

Local and Other Items.

GEMINE Jordan Almonds at Watson's. The Monitor Acadien is now issued twice a week. The steamer from Picou is expected about 6.30. The cruiser Hualatte is watching fishermen at Shelburne. The Christmas Tree is the attraction of the Bazaar to-morrow. HAVANA CIGARS in fifties, \$3 a box, fine goods. This is a special cut. Reddin's Drug Store. Losses by fire in the United States and Canada for the eleven months of 1885, were \$105,000,000. THERE will be a meeting of the "Horribles" to-night. All who are going to take part are requested to attend. CALL and see the very fine and full line of China, Glass and assorted Crockery so very cheap at W. P. Colwill's. A NEW lot, good assortment of Walking Sticks will be sold low during the holiday season. Reddin's Drug Store. MR. VINNICOBE'S Orchestral Class will meet at half-past seven on Saturday, instead of on Thursday, owing to the Hospital Bazaar.

Ordered to-day at Watson's - Candied Peels, Rice Flour, Macaroni, Vermicelli, Currants, Raisins, pure ground Spices, English Confectionery. COULD I but boast of foreign name and birth, I'd sit this city on 'Intrinsic' worth. - MILLINER'S ASH SISTER. A. B. MACGOWAN, auctioneer, sells at the residence of the late Owen Curtis, Milton, on Thursday next, 16th inst., at 10 o'clock, a n. farm stock, implements, wheat, oats, etc. EDGEMORE had nearly 300 wars since the sixteenth century. Of these 44 were begun for the acquisition of territory, the same number for claims to crowns, and 55 were civil wars. THERE were nine deaths in Fredericton, N. B., last month. Three were from diphtheria, two from congestion of the lungs, and one each from peritonitis, heart disease, consumption and diarrhoea. MR. HUGH SUTHERLAND, president of the Halifax Bay Railway, will make another trip to England shortly. He expects that the forty-one miles of the road now graded will be raised by Christmas. SIR ALEXANDER CAMPBELL'S health has been completely restored, and it is expected he will be able at the opening of the season to again undertake the duties of leader of the Government in that body. We learn that the steamers Bonavista and Coban, of the Black Diamond Line, have again been chartered by the United States and Brazil Steamship Co., to run between New York and the Brazil during this winter. The annual entertainment under the auspices of the Pownall Methodist Church will be held in the hall of that place on December 27th. The Rev. Mr. Shenton will deliver one of his popular lectures. Music by the choir. The exercises will commence at 6.30 o'clock p. m. Admission, 25 cents. SAYS the Fredericton Capital: While the Most Rev. the Metropolitan was caressing a dog, on Tuesday last, the treacherous animal suddenly sprang up and bit his Lordship's face in two or three places. The wounds were immediately attended to and are not of a nature to cause alarm, as the venerable prelate's presence on the street proclaims to his anxious friends. The proprietors of the Allan Line steamers have issued a circular to the traders of the Maritime Provinces, asking for patronage to a series of direct sailings from Glasgow to Halifax. The Allan's propose to try this experiment during the coming winter, making trips at fixed intervals of a few weeks, "in the hope that sufficient cargo will be obtained to warrant its maintenance." The prospects of the Saskatchewan mine grow brighter each day, says the Times, of Medicine Hat. They are now working four heads, the smallest seam being five feet eight, and running as high as six feet of solid coal. The quality of the coal is improving. Large orders are received daily for this coal, and before the spring the output will no doubt be far above what was at first intended. WORD has reached St. John, N. B., that Mrs. Frank Hazen, a prominent lady of that city, who started for Florida last Sunday week for her health, was robbed of \$1,000 on the train between Boston and New York. There was \$200 in cash and \$800 in drafts. Her friends are striving to keep the matter quiet. There is no clue to the thieves and the lady has not stated in what manner she was robbed. We are in receipt of Wallace's Monthly for December. It is an illustrated periodical devoted to "domesticated animal nature" and issued at \$3 per annum. The information it gives respecting horses, particularly trotters, is very full and very interesting. One of our talented young Islanders abroad is associate editor of Wallace's Monthly, and the use interest of the Island will not, we may be sure, be neglected by it. Some quotations from Wallace's Monthly will be found in another column. The Fredericton, N. B. Capital, after some remarks upon the splendid work done by All Right's stock, says: "Several of our citizens own foals which already give indications of great speed. Mr. L. W. Johnson has recently bought another, and it is promised to be a fast horse. Sheriff Sterling has a bay mare, four years old, sired by All Right, and now in foal by Hernando, an Almonte stallion owned in Summerside, P. E. I. A foal bred from such a sire and dam will be gilt-edged.

The Girls' Kalevala, prepared by the Girls' Friends' Society, for the use of its own members and other girls and young women of the Church of England is now ready. The Kalevala consists of twelve pages, aid lines, and cartoons, etc., with a very tasteful cover. The text for each month illustrates different Articles of the Creed, and on each page after the first are selections spiritual and practical, bearing on the lives and difficulties of young women. From such examination as we have made we find it excellent, churchly in character and tone, and we commend it to the Clergy and workers of the Church for use among the young women and girls of the Church. The cost is only fifteen cents a copy at the Diamond Bookstore.

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A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

Annual Meeting of the Y. M. C. A.

THE General Annual Meeting of the members of the Charlottetown Young Men's Christian Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on the evening of MONDAY, the 20th day of December, instant, at eight o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing an Executive or Managing Committee for the ensuing year, and other officers, and the transaction of other necessary business in connection with the Association. J. D. SEAMAN, President. G. F. BEER, Secretary. Ch'town, Dec. 11, 1886 - 11 20th.

HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS.

SPECIAL BARGAINS! SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE. - OUR STOCK OF - Christmas Cards, New Year Cards, Children's Toys, Choice Confectionery, General Groceries, &c., is the best in the city, and should be seen before purchasing elsewhere. THE HOLIDAY CARDS are of the latest design and will be sold at prices so low as to place them within the reach of all. THE TOYS are a new lot, selected with special reference to the pleasure of the little ones, and no household should be without them. THE CONFECTIONERY is, beyond doubt, the best - as to quality and price - to be obtained in the city. THE GROCERIES are of all kinds and of excellent quality. An inspection of Goods and Prices solicited. MRS. B. CONNOLLY, COR. QUEEN & KING STREETS. Dec. 9 - 2aw

IT PAYS TO SELECT ONES Xmas Presents AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

Our show this year both of SILVER GOODS - AND - JEWELRY of all descriptions, is LARGE, WELL ASSORTED & CHEAPER, Quality considered, than ever before. Ladies', Youths' and Gents' WATCHES that will Keep Time, from \$6.00 to upwards of \$100.00. Cheapest Watches Not Kept in Stock. Anyone, by paying a small deposit on any article they may select, can have it laid aside for them till required. E. W. TAYLOR, CAMERON BLOCK. Dec. 4 - 2aw

GOOD PURE WHOLE SOME PARKER-HOUSE BAKING-POWDER. Dec. 8, 1886.

WE would inform the citizens of Charlottetown and Prince Edward Island generally, that our MR. SANTA CLAUS will be at the Diamond Bookstore, on and after Monday, 6th December, inst., having in his possession the latest, choicest and best value GIFTS and PRESENTS ever placed at his disposal. Come and see him early. The closing Lecture on Christmas Eve will remain open until midnight. Respectfully, CHRISTMAS, NEWYEAR & CO. Dec. 8, 1886.

Referring to the foregoing I would urge the necessity of an early visit to Mr. Claus, as the terrific crush, usual on Christmas Eve, prevents him paying his proverbial courtesy to visitors. The Christmas Cards, Fancy Goods, Toys, &c. of the present visit being so very numerous, we cannot particularize. It is absolutely imperative that you come and view the immense stock. THEO. L. CHAPPELLE, Diamond Bookstore. Ch'town, Dec. 8, 1886.

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