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**LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS**

**THE MAIL** arrived at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Go to the Opera House on Friday evening.

**THE STANLEY.**—The Stanley arrived at Georgetown this morning, and is anchored at the old place seven miles out.

**CONCERT AT HEARTZ' HALL** on Feb. 23rd good programme lots of home-made candy arrangements will be made to take friends from the city. Admission to hall only ten cents.

**DISMISSED.**—The investigation held by A. Lord, Esq., yesterday, into the alleged disturbance of oyster beds on East River, by muddiggers resulted in the dismissal of the men charged with the offence.

**AT ELMIRA.**—A very pleasant "At Home" was given by Mrs. Stephen Mellick of Elmira, a short time since. We regret that THE EXAMINER'S space will not admit of the lengthy report of it furnished by an esteemed correspondent.

**I. O. G. T.**—Pownal and Vernon River Bridge Lodges, I. O. G. T., will hold their annual sessions together on March 3rd, at 1 p. m., if the weather permits, otherwise it will be held on March 10th.

**THEATRICAL.**—The plays to be given in St. Peter's Hall, on the evening of Tuesday next promise to make the most amusing entertainment of the season. The date—Shrove Tuesday—should be remembered and tickets should be procured at once.

**Y. M. C. A.**—On Sunday afternoon next, will be resumed the services in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, which years ago, were a prominent feature in the work of the Association. Rev. W. C. Corey, will be the speaker. The meeting will begin at 4 o'clock.

**ENTERTAINMENT.**—A concert and pie social in aid of the R. C. Chapel at China Point will be held in the Chapel on March 1st. Ten cents admission will be charged at the door. Persons with baskets free. Please make a note of this as it is going to be one of the events of the season.—eod & wy.

**CARNIVAL.**—The decorations for the Carnival are now under way and from reports we gather its success is more than assured. The Maypole prizes and the Cake Walk impersonations will be drawing cards and afford scope for originality and good judgment. The waffles for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. will be a great attraction and altogether a good evening's sport may be looked for.

**CHILDREN'S AFTERNOON.**—We omitted mentioning, yesterday, that the "Children's Afternoon" in St. Peter's Hall on Monday afternoon brought out the little ones in force. They enjoyed themselves greatly, and were particularly amused by Mr. Puch whose striking arguments, were well up to the requirements of the well-known domestic tragedy. Mother Goose, in duplicate, presided over Jack H. v. v. p. e. and tea was served at five o'clock. A little over \$40 was collected.

**SUMMERSIDE CIVIC POLITICS.**—Yesterday was nomination day in Summerside for the Town Council. The nominations are: A. C. Rogers and J. A. Brace, for Chairman; H. P. Wood, Thomas Johnson, R. L. Fomeke, D. M. Waugh, B. E. Sney, T. C. P. Yeo, Joseph Cox, David Kirk, George Mottari, Thomas Beattie, W. K. Rogers, John Grady, H. J. Massey, W. G. Schurman, H. H. Lefurgey, Daniel McNeill for Councillors. Mr. Hunt who has been Chairman of the Council for several years did not offer himself yesterday.

**AT THE RAILWAY STATION**

Here the night is fierce with light;  
Here the great wheels come and go;  
Here are partings, waitings, meetings,  
Mysteries of joy and woe.

Here are endless haste and change;  
Here the ache of streaming eyes,  
Radiance of expectant faces,  
Breathless askings, brief replies.

Here the jarred, tumultuous air  
Throbs and pauses like a bell,  
Gladdens with delight of greeting,  
Sighs the sorrow with farewell.

Here, ah, here with hungry eyes  
I explore the passing throng;  
Restless I await your coming  
Whose last absence is so long.

Faces, faces pass me by,  
Meaningless, and blank and dumb,  
Till my heart grows faint and sickens  
Lest at last you should not come.

Then—I see you. And the blood  
Surges back to heart and brain.  
Eyes meet mine,—and Heaven opens.  
You are at my side again.

CHARLES G. D. ROBERTS.

**OPINION IN THE STATES.**

The Pittsburg Times thus treats of the game that is now being played in the Orient between the Chief European powers:

When it comes to saying that Russia or any other country has frightened England away from any stand that the British crown has taken, facts will hardly bear out the assumption. Russia is a great power, strong in numbers and in physical force, yet crude in her development and ignorant of her own strength. It may be greater or infinitely less than the world figures it. Great Britain on the other hand, is the confessed foremost sea power of the globe, and not only is she strong in the number of her ships, but her navy is reinforced by intelligence and trained familiarity with all that goes to make war a business. Then Great Britain has command of the implements of war. Her people can make guns and ships as well as use them. Her ships supply her needs. She is not like Russia, which must buy guns from America, perhaps, and have them carried to her in American vessels. But beyond having the equipment and the intelligence the English people have the courage Anglo-Saxon blood is not the kind that scares at talk.

**SOME DAY.**

The Fair One—"I suppose you will marry, though, when the golden opportunity offers, won't you?"  
The Cautious One—"It will depend upon how much gold there is in the opportunity."—Harper's Bazar.

**BORN.**

At Leighwood, O'Leary Station, on the 3rd inst., the wife of Dr. McLaughlin, of a daughter.

**MARRIED.**

In Boston, February 10, by Rev. Frederick N. Upham, pastor of Baker Memorial Church, Thomas Bears and Sarah A. Cook.

At St. Antonine de Bloomfield on the 2nd inst., by Rev. F. X. Gallant, Frank Arsenault, to Miss Agnes Martin, eldest daughter of Simon Martin, of St. Anthony.

At All Saints' Church, Dorchester, Mass., January 28th, by Rev. F. Hutcheon, Thomas C. Dougherty to Eleanor S. Creed, eldest daughter of C. M. Creed, Secretary of the Board of Trade, Halifax.

At the Manse, Souris, on 9th February by Rev. Jas. R. McKay, William Douglas Aitken, to Annie Edith Coffin, both of Bay Fortune.

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Fine Black Serge 30c for 18c, Fine Black French Serge 35c for 20c, Basket Cloth worth 38c for 25c, Fine Black Merino, worth 65c, for 48. Heavy French Twill, 46 inches wide, 85c for 50c. Black Satin finish, 85c, for 60c. All wool Cashmere, 22c, 28c and 38c. Fancy Brocade 22c, 27c, 35c, and 48c.

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as any store in the city. We found out during stock taking that we had too much Dress Goods so you can make up your mind that we are bound to reduce our stock.

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Each and every line of Dress Goods marked in plain figures.

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Shop open from 8 a. m., till 6 p. m. each day.

Sale to continue until further notice.

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**Benefit**

**OPERA HOUSE**

Friday Ev'g, Feb. 18th

**PROGRAMME.**

PART I.

Opening Selection.....Orchestra  
Statuary....."Rock of Ages"  
1. Fan Drill.....Twelve Young Ladies  
2. Vocal Solo.....Mr. C. Roy  
Statuary....."Winter"  
3. Solo.....Miss Eliza O'Neil  
4. Recitation.....Mr. T. A. McLean  
5. Song.....Mr. E. Mitchell  
Statuary....."Summer"  
6. Skirt Dance.....The Misses Helen Peters and Helen Warburton  
7. Vocal Solo.....Miss Adele Sullivan  
Statuary....."Faith, Hope and Charity"

PART II.

1. Selection.....Orchestra  
Statuary....."City of Charlottetown sending her sons out into the world."  
2. Vocal Solo.....Miss Josie Smith  
3. Recitation.....Miss Lucy Lefurgey  
4. Song.....Mr. J. H. McDonald  
5. Pastoral....."Hiawatha".....Miss Helen McDonald.  
Statuary....."Klondike"  
6. Vocal Solo.....Miss Annie Hyndman  
7. Selection.....Orchestra  
Statuary....."Three Guardian Angels"  
8. Quartet.....Male voices  
9. Song.....Mr. Lamont  
Statuary....."A portion of the World"  
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Statuary under the supervision of Mr. Thomas May.  
Admission 50c, 35c and 25c. Doors open at half past seven.  
Concert commences at eight o'clock, sharp.

**Provincial Rifle Association**

The Annual Business Meeting of the Provincial Rifle Association, will be held in the City Court Room, at 7.30, on Tuesday evening, March 1st, 1898.

FRANCIS DOGHERTY, Lt.-Col.,  
President.  
S. F. HODGSON, Major,  
Secretary-Treasurer

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