

Local and Other Items.

D. BANKS MCKENZIE is expected on the Island next month.

THERE were no trials before the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this morning.

DON'T forget the business meeting of the Reform Club to-night. A lively time may be expected.

THE ice is rendered dangerous by the soft weather of the past few days. To-day but few horses have crossed.

THE Soup Kitchen Committee acknowledge, with many thanks, the sum of five dollars from J. R. B. and two friends, received through Dr. Dodd.

OUR report of Rev. Mr. Lathern's sermon, preached last night, has been crowded out for want of space. It will appear to-morrow.

SUPREME COURT.—The case of Moore vs. Gray is still before the court. At 2 o'clock, the court adjourned to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hodgson, wife of the Prothonotary.

OUR subscribers will confer a great favor by reporting any negligence in the delivery of the EXAMINER each evening by the carriers. This is the only means by which a regular delivery can be ensured.

MORE TROUBLE AT LACHINE.—There are prospects of more trouble between the contractors and men on the Lachine Canal Enlargement Works. Some of the former have given notice of their intention of reverting to the system of paying the men monthly. The latter demur.

SALE OF BANK STOCK.—William Dodd sold, on Saturday, bank stock as follows: 40 shares in Bank of P. E. I., at 50 1/2 to 51 1/2 per cent. premium; 60 shares in Union Bank of P. E. I., at 47 to 50 per cent. premium; 45 shares in Merchants' Bank, at 50 to 52 per cent. premium.

ON Saturday last a boy named Robert Bell, while running on the ice, slipped and fell. A butcher knife that was in his pocket at the time accidentally penetrated his right side, inflicting a very serious wound. The boy is under medical attendance.

We have often called the attention of the police to corner loafers and Sunday stragglers. These are now becoming a pest, and respectable persons (especially young ladies) cannot pass by without being insulted. Once more we ask that this nuisance be stopped. Let the police patrol the streets and keep the corners of streets and warehouse steps clear of these insulting idlers.

CHANGES.—Principal Harper has made several changes in the City Schools during the past week. Mr. Dungan has been changed from his class in the East Kent Street School, to a class in the Normal School, Upper Prince Street, and Mr. Seaman and Miss McKinnon have been changed from their classes in the Normal School, to classes in the East Kent Street School.

GOOD APPOINTMENTS.—The City Council last night, appointed the Hon. A. A. Macdonald, Thomas Handrahan, Esq., and E. J. Hodgson, Esq., Trustees of the City Schools under the provisions of the Public Schools Act 1877. The action of the Council has been somewhat tardy, but it has done right to make the appointments and to select gentlemen so well qualified to perform the duties of the position.—Pat.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.—His honor the Lieutenant Governor in Council has made the following appointments:—Charles Inches, Esq., M. D., of Mount Stewart, to be a Coroner for Queen's and King's Counties. William Gamble Strong and Angus McMillan, Esquires, to be additional Commissioners for Prince County for carrying into effect the Act 12th Victoria, Cap. 12, intitled, "An Act to consolidate and amend the several Acts relating to prison discipline and hard labor, and to repeal certain Acts therein mentioned."

SIR C. DILKE ON THE SITUATION.—A correspondent recently interviewed Sir Charles Dilke. He does not believe in any line of policy which will make intervention in the existing war necessary. He is decidedly opposed to assisting Turkey. He says that if England once engages she cannot extricate herself. Russian influence in affairs of Europe has risen, while English influence has declined. The substitution of Greece's interests for those of Turkey would, we believe, become popular in England if it were a practical scheme.

A letter from Cardigan informs us of a case wherein a villain deserted his wife, family and creditors by running away with the servant girl and marrying her, or rather that she came away in the steamer Northern Light, he following the next trip to Pictou, where the couple were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by a J. P. of that town, after which they left for parts unknown. He had only been at Cardigan for about three months, where he had opened a store and retailed goods at remarkably low prices for cash, selling the balance of the goods on hand at private sale to the village postmaster just before he left to follow his new found lady-love, telling his wife that he would be gone only a little while, and giving her very minute directions about household matters, even to the cooking of a pair of chickens. He also told her that he could draw \$200 then due from the person to whom he sold the goods; but further regarding this money, deponent smothered. Judging, however, from the rest of his transactions, we infer that his poor wife was not permitted to handle the money. We regret that our correspondent did not furnish us with descriptions of the pair, as a photo, by Sun-light, might prove them from imposing on honest people in these parts, should they honor (t) us with a visit.—Tribune Sun.

Latest by Telegraph.

Another Instance of Conservative Reaction.

Minister of Militia Defeated.

(Special Dispatch to Daily Examiner.)

DIGNY, Jan. 21. Vail was defeated here on Saturday. The majority for Wade was 372.

WAR NEWS.

[By Telegraph to Reading Room and Daily Examiner.]

London, Jan. 21. The Turkish delegates met the Grand Duke Nicholas at Tirnova, and several preliminary notes were exchanged. The Duke declared that the treaty could only be arranged at Adrianople, which place must be evacuated, and all foreign consuls to remain to protect their countrymen.

The Turks evacuated Hazen, south of Osman Bazar. The Russians thereby secure the head of another Balkan Pass. The insurrection in Thessaly is spreading, and has also spread to parts in Macedonia. Muekkar Pasha has been appointed to command the army along the defense before Constantinople.

The obelisk containing Cleopatra's needle passed Margate on the afternoon of the 20th.

Failures.

The liabilities of Walker, Evans & Co., shoe manufacturers, Toronto, are about \$30,000. They offer sixty cents on the dollar.

The suspension of Robert Mitchell & Co., brass founders and plumbers, Montreal, was principally due to the competition from American goods and outside speculations. At a meeting of creditors to-day permission was given to carry on business under inspectors.

Mullarky & Co., of Montreal, hope to get over their difficulties. Their liabilities are probably \$200,000, but their assets are large. Speculation in land and public companies by Mullarky was the cause of difficulties.

Scully, Reinliart & Co., furriers, of Montreal, are in financial difficulties; liabilities about \$500,000; assets large. Also Mullarky & Co., boot and shoe manufacturers; liabilities heavy.

Miscellaneous News.

A despatch to the "Morning Post" from Berlin says: "The German Government has finally determined to submit to the Imperial Parliament a motion for an increase of the tax and duty on tobacco—the first step in the general reform of imperial taxation."

Sir William Sterling Maxwell, the distinguished author, is dead. He stood on Africa's burning sands, And smiled on Hottentot and Kaffir, He said, "I'm safe," and rubbed his hands, When, lo! there stood a paragraph!

A very wise push for the Turks.—To Tirnova—a new leaf. In England they are organizing parties to make excursions to the Turkish battlefield as soon as this cruel war is over.

A correspondent of the Cork Examiner has proved to his own satisfaction that Suleiman Pasha is a native of Cork, and that his real name is Patrick Sullivan.

America wants five times as much space as it has got at the Paris Exhibition.

There is only one Gentle in the Legislative Assembly at Utah.

Randolph beat Dion at billiards at New Orleans by a score of 600 to 471.

George Pratt, of Jefferson, N. H., was killed on Saturday by a tree falling upon him.

The New Brunswick Legislature is expected to meet about the middle of February.

The New York Herald said that Louis Fleischman kept a swill milk business, and Fleischman asks the Herald to pay him \$50,000 damages, or he will sue.

There is in New York a Protestant Episcopal Society for the conversion of the Jews. It would seem from the annual report for the past year that the Secretary had paid 625 visits to the Hebrews. He had received 286 visits from them, and the converts numbered 33. There were distributed 24 Bibles in Hebrew and German, 28 Pentateuchs with Hophortras and Russian selections of the prophecies, 30 New Testaments in Hebrew and German, 89 copies of Dr. Bissenthof's Commentary in Hebrew, 8 in English and German, and 14 copies of the Pilgrim's Progress in Hebrew.

The Grand Trunk Railway is seeking power from the Dominion Government to establish a Provident or Accident Assurance fund for the benefit of its officers and employes, also for power to purchase or lease, or arrange for the making of any other railroad either in or out of Canada.

NOTICE.

Tailoring and Cutting.

JOHN BELL is now prepared, at his Residence, Fitzroy Street, west, near the Kirk, TO MAKE UP TO ORDER, every description of GENTLEMEN'S & BOY'S CLOTHING! Shirts, Ladies' Sacques, Military Uniforms, Clergymen and Lawyers' Gowns, LADIES RIDING HABITS. Carnival and Fancy Dress Ball Costumes on reasonable terms and shortest notice. Pattern and Garment Cutting a Specialty. JOHN BELL, Tailor & Cutter, Fitzroy St., west, near St. James' Kirk, Ch'town, Dec. 31, 1877.

Eastern Notes and Comments.

The Manchester Guardian's despatch from Constantinople on Monday says: "The Turks are beginning to fear that the Russians intend to push on to the Capital. The defence of Adrianople will probably not be attempted. The remaining Turkish forces will be rallied here. Some of the Turks are beginning to flee to Bosnia, in Anatolia, 57 miles southwest of Constantinople."

A London despatch from Constantinople says: "The Austrian Embassy has been notified that Austria is opposed to separate peace, and intends to support the Treaty of Paris, and further, that she wishes Turkey should leave grave questions affecting European interest open for consideration at Conference of European powers. This communication is regarded here as a sign there is an understanding between England and Austria."

The National Guards of all towns in Greece have been called to arms, and considerable activity is apparent among land and sea forces. It is believed an insurrection in Thessaly and Epirus is imminent, and that the Cretan Assembly is about to decree the annexation of that island to Greece.

The Agency Russia says: "The pacific disposition manifested by the Porte in sending Serdar and Nanyik Pashas to Russian headquarters has been received by the Russians with an assurance that the moment Turkey accepts preliminaries to be communicated by Russian Commander-in-Chief, suspension of hostilities will ensue."

Agency Russia, in an article on the present situation, states that Russia, at the commencement of the war, received England's specification of their interests in friendly spirit, and has respected them according to promise. The route to India via Suez Canal, remains unthreatened as England's exclusive domain. Russia still maintains that Constantinople ought not to belong, under any circumstances, to any great power.



The Greatest Medical Discovery since the Creation of Man, or since the Commencement of the Christian Era.

There never has been a time when the healing of so many different diseases has been caused by outward application as the present. It is an undoubted fact that over half of the entire population of the globe resort to the use of ordinary plasters.

DR. MELVIN'S CAPSICUM POROUS PLASTERS are acknowledged by all who have used them, to act quicker than any other plaster they ever before tried, and that one of these plasters will do more real service than a hundred of the ordinary kind. All other plasters are slow of action, and require to be worn continually to effect a cure; but with these it is entirely different; the instant one is applied the patient will feel its effect.

Physicians in all ages have thoroughly tested and well know the effect of Capsicum; and it has always been more or less used as a medical agent for an outward application; but it is only of very recent date that its advantages in a porous plaster have been discovered. Being, however, convinced of the wonderful cures effected by DR. MELVIN'S CAPSICUM POROUS PLASTERS, and their superiority over all other plasters, they now actually prescribe them, in their practice, for such diseases as rheumatism, pain in the side and back, and all such cases as have required the use of plaster or liniment. After you have tried other plasters and liniments, and they have failed, and you want a certain cure, ask your druggist for Dr. Melvin's Capsicum Porous Plaster. You can hardly believe your own condition of its wonderful effects. Although powerful and quick in its action, you can rely on its safety for the most delicate person to wear, as it is free from lead and other poisonous material commonly used in the manufacture of ordinary plasters. One trial is a sufficient guarantee of its merits, and one plaster will sell hundreds to your friends.

Ask your druggist for DR. MELVIN'S CAPSICUM POROUS PLASTER, and take no other; or, on receipt of 25 cents for one, \$1 for five, or \$2 for a dozen, they will be mailed, post paid, to any address in the United States or Canada.

MANUFACTURED BY THE NOVELTY PLASTER WORKS Lowell, Mass., U. S. A., G. E. MITCHELL, Proprietor, Manufacturers of Plasters and Plaster Compounds

W. R. WATSON, Agent. December 7, 1877.

SWEET ORANGES,

APPLES, Lemons, Grapes, Figs, Nuts, A Onions, Raisins, Currants, Spices. All kinds Crackers, Preserves, and the largest assortment of Confectionery to be had on the Island. Fancy Toys, Flour (by the bbl. or lb.), Tea, Sugar, Soap, Candles, Pepper, Mustard, Vinegar, and a variety of Groceries. ALEX. MCKENZIE, Queen Street, Ch'town, Dec. 27, 1877.—tu&n3w

NOTICE!

NEVER in the history of the "LONDON HOUSE" have we been selling Dry Goods so LOW as at present, and we would invite those in Town and country, who have not participated in the EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS we are giving, to call at once.

We only ask a personal inspection to show that we are, in good faith, SELLING OFF at the LOW PRICES advertised.

GEO. DAVIES & CO. Dec. 13th, 1877.—cod2w

Prince Edward Island Railway,

"NORTHERN LIGHT."

In connection with the winter Steamship ON and after MONDAY, 14th January, the Steamship Special Train will leave Charlottetown at 5.30 a.m., arriving at Georgetown at 8 a.m. on the days upon which the Steamship leaves Georgetown. Immediately on arrival of the Northern Light from Pictou, the Special Train will leave Georgetown for Charlottetown, connecting (when possible to do so) at Royalty Junction with the Mixed Train for Summerside. C. J. BRYDGES, W. McKECHNIE, Gen. Supt. Govt. Ry. Supt. Ch'town, Jan. 14—66

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, and Amending Acts.

ROBERT HOLO, Plaintiff. SYLVANUS KEITH, Defendant.

A WRIT of Attachment has issued in this Cause. B. WILSON HIGGS, Official Assignee. Charlottetown, P. E. Island, January 14, 1878.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 and Amending Acts.

In the matter of SYLVANUS KEITH, an Insolvent.

ALL persons indebted to the above Insolvent are hereby notified to pay their accounts to me, and to me only. B. WILSON HIGGS, Official Assignee. Charlottetown, P. E. Island, January 14, 1878.

FINE ARTS

NEW YEAR'S CLASS.

MRS. W. W. IRVING begs to intimate to the public that she has re-opened her Classes at the late City Hotel, opposite the R. C. Chapel, where, having every facility, she is prepared to give lessons in Oil and Water Color Painting, and Drawing in Crayon and Pencil in all their different branches. Terms made known on application. Jan. 11, 1877.

OUR GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

Further Reduced Prices.

BANKRUPT STOCK!

still on hand, will be sold at HALF PRICE.

Remnants at half Price!

WOOLLEN & FUR GOODS

GREAT BARGAINS IN CLOTHING!

for Men and Boys.

ROBERT ORR & CO.

Charlottetown, Jan. 8, 1878.

CHEAPEST YET!

Cheap Dry Goods Sal

BOOTS & SHOES,

of about \$2,000 worth, at cost to clear, consisting of—

- Men's Wellington Boots, Men's Leather Congress Boots, Men's Felt Congress Boots, Men's Larrigans & Overshoes, Men's Felt and Leather Slippers, Women's Leather Boots, Women's Felt Boots, Women's Slippers & Overshoes, Misses' & Children's Leather Boots.

COME ONE AND ALL AND GET BOOTS CHEAP

J. B. MACDONALD,

QUEEN STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN. Jan. 9—ne pat

DR. WILLIAM GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

The Great English Remedy is an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a consequence of Self-Abuse, as Loss of Memory, Unsteady Locomotion, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Early Rising, Premature Old Age, and After taking many other diseases that lead to Leucorrhoea or Consumption and a Premature Grave. Price, \$1 per package, or six packages for \$5, by mail free of postage. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. Address WM. GRAY & CO., Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Sold in Charlottetown by W. Watson, P. Frazer, C. D. Rankin, D. Dodd, and a Apothecaries' Hall, and by all druggists everywhere.

1,000 LOADS OF MANURE

For Sale. NIGHT SOIL and Stable Manure delivered when required.

DANIEL GORDON. P. S.—Leave orders for removing Night Soil at Police Station. Ch'town, Jan. 9, 1878—

ON CONSIGNMENT

With Positive Instructions TO SELL: 20 HHDS. MOLASSES, 10 do. SUGAR, 200 Bbls. APPLES, 25 Crates ONIONS, 100 Pairs Men, Women & Boys BOOTS, 10,000 CIGARS.

Counter and Platform Scales,

Direct from the Factories. A few Celebrated Bourne Pianofortes, Mason and Hamlin Organs.

Second-hand Instruments taken in exchange at fair valuations. A. MCNEILL, Auct'r. No. 11 Queen St., Jan. 3, 1878—6i law

KING SQUARE HOUSE!

WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF

CARRIAGE GOODS

Consisting in part of

Iron, Steel, and Castings, Spokes and Rims, Axles and Springs.

We call special attention to HENRY'S PATENT SINGLE PLY

Cast Steel Carriage Springs,

for which we are agents. We warrant each Set.

OUR PRICES ARE VERY LOW BEER & SONS. Ch'town, Jan. 9, 1878.

WE CONTINUE TO SELL

ALL OUR STAPLE GOODS

—ON THE—

Most Favorable Terms.

IN STORE:

- 1125 Bbls. Flour, 500 " Cornmeal, 300 Hhds Molasses, 30 " Sugar, 50 Bbls W to Granulated Sugar, 20 Bbls Crushed do, 400 Chests Tea, 125 half Chests Tea, 75 Boxes Tea, 500 Coils Manilla, 500 Sides No. 1 Sole Leather, 200 Sides No. 2 " 230 Boxes Raisins, 100 Kegs Bing Soda, 30 Bbls Wng Soda, 75 Boxes Cheese, 60 Casks Vinegar, 200 Boxes Soap, 50 " Toilet Soap, 35 Bags Nuts, 600 Boxes Table Salt, 50 Bbls. Currants, 25 Boxes Flat Tobacco, 10 Kegs Isl. Twist Tobacco, 15 l'gs Acadia Twist Tobacco, 20 Boxes Axes, 100 Boxes 3 in. Nails, 100 " 1 1/2 in. " 50 Boxes Horseshoes, 200 boxes Confectionery (assorted), 800 Reams Paper (all sizes), 50 Doz. Brooms, 50 Doz. Pails, 60 Boxes Glass, 150 Boxes Bartlett's Blue, 100 Gross Bartlett's Shoe Blacking, 150 Jars Cream Tartar, 100 Tins Pepper, 100 " Mustard, 40 " Ginger, 40 " Mxd Spices, 20 " Allspice, 30 Packages Whole Cloves, 30 " Nutmegs, 150 Boxes Yeast, 20 Bbls. W to Beans, 150 Casks Kerosene, 25 Bbls. Onions, 50 Boxes Candles,

Carvell Brothers.

Ch'town, Dec. 22—2w 3aw pat ar 2w

Wants, Lost, Found, &c

Advertisements under this heading, in space not exceeding half an inch, will be inserted for Ten Cents per day.

GIRL WANTED.—For Waiting Table at the Reform Club Restaurant. Jan 21—11

FOUND—A KID MIT. Apply at the EXAMINER Office. Jan. 19, 1878—

Lost—On the street, yesterday, a light gray Woollen SHAWL. The finder, on returning the article, will be rewarded. MRS. MACLENNAN, St. James' Manse. Jan. 18—21

LOST.—This morning, between 8 and 11 o'clock, a valuable Watch Seal (Gold), between McKinnon & Fraser's Factory and Kent Street. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the Store of W. E. Dawson & Co. Jan. 14, 1878.

MONEY TO LEND—on good security. Apply to J. F. Montgomery, Euston street, Charlottetown. Jan. 11, 1878.—11

LOST.—On the 25th of October, from the house in which Mr. Sinclair formerly resided, a Prayer Book of the Reformed Church of England, which was seen in the house after the fire. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at the EXAMINER OFFICE. Jan. 8, 1878.

WANTED.—An EXPERIENCED ACCOUNTANT to take charge of a set of Books in Merchant's office in the city. Must be a good writer. Address A. B., EXAMINER (Office) Ch'town, Jan. 3, 1878