

**Local and Other Items.**

THE "Prince Edward" will not sail until Monday.

THE full edition of Chappelle's Almanac sold in less than a fortnight. Mr. Chappelle advertises in the EXAMINER.

THE steamer "Northern Light" is now ready for service. She remains at this port awaiting orders from Ottawa.

CABLEGRAMS to the Mail report that an important commercial treaty is shortly to be effected between Germany and Austria.

NEW Silver Plated Ware and Fancy Articles for our Christmas trade, just opened at E. W. TAYLOR'S—dec 6, 3i

THERE is no truth in the statement of a Shediak correspondent of the Sackville Post that the Bank of P. E. Island intends opening a branch at Shediak.

THE Largest, Best and cheapest assortment of Xmas and New Year's Toys is at the Agricultural Store, West Side Queen's Square.—ROBERT MAY. dec 6 3i

VALUABLE CARGO.—Hon. S. Prowse cleared the brig, "Livonia" from Murray Harbor for Liverpool on the 3rd inst., with a cargo of produce valued at \$12,520.

ONE of the most stylish and comfortable houses in the city is that of Mr. H. Houle, recently built at the corner of Prince and Richmond streets. Messrs. Stirling & Harris are the architects.

BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY.—The members of the above Society are requested to meet (with regalia) in St. Patrick's Hall on Sunday morning at half-past nine, sharp. By order.—Francis P. McCarron, Secretary.

THE brig, "Nancy Ross," of Halifax, N. S., was lost off St. Pierre, Miq., on the 19th ult. Her crew, including the Captain's wife and two children, were picked off by the sch. "Edith Weir," while on passage from this Island to St. John's, Nfld.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon, Capt. Ronald McMillan, of the "John F. Robertson," appeared on charge of assaulting his mate—Gustavus F. Neelson. The Magistrate thought the assault was not of such a nature as would warrant him in fining the Captain. He, therefore, dismissed the summons. John McDonald was fined \$1 and costs for being drunk and incapable.

THE Toronto police raided a gambling room a few days ago, and netted the keeper and ten young men engaged in gaming. Some of them occupied respectable positions. They were summarily fined \$50 each and severely lectured in the bargain, the magistrate telling them "that of all the vices, gambling was the worst, and that it should be put down with a strong hand. A man who gambled for money could not be strictly honest at heart, and he should be ostracised from respectable society."

DROWNED.—A young man named Alexander Steele, mate of the brigantine "William," was drowned off Panmure Island on Friday evening. While fishing the vessel's anchor he accidentally fell overboard. A board was thrown to assist him in floating. This he caught hold of, but it is supposed the vessel, which was under way, struck him and thus he sank. The unfortunate young man belongs to Georgetown and was brother of Capt. Angus Steele, who was lost in the "Gypsy Bride" off Rollo Bay, in the fall of 1877.

THE following from Sir A. T. Galt's Ottawa speech, puts the trade question in a nutshell: "It was idle to think of throwing open our markets to other countries, whose markets are not thrown open to us, and from his own recent observations in England he was certain that even there a great change is coming over public opinion on that question. He did not care for abstract notions of political economy, so far as that subject was concerned. As a practical man, who had all his life watched the trade and commerce of this country he said that if we permit the producers of other nations to come in here free, while they tax our products going into their markets, they will grow rich, and we will continue to be poor."

PUT IN THE PEG.—A certain Stipendiary and Recorder who administers the law not very far from the Dartmouth Asylum, recently sat in judgment on the great unwashed towed in the previous evening by the Sarmaritan officers of the law. Among the motley crew was a shoemaker, whose nervous twitch indicated a long continued debauch. "Well, sir, what brought you here," said the Stipendiary. "Whiskey, your Worship," was the reply, and he wiped away a silent tear that trickled down his wan cheek. The magistrate looked at him for a moment, and was about reading him a lecture on the moral law, when the penitent knight of the awl broke forth, "If you let me go this time, your honor, 'I'll put in the peg.' His Honor softened, and said, "You may go, but bring me up the document to-morrow morning." When the curtain went up at next day's court the shoemaker was called. "Here (hic) yer Honor," responded a squeaky voice in the corner, and presently a little man, with difficulty, made his way to the dock. "Did you keep your promise, sir, said the magistrate, "Yes, yer Honor," replied the shoemaker, producing a piece of sole leather with a peg in it. The dignity of the court was disturbed for a moment, and then the fanny man was piloted to his "dungeon cell" for three days.—Halifax Herald.

THE Toronto Telegram, referring to the fact that Sir John McDonald owes much of his success in public life to his personal magnetism, and to his admirable social qualities, thus illustrates its point:—"It seems that at the banquet it was difficult to hear him; so he mounted a table and made his speech from the top of it. There is nothing odd in that, so far as Sir John is concerned, because everybody knows his genial disposition and happy ways. But could you conceive of a British Prime Minister doing the same thing or even Mr. Blake?" There is only one misfortune about this illustration: it is not true. Sir John did not mount a table and make a speech from it. He took his position on a platform at the side of a building, just as Sir Leonard Tilley, Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Alexander Galt did, when they spoke. It is a pity to spoil so good a story; but the truth compels us to do so.—Montreal Gazette.

**LONDON HOUSE. DECEMBER.**

**G. DAVIES & CO.,**

Desire to call special attention, during this month to the following low lines of Goods:

A Lot of ENGLISH BLANKETS, at \$1.75, \$2.50 and \$3.50

A Lot of QUILTED BED COVERS, \$1.25, \$1.75, and \$2.00

A Lot of BOYS' REEFERS at \$2.00

A Lot of Womens' Grey Ribbed HOSE, at 22 cents.

A Special Line of Plain and Fancy

**WINCEYS,** (Stripes and Tartans.)

A Large Assortment of Mens' Women's and Childrens'

**Fur Goods**

A choice lot of

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Promenade Scarfs, Squares, BREAKFAST SHAWLS, &c. &c., &c.

Also—Just Received by S. S. "Prince Edward,"

NEW FRILLINGS, FRINGES, LACES, RIBBONS, SPOTTED NETTS, BERLIN WOOLS, LADIES RIBBED CASHMERE HOSE.

A Fresh Supply of Kerr's Celebrated

N. M. T. SEWING COTTON.

TERMS CASH.

**Geo. Davies & Co.** Dec. 3, 1879.

**Charlottetown Church Directory.**

ST. PAUL'S (CHURCH OF ENGLAND).—Queen Square.—Morning and Evening Service every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 2 1/2 p. m. Rev. David FitzGerald, Rector; Rev. Alfred Osborne Curate.

ST. PETER'S (CHURCH OF ENGLAND).—Rochford Square.—Sunday Services—8 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Daily Services—Matsins—9 a. m. Evensong—5 p. m., except Friday evenings, at 7.30 p. m. Rev. George W. Hodgson, Priest Incumbent, Rev. R. D. Bambrick Assistant Curate.

ST. DUNSTON'S CATHEDRAL.—Low Mass every Sunday at 8 a. m. High Mass at 10 a. m.; Vespers at 3 p. m. Mass at 7.30 a. m. throughout the week. Rev. A. McGillivray, Rev. Dr. Chaisson Pastors.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.—Prince Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Week Day Services—Tuesday and Thursdays at 7.30 p. m. Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, A. M., Pastor.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH.—Prince Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Week day service on Wednesday evening. Rev. Geo. M. Campbell, Pastor

ST. JAMES' CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN).—Pownal Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6 1/2 p. m. Sabbath School and young men's Bible class, conducted by Mr. Harper, at 2.30 p. m. Weekly Service in the Lecture Hall on Wednesday evenings, at 7.45 p. m. Rev. Kenneth McLennan, Pastor.

ZION CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN).—Richmond Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6 1/2 p. m. Sunday School at 2 1/2 p. m. Rev. John McL. McLeod, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Prince Street.—Rev. Dr. Murray, Pastor.—Hours of Service, 11 o'clock, a. m., 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Great George Street.—Services and Sermon every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 6.30 o'clock p. m.; Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Week day services—Monday at 7.30 p. m.; and Friday at 8 p. m. Rev. H. Foshay, Minister.

BIBLE CHRISTIANS.—Prince Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday morning at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Rev. Mr. Harris, Minister.

PRAYER MEETING in Y. M. C. A. every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST meet in New Church House, every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Elders presiding.

**Union Bank of P. E. Island. DIVIDEND NO. 31.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of five per cent. for the past half year, has been declared on the capital stock of this Bank, payable at its Head Office and Branches on and after this date.

GEO. MACLEOD, Cashier.

Ch'town, Dec. 1st, 1879—1w d3

**OPENED THIS DAY, Fancy Wool Breakfast Shawls, Plain do do do, Colored Wool Squares,**

NEW FEATHERS, NEW HATS, NEW FRILLINGS, PLAIN & FANCY VELVETEENS. BEER & SONS. Dec. 3, 1879.

**JUST RECEIVED! 60 PAIRS ACME CLUB SKATES,**

PLAIN STEEL, NICKEL PLATED, and GOLD & NICKEL, Retailing at Low Prices. W. E. DAWSON & CO. Nov. 25, 1879—10i

**Merchants Bank of P. E. Island**

THE Stockholders of the BANK who made SPECIAL DEPOSITS on interest on 1st December, 1878, for two years, are hereby notified that the Bank is prepared to repay to any Depositor who may desire it, the amount of his deposit on demand.

By order of the Directors, WM. MCLEAN, Cashier.

Ch'town, Dec. 2, 1879—tues & sat

**FANCY FAIR!**

ATHENÆUM, Tuesday, December 16th, '79.

A SALE of useful and fancy articles will be held, (under the auspices of Prince Edward Division, No. 1 S. of T.,) Tuesday, 16th December, 1879. Persons wishing to purchase Christmas Cards and Presents will find this a good opportunity.

A first-class Refreshment Table will be provided. The Military Brass Band will be in attendance. Doors open at 2 o'clock, noon. Admission 10 cents.

W. E. BAGNALL, Chairman Com. E. M. WELSH, Treasurer. JOHN D. WALKER, Sec'y. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Oct. 23, 1879.

**PERKINS & STERNS**

Invite the attention of buyers to their large, well assorted, and

**CHEAP STOCK,**

of the following goods:

- MANTLE CLOTHS,
- ULSTER CLOTHS,
- TWEED SUITINGS,
- WORSTED COATINGS,
- WHITE FLANNELS,
- SCARLET FLANNELS
- SHIRTING FLANNELS,
- FRENCH TWILL FLANNELS.

**DRESS GOODS.**

A large variety of the Newest Materials, and Trimmings to suit.

Plain, Checked & Plaid **WINCEYS,** of the best value.

**FUR MUFFS,** COLLARS & TIES,

in Seal, Mink, Astrachan, &c., GREBE MUFFS,

AND Grebe Trimmings.

**KNIT WOOL GOODS,**

of every describing from a 5c. pair Bootees to a "PEG WOFFINGTON" combination Scarf & Hood.

Black Silk Fringes,

a very large variety good & cheap

All of the above extra good value.

**Perkins & Sterns.**

Ch'town, Nov. 4, 1879.

**J. R. FOSTER, Moncton, N. B.,**

REPRESENTING IN THE MARITIME PROVINCES Ontario, Chicago and Western Millers and Shippers,

**FLOUR, MEAL, GRAIN, Seeds and Provisions.**

The following are some of the leading brands of Flour for sale wholesale, in car-loads only, viz:—"Buda," "Alabaster," "White Rose," Warecup's Superior, "Pastry," "Beaver Mills," "Red XXX," "Amber," &c., &c.

The above choice brands of flour, with many others, can be obtained at all the leading Flour Houses in the Maritime Provinces. Samples of all kinds of Seed Grains, and other goods will be sent to any address on application free of charge.

Ask for quotations by telegraph in "Cipher," which will be supplied to all correspondents on application. Nov. 25, 1879—6m

**FARM FOR SALE. 800 ACRES,**

SITUATED 20 miles west of Moncton, N. B., on line and in sight of Intercolonial Railway, between Moncton and St. John—buildings 2 1/2 miles from Petitcodiac R. R. Station.

The above farm contains 800 acres, 300 acres of which are cleared and under cultivation. Price, \$4,500, 25 per cent. cash down; balance on easy terms.

For full and further particulars apply to J. R. FOSTER, Agent. Moncton N. B., Nov. 25 1879.—6m



**LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKEY.**

THE ANALYTICAL SANITARY INSTITUTION, 54, Holborn-viaduct, E. C., London, Aug. 18, 1879, report on the "Lorne Highland Whiskey" of Messrs. Greenlees Brothers:—

"We have visited the bottling stores of Messrs. Greenlees Brothers, at Gresham-buildings, London, and have selected from the vats, samples of their Lorne Highland Whiskey, and have subjected them to careful examination and analysis. The samples were pale, showing their freedom from added coloring matter, very fragrant, mellow and of pleasant flavor; in fact, they possessed all the characteristics of pure and well-matured Scotch Whiskey of the first quality."

ARTHUR HILL, HASSALL, M. D. OTTO HEINER, F. C. S., F. I. C.

Sole Proprietors, GREENLEES BROTHERS, Gresham-buildings, London; Distillers, Argyleshire.

Agents: MESSRS. OWEN CONNOLLY & CO., Charlottetown, P. E. I. Nov. 26, 1879.—6m

**STOVES, STOVES, AND TINWARE.**

M. STEVENSON calls attention to his M. Stock of Stoves. On hand: the Gurney Range, for coal, and the Golden Age, and others for wood.

TINWARE and STOVEPIPE constantly on hand and made to order. Nov. 8, 1879—1m 3tw

**Wants, Lost, Found, &c.**

**NEW COTTAGE TO LET.**—Kitchen and sitting-room below, and three bedrooms above stairs. A large piece of ground attached. Pleasant and healthy situation for a small family. Well suited for a Market Gardener or Landdress. Enquire at the residence of Chief Justice PALMER.—d6 m & w

**WANTED.**—By a gentleman, a large bed-room, furnished, fire, &c., (central) for a few weeks, on reasonable terms. Apply at this office. d6, tf

**WANTED.**—Employment of any kind by a respectable man in Wareroom or Store. Well used to horses and good scholar. Address, T K., office of this paper. d1 lw pd

**TO LET.**—A Three Story House, containing 8 rooms, 3 halls and 1 kitchen, situated on the corner of Pownal and Euston Street. Apply on the premises to JOHN JOHNSTON. d1 eod 2w pd

**TO LET.**—Office, Wareroom and first proof Cellar. Low Rent. Good business stand. Apply to the book-keeper at this office. [n 22 10i eod

**A Fine Cabinet Organ.**—(Smith A maker) which cost \$130.00, will be sold for sixty dollars, less than half. Apply at this office. [n10

**FOR SALE.**—A first-class YOUNG MARE, 3 years old, sired by Imported Blood Horse "Abel," stands 15 hands, good style and quite gentle in harness. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply at this office. [u. 1, tf

**BOARDERS WANTED.**—A few permanent Boarders can be accommodated at very moderate rates at the Revere House. [oct 29, 1879]