

Local and Other Items.

The Mock Parliament meets this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Examiner is sprinkled every day with a strong disinfectant.

By cable to the owner, Hon. John Yeo, we learn that the bark Osseo, arrived at Falmouth.

The S. S. George Shattuck will leave Georgetown for Halifax about Monday next, 30th inst.

The Christmas Cards are now open at the Diamond Bookstore. The supply is unequalled for quality and price.

Farmers, remember the Boston boat makes her last trip next week. Bring all your eggs along.—R. K. BRACE, Nov 27

The Diamond Bookstore is bringing stocked with a splendid variety of Fancy Goods, Toys, Books, etc., for the Christmas Holidays.

The oil painting on exhibition at the Diamond Bookstore was lotteried at the Bank's House last evening. It was won by Dr. T. C. Robins.

The Windsor, N. S., Foundry Company have made arrangements to manufacture for Canada the windlass and capstans of the American Ship Windlass Company of Providence, Rhode Island.

The Globe's London cable says: Hon. Edward Blake will return to Canada early next month. He will sail on December 10th. His health has been very much improved by his stay in this country.

By cable to the owner, Hon. Wm. Richards we learn that the bark Isabel arrived at Falmouth from Java with snazars, and that the barkentine Oliveette arrived at Mumbles, on the 25th inst., from Summerside with oats.

The steamer Worcester, Capt. Hiller, sailed for Boston last night with freight consisting of 2047 bags potatoes, 5 2 cases eggs, 240 cases canned goods, 377 lbs mackerel, 34 bush barley and 7 sacks of hair. She had no passengers.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this morning, Archibald Ross, charged with obtaining money under false pretences from Ellen Blackburn, was discharged on his own recognizance to appear at the next session of the Supreme Court. Two drunks were remanded to jail for eight days.

The many friends of Mr. John J. Fairbairn will learn with deep regret of his sad bereavement in the loss of his wife. Mrs. Fairbairn died at her father's residence after a brief illness, at the early age of 27. She was a most estimable lady, deservedly respected by all who knew her. We tender Mr. Fairbairn our heartfelt sympathy.

COUNTY COURTS.—We are authorized to announce that by order of the Judge of the County Court of Queen's County, the next sitting of the County Court at New London will be adjourned on Tuesday next until Tuesday, 5th January; and that the next sitting of the County Court at New Glasgow will be adjourned on Friday next until Friday, 5th January.

FIRE AT MOUNT SIEWARE.—This morning, between four and five, a fire broke out at Mount Stewart in a house occupied by John Mackinnon. Fortunately it was outside the village and the wind blowing in the opposite direction or the village would have gone. There is very little sympathy, because for a long time it has been a den of iniquity and selling rum.

TAKING EXPERIENCE AS THE TEST there can be no question about the superior quality of the 'Myrtle Navy' tobacco. From the first year of its manufacture the demand for it has steadily grown. Even in the years which were marked by our business depression, there was no pause in the increase of the sale of it. In the dull years of 1876-'77, and '78, the sales of it were vastly greater than in the prosperous year, 1873.

A TERRIBLE MISTAKE was lately made by an Ohio physician. A young woman was suffering with an eye affection. An operation was decided upon, and the patient put under the influence of chloroform, when one of the previous convulsions it was found that the girl's eye had been removed. The physician was so overcome that he fled the house.

THERE are the days of capital punishment in Canada. Following the execution of Riel, eight Indians are to be hanged at Battleford on the 17th instant for crimes committed during the rebellion. At London, Ont., on the 25th, Simmonds will be hanged for the murder of his mistress. At Welland on the 30th instant, John Esterbee will be hanged for the murder of his brother and his brother's wife; and at Crosswall, on December 28, an Italian will be swung off for the murder of a comrade.

CITIZENS of Helena, Arkansas, were aroused early on the morning of the 24th inst., by what many of them thought to be a heavy rain storm, but investigation proved that the air was filled with grasshoppers. Citizens who have seen the pest's sweep down and consume whole fields in Kansas says that in numbers the devastation that night exceeds anything ever seen in the country to-day. They were passing from east to west. Great numbers of them were disabled by hitting against buildings and other obstructions, as they were flying very low, and porters and clerks had to shovel them from sidewalks into the streets. They are genuine Kansas grasshoppers.

EARLY on the morning of the 25th inst., three tramps effected an entrance into the store of Ira J. Cramer, Aultsville, Ont., and carried off goods to the amount of \$300. Upon an alarm being given, the citizens started in hot pursuit of the culprits. After a spirited chase of about eight miles through brush and swamp they were captured. One of the trio made desperate resistance, firing two revolver shots at Constable Foterly, whose bravery was put to the test by having the revolver leveled at his breast and fired at a distance of three feet. Fortunately the cartridge proved a blank, striking him on the breast. Nearly all the stolen property was recovered. The prisoners were committed to Cornwall jail.

NOTES. Not the promissory, but facts about WELCOME SOAP, an article that does not contain one particle of the adulterations used to reduce the cost of "Pure Goods," but does possess the value of legitimate Washing Qualities, the demand for which proves the advantage gained by the use of the genuine over those of doubtful character. None should be deceived even by Red and Yellow Wrappers, or any of the imitations of the WELCOME, as a pair of clasped hands is stamped on every bar. Made by CURTIS, DAVIS & CO.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH.

Dr. Robins returned yesterday from Pownal, and reports the people there willing and anxious to be vaccinated.

Dr. S. R. Jenkins reports that Music and Crockett are now at about the worst stage of the disease, but hopes that they will recover. Young Allen is very low, the disease being to a great degree confluent. Hennessey eats and sleeps well. With respect to Madden, Cronan and Bell, the disease is running its natural course. Bell is very ill. Young Began and Sevidant, with Mrs. Sevidant and her child, are convalescent. Mrs. McCarey is running a pretty fair course—her throat is very bad. Mrs. McQuaid is rather better than Mr. McCarey. Their husbands are well. Mr. Way's son is at the height of the disease, and is very ill, but has a fair chance for recovery. John Percival and young McTague are doing well. Mrs. McAree and Miss Mayo are convalescent, and Mrs. Redmond seems to be doing nicely. Mrs. Smith is pretty sick but will likely recover. Mrs. Music is getting better; Eliza Carver has had a severe attack with some head complications making her dull and apathetic. Bridget Manley, Hannah Egan and Louisa McKinnon are all doing well. Florence Ailing and Mrs. Higgins' baby are now better. Mrs. Pickard is doing as well as can be expected, and her little girl is convalescent and moving about. Mrs. Larter is doing fairly well, and Mrs. Chiltern is quite convalescent. Joseph Keenan is weak but doing well—he is over the worst. Among the women, the worst is Mrs. Forester and Kate Dunn, both of whom are very low. Misses Power and Somers are pretty sick, the diseases being in each case accompanied with bronchitis. Miss Hawkins and Mrs. Logheran have been heavily attacked. The Sheppard girl and Kate Began are doing pretty well.

Another death. John McLaughlin, clerk in the store of Mr. George Hooper, Great George Street, who was one of the first patients removed to the hospital, died early this morning. He was seventeen years of age.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS. His Worship, the Mayor, acknowledges with thanks the following contributions:—W. H. Findley, \$20; Mrs. David May, \$10; A. Friend, \$5; A. McNeill, barrel apples; R. T. Holman, barrel oysters; Judge Alley, barrel apples; Mrs. Shenton, from Dorcas Society of Methodist Brick Church, 7 sheets, 7 chemises, 112 night dresses.

LETTER FROM DR. JENKINS. Sir,—As there appears to be a good deal of unnecessary alarm at the mortality at the hospital, I wish to say a few words in explanation, and to show that there is no ground for fear on the part of the public.—The deaths have been chiefly amongst those of advanced age and infants. It is well to know that at these periods of life there is not sufficient vital force to resist the disease.

The others who have died sank from complications, mostly hemorrhages. It must also be borne in mind that several deaths occurred in those who were removed to the hospital at an advanced stage of the disease. The removal, though it may have been unavoidable, naturally lessened their chances of revival.

Mr. Pickard's case was complicated with bronchitis and inflammation of the throat, which at last so obstructed his breathing, that he died from asphyxia—comparatively strong. In Steele's case there were several complications; he had inflammation of the throat, bronchitis, and hemorrhage from the lungs and kidneys. Everything was done to relieve the affected organs; but without avail. The eruption did not appear in his case, nor in that of Miss O'Neill, in which there was the complication of alcoholism.

I write to assure my fellow citizens that I fully recognize the grave responsibility of the duty I have undertaken; and they may rely upon my sparing no effort to save those whom it is possible to save, and to mitigate the sufferings of those who may prove incurable. I commenced my acquaintance with this dread disease when I was 18 years of age, and have since treated it in Europe, Asia and America, so the public have some reason to feel confident that I am familiar with the scourge in all its phases. In conclusion, I would say that under the kind care of the good Sisters and their assistants, who are devoted to the work of alleviating the sufferings of the poor patients, they will receive that attention which their unfortunate condition demands.

In the female ward, which is unavoidably somewhat overcrowded, I am happy to say that the majority of the cases are doing well; some are convalescent and down stairs. Mrs. Pickard, whose intense love and devotion to her husband and children surpass anything I ever met with, is, I am glad to say, able to go about from one ward to the other and assist in tending the patients, in some of whom she has a personal interest.

This is a grave crisis, but I firmly believe the worst is over, and whatever reports may be circulated to alarm the public let them preserve a calm demeanor, and very soon all will be well. I write in great haste.

Yours, etc., J. T. JENKINS.

NOT A TIME FOR IDLE TALK. Sir,—False and exaggerated rumors are being circulated about the town, regarding the smallpox, management of the Hospital, and relief of quarantined families, which are shameful and should not be credited. Citizens should be careful not to repeat such reports, which, in most cases, have no foundation whatever. This is not a time for idle talk. Those who have the welfare of the city at heart should discountenance of the city willful misrepresentations. In this such willful misrepresentations, and not talkers, crisis we want workers, and not talkers, to assist in overcoming the many difficulties that the Board of Health and doctors have to contend with, and to restore confidence in both town and country, the want of which is doing irreparable damage. The which is doing irreparable damage. The spread of the disease is now fairly checked, and with proper caution we may hope for an early termination of this sad calamity.

FINTON T. NEWBY, Agent.

WILLING AND ANXIOUS.

Dr. Robins returned yesterday from Pownal, and reports the people there willing and anxious to be vaccinated.

PRECAUTIONS IN LOT 48.

The Board of Health for Township No. 48 is energetically using every means to prevent the dreaded smallpox from being introduced within their jurisdiction, and request all parents and guardians to have the members of their families vaccinated without further delay. The members of the Board are:—Henry Bourke, Chairman; Robert Stewart, John W. Stewart, Henry Boyver, James W. Kennedy, James Wisner, Patrick Duffy.

JAMES W. KENNEDY, Secretary.

SMALLPOX IN MONTREAL.

The following figures of the death rate from smallpox in Montreal and its suburbs are, says the Gazette, more than gratifying:—

Table with 3 columns: Week ending, City, Suburbs. Data for weeks ending Oct 4, 11, 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 15, 22.

The deaths last week, it will be observed, were little more than one-fourth as many as in the first week of October.

NOTES. One half-gross Mies-mac Smallpox Remedy received yesterday at Watson's.

There are many in Charlottetown who are familiar with the virtues of the Mies-mac Smallpox Remedy. There is scarcely one deep-water sailor who cannot speak of its wonderful cures.

In the Matrimonial Market.

SOME QUEER SPECIMENS THAT ADVERTIZED IN THE PAPERS OF 1810.

Advertising for a husband is not altogether a very modern plan. In 1810, an "old maid," who signed herself Judith Crabface, solicited a life partner in the public prints and thus presented her personal claims:—

Rather short, being only four feet two, and a little deformed—head large, with a profusion of golden hair, vulgarly called red, color of eyes between a gray and a green, with the power of looking two ways at once; nose a good deal turned up and a mouth which would be pretty if my lips were not a little of a purple color; have lost a good many teeth, but those which remain have a green or blue color, which gives a lively effect. I use a great deal of snuff, which has taken away my color and given the yellow appearance which I have now. Her partner must be good-tempered and agreeable, not addicted to drinking, as Miss Crabface admits she sometimes indulges a little, and may need somebody to look after her. She is not ill-tempered except when not allowed to have her own way. He calls her monkey, parrot and maid Tabitha must all remain and have their accustomed places.

Simon Greenloe replied, and gave the following description of himself:—

Five feet high, ordinary-sized head, short neck; blind in one eye, over which he wears a green patch; aquiline nose, not exactly in the centre of the face; mouth drawn to one side from the king's evil; good teeth, which is attributed to chewing large quantities of tobacco, which has not only preserved them, but also gives them a fine chestnut color; legs somewhat bandy; of good temper, notwithstanding the gout inherited from a parent.

Another applicant stated that—

He was 55, his state of celibacy being beyond his control, he having been incessantly making proposals ever since attaining the age of 24, the mortifying repulses having nearly driven him to despair. The suitor professes to be five feet high, uncommonly corpulent, large head, bandy legs, an exuberance of silver locks, the disgraceful color of which artificially concealed with powder, eyes very small, face marked deeply from the smallpox and of a pink hue. The breadth of face exceeds the length by two inches; nose and chin resemble a pair of nut crackers. Take snuff and an afflicted with a severe asthma, therefore make use of large quantities of tobacco; temper very good; drink a good deal, but have been so long accustomed to it that it does not in the last disorder my intellectual or bodily powers, therefore it will not disqualify me from taking care of my amiable partner when in that situation.

Which of these applicants the lady accepted is not recorded.

Special Notice.

THE General Office of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New York, for this Province is, for the present, at the Agency of the "Royal Insurance Company," of Liverpool, McEachern's Building, Queen Street.

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NERVOUS DEBILITATED MEN.

You are allowed a free trial of thirty days of the use of Dr. Dye's Celebrated Voltaic Belt with Electric Suspensory Appliances, for the speedy relief and permanent cure of Nervous Debility, loss of Vitality and Manhood, and all kindred troubles. Also for many other diseases. Complete restoration to Health, Vigor and Manhood guaranteed. No risk is incurred. Illustrated pamphlet in sealed envelope mailed free, by addressing

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

C. P. FLETCHER has just received his Winter Stock of SMALL INSTRUMENTS, &c., such as

Accordeons, Violins, and Concertinas. Also—Violin Strings, best quality. Selling Remarkably Low. Call and be convinced at

Fletcher's Music Store, Queen St. Ch'town, Nov. 10—4wks dwpat, her 4wks

Notice to Farmers.

FARMERS having YOUNG PORK to dispose of, weighing from one hundred to one hundred and fifty pounds, will do well to call on the undersigned before killing.

E. WALLER, King's Square, Nov. 10—1m eod wky

Darkness and Danger

INSURE against Accident in "The Norwich & London Accident Insurance Co."

J. MACRAUCHERN, Nov. 12 2wks eod Agent.

WINTER CLOTHING,

—AT THE—

LONDON HOUSE!

Men's Pilot Cloth Reefers, Men's Pilot Cloth Overcoats, Men's Heavy Cloth Ulsters, Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, Men's Black Worsted Suits, Men's Heavy Tweed Pants.

BOYS' CLOTHING IN GREAT VARIETY. Boys' Overcoats, Boys' Tweed Suits, Boys' Jackets.

As we intend to Clear Out our Stock of Clothing this Fall, we shall offer it at Prices that have Never Before been Reached in Charlottetown.

See our Stock before buying elsewhere.

CEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, Nov. 10, 1885.

PERKINS & STERNS

ARE NOW SHOWING

AN IMMENSE STOCK,

CONSISTING IN PART OF THE FOLLOWING GOODS:

ANTIMACASSARS, Albums, Boot Laces, Brushes, Braces, A Braids, Buttons, Belts, Barege, Bonnet Shapes, Bonnet Bolders, Bone, Buckles, Baskets, Boys' Suits, Brackets, Bonnet Boxes, Cottons, Curtain Hooks, Cushion Tassels, Cord, Collar Studs, Curling Tongs, Carpet, Cloth, Combs, Corset Laces, Carpet Binding, Chamois Skins, Cloak Clasps, Crochet Hooks, Crape, Counterpanes, Caps, Canvass (for working on), Corsets, Card Cases, Collars, Cuffs, Damask Dress Caps, Dress Steels Dress Cottons (every kind), Dolls, Elastic, Embroidery, Embroidery Goods and Silk, Flannels, Flannel Binding, French Merino, Frillings, Fancy Goods, Fur-lined Cloaks, Fur Capes, Fur Trimming, Fur Caps, Muffs, Dog Skin Jackets, &c., Fringes, Felt (for embroidering on), Floss, Furniture Gimp, Flowers, Feathers, Gold Braid, Gossamer, Garters, Gloves, Hair Nets, Hose Supporters, Hair Pins, Hat Bands, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Hats, Insertion Fronts, Infants' Bibs, Jackets, Jerseys, Knitting Cottons, Linens (all kinds), Lamp Wicks, Laces, Mats, Matting, Mending, Measuring Tapes, Mirrors, Millinery (a grand display) Mu-lin, Mantlepiece Bordering and Borders, Napkins, Needles, Necklets, Neckties, Oil Cloth, Ornaments, Print, Paper, Pins, Purses, Plush (a big range), Railway Rugs, Rubber Circulars, Room Paper, Ribbon, Sheeting, Shirts, Skirts, Shawls, Skirting, Shirts and Drawers, Silk, Satin, Slipper Patterns, Cushions, Brackets, Table Scarfs, &c., Sashes, Sewing Silk, Satchels, Towels, Thread, Tape, Thimbles, Turkey Cotton, Toilet Covers, Table Covers, Trouser Stretchers, Table Mats, Toilet Sets, Trimmings (all kinds), Twine (Macrame), Ulsters, Umbrellas, Venetian Tape and Line, Ladder Webb, &c., Velvet, Velveteen, Wincey, Alexander Window Holland, Wool Goods in Cardigan Jackets, Alexandra Jackets, Vests, Jerseys, Squares, Scarfs, Infantes, Bootes, Hoods, Cuffs, Caps, Child's Costumes, Bonnets, Dresses, Pelisses, &c.

Yarns, in Scotch, Bee Hive, Rutland, Saxony, Berlin Wool, Andalusian Wool, Frosted Ice Wool, Tinsel Wool, &c.

The above has been personally selected in the best markets and are offered at very low prices. Letter orders receive prompt and careful attention.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Sept. 25, '85.

NEW FALL GOODS.

J. B. MACDONALD

IS now showing new Dress Goods, from 10 cents a yard; new Cashmires, black and colored, 25 cents a yard; new Ulster Cloths, 60 cents a yard; new Dress Cloths, 16 cents a yard; new Wincies, plain and checked, very cheap; new Tweed, 45 cents a yard; new Worsted Cloths, all prices; new Scarlet Flannels, 16 cents a yard; Hats, Flowers and Feathers, Velveteens and Silk Velvet Plushes, Kent Woolen Goods in great variety.

READY-MADE CLOTHING DEPARTMENT,

(BIG STOCK)

Suit, for \$5; Overcoats for \$4; Blankets and Quilts, very cheap. If you want good value for your money, try

J. B. MACDONALD'S,

Queen Street, Ch'town, Sept. 22, '85—dywky pat

SMALLPOX NOTICE.

THE Alberton Board of Health order that all passengers, from any portion of this Island east of M'scouche Station (by train or otherwise) be prohibited from entering any part of the jurisdiction of said Board, namely: Lots Four, Five and Six, UNDER A PENALTY OF FIFTY DOLLARS. The Board calls upon all Justices of the Peace, Constables and other peace officers to see this order rigidly enforced.

All trains will be boarded at O'Leary Station by any officer, and any person from said prohibited district (excepting train hands) attempting to pass that Station will be placed under arrest and dealt with according to law.

R. B. REID, Chairman Board of Health, JOHN D. MCKINNON, Clerk.

Alberton, Nov. 24th, '85—Nov 26 3i

NOTICE

OWING to other engagements, we have decided to temporarily dispose of our retail trade in the City Market to Mr. E. Waller. We thank our friends for past favors and solicit a continuance of same on resuming. We will continue to retail at our place of business, Hillsborough Street.

A. L. BRIDGES & CO. Nov. 23—2w eod wky

I respectfully beg to return my sincere thanks to the public generally for their very kind patronage extended to me since I commenced business as Park Butcher, Sausage Manufacturer, &c., &c., and in addition to the above beg to state that on and from TUESDAY next I shall be found at the stall of A. L. Bridges & Co., where, in addition to my former business, I propose to add fresh and corned Beef, Mutton, &c., &c., and beg to ask for a share of the public patronage so liberally bestowed upon my predecessors, Messrs. A. L. Bridges & Co.

E. WALLER, Nov. 22—2 wks wky

Notice to the Public

WE have now completed our Fall Importations,

consisting of a large and carefully selected stock of English, Scotch, American and Canadian Merchandise, fully supplying every department, which will be disposed of at Specially Low Prices, for Cash or its equivalent.

We are paying the HIGHEST PRICES for Oats, Potatoes, Pork, Hides, &c., at all shipping points within the limit of our patronage, along the line of Railway, and will therefore look for, and insist on, the payment of all accounts due us before the close of navigation.

MATTHEW, McLEAN & CO. Souris, Nov. 21—3wks & wky

Small-Pox Remedies!

PURE CARBOLIC ACID. CRUDE CARBOLIC ACID. CHLORIDE OF LIME (Double Strength). THYMO-CRESOL. CARBOLIC SOAP. SULPHUR. ENGLISH CREAM TARTAR.

AT APOTHECARIES' Hall, DESBRISAY'S CORNER, Nov. 23—d & wky if

FREE VACCINATION.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Nov. 23rd, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that DR. CONNOR will be in attendance at the Government Vaccination Office, corner of Great George and Water Streets (formerly Longworth & Haszard's office) every day from 10 o'clock a. m., till 1 o'clock p. m., and from 7 o'clock p. m., to 9 o'clock p. m., when all persons presenting themselves will be vaccinated wholly free of charge.

It is urgently requested that all heads of families see that the children and members of their households be vaccinated without further delay.

By order, ARTHUR NEWBERY, Asst. Provincial Secretary. Nov. 23—4f

APPLES, FISH, &c.

IN STORE:— 250 barrels Choice Winter-keeping APPLES, 200 do No. 1 HERRING, 600 boxes Dippy do.

Closing out to the trade at Auction prices. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. November 18—4f

NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Board of Health, held on the 14th day of NOVEMBER, inst., Ordered, That all articles required for the use of the Board of Health be furnished on requisition from the Clerk and countersigned by the Chairman of said Board, and that any article furnished without such requisition will not be paid for. By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, Clerk, Nov. 16 2wks

NOTICE.

THE Public are hereby notified that the headquarters of the Health Officers are at the Market House, where all business connected with the Medical Department of the Board of Health will be conducted. By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, Clerk, Nov. 17, 1885.

NOTICE.

ALL persons willing to be employed as Nurses, in cases of smallpox, are requested to put themselves in communication with the Health Officer at once. RICHARD JOHNSON, M. D., Health Officer, Health Office at Market House, Nov. 17, '85.