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THE Subscribers will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

Wednesday & Thursday, 9th and 10th inst.

at 11 o'clock, at the Store lately occupied by Fenton T. Newbery, the following stock, consisting of—

385 bbls. Flour: Crown Jewel, Ogilvie's Hungarian, Five Roses, White Cloud, Imperial, Jewel, St. George

20 puns. Molasses: Barbadoes, Antigua, Trinidad, Demerara

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7 Hhds Barbados
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2 Cases Biscuit
7 Bbls Biscuit
50 Bbls Beans
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3500 Second-hand Bags
100 Coils Rope—Manilla, Sizal, Special, Jute
30 Bbls Kerosene Oil (Brilliant)
6 Rolls Sole Leather
2 Rolls Neats Leather
50 Cases Lamp Chimneys
25 Cases Chase's Matches
13 Bbls Onions (Red and Silver Skin)
87 Dox Wooden Pails
8 Cases Pickles
7 Kegs Pickles
25 Boxes Pipes (T. D.)
115 Bags Rice
50 Boxes Raisins
30 Boxes Soap—Maple Leaf, Surprise, No. 1 Family, Banner, Seafoam
33 Caddies Tobacco—Index, Napoleon, Favorite, Prince of Wales.
7 Casks Vinegar
18 Demijohns Vinegar
16 Bales Pressed Hay
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Ch'town, March 2.

A SURE PREVENTATIVE

—FOR—

La Grippe.

We Know of no family having the Ozonator and Sanitas Fluid being troubled or afflicted with LA GRIPPE.

This is the written statement of the Dominion Disinfectant Co., Montreal.

F. DEC. DAVIES, Druggist, is agent for them for here, and will show anyone desiring information and prices the apparatus and fluid at his Store, Morris Block.

Charlottetown, Jan. 15.

TO RENT.

THE Subscriber offers for rent the Brick Store and premises occupied by Weeks & Beer. Possession given 1st May, Can be re arranged into two medium sized and desirable stores. Rent low.

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Feb. 27—1w

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1,000 bushels UNCRUSHED, for Pork Packing.

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH

QUEBEC POLITICS

Sir John's Death Claim Disputed.

PROHIBITION IN THE COMMONS

[SPECIAL TO THE GUARDIAN.]

MONTREAL, March 1.—The executors of the late Premier have filed a claim against the government of $1600, sessioned indemnity. The $500 is extra indemnity to members owing to length of session voted for.

Sir John's death claim is disputed.

This is nomination day throughout the provinces. All the Montreal divisions will be contested.

Nantel, government, is elected by acclamation in Terrebonne. Both sides are thoroughly organized.

The Montreal Herald has passed into the hands of a wealthy syndicate of Liberals. The purchase was made on their behalf from Mr. Brooks Young, by J. N. Greenshields. Mr. E. G. O'Connor, late manager for the Burland Lithographic company, has assumed the management and will at once re-organize the business and editorial staffs, and place the paper on a proper footing.

Prohibition in the Commons.

OTTAWA, March 1.—The Legislative Committee of the Dominion Alliance is holding their annual meeting. Senator Vidal presides. Dickey, M. P., for Cumberland, has declined to introduce Jamieson's resolution of last session.

The Sayward Case.

LONDON, March 1.—The Globe says that the judgment in the case of the seizure of the sealing schooner Sayward leaves the matter unchanged.

The Weather

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—1 p. m. Rain or snow, followed by fair weather Wednesday night; stationary temperature followed by decidedly colder Thursday; high north-easterly winds, backing to north and north-west.

Cut His own Tongue Out.

TERRIBLE ACT OF A GAMBLER SAID TO HAVE BEEN PROMPTED BY REMORSE.

A Los Angeles, Cal., despatch says: One of the greatest mysteries of this city has been that of the tongueless man, which has just been solved. Last November a priestly looking man hired a room at the lodging house at the corner of Fifth and Broadway. One morning he was found in his room, blood issuing from his mouth, and a bloody razor in his hand. On examination it was found that he had cut out his tongue with the razor. Bloody tracks to the door, out in the hall and the bathroom indicated that he had been there. Search showed that he had thrown his tongue down a drain pipe. After his wound healed he disappeared. He was thought to have been a Catholic priest. It now turns out that his name is George Wilson. He goes garbed as a priest but he is a professional gambler. His family is wealthy and live in New York. His father has just died and left an estate of $150,000 $50,000 of which was left to him. The estate cannot be settled up until George has been found, and detectives from New York are now in the city looking for him. They state that George has been the black sheep of the family. This statement suggests that the man's act of cutting out his tongue was prompted by remorse.

Married.

On Feb. 3rd at the Methodist Parsonage, Winsloe Road, by the Rev. W. J. Kirby, James Hunt VanIderstine, to Elizabeth H. Jewell, all of Hunter River, P. E. I.

Died.

In this city, on Tuesday morning, the 1st of March, of paralysis, John McMillan, of Wheatley River, in the 79th year of his age.

[Funeral on Thursday, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of his son, John McMillan, Dorchester Street, to Portage Cemetery.

Flora, wife of Angus McEachern, of Long Creek, departed this life, Feb. 26th, aged 34 years. Her last words were: "It is well with my soul." She leaves four children, one an infant of only a few days, also a husband, father and three sisters to mourn.

At Stanhope, Feb. 17th, 1892, Susan, beloved wife of George Lawson, aged 50 years.

On the 5th of February, after a brief illness, William B Sobey, a highly and respected citizen of Hampton, passed to his reward, at the age of 66 years, leaving a wife, one daughter, four sons and a very large circle of friends to mourn the loss of a loving husband, kind father and constant friend.

Obituary.

THE LATE REV. JAMES ALLAN, OF COVEHEAD, P. E. ISLAND.

Among the many that have gone to their reward during the past year, we number the Rev. Jas. Allan, of Covehead, P. E. Island. While the usual notices of him have been made both by his brethren in the Presbytery, as also by the leading periodicals, yet we feel that a few lines additional may not be out of place. Surely the memory of the righteous is blessed, and the only way in which it can be so, is by recalling the peculiarities and excellencies of such. And who is there that knows anything of the departed will not acknowledge that in him we had a true friend, an able theologian, a straightforward christian and an earnest servant of the Most High.

He was born in Dunbar, on the 20th of July, 1817; the son of Richard Allan, the parish schoolmaster. Thus in early years his surroundings were such as to give him a training for that scholastic turn of mind for which he was noted. He continued at the parish school until he was sixteen years of age when he entered the University of Edinburgh, Nov. 5th, 1833. There he remained for seven years, when he graduated with honors. He then spent some 4 or 5 years in teaching school in Edinburgh, and preaching through various parts of Scotland.

In 1845, when 28 years of age, he came out to Halifax as a probationer. Covehead and Western St. Peters, forming one congregation, extended to him a hearty and unanimous call in the following winter. Offers were extended to him from other churches, particularly St. James Kirk, Ch'town, and the Church at Londonderry, Colchester Co., Nova Scotia. He, however, accepted the call to Covehead and West St. Peter's, and was settled over this charge in a part of which he remained until the close of his ministry. There were 176 signatures to the call and the stipend promised was £120. He was ordained and inducted into the pastoral charge of the congregation on the 1st of July 1846. The services of the day were commenced by an appropriate sermon by Rev. John C. Sinclair (Act 18th: 27 & 28th v.) The late Rev. John Beer D.D. put the usual questions and offered the ordination prayer, when the Rev. Robert Douglass gave the charge to the Pastor and people. Rev. Robert Patterson preached the concluding sermon from Romans 10: 14. Some still true who were present and remember well the rapt and devout attention that prevailed thereby manifesting the deep interest taken in the occasion.

After six years of faithful and successful labor by Mr. Allan the Presbytery from the growth and prosperity of the congregation felt justified in disjoining Western St. Peters from Covehead and organizing that section with a distinct and separate charge, which accordingly they did on the 28th of July 1852. At that time nearly the whole population of Covehead, Stanhope and Brackley Point were Presbyterians. But of late years a current of Presbyterian emigration to other places set in and their places have been taken up by settlers of different ecclesiastical connections, so that Presbyterism in Covehead has not grown as in some other places, and were it not for the great popularity of their pastor, they would not have been able for many years past to maintain a separate organization. But while this was the case, those who remained were noted throughout the church for their extreme liberality, and as might naturally be expected from the sound evangelical and highly intellectual character of the Rev. J. S. Allen's pulpit teaching the Presbyterians of Covehead and adjacent settlements are among the most intelligent and best informed to be meet with in any part of the Province.

For eleven years after this settlement he remained in bachelordom, when he was married to Miss Grace McDonald of Pictou, Nova Scotia, who proved herself to be in every sence of the term "an help-mate for him."

He remained in active service until the first of January, 1891, and shortly after, being overtaken by an attack of la grippe, from which he never recovered, he passed quietly to rest on the evening of the 14th, when the Rev. J. G. Cameron conducted the services, assisted by some five or six of the surrounding ministers, both Presbyterian and Methodist. On the following Sunday the Rev. D. Sutherland of Zion Church, Charlottetown, preached a most touching and eloquent funeral sermon at the request of the Session of which he was then Moderator.

Few men either in the ministry or out of the ministry was possessed of the same sterling integrity and uprightness of character as was the Rev. Jas. Allan. Anything in the shape of shuffling or equivocating was perfectly abhorent to his nature.

As a writer he had few equals. Capable of taking a firm grasp of almost any subject, he had the stability of expressing himself in the most clear and terse manner conceivable. As a student of theology he surpassed the great majority, even of ministers. Did any passage in S. S. trouble you in the Old or New Testament, all that you need do was to simply ask him the exposition of that passage, and then in his own unique way he would set to work to remove the difficulties and give the true meaning of the passage. This careful exegetical study of the S. S. he maintained to the very last. The last year of his life was occupied in the study of the writings of Paul, which, to use his own words, he considered to be the most intricate, abstuse and difficult of comprehension in the English language. With many friends and no enemies, excepting those made by his defence of the faith, has passed away one whom to know was to respect and love.

O how sweet it will be in that beautiful land,
When free from all sorrow and pain,
With songs on our lips, and with lamps in our hands,
To meet one another again.—COM.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

CONVENTION IN ZION CHURCH YESTERDAY.

The Convention of the W. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church met in Zion Church, on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 p. m., Mrs. D. Stewart, Summerside, presided. The Convention was opened by singing "All hail the power of Jesus name," and prayer offered by Mrs. Corbett, after which the President read the 46th Psalm and Acts: 1, 6, as the Convention lesson. Miss Mary Laird, Sec'y, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which stood approved. Reports were called for when the following responded: Summerside, Alberton, West Point, Stanley Bridge, Malpeque, Marshfield, Clifton, New London, Charlottetown, Tyne Valley, Cavendish, Montrose, Kensington, Long River. These reports were very encouraging financially, as well as showing effort and success in this branch of the Master's work.

A short discussion took place as to the most convenient time for holding the W. M. S. Annual Convention. It was agreed to hold the next meeting in August. The President in speaking of the necessity of visiting the Auxiliaries as a means of stimulating the old ones and organizing new ones, it was agreed to divide the Island into three sections, and appoint two members to visit the Auxiliaries in each section. After a short discussion as to the place to hold the next meeting it was decided to hold it in Summerside next August.

The President spoke of the necessity of more interest in the monthly mission meetings. Mrs. Corbett said the idea of distributing literature on the subject of missions would be a good one. Miss Hunter, Alberton, agreed with the idea also. Mrs. Sutherland, Charlottetown, and Miss Nicholson, Summerside, thought the movement a good one.

A committee was appointed to arrange about this matter, consisting of Mrs. Corbett, Tyne Valley, Mrs. Stewart, Summerside, Mrs. Sutherland, Charlottetown, and Miss Laird, Charlottetown.

A very good paper was read by Mrs. Corbett on "Mite Boxes."

A deputation consisting of Mrs. Dr. R. Johnson and Mrs L. M. Poole, of the W. M. S. Auxiliary of the Methodist Church Conference with the Convention in the matter of Co-operation in trying to abolish the traffic in Chinese girls in British Columbia. The following is the resolution carried in the Methodist W. M. S.

Whereas, We have learned with deep sorrow that Chinese girls are imported into British Columbia as slaves, and sold for immoral purposes, and knowing that such traffic is not in accordance with the laws of our Dominion, and is in direct opposition to the law of God, and

Whereas, Hearing that the General Board of our W. M. S. purpose memorializing the Dominion Government to take such steps as shall correct this evil;

Therefore Resolved, That we assure the General Board of our W. M. S. of our sympathy with them in their efforts to influence the Government, and of our earnest prayers that God will give them great success.

A committee was appointed consisting of Mrs. Corbett and Miss Hunter to draw out a resolution in accordance with that presented by the Methodists.

The following greeting was send from the Methodist W. M. S.

The Auxiliary of the W. M. S. in connection with the First Methodist Church send greetings to their Sister Society, praying that He who has so abundantly blessed them in the past will enable them to accomplish still greater things.

"The Lord gave the word, the women who publish the tidings are a great host."

And greetings were also received from the W. C. T. U. of Ch'town.

The members of the Charlottetown Branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union desire to extend their most cordial greetings to the Convention of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society assembled in this city. The primary aims and objects of both organizations are substantially identical. It is true the more immediate work of the Missionary Society is the sending of the gospel to the heathen world or the world of idolators outside of christendom. But while this is a duty appealing with great force to the moral sense of Christians, it is only a too obvious fact that there is a heathen world at home—a wide-spread region of misery, desolation and abounding wickedness under the sway and influence of the traffic in intoxicating liquors. It is here the W. C. T. U. puts forth its humble efforts to raise the fallen, to cheer the faint and to secure by all lawful means the abolition of the accursed traffic. In such a beneficent endeavor we may claim to be co-workers with you and with all who love the Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity.

By order of the W. C. T. U., Charlottetown.

March 1st, 1892.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Sister Socities for those greetings by the President, and the Convention rose by Mrs. Dr. Johnson pronouncing the benediction.

Chicago Markets.

(Special Telegram to GUARDIAN.)

CHICAGO, March 1.—Feb. corn 42⅝; oats 30⅛; May corn 42; wheat 90½; pork closing $11.45; oats closing 30⅛.

The Firemen's Concert.

The Firemen's Concert in the Lyceum last night added another to the list of successful concerts which have afforded enjoyment and delight to the lovers of music of our city. The Concert was perhaps given under some unfavorable circumstances, one was the fact that the public have had almost a surfeit of good things in this line during the past two months, another, that several other entertainments were going on at the same time. Nevertheless the room was fairly well filled, and the best of attention was maintained throughout the long programme.

The opening number was a grand instrumental overture by the Orchestra rendered in No. 1 style—a fitting preparation for the good things to follow.

The firemen in uniform looked well, and gave a fine exhibition of their vocal talent in the chorus, "Let others sing the Warrior's Praise." Mrs. M. Blake's appearence was greeted with applause, and her solo was sung with good effect. "Comrades" was the title of Master Earle's song, which he performed in such a manner as to elicit bursts of applause. This young singer has a rare gift of voice, and, doubtless, will make a fine singer some day.

Les Valtzes Solitares by the Orchestra was charming. The addition of Mr. Harris's new instrument, the Humbstrum, gave a very nice effect in this rendition.

Mr. C. B. Warren, our popular reader, prefaced his reading by a neat speech, in which a glowing tribute was paid to the valor of the city firemen and relieved the conventionality of the concert by proposing three cheers for the firemen, which met with a hearty response from the boys.

"All Halloween" was sung in a very pleasing manner by Miss Palmer, accompanied by her sister at the piano. This solo was a rich treat.

Four colored gentlemen in modern negro style gave a quartette, which greatly amused the audience, who were determined to give them an encore, but the firemen's laws were inexorable. No true lover of music could fail to be delighted and inspired with Mr. Vinnicombe's violin solo with orchestral accompaniment.

Miss Blake's simple, natural rendering of "Tit for Tat" won all hearts. This is but the second appearance for Miss Blake on the platform, and she has already gained many enconiums as a singer.

The recitation—"The Fireman," by T. A Maclean, Esq., was capital.

A series of National Melodies, by the orchestra, in perfect time, awoke a response in every breast, and the audience might be excused for breaking forth into singing or involuntarily keeping time.

Mrs. Byrne is always welcomed as a soloist, and although afflicted with a bad cold sang to good advantage and was loudly encored.

Mr. B. Bremner's "Cork Leg" was decidedly the hit of the evening. The acting was first-class and called forth rapturous applause.

Miss M. Moore's selection, "The Flower Girl," was nicely sung and loudly applauded.

The Orchestral Waltz was the masterpiece of the evening, and everyone felt the climax was reached in its rendition.

Fourteen of the city's picked singers gave the chorus "Now Tramp" in fine voice, Miss Earle sustaining her part in a way that elicited much applause. The National Anthem brought the concert to a close. Much credit is due to Professor Earle as Musical Director of the affair.

Special Notices.

WE are offering our large stock of crockery, china and glass ware cheaper than ever to make room for new goods to arrive in Spring. W. P. Colwill, Feb. 27—4w

A JOB lot of Crockery will be sold at any price at the Cheapest Crockery Store.—W. P. Colwill. Feb. 26 4w

ANY one in need of Crockery, China or glassware will do well to call at the Cheapest Crockery Store.—W. P. Colwill. Feb. 26 4w

MRS. R. Young respectfully requests that all amounts due her be paid before March 15th. Feb. 20—tf

THE small show case hanging outside Dodd's Medical Hall is always worth looking at. Today it is filled with Pink Pills and Campbell's Wine of Beech Tree Creasote. Feb. 23.—e.o.d. tf

BOOTS given away at Goff Bros.. 20 to 40 per cent reduction before alteration in store.—tf

SEE Goff Bros., clearing out sale of Boots, and prices.—tf

TREMENDOUS reduction in Boots at Goff Bros.—tf

LADIES.—Be not deceived. We have to much confidence in your good judgment of childrens clothing to allow you to be lead astray by advertisments which we know to be untrue, misleading and false to the core. Now we know (for a fact) that Prowse Bros. have the largest and best assorted, and by a long shot the cheapest stock of men's, boy's, youth's and children clothing on P. E. Island. Truth & Co.—d3i w1f

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