

Local and Other Items.

CITY COUNCIL to-night. BAND at the risk to-night. AT THE CAFES.—Boats left Cape Traverse this morning. They will try to make a return trip. EPWORTH LEAGUE.—A paper on Hypnotism will be read to-night. A lively discussion may be expected. H. B. C.—The adjourned annual meeting of the Hillsborough Boating Club will be held at their rooms, this evening at 8.

SUDDEN DEATH.—James Packham, a printer, aged 43, dropped dead at his home in Halifax on Monday morning. Heart disease was the cause. SCHOOLHOUSE BURNED.—The schoolhouse at Bass Valley was destroyed by fire on Thursday morning last. The fire is supposed to have been caused by ashes carelessly left in the lobby. DYSPEPTICURE.—Is not a palliative, but a cure; it first relieves, then controls, and finally entirely subdues the irritation and inflammation of the stomach that causes indigestion and dyspepsia.

MR. A. A. BARTLETT has kindly consented to re-deliver his very interesting lecture on "Footsteps of Burns," in St. Paul's School-room, on Friday evening next, 13th inst, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Admission ten cents. THE SOCIAL.—An entertainment and pie social will be held in McLeod's Hall, on Thursday, the 12th inst, at 7:30 p. m., under the auspices of the Charlotte-own Lodge of Good Templars. Admission 10 cents; Ladies with pie free.

THE great political contest is over and the great trouble is to get at the correct figures as our dailies differ. But the truest and most interesting statement is that you can get a bigger load of wood from A. Down for \$1 than from any other man in the city. A GENEROUS DONATION.—Mayor McPher son, of Halifax, received a cablegram from London on Saturday morning from William Miller, of Murdoch's Nephews, stating that he and his brother would subscribe \$1,000 to the Springhill relief fund, which would be paid through Murdoch's Nephews of Halifax.

IMPORTANT TO KNOW.—If you want Parlor, Dining Room, Bedroom, Hall and Kitchen Furniture, Sleighs, Harness, Hard or Soft Coal, attend the auction at the late residence of Robert Crabbe, Esq., Sydney Street, on Wednesday next, March the 11th, at 11 o'clock.—R. BEARSTO, Auctioneer.

DIED FROM FRIGHT.—Mrs. George D. Shaver, wife of a prominent farmer living near Ottawa, Ill., died from fright one evening last week. She and her daughter were driving a spirited horse, and the animal shied at a street car, but did not run away. Mrs. Shaver was helped out of her carriage, taken into a house close by and died in less than half an hour.

ACCIDENT TO A LINEMAN.—Alexander Murdoch, an employe of the Chambers Electric Light Co., Truro, fell from the top of an electric light pole, a distance of 30 feet last Friday morning. He struck on his head on the icy street and received injuries which at first it was feared would prove fatal, but later reports give some hopes of his recovery.

AFRAID OF CHOKING.—Arthur Pope, the 9-year-old son of A. Pope, Davis County, Indiana, has a fear that if he eats solid food it will choke him to death. More than two weeks ago he began to refuse any but liquid food, and all attempts to get him to take other food have failed. The boy, who is very large for his age, appears to be healthy and robust. The parents are puzzled over his actions, and his case baffles the skill of the physicians.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best-known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. mar 23 eod & wky lyr

MAY LOSE THEIR FARMS.—A recent despatch from St. Paul says: The owners of farms in Minnesota and North Dakota for 100 miles along the Red River Valley of the north, from Walpato to Pembina, are greatly excited over the prospect of losing their property through defective titles. The Great Northern Railway company has made application to the general land office to have the grant along the St. Vincent extension defined by plot and map, as has been done on the Beckwith division in North Dakota, according to the Ransom-Phelps decision. That decision will prove more disastrous to the settlers on the St. Vincent extension than to the others, or, at least, it will affect more valuable property.

COURT STAND PROSPERITY.—The Pall Mall Gazette says: Charles E. Pratt lately inherited £200,000 in England. He had lived for a long period in Raway, New Jersey, in modest but comfortable circumstances. On inheriting his fortune he built a princely mansion, bought horses and engaged a large retinue of servants. He seemed, however, not to enjoy his new life, and one morning he remained to a servant that he wished he were back in his old home, as he was very lonely and unhappy. An hour or two later he was walked into his old house, which had been converted into a stable, took a pistol from his pocket and shot himself through the head. The report roused some stablemen, who ran in and found his dead body on the stable floor.

AN ISLANDER LOST.—A Gloucester, Mass., despatch of the 1st March, says: The schooner "Star Bar," engaged in the shore fisheries, arrived in port to-day with her flags at half mast for the loss of one of her crew, Paul Purdy. The vessel was on the Middle Bank yesterday, and the crew—one man to a dory—were engaged in hauling their trawls. Purdy was struck by a dory and secured a dory-load of cod fish, and was somewhat rough at the time. A sea broke over the craft, swamping it and throwing the occupant into the water. The mishap was observed from the schooner and all hands were made to rescue the unfortunate man. Just before the schooner reached him he disappeared beneath the waves. Purdy was single, about 28 years of age, and a native of Prince Edward Island.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

ELECTION NEWS.

Not One Liberal Elected

West of Lake Superior.

The Government's Majority.

St. JOHN, March 9. Foster left for Ottawa on Sunday night. He is elected by eighty of a majority.

OTTAWA, March 9. Not one Liberal is returned west of Lake Superior. Watson has been beaten in Marquette. Haldimand gives Montague one hundred of a majority. McKenna's return in York East is very doubtful till the official count is made. The latest returns give the Government two of a majority in Quebec Province. The Conservative majority in the House will be from 35 to 49.

Home News From Abroad.

NEW YORK, March 9. The Press, Mr. Blaine's organ, says: "Canada has wedded herself to England as against the neighboring Republic. On election day, in all the large cities, the troops were under arms, and the cities were practically under martial law."

Terrific Snow Storms.

DENVER, March 9. Terrific snow storms in Colorado have blocked the railways and highroads for weeks. The snow in places is twenty feet deep. Silverton, Lake City, and many mining towns are cut off from the outside world.

Icebergs in the Atlantic.

NEW YORK, March 9. Steamers arriving here, report passing many icebergs and heavy field and drift ice in the Atlantic dangerous to navigation.

Springhill Disaster.

LONDON, March 9. Queen Victoria has sent thirty pounds sterling to the Springhill relief fund.

Has a Cold

OTTAWA, March 9. Sir John is confined to bed, suffering from a severe cold.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 9.—10 a. m. Generally fair and mild.

Personal.

Mr. L. H. Davies, M. P., is confined to his house by a severe cold.

Local Notices.

Buy your custom boots where you get the genuine French calf top. Don't buy imitations.—Goff Bros.

Old Coats, Vests and Pants, cheap to close, at Jas. Paton & Co's. m931

Seventy Boys' Suits must be cleared out before Spring Stock arrives. Jas Paton & Co. m9 31

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Suits, cheap at Paton & Co's. 20 per cent. discount on last Fall's goods. m9 31

Pure boneless codfish just received at Beer & Goff's. 21

Prowse Bros new hats take the lead for nobby styles. mar 7 31

Election.—Now the election is over, drop in and keep your head cool with one of Prowse Bros. new hats. They are nobby, good and cheap. mar 7 31

Don't forget this the weather you want Goff Bros' boots.

Slaughter sale of Oranges at Beer & Goff's.—only 25 cents a dozen. 31—feb 26

Do you want cheap boots? Then go to Goff Bros.

Great reduction on job lines of boots to clear at Goff Bros.

POLICE COURT.—This morning, one drunk was fined \$2 or 8 days, and three young men charged with breaking windows in a house on King street were discharged.

THE TRAINS.—The trains are running on time to-day with the exception of the train between Alberton and Tignish. The track will probably be opened to-day.

HORSE INJURED.—A correspondent from Wilnot Valley informs the Pioneer that a very serious accident occurred to a valuable brood mare belonging to Mr. William Moase, as he was driving along in this vicinity a few days ago. The animal stumbled, and falling, injured herself so badly that she had to be shot.

TRK 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.—The Canadian Fireside Weekly is out with another grand prize competition to increase its circulation, in which 300 valuable prizes are offered. This is no puzzle or trick, and requires no searching in dictionaries or books of any kind. It is ingenious, but simple, and has never before been offered by any paper. A child of eight can win as easily as a college professor. Among the prizes are bicycles, tricycles, \$100 cash, furniture, silverware, jewelry, summer trips—prizes for men, women, boys and girls, 300 in all. Send at once 7c for sample copy, with full particulars and list of prizes, to 9 Adelaide street west, Toronto, Ont. Mention this paper. eod wy 3m

FREEHOLD FARM FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale 62 Acres of Land fronting on north side of St. Peter's Bay. About 30 acres are cleared; the balance covered with fencing material. Convenient to churches, schools, etc., and one and a half miles from St. Peter's Railway Station. JOHN A. McLAINE. St. Peter's Bay, Aug. 29, 1890.

Natural History Society.

LECTURE

Thursday, 12th March.

Y. M. C. A. PARLOR,

REV. WM. HAMLYN, B. A.,

"Plants and Their Uses."

Admission Free. Paper at 8 o'clock. mch5

FANCY SALE!

The Ladies of St James' Church

WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL TEA AND FANCY SALE

Thursday, 2nd April.

FURNITURE FOR SALE,

BY AUCTION.

I AM authorized to sell by Auction, at the late residence of Robert Crabbe, Esq., Sydney Street,

On Wednesday, 11th instant,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

All the Household Furniture, comprising Parlor, Dining Room, Smoking Room, Hall, Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture.

Sale Positive. No Reserve.

R. BEARSTO, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE

A S I intend selling my Dwelling House on A Sidney Street, those desiring a first-class home will do well to investigate. It is one of the finest finished houses in the city. Gas and water throughout. Bath Room and sewerage to the river. The lot is 70x78 feet. The Warehouse and Lot next to it can be had if desired. No encumbrances of any kind. Price and terms on application between 2 and 4 o'clock.

MRS. M. H. GAHAN.

\$8 to \$10 Teeth

A Set. Satisfaction guaranteed. Teeth extracted without pain.

DR. J. P. MURRAY,

Queen Street.

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LONGERS.

FOR SALE.—A Few Thousand CUT LONGERS. Apply to P. TURNER, Marshfield, East River, Lot 34. feb 27—wky 21 dy fri tu fri

FOR SALE.

A VERY HANDSOME BULL CALF—Holstein and Jersey grade. Apply to WM. HEARD. jan 23—wy

What! Never!

Only Encore Dyes 5c.

Equal to any Package Dye in the Market.

Just the thing for Home Dyeing.

COLORS BRIGHT AND FAST.

Send for Sample Card to J. S. Robertson & Co., Manufacturers, Mon cal. jan 12—ds wky

WANTED.—A Housemaid on the 6th March; also, a Cook on the 11th March. No washing. Apply at this office. mch 2

WANTED.—A general servant of some experience in a family of two. Good wages. Apply at this office. 1w—mch 3

P SURE.—Wanted, a Pasture Lot—about 2 acres—near the city, with water preferred, for one or five years. Apply to P. O. Box 33. feb 2—1w eod

WANTED TO PURCHASE.—A Building Lot, in central location. Apply at this office. feb 16

TO LET.—The Dwelling House on Hillsborough Street lately occupied by Mr. George Carter, and adjoining the residence of Mr. Leavelle Poole. Immediate possession. Apply to GEORGE ALLEY. st 1—feb 28

WANTED.—A smart youth as a waiter in a Restaurant. Apply to A. N. LANGR. feb 1

GREAT COTTON SALE.

325 Pieces WHITE COTTON, 700 " GREY COTTON, 200 " TICKING, 500 " PRINT (New), 400 " GINGHAMS.

ALSO—30 Pieces of New Flannelettes, Table Damasks, Towelling, Towels, Sheeting, Circulars, Pillow Cottons, selling off at very closest prices for Cash J. B. MACDONALD. Charlottetown, February 12, 1891—dy & wky

CARPETS

CHEAP SALE! JAMES PATON & CO. We have placed out for immediate sale, 44 Rolls and part Rolls of Brussels and Tapestry Carpet. The above are last year's patterns, and must be cleared out at a big sacrifice in order to make room for our new stock, which we expect at an early date. Call and see them. No trouble to show them.

Hats! Hats! Hats!

James Paton & Co. have much pleasure in placing before the Gentlemen of P. E. Island the Largest, Cheapest and Best Selected Stock of English and American Fur and Felt Hats

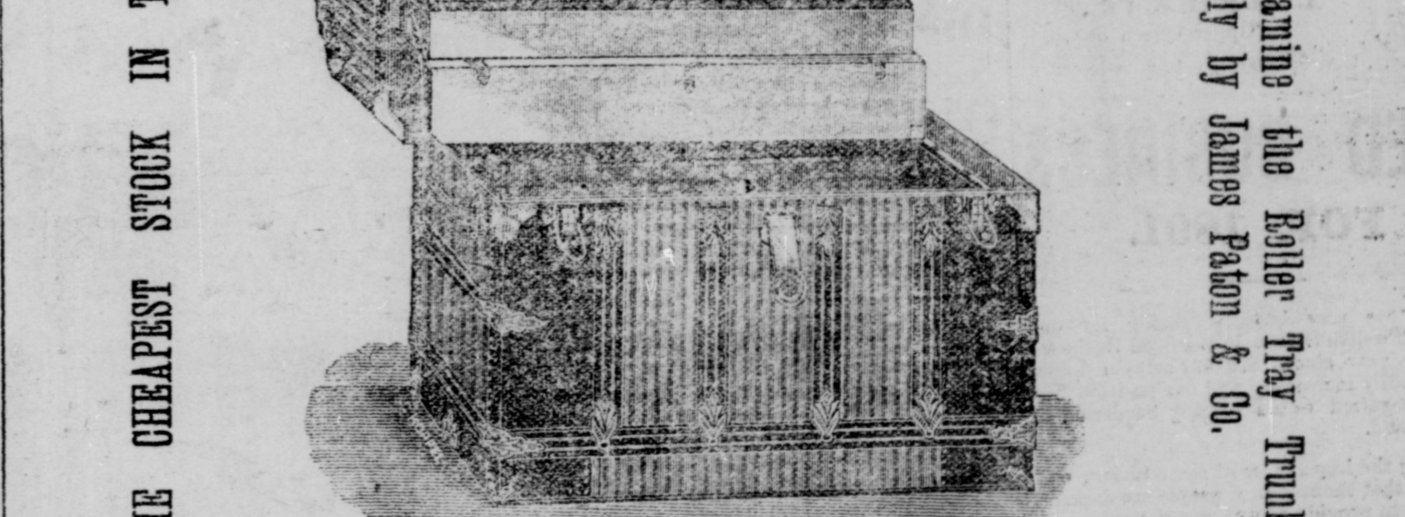
Trunks! Trunks!

Call and examine the Roller Tray Trunk sold only by James Paton & Co.

JAMES PATON & CO.

Charlottetown, February 27 1891.

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CONTAINS ALL THE ELEMENTS THAT ARE NEEDED TO FORM "Flesh," "Muscle" and "Bone."

Telephone Co. of P. E. Island.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of M. & D. C. McLeod, Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th of March, at 8 o'clock, p. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business.

BENJ. ROGERS, Secretary. feb 28—21

FOR SALE.

THE BRICK DWELLING HOUSE on Sidney Street, between Queen and Great George Streets. Also, the Warehouse next to it. In all about 88 feet front by 76 deep. Will sell all or Dwelling House separate, with 70 feet front. Price and terms on application between 2 and 4 o'clock.

MRS. M. H. GAHAN. feb 24—11