

Orwich Union Society
British America Ass. Co.
Quebec Fire Ass. Co.

I have the general agency for
this Island of these excellent Fire
Ass. Co's, and issue their policies here.

E. R. Brown
General Agent
Charlottetown

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

MARCH 2, 1897.

COLLEGE LITERATURE.

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of articles of more than usual interest.

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BRINGING THE MATTER HOME TO US.
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hooting the Mahometans to fall upon the
unbelieving Newfoundlanders and mass-
acre them. News was sent to Canada, and
the Canadians said, "you may as well fight
as be massacred, we will bring you arms
and will come out with what ships and
battleships we can get, and we will
sink any ship that tries to land Turkish
troops on the island, in spite of the Euro-
pean ironclads, and even if we are sunk
ourselves." Then the row began in
earnest, the Newfoundlanders, with the
help of A and B batteries from Canada,
fought the Turks and other Mahometans,
and drove them into places of refuge, and
especially into St. John's where they
sought protection under the guns of the
British, French, German and Italian war-
ships. The A and B batteries men then held
out, but the undisciplined Newfoundland
fishermen, having weapons in their hands,
and their enemy on the land run, could not
be restrained, but followed the Turks right
under the guns. Who could blame them
when their blood was up? Then the
British war-ships opened fire melinite shells
among them. Melinite is something worse
than dynamite. I wonder if anyone in
Germany is acquainted with this. How many
of those poor fellows have been killed and
scorched by these fearful mis-iles, will
probably never be known.

You will be surprised to why, since
the population of Newfoundland is
less than that of the British Isles, and only one-fourth
Turks and other Mahometans, and the
Canadian Newfoundlanders should be so easily
kept down. It is very simple. Under
Turkish rule no Christian is allowed arms.
So the Christians go about unarmed. The
Mahometans on the other hand, are so
proud of the privilege of arms that they
wear them at all times conspicuously. It
is not unusual to carry a heavy knife
like a sword bayonet and two
revolvers in the street, and in the
house, and at prayer, and at his meals,
and for aught I know, sleeps with them.
When one of these armed men meets a
Christian on a country road, the Christian
may be shot at summarily. If not, the
Turk may strike him a heavy blow in the
face, and if there is any back talk, will
kill him on the spot. Insults like this and
heavy taxation make riots at times, and
then the houses of Christians are burned.
The men killed, the women abused and
then slaughtered, and the children and
infants cut to pieces. Sappho's this did
happen in Newfoundland, and it was your
brother's house, and you were in danger
yourself, how would you feel? My God!
who would not rise and strike, and strike
home, and die striking, in such a cause as
this.

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New Black Dress Goods

We have just received
our first lot of New Black
Dress Goods for Spring.

BLACK CASIMERES,
BLACK SERGES,
BLACK CREPONS,
BLACK FANCIES.

Made by one of the best
Manufacturers and Dyers in
France. Color, quality
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Very lowest prices. We
also show a large variety
of all kinds of

MOURNING GOODS
CRAPES,
CRAPE CLOTHS,
MOURNING BORDERED AND EMBROIDERED HANKERCHIEFS, ETC.

JOB LINE

1,000 yds at 22c, double
width TARTANS and
FANCY PLAID SERGES
Just received one thousand
yds Tartan and Fancy
yds Plaids, double width
for Children's wear and
trimming, worth 35c at
22c a yard. Get some
before it goes.
10c worth 20c - Clearing
line of 50 doz. 4 ply linen
collars, standing and turn
down, and 29c takes your
choice of our 40c and 50c
Neckties.

W. A. Weeks & Co
Wholesale & Retail.

I see Wine To Be Dar!

C. A. C. C. CONCERT

MINSTREL SHOW

OPERA HOUSE
Tuesday Ev'g

MARCH 2nd.

25 MALE VOICES--25
4--END MEN--4

NEW JOKES--AND CORKERS
AT THAT.

PROGRAMME.
PART I.
1. Selection.....Orchestra
2. Opening Chorus.....Bicycle Club
3. Orchestra.....Selection
4. Solo.....Mr. J. B. Dawson
5. Male Quartette.....Messrs. Dixon, Bruce, Wheat and Lewis.
6. Comic Song.....Mr. G. J. Rogers
7. Tenor Solo.....Mr. G. A. Dixon
8. Selection.....Orchestra

PART II.
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AMATEUR MINSTRELS

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(SUITS SNOWY WHITE)

2 BONES--4 END MEN--2 TAMBOS

Mr. S. N. Earle Musical Director
Prof. Viningcomb's Orchestra.

The following sparkling olio replete
with song, mirth and music will be
given.

1. Overture.....Orchestra
2. My Angeline.....Mr. Wm. Murphy
3. Bonnie Katie.....Mr. A. W. Reddin
4. Banjo and Mandolin Messrs. Murphy and Hogan.
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6. Specialty.....Messrs. Rogers and Wheat
7. Quartette.....Messrs. Dawson, Bruce, Wheat and Lewis.
8. Songs My Mother Used to Sing.....
9. Honey, Meet Me, Do.....Mr. G. A. Dixon
10. Good-bye, Nancy Jane.....Mr. L. G. Wheat
11. Your Not the Only Female on the beach.....Mr. G. J. Rogers
12. Yellow Girl That Winked at Me and Whistling Chorus.....Mr. Chas. Earle
13. Mass's in the Gold, Cold Ground.....
14. Your Not the Only Female on the beach.....Mr. F. H. Kennedy
15. Billy Song.....Dr. Kennedy

Tickets 50c, 35c and 25c; on sale at Dodd's and Rankin's stores Friday morning.

TO LET--That desirable cottage situated on Water Street, opposite Railway Round House, now occupied by Bruce Stewart, Esq. Possession given about 22nd May, next--Apply to Peake Bros & Co.

TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER
To Amalgamate Departments.

OTTAWA, March 2.
Hon. Mr. Sifton, Minister of the Interior, has decided to amalgamate the departments of the Interior and Indian Affairs under one deputy head. James A. Smart, of Brandon, will now be deputy of these departments. Reed, the present deputy of Indian Affairs, has been offered superannuation, which will be about \$1,500 per annum, for an inferior position in the department at a salary of \$2,000. Burgess, the present Deputy of the Interior, will be offered the position of Commissioner of Dominion Lands in the department here at the same salary as he has at present.

The Cuban Troubles
LONDON, March 2.
In Parliament, yesterday, Hon. Mr. Carson said the Government has had no communication with the United States or any other power concerning Cuba. He was not aware that there was any intention on the part of Great Britain to use her good offices to bring about a settlement of Cuba's troubles.

Re-organizing the Forces.
OTTAWA, March 2.
Sir Charles Tupper has left for Nova Scotia to help organize the Conservative forces for the provincial campaign.

A Mayor Killed.
QUEBEC, March 2.
Mayor Pafard, of L'Islet, was killed yesterday by an Intercolonial engine while he was crossing the track at L'Islet.

Farrer on the Move Again.
OTTAWA, March 2.
Edward Farrer is in town interviewing the Ministers.

Tarte Sick Again.
OTTAWA, March 2.
Hon. Mr. Tarte is sick again.

"Cheap" doesn't mean poor quality, however, for if it did our stockings would not be "cheap." We keep no poor quality goods, no matter what the price. Some stockings which we can recommend are: 160 pairs from 35 to 48 cents, all-wool Black Cashmere, now 32 cents.--James Paton & Co.

WALL PAPERS

Since buying out the Bazaar Company, we have gone largely into the Wall Paper business, and are now the largest importers of Wall Papers in this city. Sole agents for:
Colin McArthur & Co., Montreal.
Alfred Peats, New York.
New and exclusive designs, right prices. Sample books ready. Everybody invited to call and see the largest stock of best value in Wall Papers in the city.

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THE BOOKSELLERS.

Silver and Gold
Have I None
but this give I unto you
There is no better preparation on the market to clean silver than
Royal Silver Polish.
Clean without any after dust and with little labor.
Royal Silver Polish is used on a large number of houses of Chateau. Try it. 15 and 25c a bottle.
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Central Drug Store.
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THE STUDENT

Without doubt the BEST
5 CENT CIGAR
IN THE MARKET.

REDDIN BROTHERS
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True Time

Having refitted my Transit Instrument, I am now prepared to undertake the rating of Chronometers, and the more particular regulating of the finest watches. All kinds of watches for sale or procured to order.

E. W. TAYLOR,
CAMERON BLOCK.

A Hummer, and no Mistake
OUR GREAT CARPET SALE.

Brussels Carpet 35c; Brussels Carpet 50c; Brussels Carpet 70c; best No. 1 Five Frame 75c, 85c, 95c, \$1.10 \$1.25
Nothing but the best kept in stock. Come along and get A1 bargains.--J. P. & CO.
Clearance Sale for 30 Days from March 1st
NO RESERVE

We have decided to clear out our stock of Carpets and general House Furnishings, amounting to about \$10,000, and offer the lot for 30 days for cash only. All ends and soiled Carpets will go at half price; every yard must go. Terms strictly cash at prices advertised. Carpet may be made up and stored till required. Part payments taken, balance payable on delivery. New married people here's your chance. Old married people now is your chance. Those about to get married now is your chance. Stock list revised every other day till all is gone. Below is our stock list. Everybody knows Paton's is best. Come at once. The different prices quoted for the same quality is owing to the different lengths in stock and the designs some sell better than others but all must and will be sold at the following prices:--

THE "DISSELL" She says she won't sweep that old carpet again. No wonder, she can buy a new one so cheap at Jas Paton & Co's.
BEST NO. 1 FIVE FRAME
Brussels Carpet
48 1/2 yds Best Brussels, (old) 1.50, sale price 80c
32 1/2 yds Best Brussels, ..... 1.50, sale price \$1.10
36 1/2 yds Best Brussels, stair.... 1.50, sale price 1.10
17 1/2 yds Best English Velvet, .. \$1.40 for 95c, B rider.
20 1/2 yds Body to match, .. 1.50 for \$1.00 (Sold)
9 1/2 yds Stair, Best Brussels, .. 1.40 for 70c (Sold)
35 yds Body Brussels, A1 quality, sale price 80c, worth \$1.35.
32 1/2 yds Body Brussels, regular price \$1.50 for 65c
49 1/2 yds Body Brussels, regular price 1.45 for 85c
28 1/2 yds Body Brussels, regular price 1.35 for \$1.00
16 1/2 yds Stair Brussels, regular (Sold) 1.35 for 1.05
27 yds Body Brussels, regular price, \$1.35, now \$1.00
27 yds Body Brussels, regular price, 1.35, now 1.05
14 1/2 yds Body Brussels, regular price 1.35, now 95c
About 50 yds of pretty designs and colors at special low rates.

GREAT CARPET CLEARANCE SALE
AT PATON & CO'S
SECOND QUALITY BODY BRUSSELS.

38 1/2 yds body brussels, ..... \$1.50 for 75c
34 yds body brussels, ..... 1.25 for 80c
31 1/2 yds body brussels, ..... 1.25 for 84c
30 yds body brussels, ..... 1.25 for 85c
21 1/2 yds of so-called English Velvet \$1.50 for 90c (Sold)
20 yds Moquet..... \$1.25 for 75c
15 1/2 yds body brussels..... 1.25 for 80c
11 Rugs, 1 or 2 of each; at prices to clear.
5 large Wool Rugs, sold at \$10.50, now \$8.50.
2,000 yds Tapestry, at special discount prices.
1,000 yds best English Oilcloth, from 17c to 30c; 2 yds wide.
500 yds best English Oilcloth; 4 yds wide, prices to clear.
Squares made up.
1 12 ft 6, 13 ft 6, regular price \$11.50, now \$29.75.

Come and get the bargains at once. Only 158 yds left of that Jute Brussels, sold at 58c, sale price 35c; good patterns and will wear like pin wire; selling well; will wear out any two cheap Tapestrys.
185 yds, 59c for 35c.

HEMP CARPET.

20 yds sold at.....20c now 15c
62 1/2 yds sold at.....22c now 15c
125 yds sold at.....12c now 9c
Wool Door Mats, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.60, now \$1.25.
4 No 1 Brussel Rugs, sold for \$2.75, now \$2.13 bugra-va Rugs, sold at \$3 now \$2.2

JAMES PATON & CO.

THE CARPET MEN OF P. E. ISLAND
N. B.--BRING MEASUREMENTS WITH YOU.....

GOING TO ME

A lot of our silks at 32c and 50c per yd, former prices 55c to 80c per yd.

This Week's attractions

Silks at 32c per yd-- silks. Forty patterns, plain silk crepon, plain China silk, plain sura silk, fancy China silk.

THINK OF BUYING

Silks at 50c per yd--Silks Thirty patterns, Ombra Silk, Fancy Silk Crepon, Plain Surah Silk, Surah silk.

MUST CHANGE HANDS

All of these Silks at 32c and 50c per yd, former prices 55c to 80c per yd.