

Local and Other Items.

250 pairs Blankets selling low.—J. B. MACDONALD. o23 tf

HEADQUARTERS for cheap Cottons and Prints at Young's.

SPLENDID Wincey for eight cents a yard, at J. B. MACDONALD'S. o23 tf

JOSEPH POPE, Esq., Private Secretary to Sir John McDonald, is visiting the city.

2000 yds. Remnants, in Prints and Canton Flannels, at J. B. MACDONALD'S. o23 tf

POLICEMAN THIBIDEAU, of Moncton, is out again, the shot wounds having nearly all healed.

A CAR load of starch from P. E. Island was forwarded to the St. Croix Cotton Mill on Saturday.—St. John Sun.

AN aged couple were married at Toronto Wednesday. George McLaughlan, the groom, is eighty-three years of age, and the bride is seven years older.

A CONCERT will be given under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, in aid of the poor, in Association Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 13th.

WE understand that the small arm and marines of H. M. S. "Griffon" will land for drill at the Victoria Park, on Thursday, 25th instant, at ten a. m.

ON Thursday of last week Geo. Campbell attempted to jump off the Parrsboro train, but in doing so fell, and the wheels passed over one foot crushing it so badly that it had to be amputated above the ankle.

THE Windsor, N. S., cotton mill employs 170 hands. Its pay roll is \$1,000 a week. The average rate of wages has not been less than \$5 a week. It has come under the rule laid down at the recent cotton council and closes down on Saturdays.

THE Temps says that the payment of 60,000 francs indemnity to Mr. Shaw, the British missionary, is entirely voluntary on the part of France, and that the subject provoked no discussion at the Cabinet meeting in which it was decided to indemnify him.

HIGH tides and severe gales prevail on the British coast, and numerous casualties are reported. The Severn tunnel has again been flooded by the unusual tide. Vessels arrived in the Mersey from the sea report having experienced terrible weather on their voyage. Limerick, Ireland, is partially flooded by the high water in the Shannon river.

SPECIAL services will be resumed in St. James' Hall this evening. The principal address will be delivered by the Rev. H. H. McPherson, of Halifax. These services will be continued until Friday evening, and will be conducted chiefly by the Rev. W. Donald, of Pictou. Members of the congregation, and others are respectfully invited to attend.

A CRICKET MATCH will be played on Thursday next, on the Victoria Park Grounds, to commence at 12 o'clock, noon, between a team from H. M. S. "Griffon," and one from the Phoenix Cricket Club. An interesting game may be expected, and as this will probably be the last match of the season, the public are cordially invited to be present.

THE "beautiful snow" we read about in poetry paid its first visit in any quantity this morning. There was nearly sufficient to cover the ground from sight and early risers thought winter had come in earnest. The weather is cold and rather disagreeable.—Moncton Times.

PHYSICIANS and druggists have been in the habit of charging patients and customers more than many of them are able to pay. We are glad to inform our readers that Mack's Magnetic Medicine is sold at the low price of fifty cents a box, a quantity sufficient to last over two weeks. Sold in Charlottetown at Apothecaries Hall. Read the advertisement in another column. [oct22 lw wky]

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Robert Watson, Section foreman on the P. E. Island Railway, at Georgetown, died very suddenly yesterday evening. He and his men were discharging logs from a car. He over-exerted himself at the work and while in the act of throwing off a log he fell backwards and fainted. A doctor was sent for, but before his arrival the unfortunate man expired.

CHRISTIAN LANTIERNE and his son and nephew, Caraque fisherman, were driven to sea in a boat during the storm of the 4th. The man was lost overboard, but the two lads reached Rustico, in safety. Mr. Lantierne had been frequently blown to sea before and sometimes given up for lost. Jos. Poulin and Levi Doucet, in another boat, were driven to sea in the same storm as the Lantiernes, and have not been heard of.

THE Suez Canal is about 100 miles long, of which 75 miles are actual canal, while for 25 miles it passes through lakes, a portion of which afforded water of sufficient depth, but the greater part of which required excavating. The width, except at those places where it runs through high ground, is 325 feet at the surface and 72 feet at the bottom, and the depth 26 feet. Where it runs through high ground the width is 195 feet at the surface.

A DEPARTURE from San Francisco says the possibility of a European war is being closely calculated upon at the present moment by English shipowners. Orders have been lately received in that city by several captains of vessels that if the wheat charters they have been negotiating for are not closed to refuse to proceed further except at much higher rates, a sharp advance in freights have been calculated upon in the event of a war.

THE Amherst Sentinel says.—Mr. John Moore, of Shinimicas, is putting his inventive genius to good use. Something over a year ago he invented a portable seat for carriages, which has met with great favor among carriage makers and others who have seen it. His carriage took first prize at the St. John Exhibition. He has since invented a pitchfork which supersedes any other of the kind, and we should say will soon take the place of those in use. It also took first prize at the Truro and St. John Exhibitions. It is called the Centennial Fork.

R. F. MACDONALD, Esq., the genial Postmaster of Sonris East, has resigned, and intends leaving the eastern shore of the Dominion for the west coast, where some three thousand miles distant from the scene of his present duties he will still have the flag of his active country waving over him. While we regret the loss of such a good citizen and excellent official, we hope to see himself and his good lady returning again to us after a time with renewed health and vigor. He is to be succeeded at Sonris East by Mr. Marshall Pochet, as Postmaster.

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FOUR arrests for drunkenness by the police last night.

HENRY IRVING, the English tragedian, is visiting America.

THE market to-day was well attended. Prices unchanged.

LADIES' Gossamer Rubber Circulars for two dollars each at Young's.

THE English mail did not arrive last evening. It will be here to-night.

THERE were no cases before the Stipendiary Magistrate's court this morning.

100 pieces of Ticking, very low, at J. B. MACDONALD'S. o23 tf

HON. JOHN LEFURGEY was registered at the "Dufferin Hotel," St. John, yesterday.

MR. J. E. GRANT has returned from a business tour of Canada and the United States.

THE brig "Lady Milton," Captain McRae, arrived from Plymouth, G. B., to-day in ballast.

HIS LORDSHIP BISHOP MCINTYRE visited Commander Davies on board H. M. S. "Griffon" to-day.

PERSONALS.—John McDougall, Esq., M. P. P.; G. W. Bentley, Esq., M. P. P.; and Dr. McNeill, of Stanley Bridge, are in the city.

A HARVEST HOME supper, with service to follow, will be held in connection with the Bible Christian Church of this city on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28th. Particulars of which will be given in a future issue.

THE funniest man of the season is the man who hawks cheap jewelry on the Market Square. He is so original, and everything he says is so new and not a bit hackneyed, that it is quite a delightful treat to hear him.

LAUNCHED from the Shipyard of David Egan, Esq., on Saturday, a splendidly finished brigantine of 300 tons, called the "Edith." This vessel was built for Wm. Welsh, Esq., and is in every particular creditable to her builder, Mr. Egan.

THE barque "Isabel," Captain Welsh, from New York, with a cargo of merchandise, was sighted off Wood Islands, yesterday evening. She is hourly expected here. After discharging her freight at this port, she will be re-coopered at the Marine Slip, Pictou.

It is definitely announced that the Fisheries Exhibition will be closed on the 31st October, and that the awards to be distributed will be made known about the middle of the month. In all prizes to the amount of more than three thousand three hundred pounds will be bestowed.

A HANDSOME AND VALUABLE GIFT.—A few of the friends of Dr. J. T. Jenkins, from New London, Springfield and Charlottetown, have presented him as a token of their esteem and sympathy with a very superior gold chronograph. Among the Doctor's personal effects, which were destroyed by the fire of July last, was his gold watch, the loss of which is more than made up by this friendly presentation.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A man named Wilson, shoemaker, who works at Fort Augustus, met with a fatal accident on Wednesday. He was returning home from Southport driving in a cart. When near Mr. John Driscoll's he accidentally fell out, and the vehicle passed over him, effecting injuries to his spine which ended in his death on the following day. The deceased was a single man, and a native of Cape Breton.

THE Times' London despatch says:—Before the arrest of Brecken and Holmes at Halifax the Government at London was warned that Irish-Americans from New York were plotting to blow up with dynamite the British corvette Canada with Prince George of Wales on board, which was lying in Halifax harbor. The Government at once instructed the Halifax authorities to keep a strict watch on the corvette.

A CORRESPONDENT at West River states that "serious damage was done to the West River Bridge, on Saturday last, by the scurr. Marie Georgiana. By the carelessness of the master of the vessel, the new work done on the bridge this summer has been so injured that it will cause the stripping up of that part of the bridge, thus causing a loss to the Government, as well as serious inconvenience to the public. The master of the vessel, who seems to be one of the "do-as-I-please" gentry, should be made to pay the full extent of damages, and be a warning to others, that they cannot, with impunity, destroy an expensive public work and place the burden of repairs on the Government." We trust our energetic Commissioner of Public Works will at once attend to this matter.

THE races at Upton Park, to-morrow, have been well filled. They commence at 1.30, and, judging from the entries, the trotting in all classes will be good. Following are entries so far made:—

Free-for-all—Dr. Jenkins' br stallion, Hambletonian, Jr.; J. F. Power's bk mare, Tidy; G. Simms' by mare, Fire Fly.

Four-year-olds—W. Rood's g mare, Minnie Grey; Hon. Neil McLeod's b stallion, Heron; W. F. Scott's bk mare, Nellie S.; Geo. Muttart's br g, Wallace Ross; Mr. Henderson's br mare, Emma; George Esory's g mare, Don Juan Maid.

Race for horses not kept for trotting purposes—A. N. Large's g, Hopeful; S. R. Stumbles' br g, Honest John; Eusebius Gallant's g mare, Lulu; Wm. Groom's br mare, Belle Bunting; Geo. Esory's br g, Frank E.; W. S. McKie's br g, Dean Swift; Wm. Beers' br mare, Nellie; W. F. Scott's bk mare, Nellie S.

JOHNNY HATCH, who became prominent in this city as a destructive young fire-bug, and who was sent for safe keeping to the Foundling's Home in Boston, has been heard from. He has not got over his love for big blazes. He likes to make them still, and was his last attempt at incendiarism not discovered in time, the consequences would have been horrible. In the Foundling's Home a few weeks ago, he set fire to his bed clothes. The fire was promptly observed and extinguished. Had it taken root in the dormitory and spread even slowly to other parts there is little doubt that the building and a large number of the children who are kept there would have been consumed. Johnny was brought to task for his attempted incendiarism, and in reply to the question, "What did you do it for?" said he did not care for the Home; he wanted to go to the penitentiary. We have not heard what punishment the governors of the home have inflicted on the young head, or whether they have decided to send him back to Charlottetown. If he should be sent back it would be well for the Civic authorities to receive him on arrival and send him to safe quarters.

Foreign News Notes.

Italy has 918 daily papers.

Fever and famine are said to be rapidly decimating the French forces in Madagascar.

The cholera has again appeared in an Arab village outside the city of Alexandria. Four persons have died.

There is a proposal of the establishment of a line of steamers between the Mediterranean and Baltimore.

The treatment of leprosy is becoming a hard problem in India. In the Bombay Presidency 9,483 cases are under treatment.

About 1500 hds. of sugar were at Point-a-Pitre, September 10th, ready for shipment to the United States, but there were no vessels in port to take forward the cargo.

The Yukon River in Alaska is one of the largest in the world. It is over 2,000 miles long, in some places seven miles in breadth and discharges 50 per cent. more water than the Mississippi.

Advices received at Kingston, Ja., Oct. 12th, from Port-au-Prince, state that a revolution has broken out at that place and half of the city is destroyed by incendiarism, bombardment, slaughter and pillage. Five foreign war vessels were in port.

The Sultan gave a banquet on Thursday evening last, at Constantinople, to Lord Dufferin, British Ambassador, and conferred a decoration upon Lady Dufferin. Lord Dufferin assured the Sultan of the sympathy and friendship of England.

Among the villages destroyed by the earthquake in the Grecian Archipelago and Anatolia, were Katopania, Reis, Dere, and Lidja, the latter celebrated for its baths. Slight shocks are still felt in the Island of Chios. The British Admiral has sent assistance to Cheame and Chios.

The Quarterly Review contains an important paper by Lord Salisbury, in which he reviews the successive concessions made to Ireland by various British Parliaments in 1782, 1829 and 1881. His conclusion is that it is a disgraceful record, showing that the spirit of democracy has always controlled the relations between England and Ireland.

One hundred and fifty Annamite convicts, erecting a lighthouse on the Island of Pooe Candor, 120 miles east of Point Cambodia, and belonging to French Cochinchina, mutinied, murdered a Frenchman and a native warden, and seriously injured another Frenchman. Sixty of them seized arms and stores and decamped in boats. The rest fled to the woods.

A correspondent of the London Standard says that the voyage from Liverpool to New York could be reduced to four and one half days by the construction of a deep water canal from Dublin to Galway on the Shannon. An ordinary canal, which might be utilized for the purpose, already exists between the latter and the Irish capital. The cost of deepening and widening it would be comparatively small, and no engineering difficulties are presented by the character of the country. The journey round the south coast of Ireland would, he says, thus be avoided, and a great saving of expense and time effected.

British News Notes.

A Cork despatch says that several roughs assembled outside the hall in which Moody was holding his revivals, and made an attempt to interfere. The police guard the hall nightly. Moody's mission at Limerick was a success.

High tides and severe gales prevail on the British coast, and numerous marine casualties are reported. The Severn tunnel is again flooded. Vessels arriving in the Mersey report they experienced terrible weather. Limerick is partially flooded.

A Dublin despatch states that Miss Ellen Ford, of New York, sister of Patrick Ford, of the Irish World, spent the day in visiting the families of Invidibles who have been punished for crimes committed by order of that organization. To such as were in need of assistance she gave money which had been confided to her in America for the purpose. She also handed to the solicitor of Pool, who is charged with the murder of Kenny, in Saville Place, two years ago, a large fund, which had been collected in the United States to defray the expenses of his defence.

At the Liberal conference on Thursday, at Leeds, a resolution was adopted declaring that any attempt to secure the representation of minorities by the enactment of special laws is a violation of the principles of popular representative government. A resolution by Sir Wilfrid Lawson, M. P. condemning the action of the Commons in refusing a seat to Bradlaugh, and favoring the abolition of parliamentary oaths was adopted unanimously with cheers. After the adoption of resolutions in favor of shortening the time required for the qualification of voters, extending the hours for polling votes, and making the constituencies pay the expenses of elections, the conference appointed a deputation to convey the resolutions to Mr. Gladstone, and adjourned.

At a meeting of Liberals held in Leeds town hall, Mr. John Bright, who presided, said it was absolutely necessary if any progress was to be made in parliamentary reform, that the question of suffrage should be dealt with first in a separate bill. He recommended the Government to deal during the coming session with the county suffrage and the London corporation reform bills. "One question," he continued, "which is not very remote, and which will have to be faced is the constant conflict between the Lords and Commons—a conflict full of peril to one, and full of humiliation to both. The two Houses must be reconciled, and made equally responsible to the nation. My political career draws very near to a close, but I cherish the hope that my countrymen will, in the changes that are before them, exhibit the wisdom and moderation which become intelligent people." (Cheers.) Herbert Gladstone approved the assimilation of the county and borough franchise, but doubted the expediency of making such a bill a primary question next session, arguing that Parliament ought to deal with the London corporation and county government bills before the dissolution, which must inevitably follow the passage of a reform bill.

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American and Canadian Manufactures

is now to hand, and makes a complete assortment for this seasons trade.

Goods are very cheap this year, and we have some of the cheapest to be found.

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Ch'town, Sept. 28, 1883.

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- 100 pieces Ulster Cloths, bought at half price.
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- 1,000 Wool Squares, very cheap.
- 50 boxes Silk Fringe,
- 25 " Silk Plushes,
- 50 " Velveteens,
- 30 " Silk Velvets,
- 50 " Frillings,
- 300 Jackets and Dolmans.
- 200 pieces Winceys,
- 30 " Shirtings,
- 500 " Prints,
- 100 " Scotch Tweeds,
- 50 " Worsted Coatings,
- 50 " Scarlet Flannels,

At twenty per cent less than prices of former years.

Also, One Hundred Cases and Bales Canadian Manufactured Goods, Very Cheap.

All Goods we are selling very cheap this Season.

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Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1882.—dy wky.

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In Dress Goods, Shawls, Corsets, Trimmings, Mantles, Velvets, etc., Knit Wool Goods, Mantle Cloths, Kid Mits and Gloves, Laces, Fur Caps and Muffs, Feathers, Flowers, Hosiery, etc.

Mens' and Boys' Ready-made Clothing, at the lowest prices, Worsteds, Tweeds, Pilot and Beaver Cloths, Mens' and Boys' Hats and Caps, Underclothing, Scarfs, etc., very cheap, Parks' Warp, cheap. Cash Buyers can depend on getting bargains in every department, wholesale and retail.

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Charlottetown, Jan. 9, 1882.—1y

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ALEX. MCKENZIE,

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Ch'town, Sept. 12, 1883.—eod tf.

NOTICE.

WE have appointed Mr. Wm. E. Hickey our General Agent for P. E. Island. All orders coming through him to us will be promptly attended to.

JOHNSON BROS.,

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Ch'town, Oct. 15, 1883.

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Ch'town, Oct. 13, 1883.

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—AT—

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Sept. 8, 1883.—2m 2aw wky 3m 3d