

THE RIEL REBELLION
FURTHER PARTICULARS.

At evening service at the Cathedral St. Boniface, Winnipeg, on the 31st inst., just before the sermon his Grace Archbishop Tache referred to the uprising in the west. He had no authentic information regarding them, but there was no doubt of serious trouble. He advised his hearers to be very cautious and stay away from any gatherings at which heated arguments might be entered into. They should stay at their homes, deploring the loss of life, he besought them to pray to God, the prince of peace, to bring about peace to the world at large and to the Northwest in particular. His Grace had a letter from Riel last October from St. Laurent, saying that he had only come into the country to help his countrymen get their rights, but that he did not intend to create any trouble. The only object he had in view he said, was to assist his friends. The Archbishop wrote him telling him that the only way to get satisfaction was by constitutional means and by making the necessary representations in a proper manner to the proper authorities. He never received an answer to that letter. His Grace also stated that a commission is now too late, and as far as control by clergy was concerned, it was also too late. The half-breeds are not naturally inclined to bloodshed, but when once excited are not controllable. His Grace thinks that the present prompt action of the Dominion Government will deter the Indians from joining the rebels. His Grace further states that there are 500 half-breeds in four settlements of St. Laurent, Duck Lake, Batoche and Langlois. Some of them are well armed and good fighters. About one half moved west from Manitoba and they want their holdings, claiming that if strangers in the land could get a second homestead they should be accorded the same privilege. He also wanted indemnity to Riel for his being banished by the Dominion Government. His Grace mentioned their other demands.

A despatch from Winnipeg on the 30th says: Gen. Middleton, Lieut.-Col. Houghton, Deputy Adjutant-General and Commissariat Officer Bedson will accompany the troops to quell the disturbance on this reserve. Twenty-four teams are taking detachments to the reserve. Troops at Qu'Appelle were given alarm at two o'clock this morning and turned out and formed in line in two minutes. Col. Irvine is reported to have reached Prince Albert with his entire command for Fort Carleton. Gen. Middleton is still in doubt as to moving north with the small force yet at his command. Snow is yet deep and wagons are not suitable for transport as not more than fifteen miles per day could be made. The police who went north lately took heavy sleighs and made the mail stations every night. The mail contractors say the trip can be made in ten days with sleighs, but it will take twice that time if wagons are used. From present appearance it will be Thursday before troops start northward. There is great difficulty in getting transports ready and no move will likely be made until the batteries now on the way from the east via the C. P. R. by north of Lake Superior arrive. Matters north are anything but pleasant. At Hoodoo the mail contractors stock horses feed has been drawn away to Batoche by the insurgents and word reached the city to-day that the emissaries of Riel had approached Sioux and Bandy Indians around Portage LaPrairie. Col. Irvine with a force of 200 police and nearly as many civilians will remain on the defensive at Prince Albert, pending the arrival of reinforcements from the east. It has been suggested that the military should advance north in two divisions, one from Qu'Appelle to Prince Albert, the other from Swift Current to Battleford, to hem in the rebels between them.

Later despatches from Battleford received by the Hudson Bay officials on the 31st inst., says Indians have come into town this morning, between 80 and 100, almost all armed. I have just come in after having a talk with them. They seem unsettled and not all well disposed. A large number of men armed to the teeth patrolled the streets of Calgary, and in the middle of the excitement a telegram from Father Lacombe at the Blackfeet reserve was received and read, stating that the Blackfeet camp was all quiet and the fear unnecessary.

People east seem anxious about friends in Winnipeg, Portage, LaPrairie and Brandon, but no trouble is apprehended at those places, as being fully six hundred miles from the seat of trouble. Battalions are being raised through Manitoba and recruits are volunteering freely. Large orders are being given in Chicago by the Hudson Bay Co. for provisions.

The troops at Fort Qu'Appelle, a detachment of rifles and field battery with one gun, have gone to quell the Indian rising at File Hill reserve. A report that Nichol the Indian farm instructor on that reserve has been killed is generally believed to be correct and that the Indians with emissaries of Riel are in possession of the supplies. Those Indians number nearly 300 and embrace the following chiefs: Chief Little, Blackbears reserve, Chief Star Blanket reserve, Chief O'Kanase reserve and Chief Pepek-dis reserve. They have hitherto been considered very peaceable and industrious Indians.

Four members of parliament have undertaken commands—Lt. Col. Williams, Lt. Col. O'Brien, Lt. Col. Ouimet and Major Tyrwhitt.

Ontario is in a fever from one end to another. In every city the military excitement is tremendous. No such tremendous popular enthusiasm, it is said, was ever aroused in Canada's history. The example set by the municipality of Ontario in providing for the families of the men, is being followed by other municipalities. Ottawa streets are

ALIVE WITH SOLDIERS,
the drill sheds crowded with people and in Toronto to-day 30,000 people must have cheered the Queen's Own and Tenth Royal Regiment's on their departure for the Northwest. In Ottawa a company of crack shots was raised on the 31st inst for service, but they cannot leave till Wednesday as the supplying of troops with equipment and transportation works slowly.

Throughout Quebec province a Fenian scare prevails, and the impression is that the government has some misgivings of

mischievous operations from Fenians along the frontier of that province, but that any body of men will converge upon American soil and invade Canada is not believed. For fear of such an emergency arising, all frontier regiments in Quebec are being paraded and, as a general precaution, this has been done throughout Ontario and Quebec at the present moment, either by direction of the Minister of Militia and largely by spontaneous orders of regimental officers. From 15,000 to 20,000 volunteers must be parading daily and nightly throughout these two provinces. The effect of this is to test the weak points of the militia system and lead to a general overhauling by and-by.

Local and Other Items.

BAND and good ice at the Rink to-night.

NO EXAMINER to-morrow—Good Friday.

MARK how the wind blows on Good Friday.

WILLIAM WELSH, ESQ., returned home from England last night.

ONE drunk at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon.

QUEEN VICTORIA and Princess Beatrice are at Aux Les Bains, France.

SOME tip-top canned Mackerel and Salmon at R. K. Braze's.

THE mails left Cape Tormentine at 1 o'clock and Cape Traverse at 1.15.

A CARNIVAL will be held at the Summerside Roller Rink on Monday evening next.

THE annual club trot will take place on Orwell Bay ice, on Saturday next, 4th inst.

THE Dramatic Entertainment on Easter Monday night promises to be one of the best ever given here.

BURGLARS are active in the city. Last night the store of H. Coombs was broken into, and on Tuesday night the store of J. B. MacDonald, Esq., was entered and a quantity of goods taken.

THE Civil Service Examination will be held on the 12th day of May next. Applications are required to be sent in before the 15th of April. P. LeSueur, Ottawa, is Secretary of the Board of Examiners.

REMEMBER the Matinee in Academy of Music on Easter Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, for the children, and ladies accompanying them. A good evening's enjoyment is being prepared for the little ones.

There will be Divine Service (D. V.) in the Church at 45, at 10.30 a.m., on April 12th; at 2.30 p.m., at Birch Hill; and at 6 o'clock, p.m., at Orwell Head. Mr. Hutchinson will officiate, weather and ice permitting. (wk)

THE service of the "Three Hours Devotion" will be held in St. Peter's Church to-morrow, beginning at 12 o'clock, noon, and continuing until 3 p.m. There will also be evening service with sermon at 7.30 p.m., and morning service without sermon at 10.30 p.m.

At a meeting of the King's County License Commissioners held yesterday, James Fourke, Georgetown, was appointed vendor for that district, J. J. Campbell for Cardigan district, and Dr. Ford for Souris district. The application of Mr. Martin, Dundas, was laid on the table.

ON reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that Mr. Theo. L. Chappelle, of the Diamond Bookstore, is about making a change in his business. A grand opportunity is now offered to both wholesale and retail purchasers to secure the greatest bargains ever offered in this city. The sale will be continued until the large and magnificent stock of Books, Stationery, etc., is disposed of.

The Charlottetown Engineers held a meeting in the Drill Shed last evening to discuss the advisability of volunteering their services for the Northwest. They were addressed by Major Irving and the officers of the company. The men unanimously agreed to tender their services. Three cheers were given for the Queen and the company was dismissed with orders to meet again on Wednesday evening next.

There is no change in the condition of the ice outside Georgetown Harbor. It is therefore impossible to tell what time the Northern Light will commence running. The ice jam across the harbor is in the same position as it was a month ago. It was not changed in the least by the recent winds or tides. The Government have made inquiries regarding Souris harbor, with the object of putting on a steamer to ply between that port and Pictou.

MR C. LEWIS displays a case containing three large photographs of scenery at the Capes. One gives a good view of Strang's Hotel, and is interesting, not because there is anything distinctive in the building, but because there is at last a comfortable resting house for winter travellers. The second is a view of the boats, with men and passengers, just leaving open water and being drawn up on the beach ice. The third is a view of the same while crossing the summit of an ice-ridge. The pictures are full of life, with most of the faces distinctly recognizable.

Weather Bulletin.
Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, April 2—10 a. m.
Moderate to fresh west and north winds; fair, cooler weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE
Charlottetown April 2 1885.
Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....43.9
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....27.1
Lowest Temperature this morning.....25.1
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....27.0
Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock.....32.3

DIED.
At Grand View, Lot 57, on the 16th of March, after a lingering illness, Mary McDonald, aged 47 years.

Departed this life, at Nine Mile Creek, on the 29th of March, George Archibald, eldest son of the late Martin McDougall (Elder) in the 25th year of his age. Beloved by all who knew him.

(Other papers please copy.)

DINNER SETS, Tea Sets, Chamber Sets, Glass Sets, are selling very cheap at W. F. Colwell's.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

WEDNESDAY, April 1.

After preliminary business,—
Mr. PERLEY resumed his speech on the budget. Spoke at length.

Hon. Mr. McLEOD followed with a vigorous speech, explaining some points raised by Messrs. Neo and Perry, pointing out that the pier money was received by the Government notwithstanding the sneers and the ridicule of the Opposition and their unpatriotic Press, and showing that the advantages received by the Province as a result of the settlement of the Piers matter were equal to an addition to its capital of \$600,000. That the people are satisfied and contented under the present Administration is, he said, evidenced by the fact that not a single public meeting has been called to condemn the Government.

Motion, carried. House went into Committee of Supply, Mr. John McLean in the chair, and passed several resolutions.

AFTER RECESS.

Hon. Mr. McLEOD moved the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Baptist congregation. The Bill was read a second time and passed in Committee.

Hon. Mr. LEFURGEY moved the House into Committee for the further consideration of the Bill to incorporate the Prince Edward Island Agricultural and Mutual Fire Insurance Company. The Bill passed in Committee.

VALUABLE FREEHOLD FARM FOR SALE.

220 ACRES, LOT 23.

THE above Farm, now in the occupation of Mr. Alexander Shaw, is offered for private sale. Part of the purchase money can be left secured on the premises.

If not sold within ten days from date, it will be sold by Public Auction on Friday, the 17th day of April next, in front of the Law Courts Building, Charlottetown, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon.

For terms and particulars of sale apply to R. R. FITZGERALD, Solicitor for Vendors. Ch'town, March 26, '85—6i wkly 1i

MONEY TO LOAN.

IN sums of from \$100 to \$1000, on good security. Apply at EXAMINER office. Ch'town, March 23, 1885—2aw wkly 1mo

FOR SALE.

2000 BUSHELS FISHERY SALT. L. C. OWEN. Ch'town, March 26, 1885—tu th sat

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale his valuable Farm at Eldon, Belfast, consisting of 100 acres of land, with a good dwelling house and stable thereon. This farm is pleasantly situated at the village of Eldon, and convenient to churches, schools and shipping ports, being only one mile from Halliday's Wharf and two miles from Pinette River Bridge, and is in close proximity to Orwell Bay, where abundance of mussel mud and seaweed can be obtained.

One-half the purchase money can remain on mortgage for a term of years at 6 per cent interest.

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It is one of the best located stages in P. E. Island, being but 14 miles from Charlottetown. There are about four acres of land and buildings, viz, shop and dwelling-house, cook-house and eating-room, dwelling for fishermen, bait and salt house, large stage and sheds, bake house (with large oven and baking appliances), water tanks, &c., canning-house, with all the appliances for canning lobsters and mackerel.

The buildings have capacity for the accommodation of say seventy-five fishermen and are in good repair.

Apply to J. H. WYRICK & CO., Fish Market, Ch'town. March 30, 1885—3i eod her 2i

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We will continue for Three Weeks Only our

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If you want **BARGAINS** don't fail to call, as this is positively **THE LAST CHANCE.**

Mr. A. L. Brown will continue the Business after the 16th April,

All amounts due the Firm must be Paid at once.

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Charlottetown, March 27, 1885.

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White Cottons,
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Ch'town, Feb. 20, 1885.

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During March a number of excellent Bargains will be offered to all cash customers alike:—7000 yds. Bed Tickings at 5 to 7 cts. per yard under usual prices; 200 white fringed Counterpanes only \$1.10, worth \$1.75; 2000 yds. Roller Towellings at 5c, 6c, and 7c.; 1500 yds Table Linen, beginning at 15c. very cheap; 4000 yds. Cotton Flannels, 4c. to 6c. under prices; All Grass Cloths and Prints, Cretonnes, &c., at reduced prices; about 9000 yds. choice Cotton Shirtings from 7c. per yard; black and colored Cashmeres and other Dress Goods at a bargain, about 5000 yards to go cheap, ask to see them; also, special lines in Ladies' Corsets, at low prices. Now is the time to buy Cottons, as they are going up in price. We have about 75,000 yards bleached and grey Cottons and Sheetings to offer at the lowest prices ever seen.

Call and see the goods, even if you don't want to buy.

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Ch'town, March 5, 1885.

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Ch'town, March 14, 1885

DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT

IN THE **ACADEMY OF MUSIC,**

—ON—

Easter Monday, April 6th.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

The Union Dramatic Club

Will present, for the first time in Charlottetown, Carleton's thrilling drama,

MORE SINNED AGAINST THAN SINNING,

(Founded on events now prominent in Ireland.)

The Entertainment will conclude with a laughable FARCE, entitled,

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An efficient ORCHESTRA will be in attendance.

New and beautiful SCENERY has been prepared for the play.

Admission: Gallery, 25 cents; Parquette, 35 cents; Reserved seats, 50 cents. Tickets for sale at all the Drug Stores and the Diamond Bookstore.

Doors open at 7, curtain to rise at 8 o'clock, sharp.

A matinee will be given on Easter Monday. Doors open at 2; performance to commence at 3 p. m. Admission—children 15, ladies 25 cents.

Ch'town, March 24, 1885.

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned until the 15th of next April, for the making and putting up of gates and fence, in front of the Catholic Cemetery, on the St. Peter's Road.

Plans and specifications of the same may be seen at the office of Messrs. Peake Bros. & Co.

HUBERT Z. PERRY. Charlottetown, March 23, 1885—2wks