

Local and Other Items.

ASH WEDNESDAY.—To-morrow.
ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.—To-day.
CIVIC.—Meeting of City Council to-night.
SKATING.—Band at the Excelsior Rink to-night.
BE SURE.—Attend the concert in St. James Hall this evening. Herodotus fail not.
LECTURE.—Mr. Creighton's Lecture on Palestine is highly spoken of. See advt.
PERSONAL.—Rev. J. C. Berrie has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Methodist Church at Sussex, N. B.
THE MAYOR LIES.—We regret to learn that His Worship Mayor Haviland is so ill as to be unable to leave his residence.
THE TALK OF THE TOWN.—The disgraceful scene which occurred in the City Chamber last evening is the talk of the town.
FRESH BISCUITS.—Jersey Lemon, English Fruit, Seville, Diamond, Soda and Pilot Biscuits, at "The City Steam Bakery," Prince Street.

Y. M. C. A.—Remember the Gospel Service conducted by the Rev. Mr. Gerrior in the Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.
TO LECTURE.—Rev. James Carruthers lectures in the Market Hall, Summerside, on the evening of the 20th inst. Subject: "In and About Paris."
THERMOMETER READINGS.—During the night the thermometer registered 4 above; at 10 o'clock this morning, 17 above, and at noon to-day, 33 above.

TEMPLE OF SOLOMON.—Don't forget Mr. Creighton's Lecture Thursday evening Go and hear all about the Mohammedan and the Temple of Solomon.
THE MILK RECORD.—The 41 lb. milk record of Mr. Brown's Guernsey Cow given in yesterday issue are equal to 16 1/2 Imperial quarts or 20 1/2 quarts of the old measure.
LATE.—The eastern train which should have reached yesterday forenoon was delayed by snow and ice and did not arrive until twenty-five minutes after the regular time this morning.

COMING INTO CANADA.—A Calgary despatch says the Powder River Cattle Company intend driving the cattle now owned by them in Wyoming, some 55,000 head, into Alberta in the coming summer.
THE MOCCASIN DANCE.—The Moccasin dance at the Excelsior Rink next Friday evening will be a novel and interesting event; to the Citizens of Charlottetown; a practice will take place this evening.
ON TIME AGAIN.—The clock in the Law Courts Building has been repaired and is now striking as usual. The new wheel was cast by Messrs. McKinnon & McLean, and is said to be even better than the old one.

THE MAILS.—The mails for Charlottetown which crossed yesterday afternoon arrived in town via Summerside this forenoon. The mails which reached Cape T. to-day was brought into the city by regular western train this afternoon.
STOCKS ON THE RISE.—A London, G. B., despatch says: "The large expansion of business in British Columbia, shown in the report of the bank, has caused a general advance in provincial and bank issues. Winnipeg bonds have all advanced on the week in consequence of the excellent prospects of the Northwest."

FROM REV. H. P. TORNEY, D. D., LL. D., late President Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College, Kent's Hill, Me.: "Dr. F. W. Kinsman—Dear Sir:—For five years the students under my care have used Adamson's Botanic Balsam, and have, I think, found it second to no other remedy for throat and lung troubles." Trial bottles 10 cents.
THE OLDEST LIVING COUPLE.—One of the most extraordinary incidents in the whole record of longevity is reported from Pesh, where a beggar, aged 84, tried to commit suicide by throwing himself into the Danube because he was no longer able to support his father and mother, who are 115 and 110 years old respectively. When he told this story after his rescue he was laughed at, but police enquiry showed it to be true. The people are jaggyars from the extreme south of Hungary.
THE "BEAN" SOCIAL.—This novel kind of a "social" was held in the upper Methodist Church last evening. The entertainment was opened with a pretty accordion solo by Mr. A. E. Crosby, and was followed by an instrumental chorus by Messrs. D. S. Strong, (violin), Charles Rodd (cornet), L. Worthy (flute), and Mrs. L. Sentiner as accompanist. The solos by Miss Hobbs, Miss Sellers and Mrs. L. Sentiner were nicely sung, and the readings by Miss Lawson and Miss Stun contributed largely to the pleasure of the evening. The audience was boisterous at times, it is true, and the entertainment suffered somewhat as a result; but, on the whole, it was very enjoyable. Great credit is due the young ladies of the band and others for the off-handed and pleasant manner with which the beans and brown bread were served.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

Nomenclature.—A writer in the Montreal Star objects to the names of places chosen by Canadian pioneers, and contends that they should have bestowed more names characteristic of the New World rather than appellations borrowed from European countries. On which The Empire remarks that the man who can make this charge with Bobcaygeon and Memramcook, Penetanguishene and Shubenacadie, Petowawa, Musquodoboit, Magaguadavic and Kouchibouguacis dangling before his eyes must have little consideration for the pronouncing powers of this generation.
Do not forget that we are selling our flannel-lined and felt boots at a discount.—Goss & Co.

The Carnival.

THE fancy dress carnival in the Citizens' Rink last evening was one of the most successful ever held in this city. The rink, which was prettily decorated, brilliantly lighted, and comfortable, was well filled with spectators. The ice was in capital condition. Shortly after eight o'clock the signal was given, the band struck up, and soon the glass-like surface was literally covered with a mass of humanity in all shapes and sizes and attired in fantastic costumes. As they moved around the rink they were the subject of considerable comment. Dashing hither and thither with heads lowered, and fans and umbrellas raised, might be seen the "Three Little Maids from School," while in their wake, and looking anxiously forward were the two friars who appeared anxious to dispose of some of their "soft soap." Then there was the "Fishwife" with her basket and characteristic odor, and "P. E. Island" with her grain, etc., and the suggestive inscription "Foreign Mails Tuesday Week," both of whom attracted a good deal of attention. There were also "Minerva," "Marguerite," the "Goddess of Liberty," the "Lady, time of George III.," the "Lady of the Court of Queen Anne," "Princess Ida," the "Daisy" and several others who failed to hand in their cards. The two boxes "Starvation Army" lassies with their "poke" bonnets, tambourines and subdued bustles, attracted considerable attention by the scientific manner in which they "saved" the "Tennis Player" and the "Snow-shoer." "Anarchy" was, in the opinion of many, the best character on the ice. "Dick Turpin," the "Shah of Persia" and "Arabian" were also conspicuous characters. "Robin Hood," "The Squire," "The Great What is it?" the "Three Wonders," "Sir Charles Marlow," "Pawmbroker," etc., were all very good impersonations. There was a profusion of pages, fairies, etc., all of whom looked very pretty. The "P. R." was also represented by two light-weights (very), who looked real vicious with their fierce "moustachios." The colored element was conspicuous for its absence, but there was a fair sprinkling of such common-place costumes as a "Cricketer," "Tennis Player," and "Snow-shoer," with here and there a stray "Fireman," "Fisherman," "Volunteer," etc. We publish below a list of the ladies and gentlemen who handed in their cards at the door:

- LADIES.
Arnaud, Mrs. F. H.—Minerva.
Churchill, J. Rosamond—Goddess of Liberty.
Gay, Maud E.—Returning from Picnic.
Leigh, Lillie—Returning from Picnic.
Longworth, Miss F. H.—New Haven Fish Wife.
Longworth, Miss J. C.—Lady Time of George III.
Leigh, Alice—Graduate.
Leigh, Beattie—Island.
LeMere, Lena—Black Domino.
Muriel P.—French Peasant.
Murphy, Annie—Rosalie, the Prairie Flower.
McLean, Miss—Lady of the Court of Queen Anne.
McDonald, Winnie—Marguerite.
McDonald, Daisy—Wallachian Girl.
Palmer, Mrs. H. J.—Princess Ida.
Russell, Miss—Squire's Daughter.
Unsworth, Miss May—Grandamma of the Olden Time.
Wakefield, Connie—Forget-Me-Not.
Wakefield, Beattie—Princess Muletta.

- GENTLEMEN.
Allen, Arthur—Fisherman.
Bartlett, A. A.—Tennis Player.
Bayfield, Frank—Page.
Bayfield, Harry—Ah Sin.
Churchill, Frank A.—Page (Mediaval).
Davies, Wm. H.—French Cook.
Davies, John R.—Blue Coat Boy.
Dillon, A. R.—Hillsboro', No. 7.
Dougherty, G. P.—Military Dude.
Ferguson, W.—Bulgarian.
Hobkirk, W. C.—Sportsman.
Hobkirk, Sidney—Spanish Matador.
Harris, W. C.—Anarchy.
Jenkins, Bertrid—Snow-shoer.
Leigh, Albert—Horse-Jockey.
Liddell, Victor—Cricketer.
Longworth, R. E.—Miner.
Mason, G. A.—Pugilist.
Messervy, Willie—Clown.
Morrison, Daniel—Merry Jim.
McDonald, Douglass—Ah Sin.
McLeod, John—Nobody's Darling.
McDonald, A. P.—The Great What is It?
Macdonald, R. H.—Matador.
Macdonald, A. A.—Snow-shoer.
Peake, Arthur—Col. Marines.
Peake, Ernest—Jack the Giant Killer.
Palmer, H. J.—Dick Turpin.
Pierce, Fred W.—Fireman.
Peters, Arthur—The Squire.
Ross, Geo. A.—Outlaw.
Rogers, Bennie—Monkey.
Sterling, F.—Sir Charles Marlow.
Sullivan, Cleaver—Page.
Small, W. D.—Pawmbroker.
Strain, John—Jockey.
Wright, B.—Pugilist.
Wilson, D.—Japanese.

- THE THREE WONDERS.
1st—"I Wonder Who'll Take Me?"—T. McLean.
2nd—"I Wonder Who'll Take Me?"—W. Karle.
3rd—"I Wonder Who'll Take Me?"—C. Weeks.

During the evening the Artillery Band performed the following programme in excellent style:
Quickstep—D. C. Wells.
Waltz—Maud M.
Waltz—Blonde and Brunette.
Schottische—Cresco.
Waltz—Sounds from Home.
Mazurka—Lillian.
Waltz—Ladies' Favorite.
Galop—Skating.
Waltz—Highlyer.
Waltz—Princess.
Galop—La Panx Pas.
Waltz—Rosedale.
Waltz—Cecilia.
Polka—Inez.
Galop—Artistic.

Weather Bulletin.
TORONTO, Feb. 14 - 10 a.m.
Fresh to strong south and west winds, fairly cloudy to cloudy, mild weather with local rains at night, turning colder to-morrow.
CHEAPEST Cracked Grain, Bran and Shorts at H. T. LePage's, Glasgow House, Queen Street.
CAPE COD cranberries for sale at Beer & Goff's.
LADIES and gents moccasins, ladies snowshoes and toboggans.—Stanley Bros., Extra Block.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

BRITISH POLITICS.
Ovation to Sullivan.
DOINGS IN THE COMMONS.
A BREACH OF PRIVILEGE.

LONDON, Feb. 13.
When the procession in honor of Sullivan, M. P., reached the Park, the persons composing it grouped themselves around the platform at Reformers' Tree. Sullivan was given an enthusiastic reception by the 40,000 present. He was presented with an address, and in reply he said the Government's wretched attempt at coercion had not surprised or frightened anyone. Irish patriots had been imprisoned because they had disregarded a law which Englishmen would have trampled under foot. The tory reign of terror was doomed to a speedy termination. At the end of the speech cheers were given for Sullivan, Gladstone and Home Rule. Sullivan was banqueted at the Criterion to-night.

Pictou, Home Rule member for Leicester, directed attention in the Commons to-day to the arrest last week in London of Messrs. Pyne, O'Brien and Gilhooly, Irish members of Parliament, which, he claimed, constituted a breach of privilege. The Speaker said Pyne and Gilhooly were arrested on a criminal warrant. In their case there was no breach of privilege. Mr. Mathews, Home Secretary, apologized for the indignity to which O'Brien had been subjected. The occurrence was, unfortunately, Sir R. E. Webster, Attorney General, denied that any privilege existed. Explanations and apologies had been given. If they didn't suffice or satisfy O'Brien, he could prosecute and get a remedy elsewhere.

Pictou moved that the wrongful arrest of O'Brien when leaving the Commons was a breach of privilege of parliament. After a debate, the motion was negatived without division. James C. Flynn, member for North Cork (Loyalist) resumed the debate on the address in reply to the Queen's speech. Parnell made a long speech, and then moved the following amendment: "Humbly to represent to Her Majesty that the only remedial portion of last session's Irish legislation tended to diminish crime, whereas repressive measures had done much to alienate the sympathy and respect of Her Majesty's Irish subjects for the law and the administration of the Crimes Act, as well as much of the general action of the executive has been harsh and partial." The debate was adjourned.

The Track Submerged.
ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 13.
The extraordinary rainfall of Saturday submerged about one mile of the Windsor & Annapolis Railway track between Ellershouse and Stillwater which was frozen and caused a complete suspension of traffic to-day. The ice is six inches thick, and as soon as any portion is dug out it is again covered with water and freezes. Little can be done pending a thaw.

A Woman in the Case.
QUEBEC, Feb. 13.
To-night Mr. Leclerc was informed that a man named Person was driving about town with the former's wife, and immediately started in pursuit. He finally found them together in a cutter, and high words ensued. Leclerc drew a knife and plunged into Person's heart, killing him instantly. Leclerc and wife have been arrested, the latter as a witness.

Work Resumed.
CORNWALL, Feb. 13.
After four weeks strike, work was resumed this morning in the Canada and Stormont Cotton Company's Mills, satisfactory arrangements with the strikers having been effected by which they are to get the highest wages paid in cotton mills in Canada. The strikers numbered 700, but 1500 people are employed in the mills.

Ross Wins the Race.
LONDON, Feb. 13.
The sculling race between Wallace Ross, of America, and Geo. Bubeare, of England, for the championship of England, the challenge cup, and a stake of £400, took place to-day over the Thames course from Putney to Mortlake. Ross won by two lengths. The time was 23 min. and 16 sec.

The Fisheries Commission.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.
It is known to-night that the Fishery Conference will finally adjourn on Thursday or Friday. Certain definite determinations or the point being decided by both sides, a semi-official announcement of the deliberations will be made public.

Another Contested Election Case.
TORONTO, Feb. 13.
Judgment was given at Osgoode Hall to-day in the West Middlesex Dominion election case, unseating Dr. Roome, M. P., for corrupt practices by an agent, but exonerating him from any personal knowledge of bribery.

Presentation.
QUEBEC, Feb. 13.
Yesterday evening, just prior to Sir John's leaving for Ottawa, a number of his friends presented him with a magnificent diamond and sapphire scarf-pin. Mr. Charlebois, M. P., made the presentation.

Round Dances Denounced.
QUEBEC, Feb. 13.
Round dances were vigorously denounced in the different Roman Catholic churches yesterday. Allusion was made to the absence of these dances at the Governor's ball last week.

PEOPLE ARE SAVING MONEY!
Those who Buy Clothing from L. E. PROWSE.
It is a well known fact that his competitors cannot look at his low prices. They have to do some blowing.
But L. E. PROWSE sells the Clothing. If you can get what you want at L. E. Prowse's, you need not try anywhere else. His prices are the lowest ever known for First-class Goods.
200 Overcoats to be Sold at a Bargain.
COME AT ONCE AND GET ONE.
L. E. PROWSE,
SIGN OF THE GREAT BIG HAT, 74 QUEEN STREET.
Ch'town, Jan. 12, 1888

Inland Steam Navigation Company
OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.
THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the office of Hon. L. G. Owen, King Street, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of February, instant, at 3 o'clock, p. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business.
By order of the President and Directors, JOHN HUGHES, Secretary.
Ch'town, P. E. I., Feb. 6, 1888—31 law
Stop it at Once
IF YOUR GROCER WILL NOT GUARANTEE his Baking Powder contains no Ammonia, it seriously IMPAIRS DIGESTION, and is classed among POISONS.
PAPER. WOODILL'S TINS
5 cts GERMAN 7 cts
10 cts BAKING 12 cts
20 cts POWDER 22 cts
Is made of strictly pure Grape Cream of Tartar—and
All Grocers are authorized to guarantee that AMMONIA, LIME or ALUM are not used in its manufacture.
WHEAT.
The Charlottetown Milling Company
WILL PAY
CASH FOR WHEAT
at their Mills on and after
MONDAY, JANUARY 16th.
GEORGE E. FULL
Jan 4, 1888—dy, 2aw 6l, wy 6 w, Pat, Guardian,
Administration Notice.
I have been appointed Administrator of the Estate and Effects of Donald C. Martin, deceased, intestate. All sums of money due the said Donald C. Martin, personally or as partner in the late firm of McLean & Martin, and McLean, Martin & McDonald, are required to be paid forthwith at the office of Messrs. McLean & McDonald, Attorneys-at-Law, Charlottetown. All persons having demands upon the Estate will exhibit the same, duly attested, to me within one year.
KENNETH J. MARTIN,
Administrator.
Ch'town, Feb. 6, 1888—11 dy 41 wy
PUBLIC NOTICE.
ANY partnership or agreement in the nature thereof, heretofore existing between the undersigned, whether in the name and style of A. L. BRIDGES & CO., or otherwise, has this day been terminated and dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due to the late firm of A. L. BRIDGES & CO. are to be paid to the undersigned, ROBERT BRIDGES, who is fully authorized to give receipts therefor.
Dated at Charlottetown, 1st February, 1888.
ROBERT BRIDGES,
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Charlottetown, Jan. 26, 1888.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.
FOR SALE. 70 acres Freehold Land near El-don, P.E.I.; about 20 acres under cultivation, remainder covered with a large growth of hard and soft wood; good spring of water running through. Near churches, mills and shipping; one mile from musselsand. Good title. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. G. Wright, Charlottetown. 1m 1aw & wky-feb14
FOR SALE.—A well-bred young Cow, newly calved Apply to T. A. McLEAN, Charlottetown, or at Holland Cove Farm. 61-feb7
BOARDERS ACCOMMODATED.—At Mrs. McLean's, Hillsborough Street, between Dorchester and King. oct19 eod tf
NURSE WANTED.—Apply at EXAMINER office. eod tf-feb2
WANTED.—Two Thousand Dollars, at 5 per cent. First-class Real Estate security. Apply at this office. 2w dy wy-jan27
WANTED.—A small property (a mile or two out of town), having on it a never-failing spring of water. Information of such please furnish to "C. B." P. O. Box 33, Charlottetown or this office. dec13
TO LET.—A House on Slinny Street, opposite the Brick Church, containing seven rooms, a good cellar, stable and coach house. Apply on the premises. nov21
TO LET.—The Surgery and Consulting Room in the City Hotel, Great George Street, either occupied by Dr. Warburton. Apply at the London House or to Daniel Davies, Dundas Street.
Ch'town, Jan. 26, 1888.