March 1-31 aw 11 17 then daily 11 date

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 storeys, 65x40.
3rd. Large Yard, with Shed for 20 horses.
4th. Large Warehouse alongside Railway track. The Stock Book shows \$1,400 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 year). Call early and secure the best seed, cheap. JOHN NEWSON, March 9, 1887—2mos eod & wky

NOTICE.

ALL goods ordered, previous to July 1st, 1886, 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

WOODILL'S & ERMANN BAKING POWDER advertisement with image of a tin.

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

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

TO LET—A large, well-finished Dwelling House containing 13 rooms, on Prince Street. Apply to F. S. Moore. mar 17 eod 11

TO LET—Shop and Garden, belonging to the late Mrs. A. J. Jury, large safe, good as new, which I will sell for \$50; second-hand Piano at a low price.—Mrs. Sarah A. Jury, Kent Street. mar 17 11

LOST—On last Monday night, the 11th inst., a \$10 Note. Finder will be rewarded on leaving it with Richard Roberts, at Dorsey & Goff's Boot Store. mar 15 21 pd

FOUND—Near New Glasgow, on the night of the Concert, an Overcoat. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement—EXAMINER office. mar 14 11

LOST—A Raven Spaniel Pup, fore-paws white, with a small chain around his neck, answers to the name of "Jack." Any one giving information of his whereabouts will be suitably rewarded by calling at THE EXAMINER office. mar 12 1wk

TO LET—A two and a-half story Brick Building, with slate roof, in good tenable condition, containing 10 rooms, besides pantry, kitchen, cellar kitchen; also an ice-house, now filled with ice, stable yard room, with garden attached, situate on Water Street. Possession given 1st July next.

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

ALSO—Brick Warehouses and Offices, suitable for a good business stand, on Water Street. Possession given immediately. For particulars apply to Peake Bros. & Co. mar 8 eod

TO LET—A Grist and Saw Mill at Milton. Apply on the premises to Ohio Curtis. mar 8 d y & wky 11

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Two good Protestant Servants—Cook and Housemaid—to whom good wages will be given. mar 17 11

WANTED—A Parlor Maid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmouth. mar 5 11

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Cook and a Housemaid to whom good wages will be given; references required. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. mar 3 11

TO LET—The Dwelling House lately occupied by the subscriber, situate on the corner of Prince and Dorchester Street. Apply to T. C. Robins. feb 19—2aw 11

TO LET—A House and Outbuildings and 6 Acres of Land, known as "Maryfield," situate on Malpeque Road, adjoining the premises of Malcolm McLeod, Esq. For further particulars apply to J. G. Kekstadt, at St. Vincent's Nursery. nov 8 11

TO LET—A House on Pleasant Street, with stable and well in yard. Apply to William Dodd. oct 4

TO LET—That brick House and Shop on Dorchester Street, formerly occupied by Owen Connolly; possession given. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jun 21 eod

TO LET—That brick House on Dundas Esplanade, now in the possession of G. H. Hassard, Esq.; possession given 1st October next. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. 1m 21 eod 11

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

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 20 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

THE ONLY COMPLETE

CARRIAGE GOODS WAREHOUSE

AND LARGEST STOCK IN THE PROVINCE.

Over 100 Buggy Tops Sold for Spring Delivery.

Advertisement for Buggy Tops with image of a top and text: The Best Buggy Tops Made in the Dominion at the Lowest Price. Purchased from Us. From \$4 to \$8 Saved on Every Buggy Top.

NORTON & FENNELL,

CITY HARDWARE STORE, QUEEN STREET. March 4, 1887.—2aw & wky

BARGAINS-BARGAINS

IN Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, &c.,

and in all kinds of Household Furniture, such as Parlor, Dining-room and Bed-room. All kinds of Bedsteads, Beds, Mattresses, Pillows. All kinds of Chairs, Lounges, Sofas, Sideboards, Cheffoniers, Book-cases, Tables, Washstands, Sinks, Cradles, Cots, Cribs, &c.

PICTURE FRAMES,

and Picture Frame Moulding—late Styles and Finest Quality—Cheap.

Looking Glasses and Mirrors, very low. All kinds of Window Furniture, such as China Green Blinds and Shades, Cornices, Poles, Rings, Holders, Bands, Chains, Hooks, Blind Rollers, &c.

ALSO—The Grand-daddy Chairs, Wire Mattresses, Children's Sleighs, Carts and Wagons—cheap, cheap.

JOHN NEWSON'S,

QUEEN SQUARE, OPPOSITE NEW POST OFFICE. Ch'town, March 9, 1887.