

Local and Other Items.

THE STANLEY left Georgetown for Pictou this morning.

WOMEN'S waterproof overalls, now good, reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.50 at J. C. Sprague's.

CARPET REMNANTS—150 ends in 1 1/2 yd. lengths, just opened.—Harris & Stewart, London House. Jan 27 '91

TO START THE SALE, we will give some extra bargains to-night, at prices that will make you smile.—J. C. Sprague.

GOOD WORK.—The boats from Cape Tormentine made the crossing to-day in two hours and twenty minutes.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.—Meeting on Monday night, under the leadership of the ladies. Subject: "Christ as a Teacher."

COME and hear Mr. Dickie's illustrated lecture, "To and Fro in Scotland," at St James Hall on Monday night. It is very highly spoken of.

ROLLO.—The regular monthly meeting of the Rollo Hose Reel Company will be held in their room, Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, sharp. By order, Wm. A. Murphy, Sec'y.

REV. SAM SMALL.—Mr. Theo. L. Chappelle informs us that we may expect several lectures from Mr. Small. The dates will be given as soon as obtained. This is in answer to a query in yesterday's Patriot.

SKATING RINK.—There will be no skating at the rink on Monday evening next. The directors find it absolutely necessary to take this night, in order to complete the large amount of decoration in connection with the Carnival.

CARNIVAL skaters needing such stains and pastes as Nigger black, Clown white and Carmine, Indian red, &c., as well as all face powders and cosmetics, can procure the same by giving previous notice at Watson's Drug Store. Jan 31 '91

OMISSION SUPPLIED.—We should have stated yesterday in the notice of St. Peter's Band of Hope entertainment that the labor of preparing the children for their several parts was performed, for the most part, by Miss Alice Webb, to whom the credit is chiefly due.

DYNAMITE AGAIN.—A house at Bluefield, W. Va., was blown up by dynamite on the night of the 21st, and several persons were injured. The persons causing the explosion are unknown. This makes the fourth house destroyed in this way at that place within a week. The town is terrorized.

MAN'S DEFLICITY.—It is believed that not less than thirty strangers per week arrive in New York to purchase counterfeit money of sharpers, and while each and everyone of them is swindled, it is only about one out of every one hundred who makes a complaint. His own guilt forbids, and he goes home a swindled and a wiser man.

THE DEACONS SAT ON.—Three deacons of the Saints church at Bellair, Michigan, assaulted a member because he refused to speak, sing or pray. Convinced that he had fallen from grace they smote him and cast him forth bodily. Such Christian zeal is not supported by the loose laws of the State and each deacon was fined \$46.

THE DEATH RATE.—According to late advices from Ottawa, the highest death rate in the 29 cities and towns embraced in the mortality returns for the month belongs to the city of Quebec which was 237, the next in order being Halifax with 211. The lowest was Galt with 54, two western cities—Winnipeg and Victoria—being 71 and 66 respectively.

THE JAMAICA EXHIBITION.—The Jamaica Exhibition was opened on the 27th inst. by Prince George. The attendance at the opening sustained the most sanguine expectations. All the steamers from Europe and America were crowded with visitors. The Dominion of Canada has the largest foreign display, which occupies ten courts, while England has eight, Austria five, Germany and the United States three each, and Florence two.

WILL WIND UP BUSINESS.—It is stated that the Toronto Alliance Bond and Investment Company at Toronto, Ont., it to be wound up. The Alliance, according to an exchange, is one of those concerns which promise to pay a round sum of money in return for a small immediate payment and periodical assessments. Suspicion was aroused, and an investigation held, when it was discovered that the salaried officers were the only ones likely to benefit by its existence. Many shareholders will lose quite heavily.

THE EXCUSE WAS SUFFICIENT.—An exchange reports that a teacher in the West wrote to one of the patrons of her school, asking why his son had been absent three days. The following satisfactory note was received in reply: "James was fooling around a steel rat trap on Monday, when it went off and caught his big toe, inflicting damages so that the wearing of his boots is impossible. It swelled until it was as big as four toes, and he also has the mumps and a ringworm and a boil, so that he can't study. He will come when he is better."

SELLING LIQUOR TO INDIANS.—L. Van-koughnet, Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, at Ottawa, has issued a circular to all magistrates and justices of the peace, calling their attention to the sale of liquor to Indians, complaints of which are constantly received by him. Accompanying the circular is a printed notice which declares that any person who sells, barter, or gives, either directly or indirectly, liquor to Indians will be prosecuted to the utmost rigor of the law, and are liable to a fine of \$300 and six months' imprisonment. Half the fine will be paid to the informer. A copy of the printed circular is posted up in the police station.

A VALUABLE POINTER.—An exchange says: More than twenty-five years ago, while I was in the Thirty-fifth Massachusetts Regiment, straggling around in Virginia, I was somewhat troubled with cold feet. At one time while I was stamping upon the ground in the effort to warm my extremities, a comrade in the same regiment said to me, "If your feet are cold try this?" He raised his foot from the ground and struck some light blows with his hand on the upper part of his leg, just above the knee. I did the same, with both legs, and instantaneously felt a flow of warm blood coursing downward, and the feet became comfortably warm. The experiment was repeated with good effect in the comparatively warm climate of Virginia, and also with equally good results in the more rugged atmosphere of New England.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION ELECTIONS.

The Date to be Announced.

GRITS in DESPAIR

After Election Boodle.

St. JOHN, Jan. 31.

Private advices from Ottawa point to an early general election. The date of the election will be announced almost instantly.

The local grits are in the depths of despair over the latest phase of the situation. Cartwright and Longley spoke at the annual banquet of the Boston Merchants' Association last night. Both came out boldly in favor of unrestricted reciprocity in manufactures as well as natural products. They are looking for election boodle.

Essence of the Gazette.

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.

The Canada Gazette will to-morrow announce that the grease used for soap making has been placed upon the free list; that the supplying or selling of arms or ammunition to Indians in Manitoba and the Territories is prohibited, except on the authority of the resident superintendent; also that the examination for Dominion land surveys will be held at Ottawa on the 10th February next.

Another Explosion.

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.

A terrible explosion took place at the Nitro-glycerine Works near this city, yesterday. The explosion was caused by the carelessness of a workman. The building was totally destroyed, and one man was blown into fragments. An investigation will likely be held.

Obituary.

LONDON, Jan. 31.

Charles Bradlaugh, England's leading atheist, is dead. Bradlaugh has been the Liberal member for Northampton in the British House of Commons since 1870. He was born in 1833.

BOMBAY, Jan. 31.

The death of Abdurrahman Khan, Ameer of Afghanistan, is reported.

A Strike Collapsed.

LONDON, Jan. 31.

The Scotch railway strike has utterly collapsed. The strike entailed disastrous results upon the poor workman.

Personal.

Mr. Joseph H. McNeill, of Denver, Colorado, who has been on a short visit to his home and friends in this city, left on his return trip on the 28th inst. by the winter steamer Stanley.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—10 a. m.

Mostly fair weather; not much change in temperature.

Religious Services.

Remember the Railway Gospel Meeting to-morrow afternoon in McLeod's Hall, at 4 o'clock. Strangers always welcome. Lesson—Matthew 7:11: "If ye then be evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, etc."

Kensington Hall.—To-morrow evening. Subject: "Get ready for the Journey." Mr. C. P. Fletcher will give a cornet solo.

Mr. T. C. James will preach in the Upper Prince Street Methodist church to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Y. M. C. A.—The Gospel Meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, at 4 o'clock, to-morrow afternoon, will be conducted by the young men connected with the Prince of Wales College Y. M. C. A. The meeting will be highly interesting and should commend a full house.

Zion church.—The services to-morrow will be conducted by the pastor in the morning, at 11, and in the evening at 7 o'clock. Morning prayer meeting at 10.15. Sabbath School and Bible classes will meet at 2.30 p. m.

Local Notices.

Beer & Goff are selling good oatmeal cheaper than you can buy it in the market. Also, boneless fish for 5 cents per pound. Jan 26 '91

Northern Spy are the nicest flavored winter-keeping apples you can get. For sale by the dozen, bushel or barrel at Beer & Goff's. Jan 30 '91

Gents slippers just received at Goff Bros. Jan 9 '91

Cheapest boots at Goff Bros. Jan 9 '91

Selling off—Great bargains before stock-taking Ladies dress cloths, fancy dress goods at J. B. Macdonald's. Jan 14

SNOW-SHOES IN TROUBLE.—Several young city bloods started out for a snow-shoe tramp a few nights ago. When they left town it was not their intention to go far, but before the party knew where they really were they brought up somewhere at the other side of the Cornwall Cheese Factory. After taking a breathing spell, some of the party discovered that they were sadly in need of food, that unless they got something in that line, and got it quickly, too, they would have a hard time getting back to the city. They finally started for home. On the way they called at several houses and solicited something to eat. But the occupants of the houses did not like the appearance of the group and would not accede to their request. At length, hungry and weary, the party reached the city sadder but much wiser than when they left. On the way home the party became separated, and it was not until the roll was called on the morning after the tramp that the whereabouts of at least one of their number was ascertained.

THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY

CONCERT

ON THURSDAY, 5th of February, In Philharmonic Hall,

MENDELSSOHN'S CELEBRATED Hymn of Praise

WILL BE RENDERED. Jan 17—sat to thu

A Chance to Obtain a Farm at a Bargain.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Freehold Farm of 100 acres of land, fronting on Souris Road, and within one and a half miles of the village. There is a good Dwelling and Barn on the premises, and 20 acres of good hardwood.

Terms easy, and made known on application to the owner on the premises.

RICHARD T. LYONS, or to MATTHEW, McLEAN & CO., Souris. Jan 30—1w

Imported Seed Oats.

10,000 BUSHELS FINEST BLACK, now on the way from Great Britain. Orders booked at our office, where samples can now be seen. Samples will also be mailed on application. CARVELL BROS. Jan 30—2w

IMPORTED SEED POTATOES.

CLARK'S NO. 1.—Samples are now on the way and will be shown in a few days. They are an earlier potato than the Early Rose, which they much resemble. CARVELL BROS. Jan 30—2i

FOR RENT.

TO LET, in the New MORRIS BUILDING, now nearing completion, opposite Post Office:—

One Store, 20x63, clear of posts, with Basement and large Room on second floor.

One Store, 14x40, with Room in rear and Basement.

Three or four suits of Offices on second floor.

One Room on third floor, full size of building, 34x63, clear of posts.

If applied for before contracts for finishing are let, will be fitted up to suit tenant.

A fire-proof vault will be built to suit stores and offices if desired. The building will be heated throughout by steam or hot water.

Plans can be seen at the office of Chappell & Phillips. For further particulars apply to THOMAS MORRIS. Jan 27—3i eod

NOTICE.

MRS. MILLNER requests all persons indebted to her to settle their accounts before March 1st. All not settled then will be placed in the lawyer's hands for collection. an 27—3i eod

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED.—By the 8th of February, a Girl for general housework. Good wages will be given to a suitable person. Apply at this office. Jan 30—3i

WANTED.—A good girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. C. V. McGRIGOR, Prince Street. 3i—Jan 27

FOR SALE.—A nice Building Lot at head of Alley Street near Prince Street, situated on high ground and in good locality, near Upper Prince Street Church and School. Price low and terms easy. Apply to GUYER BARRY. Jan 27

GREAT CLEARING SALE

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Fifteen Thousand Dollars' worth to be sold at a Discount of 20 to 25 per cent for Cash only.

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS.

Special Lot of Misses' Fine Kid Boots, from 75 cents to \$1.25 regular prices from \$1.75 to \$2.75. Misses' and Children's Felt Overshoes, 50 cents a pair. Tremendous Bargains all along the line at the

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

JANUARY, 1891.

BEFORE STOCKTAKING,

Great Bargains to Reduce and Clear

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING!

J. B. MACDONALD'S.

STANLEY BROTHERS.

TABLE COVERS.

Six Dozen SILK EMBROIDERED CLOTHS, Tapestry and Felt. The lot must be sold if you want a Piano or Table Cover have a look through these, as they are marked at Wonderfully Low Figures.

LADIES' WATERPROOF CLOAKS.

You must have them, and it is just as well that you should know that we are offering something Special. We look closely at the matter of Quality in these goods, and leave the buyer to look closely at the Prices.

CLOTHS FOR LADIES' WEAR.

Our Stock in this line is really excellent, and we expect buyers to share the pleasure we feel in offering them a First-Class Assortment of ULSTER and JACKET CLOTHS at money-saving prices.

CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.

A few left, right in every way. You can have one at your own price, as we intend to clear them all.

STANLEY BROTHERS, BROWN'S BLOCK.

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PERKINS & STERNS.

Now Taking Stock,

BIG BARGAINS WILL BE GIVEN

WINTER DRY GOODS.

Our Quarterly Accounts have been sent out during the past week, and we would be obliged to our friends to respond to the same quick. Charlottetown, January 8, 1890.