

Local and Other Items.

THERE were eight deaths from small-pox last week at Montreal.

THE *Albert* left Pictou for Georgetown today at one o'clock.

The steamer *Carroll* will leave Boston for this port on Saturday next, ice permitting.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY HORSES were purchased in the Montreal market last week and shipped to the United States. The average price was \$80.

AT THE Stipendiary Magistrates Court this forenoon, John Flood drunk and fighting, was fined \$2 and costs. Albert Hardy, drunk and incapable, was fined \$1 and costs or four days.

ON Saturday night the police found two teams wandering through the streets driverless; one was claimed yesterday morning. The owner of the second has not yet been discovered.

THE CHARLOTTETOWN READING ROOM AND MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.—We are glad to see this useful institution reopened. Same building, corner Queen and Water streets. Entrance from Queen street.

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOLROOM will be the centre of attraction to-morrow evening, in the shape of a first class Concert by Mr. Earle. Read his excellent programme, which we enclose in this evening's edition.

FOUR OF A KIND.—We learn from the Cape Breton *Advocate* that Mrs. James Sparlan, of Baddeck, has presented her husband with four male children at a birth.

COLONEL McLEOD, of the Northwest Mounted Police, who is now at Montreal, wants seventy-five men to recruit his force, and the Windsor Hotel has been besieged with applicants, somewhere in the neighborhood of 1000 having made application.

THE nave and chancel of St. Peter's Church have recently been greatly improved. Inside the church will, when completed, be one of the most beautiful in the Lower Provinces. We have not space to-day for a full description of the work recently done.

WOMAN'S RUBBERS only 35 cents at Dorsey & Jost's.
MISSSES' RUBBERS only 30 cents at Dorsey & Jost's
CHILDRENS' RUBBERS only 25 cents at Dorsey & Jost's
Womens' Misses' and Children's Rubber Boots very cheap at Dorsey & Jost's.

MR. R. HARRIS has prepared and forwarded two oil-paintings for exhibition in Toronto. They are decidedly the best we have seen from his hand, and we venture to predict that they will do much to raise the status of the Island in the estimation of persons of taste who may see them. They are entitled, respectively, "The Newsboy," making the most of his opportunities, and "Day Dreams."

PREPARATIONS for Mr. James Gordon Bennett's Arctic expedition are so far completed that the yacht "Jennette" will sail from San Francisco by June 1. Mr. Bennett provides the vessel and everything necessary except the crew, which is selected from the U. S. Navy, and will be paid by the Government, and be under control of the Navy Department. Mr. Bennett goes as far as Alaska with the expedition. Supplies will be taken for a three years' cruise, and every effort will be made to discover the North Pole, or anything else that has not yet been discovered.

We find it necessary to confine our business more strictly to the Cash system than formerly, and from this date we advertise to sell and manufacture for Ready Cash only. Prices accordingly.

DORSEY & JOST.
April 10, 1879—ar ne pat till 1st may

ON Saturday night, during the progress of the fire, several robberies were committed and attempted in different parts of the city. Just as the alarm of fire sounded, a sneak thief entered the front door of Mr. Robert Scott's residence, on Euston street, and took therefrom two valuable overcoats, two felt hats and a far cap. The residence of Mr. F. Hazard and the residences of other gentlemen at the North End were also entered, but the thieves were disturbed before they secured any booty. No arrests have yet been made.

ON Friday night it was discovered that some time lately Messrs. Fenton T. Newbery & Co's bonded warehouse on Peake's No. 2 wharf, had been broken open and a quantity of tobacco stolen. The thieves effected an entrance by forcing open a window in the rear of the warehouse that had been boarded up. On Saturday portion of the stolen property was discovered hid on Queen's Wharf. Yesterday Officer Cameron discovered a cache of the stolen tobacco at at Mrs. Cummings', King Street. Mrs. Cummings said her son found it on Peake's Wharf while there getting firewood. There is still a large quantity of the tobacco missing. The amount stolen is valued at \$120.

YESTERDAY at noon, a nurse and child of Hon. W. W. Sullivan met with an accident by which both had a miraculous escape from death. The nurse—a girl about fourteen years of age—with one of Hon. Mr. Sullivan's youngest children in her arms—ascended the top of a draw-well to see if any of the household were returning from the city. While standing on the top, a plank gave way, and both were precipitated into the well, a distance of thirty-six feet. The accident was noticed by a servant, who ran immediately to the well with no other expectation than to take two lifeless bodies therefrom. On arriving at the top, the servant was rejoiced to find both living—the nurse standing in the well with her arms uplifted holding the child from the cold water. A rope was hastily lowered. She tied it around the child's body, and it was safely hoisted to the top, little shaken by the great fall. A ladder was next lowered. It was rather short. On ascending to the top of the ladder a rope was lowered, and the heroic young girl climbed hand-over-hand on the rope to the top. The back of her head was badly fractured from striking the wall during the fall. We are glad to learn she has sustained no further injury.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Ottawa and Foreign News.

OTTAWA, April 12.

It is said that Mr. Wade, M. P. for Digby, will receive the Senatorship vacated by the death of Mr. Northup.

Sir Alexander Galt is in town. It is said that his presence at the capital is in connection with the matter of opening and enlarging the foreign trade of the Dominion.

Mr. Fortin has a notice on the Common's paper of a resolution to make the Fisheries Award a fund for the protection and preservation of Canadian fisheries. There has been considerable wrangling in and out of Parliament concerning the disposal of this award, and it is not improbable that the Government will look with favor to Mr. Fortin's proposition.

The official *Gazette*, to-day, announces that the Canadian Temperance Act will be submitted to the electors of Charlotte, N. B., on the 14th of May next. The petition was signed by 1,145 electors.

ROME, April 13.

Garibaldi was taken in a carriage to the Quirinal on Sunday, and the King conversed with him privately in the carriage for half an hour.

Queen Victoria will probably visit the King and Queen of Italy at Monseau.

BERLIN, April 13.

Germany, though entertaining no idea of annexing the Samoan islands, intends to protect German interests and prevent the Americans from establishing themselves thereto the detriment of other nations.

LONDON, April 12.

The *Times* urges caution in dealing with the Egyptian question, and says that, while England is not concerned as a nation with Egypt's solvency, it is in its tranquility. It believes that the displacing of the Khedive would lead to a struggle, and says that the proposed joint expedition by England and France is premature and would cause grave misgivings in both countries.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the statements or opinions of our correspondents.

Island Industries.

To the Editor of the *Examiner*.

SIR,—I have been asked frequently, by parties in and around Charlottetown and at other points on the Island, if I could give any information concerning the cost and working of cheese factories, also the cost and working of potato-starch factories. But not until now have I been in a position to give the required information.

A cheese factory capable of consuming the milk from, say, one hundred and fifty cows will cost, complete, from five to six thousand dollars, and is a good paying speculation in the hands of proper managers. This information has been obtained from gentlemen largely interested in the business. Creameries, or butter factories, are also highly recommended—in fact, I am told that they are even more profitable and less expensive than cheese factories. I will know more about them before I leave Ontario.

A potato-starch factory, capable of grinding, say 2,000 bushels of potatoes per day, of about three months' grinding season, will cost from \$8,000 to \$10,000, or, it will require that amount of money to work it. Potato-starch factories don't average over five months' working season—one month getting ready before grinding, three months' grinding, and one month cleaning and finishing up after grinding. A well-managed factory of this size will justify paying twenty-four cents per bushel for potatoes, but they are not considered a profitable investment if you have to pay over these figures for potatoes; up to these figures it is a good investment. A dry, mealy potato is the best starch producer; the oil is capital food for stock and hogs. Every factory should collect a large number of cattle and hogs early in the fall to consume the offal from the works, and by so doing they will increase the profits largely. The next question is, where will we find a market for the starch? This is very easily answered, as I have seen several letters from cotton manufacturers in Europe why it is that there is no starch factories in the Maritime Provinces, and that they would be glad to enter into any satisfactory arrangements with starch manufacturing companies for the purchasing of their manufactured material. This should be sufficient information for the present. More, or all necessary information can be obtained when required.

Respectfully,
A. B. ALMOUR.

N. B.—Senator Howlan is doing as well as could be expected. The doctors probed the left eye last week to try and save the right one, but yesterday they took the eye out entirely, and to-day Miss Howlan informed me that the doctors told him that all danger of loosing the right eye was past. He is very weak, but good prospects of soon recovering. He certainly owes Sister St. George, of the Sisters Hospital, deep gratitude for her untiring care. She is constantly with him, day and night, administering to his wants, and stood over him all during the long and painful operation and until he came out of his trance produced by chloroform. I am thoroughly convinced that he could not possibly receive such good attention at even home as he does here. This afternoon when I called to see him there was no less than five ladies in his room consoling him in his misfortune, and his table loaded with delicacies. I would almost wish to be sick myself if I could get the kind attention he gets. Mr. Hackett is also very attentive to him.

A. B. A.

Ottawa, April 7, 1879.

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TICKETS—Reserved Seats, 50 cents; unreserved do., 25 cents—to be had the Apothecaries' Hall, Bremner Bros., T. L. Chappelle's, and from the Committee.

DOORS OPEN at 7 o'clock; performance to commence at 8 o'clock, sharp.

T. L. CHAPPELLE, Chairman.
E. W. DAWSON, Sec'y Com.
April 7, 1879—end 1 week 6i

APPLES.

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Ch'town, April 10.—2m

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Charlottetown, March 31, 1879.

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Ch'town, April 8, 1879.—tf

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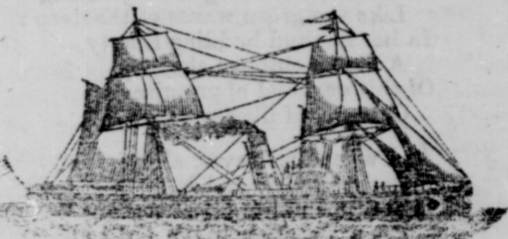
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Ch'town, April 4, 1879.

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MANAGERS.

Ch'town, Feb. 28, 1879.—6w 2aw

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RECEIVED, via Georgetown, ex steamer

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FENTON T. NEWBERRY CO.
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Albert.
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April 8, 1879—3in

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