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### Local and Other Items.

**CALEDONIAN CLUB.**—Regular monthly meeting tonight.

**THE PROBS.**—Moderate winds, mostly east and south, fine and warm.

**S S Princess** leaves the Steam Navigation Company's wharf at 8 o'clock this evening.

**THE DREDGE.**—Work at Mr. L. M. Poole's wharf was finished yesterday and the dredge has returned to the Railway wharf to finish the dredging there.

**MATCH RACE.**—Mr. R. J. Steele went over to New Glasgow this morning, where he drives the mare Sadie, which he owned some time ago, in a match race that takes place there to-day.

**POLICE COURT.**—One drunk, an old offender, was this morning fined \$4 or 20 days with hard labor for being drunk and incapable. The Magistrate promised him that the next time he came back he would double the dose.

**THE CAMPANA.**—This steamer returned to Charlottetown yesterday afternoon shortly after six o'clock, and sailed again for Montreal at ten o'clock last night. She had a full passenger list. Her outward cargo consisted of 1050 cases of eggs, 1500 cases of cheese, and about 400 packages of sundries.

**THE ST. ANDREW'S TEA.**—A special train left Charlottetown this morning at 10 o'clock with about 150 passengers and the League of the Cross band to attend the St. Andrew's tea. Many more were picked up on the way along. There is a very large attendance at the tea and everyone is enjoying the fine weather, and the amusements and refreshments provided by the committee.

**CHALLENGE.**—As it has been for some time past a point of contention among the marksmen of this Island which of the nationalities (viz.: English, Irish or Scotch) are the best shots, I hereby on behalf of the Irish, challenge English and Scotch teams of eight to shoot a match over the Queen's ranges 2, 5, and 600 yds. at our next annual provincial meet.—E. W. ANDERSON, Captain of the Irish team.

**MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.**—There was much music on the harbor last night. It proceeded from the steamer Elda, on which were the First Methodist church choir and enough of their friends to comfortably fill the boat. They left the wharf shortly after eight o'clock and sailed up and down until eleven o'clock coming in just before La Grande Duchesse entered the harbor. The moon—such a moon—rose a little before nine o'clock and this added to the pleasure of the evening. A number of solos were sung and all joined in the choruses, which could be heard on the land with pleasing effect. Ice cream and cake were supplied and needless to say much appreciated. It is to be hoped that tonight will be such a one as last night and if so the success of St. James excursion on the Princess is more than assured.

### DIED.

At Belleville, Ontario, a few days ago, Martin Lyons, aged 90, was married to Mary McGinlay, aged 80.

Buy your shoe dressing at R. H. Ramsay's, black, tan, or chocolate.



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Having decided to introduce new lines of Men's Footwear for fall trade—we want to clear out all lines now in stock.

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Men's colored boots, regular prices \$2 and \$2.25 a pair **Now \$1.65**

Men's Chocolate Dongola Boots, regular price \$3.00 **Now \$2.50**

Men's Box Calf Boots, goodyear welt—regular \$4.00 and \$4.25. **Now \$3.50 a pair**

Men's Colored Dongola Boots, regular price \$2.50 **Now \$2.00**

Men's Calf Boots, Goodyear Welt, regular prices \$3.00 and \$3.25 **Now \$2.50**

Men's Chocolate Dongola Boots, vesting top, regular price \$4.25. **Now \$3.50 a pair**

Other Lines at Big Discounts

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### PERSONAL.

Mr. Paul Lea, Victoria, returned home this morning.

Mr. T. J. Dillon arrived on one of his usual business trips, by the Princess yesterday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Allen, of Murray Harbor, P. E. I-land, is the guest of Miss Florence Fraser.—Picton Advocate.

Mr. Richard H. Williams who has been on the Island the last few days, left for Halifax by the Princess this morning.

Dr. McKinnon, who has been on a visit to the Island, was a passenger by the western express this morning, returning to Duluth, Mich.

Miss B A Gregor left this morning on a visit to her brother Dr. Lea Gregor and Mr. Gregor who are summering in the White Mountains, in Vermont.

Mrs McPherson and daughter of Kentville, N S, were passengers by the Princess yesterday afternoon on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. O. Hornsby.

Miss F. E. Throckmorton, of Washington, D. C., is spending the summer months at Waterside, Pownal. Waterside is becoming a very popular resort for tourists from the United States and the Canadian provinces. Its many attractions require only to be known to be more generally appreciated.

Mr. F. A. Horter, chief clerk in the Boston station of the Boston and Maine Railway, was a passenger to Charlottetown by La Grande Duchesse last night and returns again on Friday by the Halifax. He, with Mrs. Horter, who has been here for about a month, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clarke.

### LA GRANDE DUCESSE.

La Grande Duchesse arrived on her fourth trip here last night at about eleven o'clock. She had some freight and about three hundred passengers. The following are the names of those booked for Charlottetown.

Mr. E. A. Reed, wife and son, W. H. Hendee, wife and son; Mrs. L. P. Roberts and sister, C. W. Rallins, Mrs. C. A. Anatin and sister, Prof. J. H. Shea, Mr. P. Graitner and wife, Miss M. E. McKay, Miss C. Rigby, D. D. Spillane and wife, F. A. Horten, J. C. Dodge, A. M. Allen, Dr. A. J. Gilmour, W. McDonald, O. E. Ballin, C. E. Knight, J. R. Knight, J. A. Foley, D. E. Sharet and wife, S. Gedberg, L. Wingerkie, A. Bell and wife, Wm Embrey, Jas. Green, Miss M. Green, Mrs. S. Green, Mrs. Jas. Green, Miss O. A. Fiske, H. B. Hayle, A. T. Smith, and wife, L. L. Ward, Miss Smith, J. O. Stewart, Miss L. C. Smith, C. A. Fay, W. P. Storey, D. N. Tuttle, G. W. Yorke, Dr. O. Southier, and wife, V. J. Huot and wife, Miss Ketcham, Misses Manchester, Mrs. L. J. Smith, J. H. Jewett and wife, Miss F. H. Tongue, G. J. Tongue, J. C. Sayre, T. S. Hammon and wife, W. H. Crockett, I. P. Allan, Rev. Wm. and Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Mitchell, Miss L. Ryder, Mrs. S. M. Brown, G. M. Wright, and wife, E. F. Whitnev, Miss Beaton, Mrs. N. A. Fitch, F. E. Dill, Miss L. B. Fitch, Mrs. Cumming, A. McDonald, Bertha Cumming R. W. Wright, Geo. Pladwell, J. R. McDonald, Mrs. J. Pladwell, Mrs. McCormac, Mrs. McDonald, D. McLellan, Mrs. Briggs, Mary Bradbury, Mrs. C. Cummings, Mrs. Gaston Mrs L. Rankin, Norman Garton, Miss H. A. Rankin, Miss Jenett, J. J. Garrett, C. H. Kehew, Miss E. E. McLeod, J. A. McDonald, D. H. Whit, Mrs. Brooke, Mrs. C. E. Joyce, Fred. Joyce, Chas. N. Clow, Maud Duck, Katie McLeod, Dr. Beaton, Mrs. J. Campbell, Miss K. McKinnon, Miss M. McQueen, Miss McQueen, Mrs. F. McLeod, Mary McDonald J. E. Cantwell, L. Cantwell, Mrs. J. E. Cantwell.

She sailed at one o'clock the following being the outgoing passengers.

Miss Gregor, H. K. Brainard, S. K. Brainard, R. Brainard, C. A. Chadburn, A. Miller, E. Rose, Miss E. F. Rose, E. D. Winchester and wife, W. C. Winchester and wife, H. L. Belloa and family, Mr Goodwin and wife, E. B. Kelly and wife, Frank E. Dill, Mrs. Kelly, Thos. Hughes, H. A. Chambers, Perry Gaidher, Mr. Routhier and wife, Mr. Hurt and wife, Mr. Ryder and party, J. H. Shea, H. B. Hoyle, Mrs. and Miss Fitch, Mary McDonald, Messrs Sullivan and McMahon, G. W. York, Mr. Storey and Mr. Lottle, Miss H. Rackham, Annie B. Stewart, Mr. Smith and party, John McEachern, C. McKinnon, A. A. McDougall.

**FESTIVAL AT STANLEY.**—The entertainment and festival at Stanley Bridge last night was a success in every way. The attendance was very large, and the different numbers on the programme were well rendered. About \$85 was realized.

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### Local and Other Items.

**THE ELECTION.**—Polling in the First District of Prince, to-day.

I. O. F.—Regular meeting of Court Avondale to-night at 8 o'clock. Payment of dues.

**EXCURSION.**—82nd band in attendance at the moonlight excursion and festival this evening.

L. O. A.—St. George's Lodge will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Purple and Blue Degrees. Every member is requested to attend.

**RATES** and information for travel by the Canadian Pacific railway can be had by applying to John O. Hyndman, agent, Charlottetown. Five days only to the Pacific coast.

**FOOT INJURED.**—While cutting hay yesterday, Mr. Robert Gillespie, of New London, had his foot caught in the wheel of the mowing machine, and it was, we regret to learn badly mangled.

**FOAL KILLED.**—Mr. John Stewart, of Bay View, lost a valuable foal yesterday. It appears that the foal was wandering about the yard and ran under a hay rake, driving one of the teeth into its breast, causing instant death.

**THURSDAY WEEK.**—At a meeting of the PLOUIC Cricket Club last night it was decided to have the all days cricket match on Thursday, August 3rd, instead of next Thursday. This would enable a number to play who would not be able to do so this week and besides allow more time for making arrangements.

**THE ST. ROCH FIRE.**—From the result of an investigation into the origin of the recent big fire at St. Roch's, Quebec it appears that a pillow on a couch in Mr. Barbeau's house took fire on Monday night, and although the incipient blaze appeared to have been promptly extinguished it is thought probable that some sparks remained smouldering unnoticed till they finally broke out into flame during the absence of the family the next day.—And the loss was \$125,000.

**BAND CONCERT.**—The band of the 4th Regiment, C. A., will give a concert in the public gardens this evening from 8.30 to 9.30 o'clock. Although this band is two players short, a cornet and a bass being absent from the city, it is expected that eighteen of their own men will take part in the concert. Prof. J. F. Watts, the bandmaster tells us that he makes it a principle of the artillery band that when they play it shall be as the artillery band, so no non-members will assist this evening. However, as this band has a reputation for good music, there's no doubt but that the following programme will be well rendered.

Quick Step..... Wellington Waltz..... Bo Peep Serenade..... Bel Air Quick Step (by request)..... County Club Polka..... Snowflake Scotch Air..... Coquet Waltz..... Flower Girl God Save the Queen.

**BOAT RACE.**—At half past seven last evening a large number of people were assembled on Connolly's wharf to see the starting of the two four-oared crews—married versus single—from the Hillsborough Boating Club. The start was not made until ten minutes after the advertised time. The word was given by Councillor Nicholson, and both boats went off in good style, the married men making a rather wild start, but seeming to have the advantage. In order to avoid eel grass in the course somewhat of a detour had to be made, and this added to the length of the race beside making hard rowing. In rounding the buoy the boats came into collision and the rudder of the single men's boat was broken. Notwithstanding this the single's kept in the race until their bow oar broke, when they gave up. The married men, in these circumstances, came in a good deal ahead. The accident caused much disappointment, as the crowd present took a keen interest in the race. It is expected that the crews will meet again next week for another struggle for superiority. The water was in splendid condition for the race. The course was to North River buoy and return, said to be a distance of three miles. The time was twenty minutes.

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