

Local and Other Items.

YORK MEAT at B... & G... decl12

THE SPICES and Cream Tartar, at Beer & G... decl12

KEILLEN'S celebrated Candied Peel, at Beer & G... decl12

THE steamer Princess of Wales left Pictou at a quarter past one o'clock.

E. W. TAYLOR'S advertisement of Holiday Presents will appear on Monday.

ONE thing is certain, you need not fear getting any old Cards at G. H. Hazard's.

THE DAILY EXAMINER is on sale at Mr. James McLeod's grocery store, Spring Park Road.

LEWIS has a splendid stock of Plush Goods for Christmas Presents. Call and see them. de 12 21

THE greatest variety of Christmas Cards to be seen in the city are at G. H. Hazard's.

THE London Telegraph learns that the Marchioness of Lorne will probably re-visit Canada in 1886.

THE promised visit in Montreal by D. L. Moody, the noted evangelist, is looked forward to as a religious event in that city.

THE S. S. Nellie Wise from this port to Liverpool, arrived safely on the 4th inst. after a passage of 14 days. All well.

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.—The Riel demonstration at Faneuil Hall has been indefinitely postponed.—Boston Traveller.

WE call attention to the beautiful Books, Magazines and Xmas Cards, at the Bible Depository.—M. F. ELLIS 3i—decl12

THE funeral of the late John Robins, Esq., took place to-day. The procession was one of the largest ever seen in the city.

THE value of Catholic Church property in Quebec Province, exclusive of church edifices, was estimated by an ecclesiastic in 1884 at \$8,769,000.

FREE EXHIBITION.—It will repay anyone in the city to spend five minutes to look through the handsome lot of Xmas Cards at R. K. Brace's decl12

REV. MR. CARBUTHERS will read a paper on "Election as an Art," at the next meeting, Thursday, 17th inst., of the Literary and Scientific Society.

REMEMBER the Gospel Meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall to-morrow afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Subject: "The Suffering Saviour, Isaiah, 53:1-12."

MRS. CATHERINE MASON died at Tangier, N. S., on the 5th December. She was the mother of eight children, 90 grand-children, and 65 great-grand-children.

THERE will be the usual morning and evening services in the Second Methodist Church to-morrow. A full attendance of the congregation is requested. The Sabbath School will not be opened.

MR. T. G. RALSTON, of St. John, N. B., representing the well-known boot and shoe house of O. Mignier, Quebec, is making his regular tour of the Island. He is staying at the Rankin.

THE United States Secretary of the treasury estimates the expenditure for the year, beginning next July, at \$340,000,000. This is \$50,000,000 in excess of the expenditures for the current year.

AN adjourned meeting of the Victoria Tobacco Club will be held at the office of R. R. Fitzgerald, Esq., on Monday evening, the 14th inst., at 7:30 o'clock (sharp). All members are specially requested to attend.

WE are requested by the Rev. Mr. Smyth, of St. Peter's Church, to say that it is utterly untrue that he has been to the smallpox hospital. He has never been there and does not even know the way to the place.

THE Marine Department has awarded silver watches to three of the crew of the schooner G. A. Smith, of Lunenburg, N. S., for gallant conduct in saving the lives of two seamen of the schooner Dictator in Ketch Harbor, N. S., last May.

THE most successful family at the recent English parliamentary elections was the Abercorn family, the four brothers of the Marchioness of Lansdowne having all been returned. Lord George Hamilton, first lord of the Admiralty, has been re-elected for Middlesex, and Lord Claud Hamilton, for Liverpool; while Lord Frederick Hamilton now enters Parliament for Manchester, and Lord Ernest Hamilton for Tyrone.

THE aroma of the tobacco leaf is so completely conserved in the manufacture of "Myrtle Navy," that age has no effect in diminishing it; even after the plug has been kept for years it gives out its full flavor under the combustion in the pipe, mellowed in time by its age and making the most exquisite smoke which tobacco can be made to give. Age hardens the surface of the plug, and gives the tobacco when cut that almost granular appearance in which all connoisseurs delight.

A BIG TRAIN.—A wonderful railway train arrived at New Orleans on the 7th inst. It started from a place called Wilson, with 62 cars of cotton and two engine cars, in which were some passengers. At Slaughter and Ebel's cars were picked up, making 150 loaded freight cars. Of these 134 cars were loaded with cotton, 10 carried staves, and the other six were loaded with general produce. The length of the train, as coupled together, was one mile and 90 feet. The gross weight of the freight and train was 5,442,831 pounds. There were 4,629 bales of cotton on board.

"BY THE WAY," said a leading gentleman to an Examiner representative, "who has trained your newsboys of late? They go to work in regular New York newsboy style. I have often been disgusted with the half-hearted way they used to offer their papers for sale, but now they do the business whole-souled. I bought an EXAMINER," he continued, "from my regular newsboy the other evening, and on my way home was accosted in the dark by another who shook a paper in my face, and hellowed:

"EXAMINER, Sir, checked full of lies!" I laughed, remarked that a pushing fellow, and to encourage him bought the paper. On my arrival home I put my hand into my pocket to see if what newsy said was correct, and was both amazed and surprised to find he sold me the Patriot." The boy evidently mistook the name, but not the contents of the paper.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES FROM THE EXAMINER.]

A Strong National Party.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 11. Patrick Egan, President of the Irish National League, has received this evening the following important cable despatch:

DUBLIN, Dec. 11.—The Elections are concluded. Result beyond our most sanguine calculations. We were thirty-nine at the dissolution. We are returned eighty-six united as one man. The Irish party are masters of the situation.

Signed, TIMOTHY HARRINGTON, Secretary Irish National League.

The New Minister of Marine.

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.

The writ has been issued for the King's County elections. Nomination on the 25th; election on the 31st inst.; Returning Officer is Samuel Freeze.

Hon. Mr. Foster left last night for the East.

The appointment of Hon. Mr. McLellan as Minister of Finance, is gazetted.

Who to Blame for the Rebellion.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 11.

Archbishop Tache has issued a manifesto on the late rebellion and Riel's execution, in which he lays the blame of the half-breed uprising on the Government officials of both the Mackenzie and present regime, and holds the Metis blameless. He states that after twenty years' acquaintance with Riel, he considers he was more or less insane.

The Eastern Difficulty Virtually Settled.

LONDON, Dec. 11.

The Times says:—"The Eastern difficulty may be regarded as virtually settled. The powers have agreed to recognize a union of the Bulgarians. A Demarcation Commission has been appointed, which insures an armistice of a month."

Alarming Reports.

MONTREY, MEXICO, Dec. 11.

Alarming reports in regard to the progress of the revolution are being received here. At Galena they have charge of the city.

Don Carlos' Illness.

MADRID, Dec. 11.

The newspapers here state that Don Carlos is dangerously ill, and that his brother has been summoned to Venice.

Cold Weather in England.

LONDON, Dec. 11.

The most intensely cold weather experienced in five years is now prevailing throughout England.

Irish Politics.

DUBLIN, Dec. 11.

The Earl of Carnarvon, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, has gone to London to attend a cabinet council.

Nihilists Arrested.

WARSAW, Dec. 11.

Numerous arrests of Nihilists have been made here. A conspiracy was discovered.

Conspirators Condemned.

MADRID, Dec. 11.

A Court Martial has condemned to death four of the Cartagena conspirators.

The Queen Succors Bulgarians.

LONDON, Dec. 11.

Queen Victoria has donated £5,000 to the relief of wounded Bulgarians.

A Bead Turk.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 11.

The Sultan's brother, Nureddin Effendi, is dead.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—10 a. m.

Fresh westerly winds, fair colder weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE

Charlottetown, Dec. 12, 1885.

Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....43.0

Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....26.2

Lowest Temperature this morning.....18.6

Temperature this morning at 8 o'clock.....20.2

Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock.....18.0

Go to Lawis and get your Photographs taken to give your friends at Christmas. de 12 21

MARRIED.

In Somerville, Mass., Nov. 11th, by Rev. H. C. Hitchcock, Mr. George Campbell, of Gloucester, and Miss Florence McDonald, of Somerville.

In the Catholic Church, in Longmont, Colorado, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., Sunday, Nov. 22nd, by Rev. Father Robinson, Mr. J. N. McLellan and Miss Percy Glover.

DECEASED.

In the Hospital, Nov. 25th, of smallpox, Malcolm, beloved son of John Steele, in the 24th year of his age.

SHIP NEWS.

Halifax, Dec 10.—Ar schr Minn Bell, Nickerson, Georgetown.

Port Hawkesburg, Dec 9.—Ar schr Laura B from Georgetown.

P. E. I. for Boston; Willis A. McKay, do, for Baltimore; bridge Sirius, Georgetown for Boston; P. E. I. for Baltimore; Ambrose H. Knight, do, for South Bay. Sid 9.—Schr Laig, Bailiu, Yarmouth.

Halifax, Nov 18.—Ar Ida Maud, Bal, from Summerville.

The Callaghan Murder Case.

A correspondent of the St. John Globe, who is evidently much interested with the above case, writes as follows: At the inquest it was discovered that the only property that was missing, belonging to Callaghan, was a silver watch and chain of a peculiar pattern, also a half-sovereign attached to a chain. The peculiar feature about this half-sovereign is that Callaghan had the hole bored in it so that the Queen's head hung up-side-down. In October, 1884, a man named Gillis returned to Souris, after an absence of 14 years. Simultaneously with his return a series of robberies took place in Souris and the neighborhood. About three weeks after the Callaghan murder Gillis was arrested for one of these robberies and in his possession was found a watch and chain which a number of witnesses swear to as being Callaghan's. The half-sovereign having the same peculiarities in regard to the hole in it as the one owned by Callaghan was also traced to Gillis. Your correspondent paid a visit to the jail (incognito as far as his connection with the press is concerned) and saw Gillis. He seems to take his position with considerable sang froid. He is about 35 or 37 years of age, 5ft. 9 1/2 in. high, muscular looking, has full brown beard and moustache, grey eyes and a nervous manner. He denies being the Alexander Gillis whose record Inspector Watts, of the Boston police, gives as follows: Alexander Gillis received a sentence of five years January 31, 1877, for robbery at Gloucester, and on Feb. 3rd, 1882, got three years more for burglary. He was discharged from the state prison Sept. 12, 1884. If this is the same man he must have come to the Island a month after his release, as he was first seen at Souris in October, 1884. At the time the murder was first discovered, the services of a Canadian officer, who has an experience of 15 years in working up cases of crime, was obtained by the P. E. Island government, and he has been on the Island time and again. I may mention 'en passant' that one of his men is constantly about Souris and Charlottetown disguised as a tramp. It is rumored the case will not be tried in January, as was at first proposed, but would be deferred until spring, to enable the detectives to collect as much evidence as possible, the difficulty being the peculiarity in the witnesses not liking to give information for fear they will get the name of informants.

Big Customs Steal.

A DISHONEST OFFICIAL AND TWO BUSINESS MEN FLEE TO MEXICO, BUT THE FORMER RETURNS.

The Assistant Commissioner of Customs arrived at Montreal from Ottawa, on the 9th inst., for the purpose of holding an investigation into the Brosseau-Lizabelle frauds. The investigation will take place in the special agent's department, and will be held with closed doors. Lizabelle, who was arrested a few days ago, while in Canada, on his way to Montreal, and gave bail, renewed his bail at the police court on the 8th. He will be examined, and it is anticipated that he will make some important disclosures regarding, not only the firms which are alleged to be implicated, but also employes of the Government. Lizabelle has handed over to the customs authorities many important documents, which help to throw light on the swindles, and which the customs authorities were unable to procure, as the firm had been discreet enough to burn their books and papers prior to their flight.

Les Experience du Voyage

relates in a most graphic manner the flight and doings of the two partners since the moment they left Montreal, to Chicago and New Orleans, and up to the time they arrived at the city of Mexico. They were continually suspecting they were being followed by detectives and when, at last, they saw Robinson, the St. John forger arrested in Mexico, and extradited for forgery at the instance of the Bank of Montreal, their course forsook them. Lizabelle determined to return home before all his money was spent, while Brosseau made up his mind that Mexico was no place for him to live, and by this time has probably moved off to some other state. It is a mistake to suppose the partners reaped much of a harvest out of the frauds. They do not amount to more than \$35,000 or \$40,000, of which Brosseau and Lizabelle only received about \$15,000 or \$20,000; \$12,000 of this is now in the hands of a relative of theirs in Montreal, who will, it is said, probably fund it to the government, while the balance was expended in travelling expenses. The accomplices who are believed to be still there, shovled the balance of the big steal, but the authorities are hopeful of bringing them to justice and of compelling them to disgorge. The charge upon which Lizabelle is held to appear before the police magistrate is passing fraudulent customs returns.

Apples, Oranges, &c.

BY Auction, MONDAY, December 14th at 11 o'clock.

25 barrels American Baldwin, 75 do N. S. Baldwin, Bishop Pippins, Ribson Pippins, Tomkins, Russets, &c.

Also—Barrels Cranberries, Onions, &c.; boxes Oranges, Lemons, &c.; kegs Green Grapes and other articles to close out consignments.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

December 11—21

HIDES.

CASH paid for good No. 1 and No. 2 COW-HIDES.

CARVELL BROS.

Dec. 11—21

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

STRAYED—From Belvidere Pasture, some white and red, with white streak down the face. Any body leaving information of her at this office will be paid for their trouble and expense. decl2 21

FOR SALE—A balance of 15 barrels of Cement, to clear, at \$3.25; general price \$4. Apply at this office. oct19 17

BOARDERS—Two or three gentlemen or ladies Boarders may find comfortable accommodation by applying to Mrs. William Kennedy, Brick House, Hillsborough Park or Georgetown. P. E. I. sept19 17

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PERKINS & STERNS'

WELL-KNOWN LOW PRICES ARE BEING FURTHER REDUCED TO CLEAR BALANCE OF THIS SEASON'S STOCK.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Fur-lined Cloaks.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Winter Jackets.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Millinery.

Dress Goods, Shawls and Hosiery Cut Away Down Very Low.

Just See the Prices we are Selling Blankets at.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

The Largest Stock, Newest Goods to be found—Useful and Ornamental. Prices to Please Everyone.

Our NEW, LARGE AND WELL-ASSORTED STOCK is now offered to the public at LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Let All Remember that we will not be Undersold by any House in the Trade.

SEE OUR PRICES BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Dec. 11, '85.

At Morris' Bookstore

(CAMERON BLOCK.)

JUST OPENING, A FINE STOCK OF

Books, Stationery, Toys, Games and Fancy Goods,

AND THE FINEST STOCK OF

CHRISTMAS CARDS

in the city, being selections from RAPHAEL, TUCK & SONS, of London, England; L. PRANG & CO., Boston; POULTON'S

PHOTOGRAPH CARDS,

and from other Celebrated Publishers.

For the convenience of customers at a distance, we have put up

Packages Containing 100 Cards at \$1 00,

\$2.00 or \$5.00.

These Packages contain an assortment of

Plain and Fringed Cards,

at about three times the value at the Retail Price, and will be mailed postpaid for either of the above sums. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

LEONARD MORRIS.

Ch'town, Dec. 10, 1885—3wks

TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

THIS COMPANY is now ready to transmit written and verbal messages, by Telephone, between Charlottetown, Hunter River, County Line, Freetown, Keatington, Summerside and St. Eleanors, at the following Rates:—

From Station to Station, when the distance is 5 miles or under, for each five minutes' conversation, or part thereof..... 10 Cents

do do do 5 to 10 miles..... 20 "

do do do over 10 miles..... 25 "

Written messages, subject to Company's conditions, will be sent from Station to Station at following Rates:—

When distance does not exceed 10 miles, for twenty words or under..... 15 Cents

When distance is greater than 10 miles..... 25 "

For each additional word one cent extra.

A discount of 20 per cent from the above rates will be made to lessees of instruments.

Written messages will be delivered in Charlottetown within city limits; from all other receiving offices within a quarter of a mile from said offices.

Special rates will be made for delivering at greater distances.

All communications and messages must be prepaid.

The Company is prepared to lease Telephone Instruments in Charlottetown and Summerside at established rates, and to treat with persons requiring private or toll lines.

For further information apply to the Subscriber, at Charlottetown.

ROB ANGUS, MANAGER.

Ch'town, Oct. 19, 1886—1yer eod

NOT JAPANESE CURIOS.

But Substantial, Sensible, Economical Xmas Presents for your Children, Brothers, Sisters, Wives, Husbands, Cousins and Aunts, at Prices Within the Reach of the Poorest.

MEN'S REEFERS, \$3.25, \$1.50, \$5 and up.

Child's Reefers and Overcoats, \$3.25, \$1.50 and up.

Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, neat and durable, \$8.50 to \$15.

Men's Black Worsted Suits (a wonderful bargain) only \$6.50, worth \$10.

Men's Heavy Winter Pants, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 and up.

Tryon Tweed Suits, made to measure, \$11, \$12, \$13 and up.

Tryon Tweed Coats, to measure, \$10, \$12 and up.

Tryon Tweed Pants, to measure, \$2.75, \$3.50 and up.

Men's Scotch Tweed Suits, to measure, worth \$25, now only \$16.

Men's Scotch Tweed Pants, made to measure, \$1, worth \$6.

Men's Kid and Knit Gloves, in assorted patterns, 60cts, \$1 and up.

Men's Russia Fur Caps, only \$2; Cloth Caps in all the Colors, 50cts, up.

Men's Heavy Napcloth Reefers, made to measure, with velvet collar, \$7.50.

Men's Heavy Napcloth and Worsted Overcoats, to measure, only \$10.

Child's Braided Suits, in the latest Paris fashion, \$1.75, \$3 and up.

Youth's Suits, in Scotch and Canadian makes very stylish, \$5, up.

Carriage of Shirts and Drawers, in lambewool and cashmere, 50cts to \$3 each.

A solid wall of Scotch and Island Tweeds at 40cts up.

Men's Heavy Top Shirts, in cloth, flannel and union, 50cts to \$2 each.

Ladies' Corsets, in the very newest makes; only 50cts for a heavy double busk.

Ladies' (clasp) Bent's Kid Gloves, every pair sold giving satisfaction, only 50cts.

Ladies' Cloth, Ringwood, and Jersey Gloves, 50cts up.

Ladies' Collars only 60cts, up; Neck Frilling 60cts up.

Ladies' Ulsters and Jackets, \$1.50, \$3, \$1 and up (London made.)

Ladies' Jackets, made to measure and a perfect fit warranted, cheap.

Scotch, Cocoon, Canadian and Tryon Knitting Yarns.

Men's Cardigan Jackets, very heavy winter weights, 50cts, up.

Cotton Flannels, All-wool Flannels and Tickings, all shades, 50cts, up.

Table Damask, in Turkey Red and Brown, 25cts, up.

Acres of Men's Mullers and Scarfs, in silk and wool, 25cts up.

Real Saxony Wool Tweeds, winter weights, only 50cts, worth \$1.50.

Velvet Picture Frames, cabinet size, only 75cts, worth \$1.50.

Ladies' and Gents' Pocket Books, Mirrors, Cigar Cases, Knives, &c.

One of the Finest Stocks of Gents' Furnishings in the city.

Men's American Felt Hats and other goods too numerous to mention.

The celebrated Gibsons' Cottons, a yard wide, 5 cents.

REID BROS., CAMERON BLOCK.

Ch'town, Dec. 9, 1885.

Notice to the Public

WE have now completed our

Fall Importations,