

Local and Other Items.

A. C. McDONALD, Esq., is in the city. PROF. BARNARD has discovered a new comet. The new Canadian Pacific Hotel at Winnipeg will cost \$500,000. The Halifax Cotton Factory is rapidly approaching completion. A meeting of the Dominion Alliance will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. Two directors of the Sultan's palaces have been arrested for embezzling a large amount of funds. L. B. ARCHIBALD, Esq., Superintendent of the P. E. I. Railway, returned home last night. THE MARKET to-day was very well attended and supplied. Prices remain the same as on Friday. HORSE BUYERS are numerous in the city, and fair prices are being offered for working and driving horses. LIGHTNING killed one man and two horses and injured another man at Erin, Ontario, on Wednesday last. LAVAL University has purchased a lot in Montreal for \$50,000, and intend building a college upon it. A FEW MORE informations have been laid against violators of the Scott Act. The trial will come off to-morrow. THE "Northampton," "Foam," and "Conquest" are still at work on the wreck of the "Phoenix" at East Point. A NEW deaf and dumb institute has been opened at Fredericton, N. B. Professor Woodbridge is in charge of it. We understand that the Bible Christian Church has decided to hold a Tea Meeting and Entertainment on next Thanksgiving Day. THE seventy-five Martini-Henri rifles presented by the British Government to the Dominion Rifle Association have arrived at Ottawa. MR. BERTRAM MOORE has returned to the city, after an absence of several years in the United States. He is looking well, and will remain in the city a short time. A CASE of assault was tried by the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon. It was between Frank Story and John Stewart. The assault—Stewart—was fined \$1.00 and costs. MR. ASHES GREGOR, formerly of New Glasgow, arrived home after spending a year in Manitoba. He speaks highly of the country, and reports all the Islanders doing well there. A DESPATCH from Lord Kimberly states that Her Majesty permits the society recently organized for the encouragement of science and literature in Canada to be styled the "Royal Society of Canada." THE BOY Jordan, who was accidentally shot in the abdomen while amusing himself with other boys firing at a target on Tuesday last week, at Woodstock, N. B. died from the effects on Thursday night. ENGLISH Bonnets, Mantles and Ulsters.—To-morrow (Wednesday) we will show the above goods, in our show-room, upstairs. Ladies are invited to inspect them.—W. A. Weeks & Co. s20 li MR. URIAH MATTHEW, Senr., has returned from a visit to his son at Souris, (of the firm of Matthew, McLean & Co.) His numerous friends will regret to learn that his health has not improved from his trip to the Eastern portion of the Island. THE newspaper business is booming in Toronto. The Mail says that it printed, last week, the largest daily edition ever printed in the Mail office. Its morning edition of the 9th was the largest printed in Toronto by any paper for ten years. JOHN T. BERRY, Esq., Rockland Maine, President of the Lime Rock National Bank, and also of the Knox and Lincoln R. R. says he had the rheumatism in his left foot and leg. He used three bottles of St. Jacobs Oil and it relieved him wonderfully. He calls it "a splendid article." The fall meeting at Moncton Driving Park takes place on Friday and Saturday next. We see that "Young Hambletonian" of this city is entered in the three minutes and 2.50 class races, and Abdal's Queen also of this city, is entered in the 2.40 class. All races are well filled. In the Massachusetts fisheries 25,117 persons are employed, including those engaged in the manufacture of nets and other fishing appliances, and 100,000 persons in the State rely upon this industry for support. The total capital invested in the business is \$14,334,450, and the total annual product averages \$8,141,750. It is announced that Messrs. Parnell, Davitt, Dillon and Brennan have decided to have a conference in the autumn in order to inaugurate a national movement, in which various movements, now going on separately, will be consolidated upon a platform of national self-government, the abolition of landlordism, the protection of home industries, the rights of labor and paid representation in Parliament. On recommendation of Mr. Archibald, Superintendent P. E. I. Railway, situations as telegraph operators have been procured for three young gentlemen from Prince Edward Island, on the Intercolonial Railway. Mr. Griffiths, of Bideford, has been appointed to Spring Hill Junction; Mr. Mooney, of Baldwin's Road, to Shubenacadie Station; Mr. Hackett, of Tignish, will leave in a few days for Nova Scotia. A TEAM of ten riflemen from the Charlottetown Active Militia, will leave to-morrow morning to fire a return match with the riflemen of Halifax who competed with them at Kensington Rifle Range last season. The team is composed as follows: Major G. L. Dogherty, Engineers. Capt. Stewart, No. 3 Co. Sapper J. Dover, Engineers. Lieutenant E. McGregor, No. 3 Co. Private S. Gay. Lieut. R. V. Longworth. Sergeant Benj. Hooper. Sergeant M. Allan. Sergeant Major McDougall. Sapper D. L. Hooper, Engineers. AN Episcopal clergyman in Quebec has refused to solemnize marriage with a deceased wife's sister, on the ground of its being forbidden by the canons of his church.

The Historical Society of P. E. I. REPORT OF COMMITTEE.—ANOTHER FAILURE. THE SOCIETY TO BE WOUND UP. PURSUANT to notice, a meeting of the members of the Historical Society of Prince Edward Island was held in the Legislative Library, on Monday, the 18th September, instant, when the following Report of the Committee was read and ordered to be published:— The Executive Committee of the Historical Society of Prince Edward Island, beg to submit for the consideration of its members the following Report or Statement:— On 12th September, 1881, a public meeting was held in the Legislative Library for the purpose of organizing this Society, at which the undersigned were appointed a managing committee, and a committee was also appointed to solicit subscriptions for membership. A subject list was at the same time issued, which was signed by thirty-one gentlemen present, and by the exertions of the canvassing committee, the names of eighty-two additional members were afterwards obtained, thus making the entire membership number one hundred and thirteen. It was determined at this meeting that the entrance fee should be \$5, and that an annual subscription of \$2 should also be payable by each member. These amounts, if paid by each member of the Roll, would yield to the Society an income of \$791 for the first year, and an annual income of \$226 for each succeeding year. Of this sum of \$791, the sum of \$277 has been collected in cash, the sum of \$7 has been paid by a contribution in books, and there remains uncollected the sum of \$507. This will more clearly appear from the following statements:— 45 members have paid the entrance fee \$5, \$225 00 6 members have paid entrance fee and subscription \$7, 42 00 1 member paid for entrance fee and subscription, 10 00 1 member paid by contribution, 7 00 1 member has left the Island, 7 00 2 members repudiate payment, 12 00 45 members have not paid their subscription fee, \$2, 90 00 57 members have not paid entrance or subscription fee, \$7, 399 00 \$791 00 Out of the funds on hand the sum of \$20 has been paid for sundry disbursements (including \$10 charged by the Government for passing the Act of Incorporation) and the sum of \$14.62 which is due on accounts furnished, together with the remuneration to be allowed to Mr. Hughes for his services as clerk to the committee, constitute the outstanding claims against the Society. At the organization of the Society it was confidently believed that some pecuniary aid would be granted to it at the following session of the Legislature, and that the Government would place at its disposal a room in the Provincial Building for the use of the committee and as a place of deposit for the Society's collections. Certain members of the committee were deputed to wait upon the Leader of the Government to secure the accomplishment of these objects; but their efforts were not attended with success. No suitable room could be had, and although a sum of money was ostensibly granted, it was made subject to considerations which practically rendered the grant unavailable. Without such aid the committee are impressed with the belief that the Society cannot be sustained. Notwithstanding they have used every means at their command to collect the monies due for subscriptions, more than two-thirds of the entire amount still remains unpaid. Unless the members of the Society are prepared to provide a sufficient sum to defray the salary of a secretary and the rent of a suitable room for holding meetings, etc., and also to contribute some fund for the purchase of books, pamphlets and other publications of historical interest, the committee would recommend that the society be dissolved. For the purposes of the sum of at least, \$600 would be annually required, and this meeting has been convened by the committee for the purpose of submitting to the members of the Society the present position of its affairs, and of determining whether the Society is to be dissolved or continue in existence. The committee beg to state that they have held a number of meetings during the year, and have endeavored, in every practicable way, to further the interests of the Society. Through their secretary a correspondence was opened with all kindred Societies in the other Provinces of the Dominion and in the United States, and they have to acknowledge receipt of contributions in books and pamphlets from several of these Societies, and particularly from the Historical Society of Nova Scotia. A list of all the contributions received by them, may be seen in the hands of the clerk. In conclusion the committee desire to express their regret that owing to the want of funds and proper facilities for carrying on the operations of the society, it has not been in their power as it has been in their inclination to promote the well being of this institution. (Signed) EDWARD PALMER, GEORGE ALLEY, GEORGE W. HODGSON, A. A. McDONALD, P. R. BOWERS, M. McLEOD. The following Resolutions were then passed:— Resolved, That the report of the Executive Committee of the Historical Society be adopted, and that the Committee take such measures towards the disposal of the books and papers of the Society, the payment of the debts, and the closing of the Society as they shall deem expedient and just towards all concerned. Resolved, That the Committee meet in the Legislative Library on Thursday next, at 3 o'clock, p. m. for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Society in accordance with the terms of the foregoing resolution. FRED'K W. HUGHES, Acting Secretary. Horsford's Acid Phosphate IN LIVER AND KIDNEY TROUBLES. DR. O. G. CILLEY, Boston, says: "I have used it very extensively, and with the most remarkable success in dyspepsia and in all cases where there is derangement of the liver and kidneys." On the 8th inst., the Merchants' Bank at Winnipeg was robbed of \$10,000, contained in a parcel that chanced to be left for a moment on the counter. 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AUCTION SALE OF HOUSES & LANDS AT SOURIS. BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of September, instant, at ten o'clock, forenoon, at Souris East, all the lands of Captain Simon Cheverie and Alexander Cheverie, consisting of several Building Lots, Dwelling Houses, Stores, etc. Also, 28 acres at Souris, which will be divided into acre lots. Also a farm at New Harmony, consisting of 50 acres of freehold land. Also, wharf, warehouse and shipyard at Souris West harbor. Terms—One fifth on the day of sale, to be paid in cash or by approved joint notes, payable, with bank interest, on 1st of December next. The balance by four annual instalments, to be secured by mortgage on the premises, with interest at 7 1/2 per cent. For particulars apply to Messrs. Palmer & McLeod, Charlottetown, or Simon and Alexander Cheverie, Souris. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Sept. 12, 1882—3aw 1/2. MORTGAGE SALE. TO be sold by Public Auction at the Court House, in Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, the eight day of NOVEMBER, A. D., 1882, at twelve o'clock noon,— All that tract piece or parcel of land situate lying and being on Lot or Township number thirty-four, in Queens County in Prince Edward Island, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake fixed on the east side of the road leading from Charlottetown to Stanhope at the southern boundary of John Hardy's land; thence running east eighty-six chains; thence south six chains fifty links; thence west eighty six chains or to the aforesaid road; thence north six chains and fifty links along the road to the place of beginning containing by estimation fifty-six (56) acres of land be the same a little more or less and is part and parcel of the said Lot or Township number thirty-four in Queens County. Together with all buildings, rights, tenements and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The above sale is made pursuant to the power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the twelfth day of June, A. D., 1879, made between Henry Hardy and Rachel Hardy his wife of the one part and Thomas Vessey of the other part. For further particulars, apply to Messrs. Hodgson and McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown. Dated this fifteenth day of September, A. D., 1882. THOMAS VESSEY. Sept. 16, law, wklly. INSURANCE OFFICE. Queen Insurance Company, OF ENGLAND. CAPITAL, TEN MILLION DOLLARS. City of London Fire Insurance Company. CAPITAL, TEN MILLION DOLLARS. Insurance effected on all kinds of property at current rates. Losses settled promptly and equitably. JAS. DESBRISAY, General Agent. Office—South Side Queen Square. Ch'town, Sept. 15, 1882. OATS! OATS! TUB BUTTER, WANTED. WHEATLEY & SONS. Sept. 1, '82—cod fr tu sa, wklly 1m. JOSEPH GILLOTT'S STEEL PENS. BY ALL DEALERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. A POSITIVE CURE Without Medicines. ALLAN'S SOLUBLE MEDICATED BOUGIES. Patented October 16th, 1876. One box No. 1 will cure any case in four days or less. No. 2 will cure the most obstinate case, no matter of how long standing. No nauseous doses or cubes, copalins, or oil of sandalwood, that are certain to produce dyspepsia by destroying the coatings of the stomach. Price \$1.50. Sold by all druggists, or mailed on receipt of price. For further particulars send for circular. P. O. Box 1,533. J. C. ALLAN CO., 83 John street, se 1'82—1yr New York. NOTICE. THE Charlottetown Gas Light Company have imported a fresh supply of Bray's Patent Burners, especially made to consume only three feet of Gas per hour with the tap turned full on. These Burners are intended for use in Halls, Bedrooms, Kitchens, and other places where a light from a small consumption of Gas only is required. By regulating the tap, the Gas consumed can be reduced to any desired quantity less than three feet per hour. These Burners are so scientifically made that they will give a light equal to about ten candles at a cost of three quarters of one cent per hour. The price of these Burners to consumers of Gas will be ten cents each. [ju 10 cod 14 t. SUBSCRIBE for the WEEKLY EXAMINER, the Cheapest and Best Newspaper published on P. E. Island. Only \$1 per year.