

Local and Other Items.

BISHOP BINNEY celebrated the thirty-fourth anniversary of his consecration to the Episcopate, yesterday.

The death is announced of the Rt. Rev. Christopher Wadsworth, D. D., Bishop of Lincoln, aged 70.

FAST DRIVING on the public streets should receive the attention of the police, as it is dangerous to pedestrians.

The mails left Cape Traverse for Cape Tormentine at 8 o'clock this morning. No sailing from Cape Tormentine.

CAPE THOMAS KIRKHAM, brother of the late Lawrence Kirkham, Esq., M. L. C., arrived from St. John's Nfld last night.

ENGLISH, German, and Gaelic Bibles, French, Hebrew and Greek Testaments at the Bible Depository.—M. F. ELLIS. [mar 28]

ALEXANDER McNAB, Esq., formerly Superintendent P. E. I. Railway, registered at the London offices of the Dominion Government during the week ending March 5th.

MR. JOHN McSWAIN, of the Normal School, will read a paper before the Educational Institute this evening on "Industrial Drawing." Chair taken at eight o'clock.

The Legislature of New Brunswick have decided that the Government Stock Farm shall not be removed from the Eastern section of the Province in which it was first located.

JER GOSS, the well-known pugilist, died in Boston on the 23rd inst., of Bright's disease, aged 49 years. He was born at Wolverhampton, England, and came to America in 1876.

The new and elegant steamer State of Maine, of the International line, will be placed on the route between St. John and Boston this week.

All citizens interested will remember the meeting of the Arbor Society this (Friday) evening, in the Stipendiary Magistrate's office. The work for the coming summer will then be settled upon.

SEVEN TONS English Genuine and No. 1 White Lead, and twenty-five barrels Pale and Raw Linseed Oils in stock. Also, a full stock of Paint Brushes, at the City Hardware Store.—NORRIS BROS.

A YOUNG gentleman of the legal profession will read a paper on "Shakespeare's Julius Caesar," this evening before the Literary and Scientific Society, in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor. The sessions of the society are open to the public.

YANKEE TORPEDO BOAT.—In the House of Lords, Earl Northbrook, in reply to Viscount St. Albans, said a naval officer had been sent to America to inspect the newly invented torpedo boat, but that it was not desirable to publish the result of his investigation yet.

We have just received a lengthy report of the entertainment at Kelly's Cross on St. Patrick's night. Owing to the crowded state of our columns, and late arrival of the report, we are unable to give it space. We are pleased to note that the entertainment passed off successfully, and all who took part acquitted themselves creditably.

SERGEANT ALLEN continued his "Reminiscences of Active Service" last evening, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, before a good-sized audience. The Band of the 82nd Battalion was in attendance, and played before and after the lecture. Major Irving occupied the chair, and several of the volunteers in uniform took seats on the platform. The Sergeant dwelt chiefly on the storming of the Malakoff and Redan. At the close a vote of thanks was tendered to the lecturer.

We are always pleased to chronicle the success of Islanders abroad. The many friends of Mr. Hugh Walker, who left this city over two years ago, and has since taken a full course at the Philadelphia Dental College, will be glad to learn that not only has he secured his degree as Doctor of Dental Surgery, (D. D. S.) but also carried off the first prize in Anatomy. We understand that Mr. Walker is likely to practice his profession in this Island, and wish him every success. Mr. Walker is a brother of Rev. Dr. Walker, Rollo Bay, and F. D. Walker, Esq., M. D., Carleton Place.

The market to-day was fairly well attended and stocked. Prices as follows: Beef (small) 6 to 12 cts per lb; do per 5 to 8 cts; mutton, per lb 6 to 12 cts; veal, 3 to 5 cts; pork (carcasses) 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 cts; do (small), 8 to 10 cts; turkeys, \$1.00 to \$1.70; geese, 50 to 60 cts; ducks, each, 25 to 35 cts; fowls (each) 20 to 30 cts; butter (fresh), 20 to 24 cts; do (salt) 18 to 19 cts; eggs, per doz, 12 to 14 cts; flour per 100 lbs, \$2.50 to \$2.60; oatmeal, \$2.50 to \$3.00; hay per 100, 55 to 65 cts; oats, 36 to 38 cts; sheepskins, 60 to 75 cts; potatoes, 30 to 32 cts.

The lobster packers' delegation, mentioned in an Ottawa despatch a few days ago, waited upon the Minister of Marine and Fisheries on the 24th inst., and asked that the fishing grounds in New Brunswick and P. E. Island should be divided up and licenses for fishing granted to individuals and firms. Mr. Burns, M. P., suggested that fishermen farmers who have heretofore enjoyed the right of fishing in certain localities should be placed on the same footing as the packers in the granting of licenses, and that water spaces heretofore unoccupied and open free to the general public. The St. John's man has reason to think that the demands of the P. E. Island lobster packers will be complied with, but it is not likely that action will be taken so far as New Brunswick is concerned, until after further enquiry on the part of the Minister.

The Breeder's Gazette, of Chicago, publishes a sketch of the imported Jersey cow, "Princess 2nd," 8043, which has astounded Jersey circles by yielding 46 lbs. and 12 1/2 cts. salted butter for the week ending March 1. The test was made under the auspices of the American Jersey Cattle Club, and is therefore reliable. It beats the butter-producing record of the celebrated Jersey, "Mary Anne St. Lambert," 9770, which, on a test, produced 36 lbs. 12 1/2 cts. butter in 7 days. "Princess" is the property of Mrs. S. M. Shoemaker, of Stevenson, Maryland. She was dropped in 1877 and sold in New York in 1879, for \$1,800. She was tested first in 1884, for seven days, and during that test yielded 323 lbs. of milk, which produced 27 lbs. 10 oz. salted butter. During the last wonderful test "Princess" received as food, per day, 22 qts. ground oats, 15 qts. pea meal, 2 qts. linseed oil cake, 1 qt. wheat bran—total 40 qts., besides carrots, beets, and good clover hay. Her appetite was constantly good, and in fact she seemed always ready to eat more. During the test 6 1/2 lbs. of milk were required to make a pound of butter.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE ANGLO-RUSSIAN DISPUTE

Russia Proposes an Alliance With Turkey.

Calling out the British Reserve for Service.

Active Preparations for War.

Warships Getting Ready for Sea.

LONDON, March 26. The army of Bombay Presidency has been ordered to prepare for active service.

The Government is considering proposals which Russia has made to Turkey in regard to forming an alliance.

The Standard is still hopeful of peace. It says Russian finances are unable to stand the strain of war, that no power except Germany is able or willing to supply a loan to Russia, and that it is doubtful whether even Germany could do so.

LONDON, March 26. The Queen has sent a message to the House of Commons calling out the Reserves and British Militia for permanent service.

Preparations for war continue with great activity. Orders have been sent to Portsmouth to put the steel despatch vessel Mercury, 10 guns, in readiness for immediate service.

It is stated that the armor plated turreted ships Devastation and Colossus, and the corvette Bacchante, together with the troopship Orantes, are also under preparations for sea.

Orders have also been sent to the armories throughout the Kingdom to return immediately to the Tower of London all Martini-Heuri rifles they have in stock, that they may be inspected, after which they will be despatched to India.

Fourteen thousand rifles now at Portsmouth will be forwarded to India to-morrow.

THE SOUDAN.

Dufferin Praising the Indian Troops.

Another Brush with the Arabs.

ALLAHABAD, March 26. Lord Dufferin, replying to a native deputation, praised highly the conduct of the Indian troops during the recent engagements near Suakin, and the general patriotism of the whole Indian army.

SUAKIM, March 26. A convoy of the Grenadier Guards, under command of Gen. Graham, accompanied the Shropshire, Surrey and Sikhs Indian regiments this morning, on their departure for Tamai, as far as Gen. McNeill's zereba. The zereba was reached with the loss of but three men, who were wounded in the fight on the way.

A force of Arabs rushed on the troops. The latter at once formed a square. The Arabs charged upon these, and were repulsed with a loss of 100 killed.

The Northwest Rebellion.

The Indians and Half-Breeds Quiet.

The Outbreak Regarded with Alarm.

OTTAWA, March 26. No further news has been received by the Government this morning in connection with the insurrection in the Northwest.

A telegram from Edmonton, at a late hour last night, states that there is no trouble at that point, that the half-breeds and Indians are quiet, and that little doubt is felt that peace will be kept.

The statement that the Indians are participated in the uprising, treated lightly by the Government. Neither Big Bear, Lucky Man, Pound Maker nor Little Hine, chiefs of tribes within the radius of the disturbance, have given assistance to Riel.

Big Bear, who is one of the most powerful chiefs in the Northwest, in respect to the influence he wields over the Crees, is settled quietly upon his reserve, nearly two hundred miles distant from Carleton Point, at which the rebels are understood to be armed.

At Edmonton and Battleford all is quiet, and the uprising is confined to the neighborhood of Prince Albert. As a precautionary measure, one hundred men of the 90th Battalion in Winnipeg have left that city for Q'Appelle, when in case of need, they will proceed to the scene of operations.

Humboldt is some eight miles from Carleton, and the last information from the former spot is that Col. Irvine left there on Monday morning with one hundred mounted police for the purpose of reinforcing the garrison of ninety men at Carleton, and that in order to effect a junction, he is making a detour round the base of the insurgents.

It is expected that to-day Col. Irvine will either have met the insurgents and had a conflict with them, or have peaceably reached Carleton. Contingents of the Mounted Police from adjacent parts, have been ordered to the scene of the outbreak, and before the week passes some three hundred men will be concentrated in the neighborhood.

It is supposed that Riel has between five and six hundred men at his command, to overcome whom the Mounted Police, the Government state, will easily be able. Forty or fifty Indians

have joined Riel from Teapot's band. Such is the information the Government furnish to the press to-day. The situation, however, is regarded with much greater alarm than the Government statements would warrant.

Two meetings of the Cabinet were held yesterday.

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

Toronto, March 27--10 a. m. Moderate to fresh south-west and south winds, generally fair milder weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE. Charlottetown March 27 1885. Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight) 27.1. Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight) 10.1. Lowest Temperature this morning 11.4. Temperature this morning at 8 o'clock 20.1. Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock 35.0.

An influential meeting of the citizens of St. John, on Friday night, emphatically endorsed the Megantic route across the State of Maine, as the best route for the proposed Short Line to the Maritime provinces.

The mayors of St. John and Portland, and the chairman of the Board of Trade, were appointed a committee to press these views of the citizens of St. John at Ottawa.

The recent storm cause a blockade on the railways of the Mainland, and mails and passengers have in consequence been delayed several days.

It was reported at Halifax that many of the 500 head of cattle snowed up on the way from Ontario have perished from exposure and starvation, meanwhile the Allan liner Cathegonian has been detained eight days at very heavy loss, and will likely have to remain several days.

The Halifax Herald says: Reports from Cape Breton say that all highways there are blocked up, but the Picton, Eastern Extension, and Spring Hill and Parrsboro railways are open.

All roads along the western shore were blocked. Travel over the Western Counties railway was suspended all the latter part of last week, and a despatch to the Herald says the road will not be open till Wednesday. On the whole, it is the worst snow blockade in ten years.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 25th inst., by the Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, A. M., Mr. Golding Howard, of Cornwall, to Harriet, eldest daughter of Henry Hyde, Esq., of West River.

In San Francisco, Feb. 12th, by Rev. Father Reiley, O. P. Charles A. McPhee, formerly of Georgetown Royalty, P. E. I., to Ellen C. McDonald, of Oakland, formerly of Mount Stewart, P. E. I.

On the 18th inst., at Eldon, by Rev. J. O. Reddin, Angus E. Martin and Addie M. McDonald, daughter of Mr. John S. McDonald.

At the Manse, on the 29th inst., by Rev. J. M. McLeod, Alexander McPhee, to Annie McArthur, both of New Haven, Lot 31.

At the Manse, on the 13th inst., by Rev. J. M. McLeod, Duncan Darrach, of West River, Lot 65, to Emma McEachern, of Brae, Lot 4.

At the Manse, Mount Stewart, on the 18th inst., by Rev. W. R. Frame, Charles B. Picott, of Savage Harbor, to Sarah, daughter of Mr. William Coffin, French Village.

DIED.

In this city, on the 26th March, after a lingering illness, Capt. Daniel McIsaac, aged 63 years, formerly of Antigonish, N. S. [Funeral from his late residence, Malpeque Road, at 10 o'clock on Saturday.] (Antigonish papers please copy.)

On Sunday, the 15th inst., at Alexandria, Lot 49, Delno Morris, aged 4 months and 14 days. "Our little boy so young and fair, Called from an early doom, Just come to show how sweet a flower In Paradise could bloom."

At Graham's Road, on 19th inst., Catherine, beloved wife of Alexander Rosa, aged 74 years, leaving a husband and seven children to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate wife and mother.

At Searlton, on 21st inst., Hugh Campbell, Elder, in his 78th year. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord; yea saith the spirit that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

At Summerside, on 22nd inst., Annabella, third daughter of Anna and Henry Bishop, aged 12 years.

At Williamsport Hospital, Pa., on January 25th, of rheumatic fever, James McDonald, son of the late Capt. John McDonald, of Brae, Lot 4, in the 24th year of his age.

At Chatham, N. B., on the 5th inst., of paralysis, Murdoch Gillis, aged 76 years, a native of Belfast, P. E. I.

On the 11th March, at his residence, Chatham, N. B., of general debility, after a lingering illness, George B. Bridges, a native of Prince Edward Island, in the 81st year of his age. His end was peace.

At Boston, Mass., on the 6th inst., Ann, widow of the late George Hayden, of Chatham, aged 70 years.

On the 9th inst., at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. James Bentley, Margaret Sarah, relict of the late Daniel McNeill, of Cavendish, aged 71 years.

At Bradenell, on the 10th inst., after a short illness, Elizabeth Gordon, deeply regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

At Indian River, on the 19th inst., after an illness of five years, Margaret Ann, youngest daughter of James McCarvell, aged 6 years.

Of consumption, at Forest Hill, on Jan. 12th, Neil McDonald, aged 25 years, son of Peter and Margaret McDonald. He leaves four brothers and two sisters to mourn the loss of a kind and loving brother.

At Melville Road, DeSable, Lot 29, on the 15th inst., of inflammation of the lungs, John Alexander, beloved son of John Bell, aged 20 years and five months.

At his residence, Pleasant Valley, Lot 24, Robert Sharpe, in the 18th year of his age. Deceased emigrated from the town of Dumfries, Scotland, in the year 1814.

COAL.

ON hand, a quantity of Pi-tou, Gowrie Mines and Glacier Bay Coal. Also: Sydney (at mine) Round Coal. Will be sold for Cash at Summer prices.

(Capt. JOHN HUGHES, Water Street. Ch'town, March 10, 1885—1no)

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Ch'town, Feb. 20, 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. Ch'town, March 24, 1885.

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The Liquor License Act, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the District of King's County, will be held at the Supreme Court House, Georgetown, On TUESDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH Next, A. D., 1885,

at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration all applications for certificates for such licenses as are authorized to be granted in this License District by the Liquor License Act, 1883, or by the Act 47 Victoria, Chapter 32, intitled "An Act to amend the Liquor License Act, 1883."

By order of the Board, HENRY A. BEARS, Chief Inspector of Licenses for King's Co, Murray River, 25th February, A. D., 1885.

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