Local and Other Items.

THE King of Greece is in London.

SMOKE Myrtle Navy—at Rubin & Hart's.

POTATO-BUGS have made their appearance in Charlotte Co., N. B.

THE French Senate has recommended an increase in the duties on imported cattle.

THE preliminary working of the tunnel between England and France is most satisfactory.

LADY MARY HAMILTON, the divorced wife of the Prince of Monaco, was married at Pesth, on the 3rd., inst to Count Festelich.

MESSRS. ELLIOTT, of London, Ont., have so far this season shipped 300 wagons to Manitoba; and more are to be sent this summer.

ALL kinds of American and Canadian Tobaccoes at Rubin & Hart's.

THE proposed bronze statue of the late George Brown, to be erected in Queen's Park, Toronto, will cost $25,000, for which contributions are now asked.

SIX hundred immigrants arrived in Montreal on the 3rd. Three hundred were British emigrants, who intend settling in Ontario and the North-West.

THE S. S. "Atila" left Montreal a few weeks ago for Cuba with arms, and the detectives are now looking up the shippers, who are said to be Cubans.

SMOKE fine cut Tobacco, from Rubin & Hart, on Queen Street.

MR. ADAMS, of Halifax, took from this city a few days ago, seven excellent carriage horses, which were selected by himself in the country. He paid for them, on an average, $110. They are for the Halifax market.

A FEW DAYS AGO a young man named Vital Savoy, aged 22 years, was drowned at Grand Island, N. B. He was out upon a log, which rolled, and he fell into three feet of water. He appeared bewildered, and instead of walking ashore, as he could easily have done, turned his face to the middle of the stream, and was drowned.

PINAFORE, by Louise Leighton Opera Company, of New York—Market Hall tonight. Reserved seats at W. R. Watson's.

PEDESTRIANISM.—On Friday of next week a 12 hours' "go-as-you-please" walking match will take place in the Skating Rink, Halifax, which will be arranged to seat 5,000 people. The United States, New Brunswick and P. E. Island, will, it is said, be represented in the contest. The American pedestrians are to arrive there in the next steamer from Boston.

THE best Havana Cigars in the city at Rubin & Hart's, corner Richmond and Queen Streets.

FIRE.—Slight fires are becoming rather frequent in this city. At half-past eight this morning, a boy engaged in the dry good store of W. A. Weeks & Co., after lighting a fire in the stove situated in the millinery department, carelessly threw down the lighted match. The fire was then communicated to the the light milinery goods which were profusely displayed throughout the room. Fortunately several buckets of water were near at hand, and the use of these prevented what might have been a serious conflagration. The loss is estimated at about $100.

Y. M. C. A.—The Halifax *Herald* learns that the International Committee of Y. M. C. Associations of the United States and Provinces, intend sending from New York two of their best agents—the Rev. Geo. A. Hall and T. K. Cree, Esq., both men known to the Associations, the former having attended one and the latter three of the Provincial Conventions; to visit and hold district Conventions throughout the Maritime Provinces. They will probably arrive at St. John on the 3rd of of July, visit the Associations during that month, and attend the annual gathering in Charlottetown, P. E. Island on the 12th of August.

THE plot of *Our Folks*, which was written especially for the Folies Dramatiques, is as follows: A party of young folks are about to start on a picnic, when they learn that their uncle, with whom they reside, is involved in financial difficulties, through endorsing a note for a friend. The picnic is given up, and each tries to plan some way to raise the amount needed by their uncle, of whom they are very fond. After many plans are broached and given up, they finally hit upon the stage, and make up their minds to adopt the profession, and at once set about a rehearsal. Then the fun begins and the songs, sketches, mishaps and ludicrous mistakes make up the entertainment. All turns out happily, and the uncle receives a telegram that his friend is all right financially, and the rumor is a false one; so Our Folks are not obliged to go on the stage.

Personal.

Bradlaugh is coming to the United States.

Beaconsfield says Gladstone's Government will last three years.

A History of the Penny Post, by Sir Rowland Hill, is to be published.

A statue of John Ruskin is proposed for the school of drawing, founded by him in Oxford.

During his absence from Ottawa, Sir Charles Tupper will visit Toronto, and be present at the marriage of his son, Mr. Stewart Tupper, Barrister.

A Good Account.

"To sum it up, six long years of bed-ridden sickness and suffering, costing $200 per year, total $1,200—all which was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters taken by my wife, who has done her own housework for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit."

"JOHN WEEKS, Butler, N. Y."

MAPLE SYRUPS—new importation—20 cents a pint, 32 cents a bottle, and $1.75 a gallon tin, very choice at BEER & GOFF'S.—j2 6i

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

PARIS, June 3.

The duel between Rochfort and Keochlin only occupied two minutes. Rochfort's sword, while he was parrying a thrust, having slipped from his gloved hand, Keochlin's sword entered the lower part of Rochfort's chest, below the sternum. His wound is considered fatal.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 3.

The Empress of Russian died this morning.

BERLIN, June 3.

A train on the Berlin and Madgeburg Railway ran off the track; two persons killed and 35 injured.

LONDON, June 3.

A boiler explosion took place in this city on Wednesday by which eight persons were killed.

A telegram referring to the famine in Turkistan, Armenia and Western Persia, states that 40,000 persons must be fed for two months. The telegram implored money to purchase grain. One hundred and thirty eight persons died of starvation at Bashkalah; twenty-six villages are utterly destitute, 127 persons died of starvation at Alashgerd.

CHATHAM, N. B., June 3.

Hon. Senator Muirhead's saw mill has been burned down. The fire took place at 10 p. m., and by 11 o'clock all was in ashes. Nothing was saved. Loss $60,000, and insurance only partial.

Had the wind been westerly all Snowball's deals, mill and a large amount of shipping would have been destroyed.

Snowball's steam fire engine did good work, as also the Chatham fire engine.

The Chicago Convention.

CHICAGO, June 3.—The Committee on Rules decided, by a vote of 35 to 12, against the Unit rule, which is a decision adverse to the Grant party.

The Committee on Credentials reported in favor of admitting two anti-Blaine contesting delegates from Alabama. This committee had a long wrangle over the admission of contesting delegates from Illinois, and finally, by a vote of 31 to 13, decided to admit the Blaine and Washburne contestants from the ten disputed districts.

The Committee on Permanent Organization reported the name of George F. Hoar for President.

A motion by Mr. Conkling that pending the report of the Committee on Credentials the Convention take a recess until 6 p. m., was lost, after a debate in which Mr. Hale and the mover took prominent parts.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Just before putting the motion for the Convention to adjourn, the chair announced that members of the old National Republican Committee would meet immediately upon adjournment at the Palmer House. The session was devoted to the settlement of confusion regarding the distribution of tickets.

The Committee on Credentials, by a vote of 31 to 23, decided to admit the Illinois Blaine and Washburne contestants for ten disputed districts. After the decision a New York member of the Committee offered a resolution saying the Springfield Convention was legally constituted and the members had acted in good faith. The resolution was tabled. The Kansas contest was then taken up. If the Illinois decision be sustained by the Convention Grant would lose 20 votes.

CHICAGO, June 3—6.30 p. m.—After considerable discussion a substitute motion, that the committee on credentials report to the Convention, was lost.

6.40 p. m.—On motion to require the Committee on Credentials to report forthwith, the Grants voting "aye," anti-Grants voting "no," Vermont voting "aye," and great excitement throughout. The result was, aye, 318; nay, 406.

The Convention adjourned till to-morrow morning.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

SUNDAY.....JUNE 6, 1880
SUN RISES.....4.15 | HIGH WATER 9.58 p.m
SUN SETS.....7.42 | FULL MOON 22, 9, 33.1m

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, June 4.

Moderate to fresh winds, and fine weather.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

June 4.—D Campbell, Summerside; Thomas H Simms, Kensington; Henry Foster, Halifax, N S; E J Crabbe, Fredericton; George Forbes, Vernon River; Dr J M Fraser, St Peters.

Turnip Seed. Turnip Seed.

JUST RECEIVED, a quantity of the Celebrated Skirving, Laing, Champion and Shamrock. All warranted fresh and good.

ROBERTSON & CAMERON.
May 31, 1880.—30i

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PER STR. *Miramichi*, another lot of

10 BARRELS

"Montserrat Limetta Champagne,"

In lots of 1, 2 and 4 dozen, to suit buyers.

W. E. DAWSON & CO.
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FOR SALE, Two American DORIES, in thorough repair. Apply at the FISH MARKET.

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Silk Hats,
Drab Shell Hats,
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Straw Hats,
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FOR HOT WEATHER.

READYMADE CLOTHING
—IN—
Great Variety.

OUR Custom Tailoring DEPARTMENT
Is Full With Work
—UNDER OUR—
NEW CUTTER.

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Our Usual Good Stock
CHOICE TEAS,
In CHESTS,
HALF-CHESTS,
and BOXES.

FLOUR!

The Best Brands in the Market.

The General Stock comprises the Newest and Best Styles in every department. Wholesale and retail. Cheap for Cash.

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Charlottetown, May 31, 1880.

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THIS Large New House, beautifully situated on the highest land, adjacent to the City, is now open for the reception of guests. This House has the advantages of freedom from dust and heat of a country residence, and is only 20 minutes walk from the Post Office. A neat Cab will run in connection with this House, connecting with Cars and Steamers. Guests will be driven to and from the House free of charge. Cab will run at regular intervals each day. TERMS MODERATE.

HENRY COOMBS,
PROPRIETOR.

Charlottetown, May 22, 1880—pat tf

NEW OILCLOTHS!

—AT—

W. A. WEEKS & CO'S.

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BEAUTIFUL NEW PATTERNS.

3 FEET WIDE,
4½ " "
6 " "
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LEWIS POTOSKY

A first-class Company engaged from the New York and Boston Theatres,

AT MARKET HALL,

For 4 Nights, Commencing

Wednesday, the 9th of June,

Opening in the Dramatic and Musical oddity entitled,

OUR FOLKS,

AND A LAUGHABLE COMEDY.

New Scenery made and painted expressly for this Company.

Change of programme nightly. Admission 25 cents; reserved seats 50 cents. For sale at Apothecaries Hall, W. R. Watson's, Dr. Dodd's and C. D. Rankin's.

Ch'town, June 2, 1880.

Union Bank of P. E. Island.

DIVIDEND NO. 32.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Eight per cent. per annum has been declared on the Capital Stock of this Bank for the past six months, payable at its Head Office and Branches on and after this date.

GEORGE MACLEOD,
Cashier.

Charlottetown, June 2, 1880.

NEW OPENINGS

—OF—

Spring & Summer Goods

—AT THE—

GLASGOW HOUSE,

—IN—

Mens', Youths' and Boys'

Clothing, Shirts,
Paper Collars,
Ties, Braces,
Umbrellas,
Hats and Caps,
Cloths & Trimmings,
Grey and White Cottons,
Prints, Sheetings, Shirtings, &c.,
Paper Hangings and Paper Blinds,

And a large stock of Superior Tea and other Groceries; a few cases Concentrated Lye in tin cans, for soap-making. All at lowest possible prices for Cash.

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June 1, 1880—2aw

BONE DUST.

FARMERS and GARDNERS requiring the above valuable fertilizer should send their orders in at once, as but a limited quantity will be ground this season—and it is now selling fast—$2 per 100 pounds.

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FRUIT DEPOT.

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June 3, '80—1m m th s

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THE Subscriber has now in Store the following well assorted Stock, consisting of

400 bbls. Superior Extra FLOUR,
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20 bags Nos. 1 and 2 NAVY BREAD,
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Boxes and Caddies TOBACCO,
5 bbls. Split PEAS,
10 casks Washing SODA,
100 doz. BROOMS,
20 doz. WASHBOARDS,
20 tins CREAM TARTAR,
20 cases, 10 casks } Illuminating Rock OIL,
3 casks MILK DISHES,
10 doz. Assorted FLOWER POTS,
3 casks Nutritious CONDIMENT for horses and cattle,
200 boxes TIN PLATES,
50 blocks Grain TIN,
50 pigs LEAD,
3 bars 1¼ COPPER,
2000 (2 bush.) GRAIN SACKS.

All of which can be sold at lowest current rates.

HORACE HASZARD,
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Ch'town, June 3, 1880—2w eod

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Cutting promptly executed. Good fits guaranteed.

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Ch'town, June 1, 1880.

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Charlottetown, June 3, 1880.

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Ch'town, May 22, 1880—2w

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ON HAND, fresh from the Mine, Round and Nut Coal, for sale cheap.

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Water Street.

May 10, 1880.