Local and Other Items.

THE ice in Charlottetown harbor is breaking up.

THE Roman Catholic College at Rimouski was burned down on Tuesday last.

THE latest news from Newfoundland report a "boom" in the seal fishing.

THE sugar crop of Cuba, it is estimated will be ten per cent below that of last year.

MR. GLADSTONE is going to take a sea voyage for his health during the Easter recess.

THE Duke of Argyle has retired from the British Cabinet on the question of Mr. Gladstone's Land Bill.

By a railway collision at Barrie, Ont., on the 8th inst., one man was killed and several others wounded.

MESSRS. FRANK KELLY and Ben Perry, late Conductors on our Railway, left on Wednesday for their new home.

THE "Salvation Army' is operating in Halifax, and fifteen or twenty citizens have joined it as a volunteer corps.

An Athens despatch says fears are entertained that a plague will break out owing to the large number of unburied corpses at Chio.

DESPATCHES state that the weather continues cold throughout Canada. On the 5th inst., the thermometer registered two degrees below zero at Toronto.

HON. MR. CUTLER, the centenarian member of the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia, has resigned, and Mr. W. H. Owen, barrister, of Lunenburg, has been appointed in his place.

THE attention of the authorities is called to the neglected state of the side walk along Brighton. While other sidewalks are clear and passable this one is covered with several feet of snow, etc.

TUESDAY, the 26th of April, is the Oddfellows' Natal Day, and they intend holding a grand Concert, at which the best talent in the city, both vocal and instrumental, will assist. Further particulars in a few days.

POTATO PLANTING IN MARCH.—The Yarmouth *Herald* says that "Jefferson C. Killam, Central Chebogue, commenced his spring plouguing on the 12th of March which he continued until the 17th. Finding the ground in good order he planted on the 20th, 1,200 hills potatoes and peas."

MR. JAMES McLAREN, of Buckingham, and Mr. Pence, of Ottawa, have secured 109,000 acres of land in the North-West for grazing purposes. It is said that they intend associating with them some prominent stock raisers of Wyoming Territory and intend carrying on the business on an extensive scale.

WE are pleased to see by the Oswego, N. Y. *Daily Times*, that Mr. T. M. Costello has been elected President of the Village of Sand Bank, by a large majority over his opponents. This is Mr. Costello's third term, which proves that his services are appreciated by the people. Mr. Costello is a brother of Mr. John Costello, of this city.

A PETITION OF RIGHT.—Petitions of right have been filed in the Exchequer Court, Ottawa, by Cockburn and McIntyre, on behalf of George McLeod, Charles L. Helliwell, Angus A. McInnes, Theophilus Stewart, Catherine McDonald and John and Mary Ann Murphy, claiming damages for injuries suffered by them through an accident on the Prince Edward Island Railway in August last.

Rose-Belford's Canadian Monthly, and National Review, for April is at hand. It is an excellent number. The following are among the contents: The Parliament of Ontario; Biennial Legislation; Ode to Midnight; George Eliot; Physiology in Thought, Conduct and Belief; The Idylls of the King, their growth and meaning; George Fox and Quakerism; The Prospects of the Liberal Pary; In Memoriam, Thomas Carlyle; Literary Notes.

HALIFAX BUSINESS TROUBLES.—The Boston papers publish telegrams announcing the suspension of J. D. Peakes & Co., grocers, and the assignment of Rumsey, Johnston & Co., produce and commission merchants, both of Halifax. It is understood the last mentioned firm, whose liabilities amount to $39,000 have assigned to Messrs. J. R. Graham and Robert Taylor. Peakes & Co. owe about $15,000, and are trying to compromise for about 33½ per cent.—*St. John Globe.*

THE agricultural interests of the Province, were fairly represented at the Grain and Fat Cattle Show on Tuesday. A limited number only of those residing along the line of Railway attended, the Railway department having refused to issue tickets at half fares. This we think is a mistaken policy. Had reduced fares been announced on the Railway, to and from Charlottetown yesterday, doubtless a much larger number of our agriculturists would have attended, and a much larger exhibit would be the result, and the Railway would have profited.

SENATOR HOWLAN and bride are soon expected to arrive in the city. We are sure that his numerous friends will be anxious to congratulate him upon his "recent departure" as well as upon his permanent restoration to health. Mr. Howlan has been a prominent man in both Local and Dominion Politics, and though for the last two years laid aside by a most painful affliction, we look forward for many years of usefulness from the gallant representative of the Irishmen of our Dominion. We believe that Mr. Howlan is looked upon as the leading Senator of his nationality.

FIRE.—What might have proven a disastrous fire was discovered in time on Sunday evening at 9 o'clock. It occurred in a two tenement house on Bayfield street, occupied jointly by Messrs Chas. Hermans and Thos. Foley of the Savings Bank. The fire was found in the kitchen of the latter, and occasioned by the accidental explosion of a kerosene lamp, which communicated the flames to a quantity of clothing and furniture in close proximity. Had the providential discovery not been made at the time, we would probably have been called upon to chronicle a conflagration.

MR. THOMAS HALLIGAN, of Lot 30, was very seriously injured while on his way home from this city. He was driving his horse and sleigh from a yard on Lower Spring Park Road, Monday evening, when a runaway horse attached to Norton's baggage express dashed up towards him with every appearance of touing and injuring his horse, Mr. Halligan, in order to prevent this, sprang from his sleigh and seized the runaway horse by the head. In so doing, the wagon shaft struck him in the breast and upset him, the reins wound round his body, and he was dragged about one hundred yards over the rough street, at the horse's feet. Mr. P. S. Brown stopped the horse and liberated Mr. Halligan, whom he conveyed to the residence of Dr. Creamer, where medical aid was given him. It was believed that evening that Mr. Halligan's injuries would prove fatal, but he now shows signs of recovery.

LAST TUESDAY a venerable and reverend gentleman completed his 84th year. We allude to the Rev. Louis Charles Jenkins, D. C. L. Born in England, of Welsh parentage, in the year 1797, he was ordained Deacon in the year 1820, after which, emigrating to Canada, he was ordained Priest in 1822. Upon his ordination as Deacon he proceeded to this Island, where he married Miss DesBrisay (a daughter of the Rev. Theoph. DesBrisay, the first Rector of Charlottetown), a lady long remembered for her acts of Christian charity. After some years' labor in Quebec, he was made Rector of Charlottetown in 1827, in which position he remained until ill health obliged him to seek retirement about the year 1855. Since that time, the Rev. gentleman has occasionally officiated in the Anglican churches of this city, the last occasion upon which we heard him being at the funeral of Mrs. DesBrisay, in August, 1878. Passing by the purity and elegance of his diction as a preacher, he was noted for the beautiful style of his reading. During his life time the Rev. gentleman has taken a prominent part in the various public questions that have engaged the attention of our people. He has invariably been on the popular side. If we were inclined to make a political article out of this brief and imperfect notice of our venerable friend, we might associate him with the names of Coles, Whelan and Swabey, yet in the decline of his life we forbear mixing him with the active scenes of political warfare in which he boldly took his stand. As a contributor to the columns of the Press, in his day he was known as the author of some beautiful poetical sentiments which, together with his sermons in St. Paul's pulpit, deserve a high and lasting place in the records of our Province. The Reverend gentleman has now reached the evening of his days, fortified with the recollection of a long life spent in the service of his Master, looking forward to the glorious prospect of his Heavenly Reward.

Local and Other Items.

THE Chignecto *Post* reports a boom in Lumber.

THE heaviest snowfall of the season occurred in Iowa on Friday last.

Go to W. P. Colwill's for good Clover and Timothy Seeds. [a14

HON. STEPHEN STOCKWELL, managing editor of the Boston *Journal* is dead.

Mr. J. H. PARKS, intends erecting another cotton factory in Portland, N. B.

THE INFLUX.—New Brunswick papers report the return of many provincialists by boat and rail.

CHARLOTTETOWN has been added to the list of ports at which cattle from Europe may be brought into the country.

GOLD.—Mr. William Cole, arrived in Halifax a few days ago from Moose River, with a bar of gold weighing 70 ounces, valued at $1,300.

FIFTEEN HORSES were shipped per "Northern Light" yesterday. The shippers were chiefly Messrs. Harmon, Bagnall, McKie and Ferguson.

FARMERS, get Sulphur, Black Antimony Rosin and Saltpetre, at the "Family Grocery," and make your own Horse Medicine.—R. K. BRACE. [ap6

GOLD MINE IN A COW—Senator Cochrane's celebrated "Duchess" gave birth on the 6th inst, to a heifer calf, which makes her eleventh The amount netted by the Senator as the produce of this famous animal has been $140,000—*Halifax Herald*,

FIRE.—The barns of Mr. J. McMillan, Buugay Road, containing three horses, nine head of cattle, twelve sheep, a quantity of hay and oats, and a number of agricultural implements were consumed by fire yesterday morning. The loss is upwards of $2,000.

A CORRESPONDENT from Eldon, Belfast, informs us that there is no foundation whatever for the charges made by "Arotes," a few weeks ago, in this paper, respecting the lectures delivered under the auspices of the Eldon Literary Society. We have no space for the insertion of his letter.

FALLING HEAD FIRST INTO BOILING MAPLE SYRUP.—A day or two ago Charles Verret, of Lake St. Charles, Quebec, while working with his brother at sugar boiling in the bush, took an epileptic fit while leaning over a boiler, and fell with his head and shoulders into the boiling liquid. The boiler tilted up, throwing most of the contents over him. The unfortunate man lies in a very precarious condition.

ANOTHER FOUNDLING.—On Monday evening a country woman entered the "Railway House," Water Street, carrying an infant in her arms. It was five minutes of three at the time, and the train for the west was about departing. She took a seat in the sitting room, and when Mrs. Bolger left she deposited the infant on a lounge and took passage in the western train as far as Royalty Junction. She then walked towards Mount Stewart, and was arrested near that place by the police next morning, and brought to the city. She was obliged to take charge of the infant and provide for it.

THE Women's Temperance Benevolent Society thankfully acknowledge the following donations, which were received during the present winter: Richard Heartz, $2; Judge Young, $5; W. W. Wellner, $1.50; W. A. Weeks, $1; D. Montgomery, $1; H. J. Cundall, $1; J. D. McLeod, $1; David Brown, Little York, $1; Mrs. R. Fitzgerald $1; Miss Jenny McLennan, $1; Mrs. Fitzgerald, 50 cents; Mrs. Watson, 50 cents; Mrs. Watts, 50 cents; A Friend, 50 cents; Mrs. R. Jenes, Lot 48, 50 cents; A. Kennedy, 50 cents; D. Kennedy, 50 cents; C. Robertson, 25 cent; Thomas Dodd, 25 cents; A Friend, 25 cents; clothing from Mrs. Nash and Mrs. Geo. Haszard, and flour from Mrs. Munn.

FRESH Garden and Field Seeds at W. P. COLWILLS. [a 14

A LARGE shipment of thoroughbred cattle arrived at Halifax on the 11th inst. It consists of sixty pure bred Polled Angus, Hereford and Shorthorn bulls, and two Clydesdale stallions for the Cochrane Ranche Company, who are about starting a stock farm of ten thousand head at the foot of the Rocky Mountains. There are also three Guernsey cows imported by Hon. J. C. Abbott; eight Clydesdale stallions for Messrs Beatty and Holderness, Toronto; fifty Oxford Down sheep for various parties in Ontario; and over a hundred head of thorough-bred Polled Angus Hereford and Shorthorned animals, male and female, including a Duke bull and a Barrington; a Leavington heifer and seventy-five Oxford Down sheep for Senator Cochrane's stock farm at Compton.

"EBENEZER" NOTES.—"The cold and cruel winter" has evidently refused to leave this part of the country. Large quantities of snow still remain on the roads as well as on the fields. The roads are badly cut up. No wheels have as yet put in an appearance. On Wednesday night "Northern Light" Division was favored with an official visit by the Provincial D. G. W. P., and a very pleasant time was spent. The Division is increasing both in membership and usefulness. "Ebenezer" is yet without a Post Office. We think we are entitled to better postal accommodation. Our neighbor, W. J. S., is talking about importing a good stump orator to denounce the N. P., and its twin sister, the C. P. R. Our Island elocutionists are acknowledged failures? More next time.

DR. HANNAN, Archbishop of Halifax, had a farewell private audience with the Holy Father on the evening of Friday, March 11. His Holiness received the Archbishop most kindly, and, after many inquiries into the details of the state of religion in the diocese of Halifax, authorized His Grace to impart on his return a special Papal Benediction to the clergy and laity and to the communities and confraternities of Halifax. The Archbishop then presented his Chaplains, the Rev. Dr O'Brien, and the Rev. E F Murphy who were most kindly received and obtained many special blessings for their friends The Archbishop's interview lasted thirty-five minutes, His Grace will leave Rome at an early date, and, after visiting some celebrated sanctuaries on the Continent, will take his departure for Halifax in the spring—*Halifax Herald*

A NEWSPAPER REPORTER of Rochester has discovered the secret of Hanlan's success. He says:—"In the keel of his shell Hanlan rigged four brass wheels about three inches in diameter. These wheels are worked by the sliding seat. You know how a man rows. He slides up along steel tracks twenty-three inches long, and then slides back again, pressing his feet against the stretcher with force enough to raise half a ton. When the champion is ready to start he touches a spring in the stretcher with his feet, and the wheels commence to revolve with lightning rapidity and help him along wonderfully. The great gain, however, is in the recovery, for as he slides back for the stroke the wheels keep working and the boat retains her headway. In this way he gains probably a foot or perhaps more on each stroke, and it is easy to calculate how much more powerfully his antagonist must row to keep up with him. This explains why all the men Hanlan row with are exhausted in the first mile.' Wallace Ross has been interviewed by a reporter of the Moncton *Times* regarding the alleged motor. He does not believe a word of it, and adds that a newspaper reporter is capable of any invention.

IN our obituary of to-day will be found the name of Capt. Angus McInnis—a man who, whether taken in his profession, or in his relations with society, deserves most honorable mention among those whom the Island claims as her own. To pass over the steps by which Capt. McInnis rose in his profession, the fact that he commanded one of that valuable line of composite ships, which plied between Great Britain and the East Indies and Australia, will sufficiently show to what eminence he attained in his calling. Bad health compelled him to give up his command, and his employers parted with him in regret, but still in the hope that he would, after a time, resume his position in their employ. Some years ago we published in the *Herald* an account of a valuable present made to Capt. McInnis for services in saving life on one of his voyages to Australia. We copied the narrative from an Australian paper, and had it not been inserted there, the captain would never have told it. Of all he had seen and undergone in his long voyages, Captain McInnis said nothing only when questioned, and, we might say cross examined. Vain glory was no vice of his, and he was in every feeling and fibre a gentleman. Weak as he was in health, he had to undergo the railway accident, the only one of any moment which has occurred on our railway. Since that accident his health, poor then, gradually became poorer, and in the prime of manhood he has died. The man who had braved death many times on the ocean, received, on the way to his own home on land, the blow which hastened his death. To his widow, who is a stranger among us, we tender our heartfelt sympathies.—*Herald.*

New Glasgow Notes.

A Library has recently been started in connection with our Literary Society, which has become one of the greatest institutions of which this village can boast. The interest in the debates increases. The next subject for discussion is of a political nature, but we hope there will be no violation of parliamentary rules.

Notwithstanding the general depression, business appears to be somewhat lively at this village. Messrs. A. Gregor & Co. and G. Smith have completely disposed of the extensive stock of Fanning Mills manufactured by them last year. This speaks highly in favor of the machines turned out by these gentlemen, and is also a cheering indication of a revival of trade, at least so far as this place is concerned Mr. Gregor is also manufacturing for the coming season a large and varied assortment of carriages, which, for style and superior workmanship, we feel safe in saying cannot be surpassed by any factory on the Island.

One of the largest audiences that ever came together in this place assembled in the Presbyterian Church on Monday evening week, to enjoy an entertainment prepared in honor of the eighteenth anniversary of New Glasgow Division. It is estimated that upwards of three hundred and fifty persons were present. The entertainment was of a high standard, and was, in every respect, a grand success. Speeches suitable to the occasion were delivered by Messrs. Wm. Laird, Dr. Bradshaw, J. Dickieson, A. McDonald, A. B. Dickieson, and J. Moffat. The recitations by Mr. A. McDonald, Miss M. Moffat and Mr. J. Moffat were effectively rendered, and well deserved the hearty applause of the audience. The excellent vocal music of the evening was, perhaps, the best feature of the entertainment. It was indeed a rare treat and reflected great credit on the chair. We cannot refrain from making special mention of one of the pieces sung entitled "The Sheltering Rock," which, in our opinion, was an entertainment in itself. After tendering a vote of thanks to Mr. H. McKinnon for his valuable services in connection with the choir, the meeting came to a close by singing the Doxology.

Irishtown Notes

Lectures are the order of the day. Several topics have been discussed in this place by men of high literary standing. Notable among these being the Rev. R. Grant, of Nova Scotia. The first subject handled by him was the Life of Napoleon Buonaparte. He began his lecture by showing the political state of France, when Napoleon entered public life. Then, after giving an account of his parentage and childhood, he brought him to the military school at Paris, and got him his commission as Sous-Lieutenant of Artillery. He next placed him cannonading the outworks of Toulon; and a little later tearing the National Guard to pieces with canister and grape. He followed him through all his stormy life. Now on the high and rugged Alps; —now on the fertile plains of Italy;—now to march to Spain, Egypt, Austria, Russia and, finally to cross swords with Wellington at Waterloo.

The fascinating way in which he held the audience spellbound, proved, conclusively, that he was thoroughly acquainted with his subject. His second lecture was on the sin of covetousness. He said the secrets of oratory were, Give the minor points first, but retain the strong ideas till the last in order to leave an impression on the people So did God, when he gave the commandments to Moses on the Mount, give the minor ones first, and left the greatest till the last, viz., *Thou shalt not covet*. He said covetousness was the first sin—Eve coveting the forbidden fruit. Going even further, when quoting the words of the poet "Aspiring to be Gods, Angels fell, Aspiring to be angels, men rebel," he then followed down through the ages, proving that many of the great wars were owing to ambitious, covetous hearts, such as the wars of Alexander the Great, Julius Cæser, Napoleon, &c. He stated that it was a besetting sin; that it was human nature to be covetous; that this sin grew up with people from their childhood, and they scarcely knew how to guard against it.

This Lecture was thought to be even better than the first, being a more practical subject. Any district that can procure the services of this talented lecturer should endeavor to do so, as such opportunities seldom offer. We have had other lectures from John Flyn, Esq., on "The Signs of the Times," "Napoleon," &c., which were well delivered, patronized and appreciated, as the room was filled to overflowing on each occasion.—COM.

St. James' Church.

The annual meeting of the congregation took place on Monday evening, in St. James' Hall, with a good attendance of the members and adherents of the Church, Hon. Col. Gray in the chair.

Reports were submitted from (1) The retiring Trustees; (2) The Session; (3) The Sabbath School; (4) The Building Committee.

The general revenue for the year was stated to be $2,800; contributions for Mission, $275; contributions from Sabbath School, $65; contributions to Building Fund, $180; in all $3,320. Special mention was made of the assistance rendered by the ladies of the congregation in aid of the Trustees.

Votes of thanks were given to the Trustees, the Choir, the Ladies, and to the Chairman, for their services.

A committee of young men was appointed to assist the Trustees in their work for the present year. The committee on the Building Fund was re-appointed.

The following were elected as Trustees for the current year, viz: Messrs. W. D. Stewart, W. R. Watson, J. W. Morrison, David Small, Wm. McLean, Donald McKenzie and T. C. James.

At the close of the congregational meeting the above Trustees organized for the year, when Mr. Stewart was appointed Chairman, Mr. McLean Treasurer and Mr. Duncan Kennedy, Secretary.

General satisfaction having been expressed with the result of last year's operations, the new Trustees enter upon their work with encouraging prospects, and in the confident hope that the result of their operations will show an advance upon last year's as that did upon the preceding one.—COM.

Sons of Temperance.

VICTORIA DIVISION, of the Sons of Temperance, presented a very pleasing scene last Monday evening on the occasion of an official visit from the G. W. Patriarch, David Rogers, Esq., of Freetown. Among the very large number present were noticed the names of John Jury, Dr. Leeming, John Bowers, J. P. Tanton, J. J. Chappell and G. W. Millner. In the course of a very excellent address, the G. W. P. referred to the progress of the Order, several new Divisions having been formed in different parts of the Island. He then alluded in eloquent terms to the rise of public sentiment in favour of Temperance principles, foreboding the almost certain doom of the liquor traffic. The Provincial Legislature had at last come nobly to our aid, not only by the appointment of good men to enforce the laws, but also by denouncing the notorious Almon amendment. He referred to the Baglole murder in Summerside as a natural concomitant of the traffic, and enjoined upon all the brethren present to take fresh courage and work on until the day of victory. Several of the members present responded to the G. W. Patriarch's address in suitable terms. Before singing the closing ode, it was intimated, to the delight of the brethren, that next Monday a free Temperance Lecture will be given in the Market Hall by the Rev. Father McGillivray, when those who wish to secure a good seat will reqire to go early.

ST. JOHN's trade for March, 1881, amounted to $713,311, against $572,777 for March, 1880. The imports show an increase of $191,811; the exports showing a large decrease on lumber, but an increase in manufactures, agricultural products, etc.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special Dispatch to the Examiner.

BERLIN, April 12.

The police have forbidden, under the Socialist law, the holding of a meeting which Herr Bertel was to address at Munich.

LONDON, April 12.

The *Times* Athens correspondent telegraphs that the reply of Greece to the note of the Powers, will be handed in on Tuesday. It is believed it will demand further territory and autonomy for Epirus.

ROME, April 12.

Depretis is negotiating for the formation of a cabinet, but the King refrains from entrusting the task formally to anybody, until he can receive reasonable assurances that a ministry able to command a majority can be obtained.

LONDON, April 12.

Mr. Suter, the Englishman recently captured by brigands near Salonica, Roumelia, was, during the Russo-Turkish war, the correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* in Dobrudsha.

Edmund Yates has severed his connection with the new London paper the "Cuckoo."

Bradlaugh was re-elected to Parliament on Saturday, defeating Corbett (Conservative) in Northampton by 125 votes.

A bulletin at noon said that Beaconsfield's condition was slightly improved. Ten. p. m. it was reported that Beaconsfield passed a restless day and had a severe attack of difficult breathing in the evening.

TUNIS. April 10.

Hostile demonstrations have been made outside the house of the French Consul. He refuses to leave his post until ordered by his official superiors.

A band of 500 marauders crossed the French frontier yesterday, and attempted to carry off some cattle. They laid siege to a blockhouse occupied by French outposts. Reinforcements were sent up. Zouaves and Chasseurs under Gen. Vincendin, attacked the enemy. The fighting lasted an hour and a half when the raiders returned. The French lost 59 men. The loss of the marauders is believed to have been considerable, but they managed to carry off nearly all of their dead and wounded. Hostilities have now commenced in earnest. The people of Algeria are in a state of great excitement.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 12.

Sentence of death was finally read to-day in the presence of the prisoners. They were allowed twenty-four hours to appeal.

PARIS, April 11.

According to the *Evenement*, ex-Marshal Bazaine has sent a challenge to Admiral Gourez, French Ambassador at Madrid, for what he calls his discourtesy to him in society.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 11.

Mr. Goschen, the British Ambassador, has informed the Porte that he holds it responsible for the safety of Mr. Sutter and the payment of the ransom demanded for him by the Brigands.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 11.

It has been known for some time that Lord Dufferin will be appointed ambassador at Constantinople, and Sir Augustus Paget will succeed him as British Ambassador here. Lord Dufferin will probably leave this city on Friday.

LONDON, April 13.

Beaconsfield passed a quiet night; 10.30 a. m.—Beaconsfield is restless and is not inclined to take nourishment.

YANKTON, D. T., April 13.

The overflowed water of the Missouri is gradually subsiding, though the ice is piled ten to thirty feet high along the various bottoms Yankton is filling with refugees from low lands, and people are doing their best to care for them. Thousands are rendered homeless and all they possessed swept away. All the railroad, north and west, is snowed in. Damages to steamboat property amount to $60,000; losses to property in general cannot be estimated, but are very great.

NEW YORK, April 13.

Typhus fever and small-pox are again very prevalent here. Last week there were 55 new cases of typhus and 51 cases of small-pox. The smallpox hospital contains now 119 patients. The typhus tents shelter 56 men and women. Ten deaths from smallpox and 9 from typhus occurred last week, and eight new cases of typhus were found to-day.

CHIO, April 13.

Latest returns state that 80,000 persons were killed and 10,000 injured by recent earthquakes.

The locality which suffered the most is Nevita, where 1200 were killed.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 13.

Gen. Skobeloff, lately at Krasnovodsk is returning eastward. The latest from him is from Khelat, less than a week ago.

LONDON, April 13.

The *News* does not attach much political importance to the above, but points out that it affects Russia's good faith, as Dilke stated in the House during the Candahar debate that the first act of the new Czar was to recall Skobeloff.

Clifton Notes.

Mussel mud digging is over. Matrimonial fever is raging in this vicinity; any young ladies that want to join in matrimony would do well to call and see us.

The quarterly examination of Clifton School took place on Friday, April 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m. Besides the trustees, there were also a large number of householders present, who were highly pleased with the progress of the students. The teachers—Mr. McLeon and Miss Wares are highly appreciated in this district.

The repairs of Clifton Bridge has fallen to Mr. George McKay, he being the lowest bidder.

Murder Will Out.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, a few thin dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of Green's August Flower became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in every town in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents.

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SHIP NEWS.

Halifax, 9th—In port, schr Princess, for Ch'town; Alice May, for Montague; Josephine, for Souris.

Fortress Munroe, 6th—Barque Edith Carmichael, Dunkirk.

Boston, 8th—Cld, schr. Bonnie Belle, Charlottetown.

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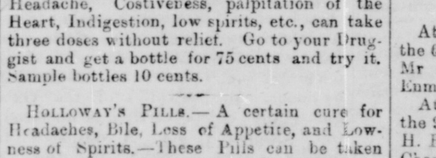

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THE MARKETS.

POTATOES.

The prospects for early arrivals of potatoes in the Boston market are now very good. Advices of the 6th from that place state that there have been some arrivals of Prolifics from Nova Scotia which are selling at sixty cents and Early Roses at seventy. Chenangoes are quoted at sixty cents, but there are none in the market. These prices are for good, sound stock, and of good size. There is at this port a good quantity ready for shipment at first opportunity. The Montreal *Gazette* of the 9th says a fair export demand exists in Montreal for potatoes, and prices continue firm at 55c per bag for car lots of choice early rose, as high as 60c being paid for an extra lot. Sales are reported of 700 bags of early roses at 55c, 350 bags of chilis at 50c, 300 bags of early roses at 55c, and 500 do, at 50c. Shipments are being made to New York, Cincinnati and Chicago, and it is thought the requirements in those places will be sufficient to absorb most of our surplus stocks. The New York market is firm, and prices have advanced there to $2.75 and $3 per bbl., for choice early rose, or 90c @ 98c per bushel. In Chicago 75c @ 80c per bushel has been paid for rose in car lots.

OATS.

Latest advices from Bristol Channel report Irish oats at 19 shillings for 304 lbs. These oats are generally quoted six pence higher than Island Black. The Montreal oat market, on the 8th, was steady at 85c. and 90c. per bag. New York market, on the 9th, was easier. The sale of 50,000 bushels was reported and State were quoted at 46c to 52c, and Western at 48½c to 50c. Halifax market prices of the 9th quote oats at from 50c to 55c.

PORK.

Since our last report there has been a good advance in the New York market. Old mess, which on the 4th was quoted at $15.25 on the spot, was on the 11th, quoted at $17.75. Advices state that the market then was active at the price above quoted. Owing to the advance in New York, we see there was a speculative rise in the St. John market of from $1.50 to $2.00, and holders were asking outside figures. Pork per carcass in Charlottetown market continues the same as quoted last week—6½ to 7½.

EGGS.

Boston circulars of the 6th report a steady market for eggs, fresh stock. They will bring 17 cents per dozen In New York there is an easy market, and Canadian eggs are quoted at 17½ to 18½ cents. The receipt of eggs in that city on the 8th was 4,081 barrels.

FLOUR.

The flour market in Montreal on the 8th inst., was steady. The sales reported on 'Change then were: 100 bbls. choice Spring Extra, $5.25; 125 bbls. Strong Bakers', $5.75; 125 bbls. Middlings, $4.02½; 250 choice Ontario Bags (bags included) at $2.80. The quotations are: Superior Extra, $5.35 to $5.40; Extra Superfine, $5.20 to $5.25; Fancy, $5 15; Spring Extra. $5.10 to $0.00; Superfine, $4.75 to $4.80; Strong Bakers', $5.75 to $6 20; Fine, $4 25 to $4.30; Middlings $3. 95 to $4.05; Pollards, $3.30 to $3.40; Ontario Bags, per 100 lbs., $2.70 to $2.80; City Bags, delivered, $3.05 to $3.07½. Meals—Ontario Oatmeal, $4.50 to $4.60 per barrel; Cornmeal, $3.00 to $3.05 per barrel.

FISH.

Mackerel were dull, lower and nominal in New York, on the 8th. No. 2's quoted at $6.50 and $7.00, and No. 3's at $4.50 and $4.75.

Charlottetown, April 13, 1881.

MEAT.	
Beef, (small pieces), per lb	$0.06 to 0.12
Beef, per lb (by the quarter)	0.04 to 0.08
Ham, per lb	0.10 to 0.12
Lamb, per lb	0.05 to 0.09
Mutton, per lb	0.05 to 0.10
Pork, (small pieces), per lb	0.07 to 0.10
Pork, per lb (by the carcass),	0.06½ to 0.07½
Veal, per lb	0 03 to 0.08
POULTRY.	
Chickens, per pair	0.00 to 0.00
Ducks, (each),	0.25 to 0.30
Fowls, (each),	0 20 to 0.30
Geese, (each),	0.50 to 0.60
Partridges, (each),	0 00 to 0.00
Turkeys, (per pair),	1.00 to 1.50
Brant, (per pair),	0.00 to 0.00
BREADSTUFFS.	
Buckwheat Flour per lb	0.03 to 0.03
Flour, per bbl	7.00 to 9.00
Flour, per 100 lbs	2.80 to 3.00
Oatmeal, per 100 lbs	3.24 to 3.50
FISH.	
Codfish, per qtl	2.00 to 4.50
Herring, per bbl	3.50 to 6.50
Mackerel, per doz	0.30 to 0.40
BOARDS.	
Hemlock, per 100 feet	0.81 to 1.00
Pine, do	1.62 to 2.70
Spruce do	0.80 to 1.90
Shingles, per M	1.50 to 1.55
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Apples, per bushel	0.70 to 1.00
Barley, per bushel	0 65 to 0.70
Butter, (fresh), per lb	0.20 to 0.25
Butter, per lb by the tub	0.16 to 0.18
Calfskins, per lb	0.05 to 0.10
Cheese, (new milk), per lb	0.12 to 0.16
Eggs per dozen	0.11 to 0.13
Hay, per 100 lbs	0.45 to 0.50
Hides, per lb	0.05 to 0.06
Honey, per lb	0.25 to 0 30
Homespun. (men's wear), per yd	0.65 to 1.05
Homespun, (women's wear), do	0.35 to 0.48
Homespun flannell, per yard	0.32 to 0.36
Lard, per lb	0 12 to 0.16
Oats, per bushel	0.43 to 0.45
Oatmeal, per cwt	3.25 to 3.50
Pearl barley, per lb	0 03 to 0.04
Potatoes, per bushel	0 14 to 0 16
Sheepskins, (each)	0 80 to 1.20
Tallow, per lb	0.07 to 0.08
Turnips, per bushel	0.14 to 0.16
Wool, per lb	0.16 to 0.17

MARRIED.

At the Methodist Parsonage, Pownal, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. Geo. M. Campbell, Mr Archibald MacDonald to Miss Margery Enman, both of Vernon River, Lot 50.

At the Methodist Parsonage, Montague, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. E. Bell, Mr. James H. Brooks, of Murray Harbor South, to Miss Charlotte M. Brehaut, of the same place.

At Lot 14, on the 24th March, ult., Julia Hackett, beloved wife of Peter Praught, in the 66th year of her age. May she rest in peace.

DIED.

On Tuesday, April 5th, 1881, in New York City, James Henry, youngest son of Lonisa Ann and John B. McLean, aged 4 years and 23 days.—Interred in Woodlawn Cemetery.

On the 27th of March last, the beloved wife of Norman McKenzie, Teacher, Rona, Lot 60, in the 55th year of her age, leaving a disconsolate husband, and five children to mourn the loss of a loving and dutiful wife, and an affectionate mother. Her amiable character won the esteem and affection of all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Lowell, Mass., papers please copy.

On Sunday, April 3rd,, at Lincoln, Maine Charles James Shreve, M. D., formerly of Summerside.

Suddenly, at Carleton, Prince County, on the 5th inst., Nellie, beloved wife of W. W. Black, and daughter of the late Hon. T. Fulton, of Wallace, N. S. (Nova Scotia papers please copy.)

At Hazelgreen, Lot 52, on Sunday, 10th inst., Capt Angus McInnis, aged 42, after a lingering illness, and deservedly regretted. R. I. P.

In Charlottetown, on Sunday, April 10th, of gastric fever, Alice E. H. daughter of John and Margaret Bevan, aged one year and seven months.

At Port Atonia, Jamaica, on the 20th of September last, of malarial fever, Capt. William S. Beers, aged 39 years, second eldest son of the late Philip Beers, Esq., of Montague Mills.

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