

Local and Other Items.

BAND at the Roller Rink to-night. TAMBOURINES and drums at Lewis'. THE Manitoba elections take place to-day. PRINT REMNANTS at the London House. CHOICE pears, equal to Bartlett's, at W. F. Carter's. A GREAT variety of toys, just the thing for the children, at Lewis'. COME and see the Xmas cards at Lewis'. JELLIES, Coloring Extracts, Olives, Peels, Spices, all the best, at Watson's. GLOVES, Mitts and Fur Caps in great variety at the London House. A BEAUTIFUL assortment of plush goods, suitable for Xmas presents at Lewis'. THEY begin young in Kansas. In the last divorce case decided in that state the wife was only 15. BIBLE CLASS in Y. M. C. A. this evening, at 8 o'clock. SPECIAL VALUE.—Men's Heavy Cardigan Jackets, \$1.40 to \$1.80, at the London House. OUR thanks are due F. T. Newbery, Esq., agent of the Hartford Insurance Co., for several handsome calendars. The brig Ida Mand, loaded with potatoes and oats by F. T. Newbery, Esq., sailed for Demerara yesterday afternoon. The windows of Watson's Drug Store are full of beautiful presents for every one. The Rev. T. W. Johnstone will hold Divine Services in the Long Creek School House, Lot 63, on Tuesday evening, 14th inst. EACH Polling Division in Queen's County will be entitled to three delegates at the Liberal-Conservative Convention. The steamer M. A. Starr left Canso at 10 o'clock this morning, and will arrive here this evening.—W. W. Clarke, Agent. A PUBLIC meeting is to be held in Summerside this evening, to consider the necessity of further improvements in the harbor. A STEEL screw steamer of 1,000 tons has been ordered from a San Francisco company by the Canadian Pacific railway, to ply on Puget Sound. CHOICE BALDWIN APPLES.—In the car lot at Auction on Monday next, will be offered 50 barrels Choice No. 1 Baldwin Apples.—A. McNeill, Auctioneer. The Stipendiary Magistrate has received \$13 additional towards the proposed Christmas dinner for the poor. A BOSTON woman, by way of experiment, recently tied a pedometer to her chin, and discovered that she talked thirty-three miles between breakfast and lunch. At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday, two Scott Act cases were postponed until Monday next, and a sailor who deserted from his ship was remanded to jail until the ship was ready to sail. A SCOTT ACT summons was issued by the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon. SORRIS has a branch of the Benevolent Irish Society. The officers are: Joseph Doyle, President; Benjamin Rice, Vice; James Brennan, Second Vice; James McQuinn, Treasurer, and Daniel E. Morris, Secretary. THE Toronto City Council has rejected by a vote of 24 to 11, the proposal by-law to reduce the number of taverns from 225 to 100 and increasing license fee to \$800 and \$500 respectively. JUAN MICALDO was, yesterday afternoon, sent up for trial in the Supreme Court for stabbing with intent to murder. AN Orlawa despatch says:—Official circulars have been sent to the government of Canada inviting it to send representatives to a conference in London next spring, for the special purpose of discussing the defence question; postal arrangements and other matters of interest to the empire will also likely be discussed. THE steamer Neptune, which left Georgetown for Pictou yesterday morning to coal, expected here to-morrow afternoon. I. O. O. F.—At a regular session of Port la Joie Encampment, held last evening, the following were elected for the ensuing year: C. P.—William Taylor. H. P.—James R. McKee. S. W.—W. E. Boreham. Scribes—David B. MacLennan. F. S.—Richard Maynard. Treas.—W. P. Doull. J. W.—Charles Lawson. The steamer Northern Light arrived from Sydney at eleven o'clock this forenoon, having in tow the barkentine Moselle, which put into Sydney on the 29th ult. with cargo shifted, sails lost, and several of her crew sick. CAPT. Rendie tells a tough story of the passage to Sydney, which was almost continuous storm. On the first week out he lost his sails. The supply of water next gave out. On the 27th day he reached the Moselle, but was three times blown off. For about a fortnight, commencing with the morning of the 18th, he drifted about between Capes May and Anguille, during which time a seaman named Champion, hailing from Liverpool, G. B., fell from the foreyard to the deck, injuring his back and shoulder. A portion of the vessel's bulwarks was also torn away. On the 23rd the Moselle put into Sydney in distress. After some necessary repairs had been effected, and the arrival of the Northern Light, she left for this port, arriving as above stated. She is now at Peake's No. 2 wharf discharging cargo. Mr. Sheehy Devitt was a passenger on the Moselle.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE FISHERIES DIFFICULTY

Correspondence Submitted to Congress.

COMPENSATION DEMANDED.

UNCLE SAM ON THE HIGH SEAS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8. The President to-day transmitted to Congress the correspondence in relation to the Canadian fisheries disputes, and a letter from the Secretary of State on the subject. In his letter the President suggests that a commission be authorized by law to take proofs of the losses sustained during the year by American fishermen, owing to unfriendly and unwarranted treatment by the local authorities of the Maritime Provinces of Canada. He concluded as follows: "I may have recommendations during the present session for such remedial legislation as may become necessary for the protection of the rights of the citizens engaged in open sea fisheries in the North Atlantic waters." In his letter to the President, the Secretary of State says: "It is to be deeply regretted that no solution of the fishery difficulty has been received, although propositions are now pending, which it is hoped may prove the basis of just and permanent settlement. Notification has been duly given, he says, to the Government of Great Britain that compensation is expected for loss and damages caused to American fishermen by the unwarrantable action of the authorities of the Dominion of Canada, not merely for the summary seizure of their vessels, and the exaction of heavy fines in advance of hearing and judgment, but for curtailment of the privileges to which they were justly entitled under commercial regulations as well as treaty stipulations and the consequent interference with their legitimate voyage whereby the natural profits of their industry were seriously diminished and in many cases wholly destroyed." He concluded by recommending the appointment of a commission to ascertain the exact loss in each case, in order that the several claims may be properly presented to Her Majesty's Government.

Canadian News.

TORONTO, Dec. 8. A commercial traveller named King was found dead in bed in Trenton, Ont., yesterday. He had been drinking hard. Wm. Moore, an old man who left the hospital at Kingston on the 7th, was found dead on the road. He had perished in the cold. At Montreal on the 7th, a young man named Dominique, lately from Quebec, committed suicide by shooting himself through the brain. Cause unknown. David Weir, of Keene County, Durham, Ont., fell down stairs and died shortly afterwards of the injuries sustained.

Brutal Outrage.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 8. A most brutal outrage was committed in this city yesterday in broad daylight. Mrs. J. W. Gutting was alone in the house of her husband, when two men drove to the door and asked for admission. Having entered, they overpowered her and carried her from the house, placed her in a buggy, drove to a secluded place, and repeatedly outraged her. The ruffians were arrested. The affair has caused great excitement.

A Fierce Riot.

DUBLIN, Dec. 8. The Catholics of Lurgan, County Armagh, formed in procession last night and marched through the streets, to show their joy at the acquittal of some of their number who had been tried on charges of rioting. The Orangemen of the town resented the demonstration. A fierce riot ensued, which was finally quelled by the dragoons. A score of persons were wounded.

Important Coal Find.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8. Word has been received in this city that the mining company who recently commenced operations at Bath, N. W. T., have struck a seam of anthracite coal seven feet six inches in diameter. That location alone will supply coal for the Northwest for the next fifty years.

Man Overboard.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Dec. 8. Schooner A. E. Herrick, from Summerside, P. E. Island, for Boston, has arrived. Capt. Kelly reports: Dec. 6, Lewis Perry, belonging to Nova Scotia, one of the crew, was washed overboard and drowned. The vessel also parted her chain and lost an anchor.

English News.

LONDON, Dec. 8. Strong gales prevail throughout England and Ireland, and communication by telegraph is seriously interfered with. Prince Alexander, late of Bulgaria, visited Queen Victoria yesterday.

Another Earthquake.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. There was another earthquake shock at Columbia, South Carolina, yesterday, and at several places in the State.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, December 9—10 a.m. Moderate to fresh westerly winds, fair weather, not much change in temperature.

ACCORDING to an act of the English parliament, passed to establish the date of Adam's birth, he was born Oct. 23, 4034 B. C. It is not known that any portion of his family celebrates the day.

MARRIED.

At the Manse of St. James Church, on the 7th inst., by the Rev. Jas. Garretts, Simon Burke, of Georgetown, to Harriet Hoop, of this city.

DIED.

On the 7th inst., Katie, infant daughter of Mr. Farquhar McLeod, of Boston Street, Charlottetown, aged 1 year.

Christmas Trade.



CHOICE FRUIT! A BARGAIN!

Grapes, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, &c. 200 Boxes Choice RAISINS, 600 do Fine FIGS, 200 pounds Keeler's Celebrated CANDIED PEELS, 10 Bbls. CURRANTS, Choice Table and Cooking PRUNES.

CONFECTIONERY.

Pure and Wholesome. 2 Cwt. Fine English CONFECTIONERY: French Chocolate Drops, Caramels, Creams, Gum Drops, Barley Sugar Toys, Christmas Mixtures, &c., &c. ALSO: Fancy Biscuits, Nuts, Jams, Jellies, &c., &c.

BEER & COFF.

TO THE TRADE.

IT has been decided to offer the whole of the stock in the store of "Red Bros" in the Cameron Block, lately conducted by James A. Reid, for Ten Shillings. Terms: Cash on delivery of goods, and payment to be made not later than the 31st DECEMBER, inst., at noon. The Stock can be examined in the Store daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. HENRY LONGWORTH, Sheriff.

TO THE TRADE.

Great Clearing-Out Sale!

\$9,000 Worth of Cloth, Ready-made Clothing, Women's Wear, &c.

THE undersigned gives notice that by virtue of Writs of Execution out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of John D. Reid, and at the suit of the Troy Wood Manufacturing Co., against James A. Reid, and under sundry attachments against the said James A. Reid, as an absent debtor, he has seized and levied upon all the stock in trade of the said James A. Reid, now in the store of Reid Bros., in the Cameron Block, in Charlottetown, and will in compliance with the terms of a resolution of creditors, passed on the 4th day of December, inst., on and after

Wednesday, Dec. 8th inst.,

and from day to day until the whole is disposed of, offer the whole of said stock for sale in quantities to suit the trade and purchasers.

HENRY LONGWORTH, Sheriff.

DIAMOND BOOKSTORE.

On and after Monday, 9th December, inst., having in his possession the largest, choicest and best value GIFTS and PRESENTS ever placed at his disposal. Come and see him early. The closing levee on Christmas Eve will remain open until midnight. Respectfully, CHRISTMAS, NEWYEAR & CO. Dec. 6, 1886.

Referring to the foregoing I would urge the necessity of an early visit to Mr. Claus, as the terrible crash, usual on Christmas Eve, prevents him paying his respectful courtesy to visitors. The Christmas Cards, Fancy Goods, Toys, &c., of the present visit being so very numerous, we cannot particularize. He is absolutely imperative that you come and view the immense stock.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE, Diamond Bookstore. Ch'town, Dec. 6, 1886.

SUBS. "HIGHLAND LIGHT."

BY order of the Vice Admiralty Court of Prince Edward Island, and under a warrant issued therefrom, the schooner "Highland Light," her tackle, apparel and furniture, will be sold by Auction, at QUEEN'S WHARF, Georgetown, on

On Tuesday, Dec. 14th, 1886, at the hour of TWELVE o'clock, noon.

Terms—Cash. JOHN SMITH, Deputy Marshal of V. A. Court. Ch'town, Dec. 6, 1886—d sad

Furniture, Stoves, Carpets.

BY Auction, at my Salesroom, on FRIDAY, the 10th inst., at 1:30 p. m. 1 Parlor Set, 2 Bed room Sets, Dining-room and Kitchen Furniture, Carpets, Crockery ware, &c.

—ALSO— 2 Horses, 3 Sleights, &c. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. Dec. 8, 1886.—21

BAZAAR.

THE Annual Bazaar and Tea of the P. E. Island Hospital will be held on DECEMBER 16th, in the Roller Rink. Doors open at 12 o'clock; tea on the tables at 5 p. m.; admittance, 10c. Contributions graciously received by MRS. LAIRD, President. MRS. C. PALMER, Vice do. MRS. COLEMAN, do. MRS. F. D. BEER, Secretary. Ch'town, Dec. 7, 1886.

FOR SALE

A BARGAIN!

1 High-turn Jantling Sleigh (nearly new). 1 Wood Sleigh (nearly new). 1 Dog Sleigh. 1 Set Driving Harness. 1 Set Express Harness. 1 Mare 7 years old. 1 Harnack of Hay. 1 Milch Cow.

—ALSO— Collars, Harness, Whips, Belts, Wraps, &c., &c. Apply to C. H. CHANDLER, At Messrs. Norton & Fennell's. Dec. 3, 1886.

Liberal Conservative Convention.

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

A CONVENTION of delegates from all the Polling Divisions of Queen's County will be held at Scott's Hall, Kent street, Charlottetown, on TUESDAY, the twenty-first day of December, next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of nominating two candidates for the County in the Liberal Conservative interest, and for the organization of the Party. It is desirable that each polling division be represented, and meetings should therefore be held immediately for organization and the nomination of delegates. By order of the Executive Committee, A. A. McLEAN, Sec'y Lib. Con. Association. Nov. 22, 1886.

APRON FAIR.

THE Ladies of St. Joseph's Society intend holding an Apron Fair in the

MARKET HALL,

ON Monday, December 20th,

when the articles remaining unsold from the Bazaar, will be disposed of. Amusements of all kinds will be provided. Ch'town, Nov. 27, 1886.—eod.

FOR SALE.

Ten Shares in "The Examiner Publishing Company,"

each share representing \$100 in the Capital Stock.

THE undersigned offers for sale TEN SHARES (all paid up) of the Capital Stock of THE EXAMINER PUBLISHING COMPANY. Will be sold in lots of one or more shares, to suit purchasers. For further particulars apply to J. W. MITCHELL. Ch'town, Nov. 9, 1886.

LOST—A Collie Dog, answering to the name of "Hunt," color, yellowish. Any one returning the same will be suitably rewarded.—Jas. D. Irving. dec 9 21 wy 11

TO LET—A House containing five rooms, with good cellar, leading off Great George Street. Enquire on the premises to Edward Corbett. dec 9 31 pd

LOST—Last Saturday, Dec. 4th, a black Newfoundland Pup, two months old, with long black hair and answering to the name of "Fido." He is liberally rewarded on leaving same at P. Duffy's, King square. dec 9 11

WANTED, a situation by a young man as assistant in an office or warehouse. Willing to make himself generally useful. Enquire at this office. dec 21 pd

WANTED—A Parlor Maid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmouth, Charlottetown. nov 29—dy & wy 11

TO LET—A Store and Dwelling, one door north of W. W. Miller's; possession given immediately. Enquire at the Duncan House, corner Prince and Water Streets.—W. H. Farquharson. nov 21 11

COACHES, Buggies, &c., stored for the winter in a dry warehouse. Stoves, \$4; buggies, \$2.—D. O. M. Reddin, Jr. dec 7 11

WANTED—To Rent, for a term of years, a Store in a country village in P. E. Island. Address for a week or two: "A. C. Douglas, Box 125, Newton Lower Falls, Mass." dec 10 11 pd

WANTED—By a Short-Hand Writer, employ ment a few evenings in each week. Apply at this office. nov 20 11

TO LET—Shop and Tenement on Upper Queen Street, at present occupied by W. W. Rodd. Apply on the premises. nov 24 11

FOR SALE—A good Driving Mare, seven years old, slow by imported blood horse. Immediate possession given. The mare is now in lot by Mr. Right. Apply at Examiner's office. nov 21 11

TO LET—The House at the head of Powell Street, now occupied by Mrs. Robert Weeks, Enquire at THE EXAMINER'S office. nov 17 11

TO LET—Two brick House and Shop on Dorchester Street, formerly occupied by Owen Connolly; immediate possession given. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jan 1 11

TO LET—A House on Pleasant Street, with stable and outhouse in yard. Apply to William Dodd. oct 4

TO LET—Three brick Houses on Dundas Esplanade, now in the possession of G. H. Hazzard. Immediate possession given 1st October next. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. jan 2 11

IMPORTANT

FINAL NOTICE.

We must have a Settlement at once of All Accounts due the late firm of W. A. Weeks & Co.

JAMES PATON & CO.

GREAT IMPORTANCE

CASH BUYERS.

Inspecting DRY GOODS, most people like to buy where they can get the Largest Assortment and Cheapest Goods for READY CASH. Our importations this Fall are larger than any other Dry Goods' firm in Charlottetown, and in order to induce Cash Buyers we offer SPECIAL VALUE.

Our Millinery Department is very complete—for Wedding and Mourning Outfits, we cannot be surpassed.

JAMES PATON & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRY GOODS MERCHANTS, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Nov. 22, 1886.

TREMENDOUS SLAUGHTER.

CLEARING OUT SALE.

J. B. Macdonald's

CONTEMPLATING making extensive alterations in my store, early in the new year, which will necessitate my closing for some time, I will

SELL OFF

MY ENTIRE STOCK OF

New and Seasonable Goods.

STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS

AND

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AT A TREMENDOUS SACRIFICE.

All the stock of Fancy Dress Goods and Dress Cloths at 33 1/2 per cent discount.

All the Cloths and Tweeds at a discount of 33 1/2 per cent.

Knit Wool Goods, Shawls and Mantles at 33 1-2 per cent discount.

Gray, White and Scarlet Flannels at 33 1-2 per cent discount.

Velvets, Plushes, Ribbon and all Millinery Goods at 33 1-2 per cent discount.

All the stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Overcoats, Reefers and Suits at a discount of 33 1-2 per cent.

All Cotton Goods at a discount of 25 per cent.

The entire stock must be cleared before the first of the New Year. You can depend on getting the BEST BARGAINS ever offered in this city.

All Goods Sold for CASH only.

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Ch'town, Oct. 19, 86—dy wy

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THE Large and Varied Stock of BATTERED, OBERATED PATTERNS, embracing Ladies' and Children's Waists, Coats, Caps, Hats, &c., Selling at Half Price at the Esplanade Bookstore, 103 (old 87) QUEEN STREET, QUEEN SQUARE. The stock is perfect and nicely arranged. Call and inspect.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE.

Ch'town, Nov. 11, 1886—eod