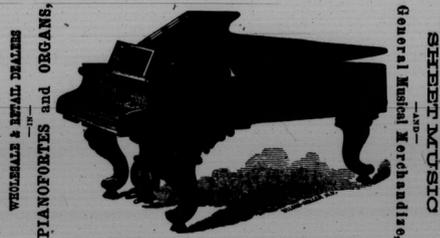


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Best 5 frame body Brussels at \$1.40 \$1.45 and \$1.50.

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An Inspection is respectfully solicited.

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Local and other Matters.

CARNIVAL at Tantram Rink next Thursday night.

The late Alex. Jardine's Estate (St. John) is valued at \$132,000.

WM. WAINOR, Esq., the great St. John shipbuilder, died at Liverpool on 17th inst.

SERVICES will (D. V.) be held at Westcott Church on Sunday next at 7 p. m., by Rev. Donald Bliss.

A LARGE driving party from Mount Allison, took yesterday of the capital sleighing venture afternoon.

A FRATERNAL visit was paid by True Reform Lodge to Chignecto Lodge, Westmoreland Point, on Saturday night.

DIPHTHERIA.—Mr. Ansley Atkinson has lost three children by diphtheria, since Sunday morning, and the fourth is in a dangerous condition.

RELIGIOUS.—Preaching on Sabbath at Westcott Hill at 11 a. m., Grand Avenue at 2 1/2 p. m.; Rockport at 6 p. m., Fairfield, 2 1/2 p. m., Westcott, 6 1/2 p. m.

The gift enterprise of Messrs. B. Estabrooks and J. H. Prescott, comes off on 1st March. The tickets have been selling so rapidly that no postponement is necessary.

DENTAL NOTICE.—C. A. Anderson, Dentist, will be absent three or four weeks longer. After that time he will resume his practice in Sackville. Due notice will be given.—3i.

FOX HUNTING has of late become quite a successful sport in this vicinity. Capt. Elijah Chase has within a few days shot three foxes, one of them a valuable silver grey.

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PARRISBORO ITEMS.—A foot of snow, the greatest depth of the season, fell Sunday night; sleighing is excellent. Preparations are being made for shipbuilding; several vessels are to be built next summer. The Harbour is almost clear of ice; a schr. arrived a few days since from Windsor with freight. No ice in the Basin. Owing to the absence of snow it was for some time very difficult to procure fuel and hay, but both commodities are now more plentiful.—Business of all kinds has settled into its usual winter routine; and everything else is advancing invitingly. A Division of the Sons of Temperance is flourishing, however, together with the Choral and Literary Society. The latter has provided several lectures, which have been well received.

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