Local and Other Items.

No crossing at the Capes to day.

BAND at the Citizens' Rink to-night.

TOBOGGANING at Victoria Park this evening.

ROADS in the country are reported bad.

NOTWITHSTANDING the severe snow-storm, all trains were on time to-day.

THE Board of Health met on Saturday evening and, after passing several small bills, adjourned.

PROMPT PAYMENT.—About $1,500 were to-day distributed among the men engaged in the service at the Capes.

THE subject for debate before the Caledonian Club Literary Society on Monday, 1st March, will be: "Is the Reading of Novels Injurious to Morals?"

J. B. MACDONALD, Queen Street, claims to have the largest stock in town of Men's and Boy's Clothing, and prices are away down, down. mar 1

THE regular monthly communication of Victoria Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., will be held in Masonic Hall this evening, at eight o'clock. Business—conferring third degree.

THE Northern Light succeeded in getting into Pictou on Saturday and left there this morning, but had to put back on account of heavy ice in the Straits.

THE *Domestic Monthly* for March is at hand. For Canadians it is specially interesting on account of the historical and descriptive sketches of Canada which it contains. The other articles, etc., are generally interesting and instructive—as usual.

THE Re-proclamation of the Ancient Gospel will continue during the present week at the Christian Church, on Upper Great George Street, at 7.30 p.m. This evening, after a discourse on "The Forgiveness of Sins," by Elder Ira C. Mitchell, those who have made the good confession will be baptized.

AT the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon three countrymen charged with being drunk and fighting, were fined $4 each; another countryman was also fined $4 for being drunk. The young man O'Hare, mentioned Saturday as having Policeman Steele's coat in his possession, was fined $30 or 30 days for being drunk and disorderly, and remanded to answer to the charge of having the coat in his possession. The two "Buckley"[Browns, for stealing Dr. Bagnall's coat, were remanded for further evidence

ST. GEORGE'S Literary and Dramatic Club will meet in the room over the offices of Messrs. Warburton & Smallwood, Cameron Block, on Wednesday evening. Mr. R. R. Fitzgerald, the President of the Club, will deliver an opening address on the objects of the Club, which will be followed by a discussion. The regular work of the Club will begin by Mr. Warburton, the Vice President, delivering a short address on "Tennyson," followed by readings by Messrs. W. A. Weeks, Wm. C. Harris, C. B. McNeill, W. Dustan and B. F. Messervey. Those interested are invited to attend.—B. F. MESSERVEY, Secretary-Treas

MR. S. M. BENT, late Secretary of the Scientific Institute, having resigned his connection with the Institute on account of removal from the city, the following resolution was moved by James McDonald, Esq., seconded by J. D. Seaman, Esq., and carried unanimously:—

Resolved, That the best thanks of the Charlottetown Scientific and Literary Institute are due to S. M. Bent, Esq., for the valuable services he has rendered in the performance of the duties of Secretary-Treasurer, and that we wish him the success in his new field of labor which his literary attainments and amiable disposition in the faithful discharge of the duties entrusted to him deserve.

The next meeting of the Institute will be devoted to varied exercises, consisting of Readings, Recitations, etc.

OUTSIDE PAGES.—The outside of to-day's issue is well filled with choice reading matter. On the first page is "Another Letter from Mr. Hackett," and an article on "Irish Home Rule," showing how the Belfast speech of Lord Randolph Churchill is criticised by the Irish leaders. On the fourth page, "They Took Seats" shows how two young dudes were disposed of at a spelling bee; an article of interest to the young folks, wherein is imparted some useful hints concerning "What Boys Should Learn"; another in which is narrated a business chat between purchaser and dealer as a result of which "He Took the Others"; and an interesting article on "Dogs and Temperance."

CHARLES SLATE, druggist, of this city, now lies in the City Hospital, suffering greatly from frozen feet and hands, the result of drinking too much liquor and sleeping in a snow-bank all night. Slate, it appears, was released from a six months term in jail on Friday morning, and on the following day met with some kindred spirits, with whom he knocked about town. In the evening Slate and his companions visited a house on Lower Spring Park Road and after remaining there some time left, Slate says, at half-past ten o'clock. Slate became separated from his companions, and after wandering about for some time, lay down in the snow and went to sleep, near the residence of Mr. George Lightizer, Lower Spring Park Road. The snow was falling thick and fast at the time, and he was soon almost totally covered. About eight o'clock next morning Mr. Lightizer saw Slate's coat tails protruding through the snow. He cleared away the snow and found the unfortunate man lying on his right side, unconscious, his face, hands and feet frostbitten. He immediately had him removed to a house in the neighborhood, where he soon regained consciousness, and his sufferings were alleviated as well as possible. As his condition was looked upon as critical, the police were communicated with. On arrival they deemed it expedient that the man should be removed to the hospital, where his wounds could be properly attended to. Arrangements for the conveyance of the suffering man to the hospital were made, and Dr. Dawson was consulted. It was explained to him that Slate was an unfortunate young man without either money or friends and the hospital was the only place for him to go to. The Drs. reply was in effect that the funds of the hospital were in a low condition and people like Slate were not wanted there. The policemen then went to the Charlottetown Hospital, where Slate was instantly taken in charge by the good Sisters and made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances. At latest accounts he was progressing favorably.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Arrival of the Polynesian.

MOVILLE, March 1.

The steamship Polynesian has arrived here. All safe.

[Messrs. J. T. Harris, of the London House, and W. W. Beer, of the firm of Beer Bros, were passengers by the Polynesian.]

Fire.

PORT PERRY, Ont., Feb. 28.

A destructive fire occurred here this morning. Total loss will be nearly $50,000.

Great Storm

BOSTON, Feb. 27.

A terrible wind storm prevailed yesterday throughout New England accompanied by snow, which in some sections reached a depth of twenty inches.

Without Parallel.

BANGOR, Me, Feb. 28.

Bangor saw the sun for the first time in several days. During the storm from eighteen inches to two feet of snow has fallen and drifted in an undescribable manner. No such storm has been experienced here before for twenty years.

The Snow Blockade.

NORTH CONWAY, N. H., Feb. 28.

About a foot of snow fell Thursday night. The wind commenced to blow a hurricane on Friday, and has blown since. The highways are impassible. Snow is piled in drifts five to fifteen feet, and trains all snowed up. The road will be cleared Monday.

Shipping Disaster.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, March 1.

The schooner Frank L., of Annapolis, N. S., for St. John, dragged ashore, where she now lies badly iced up with rudder gone and leaking slightly. The schooner Mower, of and for St. John with coal, also dragged ashore on the east side of the harbor.

Labor Troubles in France.

DECAZIVILLE, France, Feb. 28.

All the miners in Averyon district, numbering 25,000, threaten to join the strike of workmen here. The prefect of the Department here has telegraphed M. Sarren, Minister of Interior for reinforcements of troops.

Land Reform.

LONDON, Feb. 28.

In the House of Commons yesterday Hugh E. C. Childers, Home Secretary, said he was unable to consider Lord Churchill's speeches in Ireland.

Trevelyan's Crofters Bill passed its first reading yesterday. It provides for fixity of tenure, fair rents and compensation for improvements made by tenants.

Terrible Suicide

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 28.

This afternoon a tall stout man of respectable appearance climbed with much difficulty the highest peak of the largest ice mound in front of the American Falls and either fell or threw himself into the fearful canyon. He wore a long brown overcoat, high silk hat, side whiskers and moustache. He arrived by the 1.15 train.

Railway Traffic Suspended.

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 1.

The snow storm of Friday, with the lighter falls since then and heavy winds, have had the effect of almost practically suspending railway traffic in Maine and northern New Brunswick. Since Friday no trains have reached Vanceboro over the Maine Central, and the New Brunswick Railway have a train snowed up between Tracy and Cook. Railway men describe the storm up the line as something unequalled in all their experience. On the Intercolonial Railway the storm has been very severe as far as the northern division is concerned. Between Halifax and all other points the trains on Saturday arrived and departed on time. The Quebec Express due here Saturday morning is still laid up at "Trois Pistoles" at which place she was brought to a standstill on Friday night.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, March 1.—10 a. m.

Strong winds and moderate gales from the northwest and north, generally fair, cold weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE
Charlottetown, March 1, 1886.

Highest Temperature Saturday	35.9
Lowest do do	20.0
Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight)	26 9
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight)	12.6
Lowest Temperature this morning	8.6
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock	10 6
Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock	12.5

IT is beyond all doubt that "Myrtle Navy" is the favorite tobacco with the smokers of Canada. They obtain more enjoyment from it than from any other tobacco made, and those of them who have used it long enough to tests its merits never abandon it for any other brand. The reason of this preference is that the "Myrtle Navy" is made of the very finest leaf which is grown and that in every process of its manufacture the most vigilant care is exercised to preserve the genuine aroma of the leaf.

OUR stock of Hard and Soft Felt Hats are the newest styles and marked very low. Stanley Brothers, Brown's Block. mar 1 wk

FOUR-BUTTON KID GLOVES just received by express at Stanley Brothers, only 50 cents a pair. mar 1 wk

The busy bee works about three hours a day, but he is a hummer while he is at it.

HATS! HATS!—Men's and Boy's Felt Hats in every style. Big stock selling cheap at J. B. Macdonald's. mar 1

A cow raised in Lincouville, Me., now eight years old, weighs 2,500 pounds.

IF you require Carpets this Spring, tremendous reductions in prices are given at J. B. Macdonald's. mar 1

It is thought that a dozen shots from the new German bomb, charged with dynamite shells, would destroy the strongest fortifications in the world.

DON'T buy Carpets until you see the stock and prices at J. B. Macdonald's. mar 1

Crockery coffins are proposed by a Philadelphia inventor. His idea is to glaze them, thus making a tight and imperishable receptable, the object being to protect underground water currents from pollution.

ACROSS THE CONTINENT FOR $55.—The cheapest fare ever known from Charlottetown to San Francisco for $73, first-class; $55, second-class. Tickets for sale by G. A. Sharp, Ticket Agent P. E. I. Railway, Charlottetown] mar 1

Special Notices.

START for L. E. Prowse's if you want bargains. feb 13

HATS! Hats! Hats! in great variety, selling low at L. E. Prowse's. fe 13

L. E. PROWSE is selling his stock of Dress Goods, Embroidery, Laces, Velveteens, Lace Curtains, etc at a great discount. Those who want bargains should call and see those goods. fe 13

THIS time of year, the cheapest and best place to buy Boots is at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. feb 11 tf

REPAIRING.—All kinds of Rubbers and Boots mended at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. fe 11 tf

DIED.

At Charlottetown, on the 1st March, after a long and tedious illness, Elizabeth, relict of the late Martin Power, in the 88th year of her age.

[Funeral will leave her late residence, Grafton Street, on Wednesday, the 3rd inst., at 10 o'clock, a. m

TENDERS.

CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Mayor's Office, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of March next, for the placing and maintaining of

Sixty Frost-Proof Hydrants,

having a pressure of not less than sixty pounds to the square inch, for fire and civic purposes, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the City Clerk's office.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
A. H. MACPHERSON,
City Clerk.

Feb. 23—3w eod

The Charlottetown Water Works Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Stock Book in the above Company has this day been opened, and that such Stock Book is now in the office of R. R. FitzGerald, Solicitor, in the Cameron Block, Charloitetown, Prince Edward Island, where any person or body politic or corporate can subscribe for shares in the above Company, under the Act or Charter incorporating the same.

Dated this 24th day of February, A. D., 1886.

ALEXANDER McKINNON,
R. R. FITZGERALD,
for Incorporators.

Feb. 24—dy 20i

J. B. MACDONALD

REQUESTS all persons indebted to him to pay their accounts before the 1st MARCH. All accounts not paid at that date will be handed over for collection.

All balances due in his Boot and Shoe Store will be included.

Ch'town, Feb. 8, 1886—dy wky

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A second-hand Fasquelle French Grammar. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. feb27

FOR SALE—Fyles of "Littell's Living Age," from 1882 to 1884, complete—the best literature of the age. Also, Webster's Dictionary (unabridged) Apply at THE EXAMINER office. feb27

WANTED—By 3rd March, a Cook. Apply to the Matron of P. E. Island Hospital, feb 23

WANTED at Hospital for Insane, a cook and Laundress. Liberal wages. Apply to Dr. Blanchard feb 22, 6i

LOST—Between Bagnall's and Charlottetown, a Black Robe. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at Mr. Bagnall's or THE EXAMINER office. feb22 tf

TO LET—A Shop, Warehouse and three Rooms—a first-class stand for a shipper. Apply to J. D. Currie, Lower Spring Park Road. feb20

MONEY to Loan on security of real estate. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. feb17 2wks

WANTED—A Housekeeper to take charge of a farm-house a short distance from town. Make enquiries at EXAMINER office. feb8 tf

WANTED.—A good kitchen girl in a small family. Second girl kept. Must understand plain cooking, and be good washer and ironer. Apply to this office. feb 8, tf

WANTED—A Girl to do general housework in a family of two; good reference required. Apply at this office. feb11 1w eod

WANTED—At the Osborne House, a good Cook. feb11 3i eod pd

STANDARD GOODS
—AT—
LOWEST PRICES!
—o—
PERKINS & STERNS'

LARGE STOCK OF SEASONABLE GOODS:

400 Pieces Grey Cottons,
220 Pieces White Cottons,
150 Pieces Print Cottons,
55 Pieces Hessians,
48 Pieces Table Linen,
140 Dozen Towels.

—o—

White and Colored Knitting Cotton.

—o—

Large Stock of Colored Dress Goods.

—o—

Black French Merinoes, Black Cashmeres, Black Cords, Black Nuns' Veiling, Black Costume Cloth, &c.

—o—

Brussels, Tapestry and Wool Carpets.

—o—

OILCLOTHS & LINOLEUMS.

—o—

Cocoa, China and Twine Matting.

—o—

Largest Stock of ROOM PAPER on P. E. Island.

—o—

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Feb. 23, '86.

IMPORTANT!! IMPORTANT!! IMPORTANT!!

This Advertisement should have your prompt attention.

A few words of explanation are necessary, in order that the public understand how very important it is to give immediate cognizance to our advertisements.

It makes no difference whether you are rich or poor. If you are poor you must save money; if you are rich you must not throw money away. Therefore, it will be money in everyone's pocket to purchase their Dry Goods from us.

Our prices on Cottons, Linens, Sheetings, Tickings, Flannels, Carpets, Oilcloths and all Household Goods are away down.

Bear in mind we will not be undersold by any house in the trade, as all our goods are bought for cash, thereby enabling us to sell at the very bottom figures.

Just come in and see our prices and be convinced at

Our position is simply this: We claim to Sell Cheap and will do so, no matter how low competitors may mark down their goods, we shall always lead in cheapness.

It will be to everyone's interest to call on us and price before going elsewhere. You will save considerable money by so doing at

Cheap Cottons.
Cheap Tickings.
Cheap Sheetings.
Cheap Linens.
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JOHN MACLEOD & CO.,
MERCHANT TAILOR.

—:o:—

WE are offering the balance of our winter goods at lower prices than have ever been offered the public.

A lot of Men's and Youth's Overcoats from $5 to $8, worth from $8 to $14

Overcoats made to order, from $12 to $18, worth from $18, to $24.

Men's Heavy Shirts, Underwear, Fur Caps, Gloves, &c at the same rates.

Worsted and Tweed Suits at very low prices.

Island Tweed Suits from $10 to $12.

JOHN MACLEOD & CO.

Ch'town, Feb. 9, 1886—tf eod wky

PILLOW COTTONS
—AND—
SHEETINGS,
TOWELS AND TOWELLING.

—:o:—

EXTRA GOOD VALUE

—AT—

STANLEY BROS,

Brown's Block, Opposite Market House.

Ch'town, Feb. 16, 1886.—dy wky

REID BRO'S
FEBRUARY PRICE LIST.

Shirting Ginghams, marked price 11c, now 8c.
All-wool Shirting Flannel, marked 32c, now 25c.
Half-wool Drugget, marked price 32c, now 25c.
Ladies' Winter Jackets, marked $1.65, $4.25, and $5, now half price.
Men's Reefers, marked $4, now half price.
Ladies' Corsets, marked $1.10, now 75c.
Ladies' Rubber Circulars, marked $1.40, now $1.
Men's Black Worsted Suits, marked $7.50, now $5.85.
Men's Tweed Pants, marked $1.60, now $1.10.
Ladies' Four-button Kid Gloves, marked 75c, now 55c.
Ladies' Four-clasp Kid Gloves, worth $1.40, now 75c.
Men's Underclothing at 20 per cent discount.
Men's Overcoats, reduced to clear, at half price.
Genuine All-wool Heavy Tweed, marked 60c, now 45c.
Cotton Flannels, in white and colored, marked 12c, now 10c.
A genuine discount of 25 per cent on Men's Furnishings.
Men's White and Regatta Shirts, marked $1.40, now $1.
$20 Fine Tweed Suits, to measure, now only $14.
$30 Fine Worsted Suits, to measure, now only $20.
$14 Tryon Tweed Suits, to measure, now only $12.
$6 Scotch Tweed Pants, to measure, now only $4.
Child's Tweed Suits, marked $2, now only $1.25.
Youth's Black Worsted Suits, marked $9.50, now only $6.85.
Fine Scotch Tweeds, marked $1.25, now only 90c.
Heavy Island Tweeds, All-wool, 45c, 55c, and 85c.
Yard-wide Gray Cottons, only 4 and 5 cents.

REID BROS.,
CAMERON BLOCK.
Ch'town, Feb. 19, 1886.

North Atlantic Steamship Co.

SPRING SAILINGS, 1886.

From London and Liverpool

S.S. 'CLIFTON'
WILL LEAVE
London for Charlottetown,
ABOUT 15th APRIL.

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The above Steamers, after discharging at Charlottetown, will proceed to Bathurst or Miramichi.

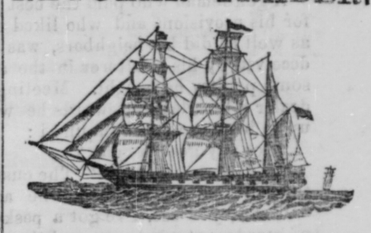
Carrying Goods at Through Rates to the principal points in P. E. Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

For Freight, Passage, or other information apply in London to Stewart Brothers, 3 Fenchurch Street, Fen Court; in St. John, Chatham and Bathurst, N. B., to R. A. & J. Stewart; in Liverpool to T. C. Jones & Co.

FENTON T. NEWBERY,
Agent.

Ch'town, Jan. 30, 1886.

REGULAR TRADER.



SPRING TRIP, 1886

From Liverpool to Charlottetown.

The well known Clipper Bark

"MOSELLE,"

R. RENDLE, Commander,

now on the berth, will sail from

Liverpool for Charlottetown,

On or About 1st APRIL NEXT.

Carrying Freight at through rates to Pictou, Georgetown, Souris, Summerside, and Shediac.

For Freight or Passage apply in London to John Pitcairn & Sons, 16 Great Winchester Street; E. C. in Liverpool to Pitcairn Bros., 51 South John Street, or here to the owners.

PEAKE BROS. & CO.,

Ch'town, Jan. 30, 1886.—6w eod

Valuable Property in the Royalty.

THE Subscriber, owing to ill health, has decided to give up farming; he, therefore, offers his property in the Royalty for private Sale. It is situated on the Malpeque Road, about two miles from the city, comprises about 37 acres of excellent land, and is in a high state of cultivation. There is a good Dwelling House and two Barns, horse and cow Stable and three Barracks; also, a never-failing Well of water at the door.

For Terms apply to the owner, on the premises, or to William Dodd, in the city.

J. W. HOLMAN,
Royalty.

Ch'town, Jan. 15, 1886—3awk 1mo

To Lobster Packers,
FOR SALE.

400 boxes of TIN PLATES, suitable for Lobster Cans.
22 pigs of LEAD.
22 ingots, TIN.
1 bar of COPPER.

Apply to
PEAKE BROS. & CO.

Ch'town, Feb. 10—tf 3aw