## Local and Other Items.

THE storm drum was hoisted in this city at 1.30 this p.m.

THE deaths in Montreal last week were 62, of which 27 were from small-pox.

DIPTHERIA is ravaging Halifax; three children in one family died last week.

DR. GREEN, one of the oldest Methodist ministers in Canada, is dangerously ill at Toronto.

THE tea and entertainment for the scholars of St. Peters' Sunday School takes place this evening.

THE "calls" of the New Year have been made; and the Calathumpians have had their little exhibition.

A Halifax dispatch says, "The schooner Sea Drift, previously reported missing, arrived on the 30th ult. from P. E. Island.

MESSRS. MACEACHERN & Co., "Italian Warehouse," give notice that their business will henceforth be conducted on the cash system.

THE failures in Montreal for the past three months were 51, with liabilities of $2,383,600. The assets were $1,762,000, or 67 per cent. of liabilities.

REMEMBER the musical and literary entertainment to be held in St. Paul's School Room this evening at 8 o'clock. A treat may be expected. Admission, 10c.

A WIFE'S APPEAL.—The wife of the Quebec murderer, Michael Farrel, has appealed to the Governor-General for the exercise of clemency towards her unfortunate husband.

THE Masonic Glee Club will meet at the lodge room, Victoria Hall, Water street, on this (Thursday) evening, 2d inst., at eight o'clock. All brethren are respectfully invited to attend.

THE musical and literary entertainment, under the auspices of St. Patrick's Total Abstinence Society, will take place on Wednesday evening, the 22d January, and not on the 6th, as originally intended. See advertisement.

WANTED—A SOUP KITCHEN.—It is with deep regret that the *Sun* is obliged to express its conviction of the absoulute necessity that exists for establishing a Soup Kitchen for the poor of St. John, and that at an early day.

THE death of Arthur Hay, Marquis of Tweeddale is announced. He was born in 1824, and was therefore 54 years of age at the time of his decease. His eldest son, Viscount Walden, succeeds him. The Marquis of Tweeddale is a peer of Scotland, but is not a Scottish representative peer. The title was created in 1894, during the reign of William III.

THE PICTOU HARBOR.—The *Standard* says:—The harbor is now covered with thin ice, which a cold night would speedily make strong. The *Mayflower* has no trouble as yet in making her regular passages. The *Northern Light* makes regular trips with the mails to Georgetown. The lakes in the vicinity are stongly covered with ice, and also the rivers. Cariboo harbor is sufficiently strong for foot passage. The weather, though very cool, has not yet been of real winter severity, and has been a fitting continuation of the exceptionally pleasant autumn.

ANOTHER internal trouble has arisen in Russia—an open outbreak among the Tartars of Kazan. The kingdom of Kazan was originally peopled by Finns, who were driven out by the Tartars. In 1552, Ivan Vassilievitch II., by the taking of Kazan, destroyed the Tartan power and annexed the territory to Russia as a kingdom. Subsequently, Peter the Great divided the kingdom into five governments. Late despatches state that the first Russian force sent against the insurgents has been repulsed with heavy loss.

WE are informed that the tea and entertainment given by the Orange Young Britons, on New Year's night, was in every respect a perfect success. At the entertainment, addresses were delivered by the Rev. J. M. McLeod, Rev. K. McLennan, and Mr. Crossman, the W. M. of the O. Y. B. Lodge, Summerside. Mr. George McGregor occupied the chair. Mr. McNeill's and Miss McPhail's readings were admirably rendered and well received. Miss Addie Tanton's solo, entitled "Come Back to Erin," was rendered in most excellent style. The duett by Miss McPhail and Miss Irving, entitled "Murmuring Seas," was given in good style; also the solo by Miss Bella McDonald, entitled "Hard Times Come Again No More." Miss Bella McNeill presided at the organ. Recitations were well rendered by Messrs. Geo. Harris, Crossman and Henderson. The entertainment came to a close by singing "God Save the Queen," and the audience dispersed, well pleased with the evening's enjoyment. Too much praise cannot be given to the young ladies who presided at the tables and took part in the entertainment.

### Special Notices.

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### LIST OF NEW VESSELS

Built in the Dominion of Canada, and Registered at the Port of Charlottetown during the Year ended the 31st December, 1878.

Brigt. Afghan, built at Georgetown, 230 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A, owned by Archibald J. Macdonald, Georgetown.

Brig Annabell, Souris, 348 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Daniel Davies, Charlottetown.

Barkentine Annie, Egmont Bay, 299 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; John Yeo, Port Hill.

Barkentine Antagonist, Summerside, 598 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Wm. Richards, Bideford.

Brigt. Arthur, Mount Stewart, 210 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Jas. Duncan & Co., Charlottetown.

Sch. C. Pearl, Enmore River, 33 tons, Chas. H. Matthews, Alberton.

Brigt. Canadian, Cardigan, 252 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Jas. E. Macdonald, Cardigan.

Barkentine Clansman, Bideford, 566 tons, classed at English Lloyd's A; Wm. Richards, Bideford.

Bark Devonport, Georgetown, 291 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; L. J. Westaway, Georgetown.

Brigt. Dot, Summerside, 199 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; John Lefurgey, Summerside.

Barkentine Elise, Bideford, Lot 12, 412 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; John Yeo, Port Hill.

Brig Ella B., Mount Stewart, 299 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Peake, Bros. & Co., Charlottetown.

Brigt. Florence, Fortune Bay, 176 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Jas. Duncan & Co., Charlottetown.

Sch. Gordon, Bideford, 370 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 8 A 1; Wm. Richards, Bideford.

Brig Harry Blackwood, Mount Stewart, 232 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 10 A 1; George D. Longworth, Charlottetown.

Brigt. Hector, Montague, 199 tons, classed at American Lloyd's 8 A 1; John M. Stewart, Georgetown.

Brigt. Hildred, Mount Stewart, 244 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Peake, Bros. & Co., Charlottetown.

Brigt. Isabella, Egmont Bay, 198 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; A. P. Mills, Summerside.

Sch. J. W. Allen, Cape Tormentine, N. B., 33 tons, Jonas W. Allen, Cape Tormentine, N. B.

Steamer Jennie B., (paddle-wheel), 20 tons, Neil McFarlane, Summerside.

Bark Kingwood, Souris, 349 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Geo. D. Longworth, Charlottetown.

Barkentine Lena, Lot 6, 289 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; John Yeo, Port Hill.

Sch. Lettie May, Grand River, 45 tons, John Howlett, Grand River.

Sch Lillian Bourke, Mount Stewart, 85 tons, J. Roach Bourke, jr., Mount Stewart.

Bark M. J. Foley, Alberton, 449 tons classed at English Lloyd's A; Michael Foley, Alberton.

Sch. Mayflower, Pownal, 62 tons, Wm. Praught, Pownal, Lot 49.

Bark Minnie Carmichael, Tatamagouche, N. S., 962 tons, classed at English Lloyd's A; L. C. Owen, Charlottetown.

Bark Moselle, Mount Stewart, 499 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 9 A 1, Peake, Bros. & Co., Charlottetown.

Brigt. Natalie, Vernon River, 199 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Peake, Bros. & Co., Charlottetown.

Sch. Neil Dow, Murray River, 48 tons, John W. Horton, Murray River.

Brig Nyanza, Cascumpec, 257 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Michae Foley, Charlottetown.

Sch. Pioneer, Souris, 112 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 5 A; John F. Campion, Souris.

Brigt. Plymouth, Sturgeon, 199 tons, classed at English Lloyd's A; Richard Westaway, Sturgeon.

Bark Sappho, Georgetown, 559 tons, classed at English Lloyd's A; Daniel Gordon, Georgetown.

Brig Thyra, Mount Stewart, 250 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; L. C. Owen, Charlottetown.

Sch. Tiger, St. Peter's Bay, 103 tons; John A. McLaine, St. Peter's Bay.

Bark Western Belle, West Cape, 436 tons, classed at English Lloyd's A; Amos McWilliams, West Cape.

Bark Wildwood, Mount Stewart, 299 tons, classed at English Lloyd's 7 A; Robt. Longworth, Charlottetown.

Total, 33 vessels, measuring 10,382 tons.

SUMMARY.

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| 8 barks, | measuring | 3,844 | tons. |
| 5 barkentines, | " | 2,164 | " |
| 5 brigs, | " | 1,386 | " |
| 10 brigantines, | " | 2,086 | " |
| 9 schooners, | " | 891 | " |
| 1 steamer, | " | 20 | " |
| 38 vessels, | " | 10,382 | " |

### Ship News.

At Queenstown, 16th ult., bark James Peake, Graham, from Prince Edward Island; 17th, ult., steamer Prince Edward, Fraser, from Prince Edward Island.

At Rouen, 13th ult., Alpheta, Cameron, from Prince Edward Island; G. W. Wakeford, Murchison, do.

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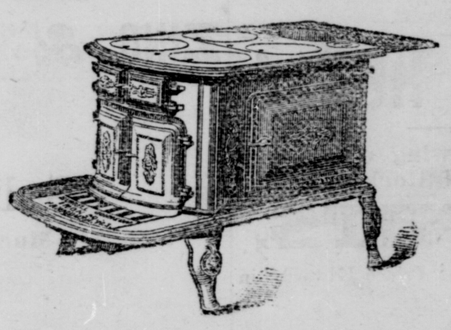

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3rd. Its Perfect Arrangements for cleaning out the flues and under the oven, being provided with cleaning doors at the front and back of stove; also, holes in top of stove for cleaning flues, thereby giving perfect access to all its parts.

4th. It is provided with an Open Front, small doors for feeding coal, and large doors below, which when thrown open make it equal to an OPEN FRANKLIN, and a most cheerful stove to sit by.

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Charlottetown, Dec. 21—

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A SPECIAL TRAIN, in connection with the Winter Steamship *Northern Light*, beginning December 24th, 1878, will run as under:—

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These Trains will stop at Royalty Junction, Little York, Bedford, Mount Stewart, Peake's, Baldwin's and Cardigan, only to take on and leave off passengers, and will run only to connect with trips made by the *Northern Light*.

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