

Local and Other Items.

SMALL DEBT COURT.—Judgment was given in a number of cases this morning.

CIVIC.—There will be a special meeting of the City Council on Friday evening next.

PHILHARMONIC.—Last rehearsal of the Philharmonic Society previous to the concert, this evening at 8 o'clock.

BROOCH FOUND.—A brooch was picked up on Grafton Street yesterday afternoon, which can be obtained at the Police Station.

PHILHARMONIC.—It is desired that those who attend the Philharmonic concert to-morrow evening be in their places before eight o'clock.

GOOD DISPLAY.—The finest display of Silverware that has ever been shown in Charlottetown is displayed in E. W. Taylor's jewelry store.

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.—One thousand handsome silk handkerchiefs to choose from in China silk, cream, white and fancy colors at James Paton & Co's.

POLICE COURT.—Two drunks—Wm. McCarey and Charles Fleigher—appeared before His Honor this morning. McCarey was fined \$2 or 8 days and Fleigher \$3 or 14 days.

"COMPETENT" judges in this city, as well as other parts of Canada, pronounce the New-comer piano the finest made. Thirty-four have been recently purchased by our leading citizens.

XMAS BOXES.—A list of Xmas boxes for gentlemen, all to be found good and cheap at Paton & Co's. (Gents' Persian lamb caps, silk mufflers, beautiful scarfs, gloves and mitts, silk umbrellas, etc.)

Y. M. C. A.—The annual sale of periodicals on the tables of the Y. M. C. A. is advertised for next Friday evening. All subscribing members are privileged to attend the sale and become purchasers of choice reading matter at a small cost.

FOR THE LADIES.—A list of Xmas boxes for ladies: a handsome dress robe, a nice astrakhan jacket, dotman or fur-lined cloak, beaver cape, kid gloves, lined gloves, muffs, a carpet sweeper and many other useful presents at Paton & Co's.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—The Baptist congregation will hold service in their new schoolroom, Prince Street, for the first time on Sunday morning next at eleven o'clock. The congregation will continue to hold their meetings in the Schoolroom at the usual hours until such time as the new church is ready for occupation.

TOO THIN.—A man named Laird, at Battle Ground, Ind., a short time ago went to a neighbor's hog pen, killed a fat porker, dressed it up in men's clothes, putting a hat on its head, and then placed it on the seat beside him in his buggy. But the trick was detected, and he was arrested before he reached his own house.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.—The Stanley left for Picton this morning at seven o'clock, taking the mails. She will not return this evening.

The Princess of Wales left for Picton at three o'clock this morning, and will return this evening with the mails. She will leave again in the morning for Picton, taking the mails.

SOUSIS TREE.—The ladies of the Congregation de Notre Dame, of Sousis, will have their annual Christmas tree and entertainment in the Hall of their convent on the evenings of the 18th and 19th. What, with the sale of fancy articles, refreshments and ornamental needlework, accompanied by choice music from the local brass band, an exceptionally joyful time may be expected. As Christmas comes but once a year, we hope to see this Christmas tree well patronized.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Francis Gallant, son of Paul Gallant, of New Acadia, met with quite a serious accident while at work on Monday last. He and his brother were engaged in "whip-sawing" about a mile and a half from home, where they had constructed a saw-pit for that purpose. Francis, who was top-sawyer, started to go from one end of the log, which they had been sawing, to the other, when frame, log and all gave way, throwing him suddenly to the ground, breaking his left leg a few inches below the knee, and inflicting other bodily injuries. He was knocked senseless, but soon recovered consciousness, after which he was carried home by the neighbors, and Dr. Muttart sent for, who attended to him.

St. James' Hall.

A FAIRLY large audience was present last evening to hear the Rev. Mr. Caruthers on "The Florentine Arithmetician." The lecture was the most interesting we have listened to in this city for some time. Of all Shakespeare's plays, the beauties of Othello impress themselves most upon the listener, and one could not fail to obtain a true conception of the principal characters when so materially aided by the critical presentation of the Rev. gentleman. He read well. His description of the credulous and obdurate Othello was good, and one could not but hate and despise the character of Iago, as he depicted the cool malignity and the silent but gradual progress which he made in securing the Moor's conviction. The circumstances which he employed to influence Othello were so "artfully natural that though it will, perhaps, not be said of him as he says of himself, that he is a man not easily jealous, yet we cannot but pity him, when at last we find him perplexed in the extreme." How he had ruined the brave and honest Cassio by an insidious invitation which led to the loss of Cassio's position as lieutenant to Othello, and what was dearer to him his reputation. We could not fail to admire the soft simplicity of Desdemona—wife to Othello—who, conscious of her own innocence, was slow to suspect that she could be suspected, all the while the subtle Iago was plotting the destruction of herself and her husband. Emilia, wife of Iago, possessed virtues such as we often find, "worn loosely, but not cast off, easy to commit small crimes, but quickened and alarmed at atrocious villainies." It is, indeed, true "that no eloquence is capable of painting the overwhelming catastrophe in Othello,—the pressure of feeling which measure out in a moment the abysses of eternity," notwithstanding the pleasing word-painting and attractive rendering by the popular lecturer of last evening.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

IRISH AFFAIRS.

PARNELL'S LATEST SPEECH.

LONDON, Dec. 17.

Parnell addressed a large meeting this afternoon. He declared that there never had been a movement of such magnitude in a country so comparatively free from crime, as the land league movement. The object of the Home Rule movement, he said, was to regenerate Ireland, especially with regard to her industrial condition, and manufactures might be developed to an extent to take the strain off the land and enable the people to look to other means than farming for a living. The idea is not tenable that Ireland could be governed by England's promoting of her industries. Irishmen must promote Irish industries by building harbors, clearing out the channels of rivers and reclaiming waste land, not at the expense of the English Exchequer, but of the Irish Exchequer; or best of all, the efforts of local and individual enterprise with private capital. Balfour's plan of making railways through the impoverished districts was a vain expenditure of money. Home Rule aimed at national regeneration. This implied regeneration of the industries and the industrial and commercial spirit of the people. If Home Rule were granted it would not discourage the rich people of England from promoting industrial development, but money would be judiciously and advantageously employed, instead of wasted, as now, to maintain in power a government of fraud and trickery. An expenditure of that sort would enable Ireland to get and keep her head above water, and so exert and develop the qualities of her people, and she would no longer be an exhibition for the wonder and scorn of the nations of the world. (Cheers.) Briefly referring to the Parnell Commission, the speaker said he believed that the judges' report would not discredit the national movement. Parnell devoted the speech he made to-night to the tenants' league. He said this is by far the greatest and most powerful peaceable movement ever organized in Ireland or any other country. Although Ireland was tranquil she was not appeased. She did not submit. On the contrary, the people disliked the Government tenfold more intensely for the experience of three years of coercion. The country, though it did not yield, was tranquil because of the faith it had in the assurances of Gladstone that a triumphant liberal party would soon give it legitimate freedom. Parnell would not say it would be impossible to govern Ireland by coercion, but Balfour's mixture of coercion and constitutionalism would never succeed. If the Government had nothing to be ashamed of in connection with the Times it doubtless would gratify curiosity by making known the truth about that matter. The country wants to know how far the Government has gone in a course so mean and thoroughly contrary to English spirit to attack men from a bush and by the use of such disreputable instruments. The Parnell Commission, instead of trying the personal indictment, tried the Irish Nation and the movement of the Irish party. Parnell declared that all talk about the Protestant minority being animated by a spirit of hostility to an Irish parliament and opposing it and of Catholics opposing Protestants is fallacious. He further declared that the modified Home Rule, as proposed by Gladstone, was preferable to Grattan's scheme, which contained several elements of friction.

New Extradition Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.

President Harrison to-day transmitted to the Senate an extradition treaty with England, negotiated by Secretary Blaine and Sir Julian Pauncefote. By its terms the number of extraditable offences is largely increased, the most important being embezzlement. If the treaty is ratified Canada and the United States will cease to exchange a class of undesirable residents which hitherto secured immunity from punishment.

Schooner Seized

GLoucester, Mass., Dec. 17.

The British schooner Mary, which arrived yesterday from Cape Broyle, Newfoundland, with a cargo of fish, after entering at the customs commenced to discharge without a permit. She was seized by Collector Presson. The penalty is \$1,000. A statement of the case has been forwarded to Washington.

The McDonald Case.

St. John's, Dec. 17.

The evidence in the McDonald trial to-day was important, but not new. Detective Ring told of his search for the missing comb and of his finding them in Baker's establishment. The handwriting expert will be put on the stand to-morrow and his testimony is awaited with much interest.

Accepted Portuguese Sovereignty.

ZANZIBAR, Dec. 17.

Mponda, chief of the natives in the Sliere River district, has accepted Portuguese sovereignty. Advices from the interior state that King Mwenga was driven from Uganda some time ago by a revolt headed by disaffected chiefs, but he succeeded in re-conquering his kingdom.

Death of a Clergyman

TORONTO, Dec. 17.

Rev. John A. Williams, D. D., General Superintendent of the Methodist Church of Canada, died at an early hour this morning after a long illness. Had he lived three days more he would have been 73 years old. He was appointed General Superintendent in 1884.

Another Plot Discovered.

BERLIN, Dec. 17.

The Weser Zeitung, of Bremen, says that another plot against the Czar has been discovered, and a number of military officers of St. Petersburg have been arrested, charged with being concerned in it.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

Having rented a portion of the Store at present occupied by the Tryon Woolen Co., Cameron Block, on South Side of Queen Square, for the month of December, a large and varied assortment of Holiday Goods will be offered for sale on and after TUESDAY NEXT, the 3rd inst., consisting of Papier Machie Goods, Fire Brasses and Fenders, Curtain Chains, Oxydized Goods, Dressing and Stationery Cases, Desks, Albums, Blotters, Fancy Flower and Work Baskets, Ladies' Jewel and Dressing Cases, Vases, Fairy Lamps, Inkstands, Letter Balances, Puzzles, Magic Lanterns, China Tea Sets, Surprise Boxes, Photograph Screens, Candle Roses, Dish Papers, Bon-Bons, Musical Boxes, Dolls and Toys in great variety, all purchased for cash from the best houses in England. A Grand Chance for intending purchasers to secure Bargains.

December 3, 1889.

DIED.

At Charlottetown, on the 17th inst., Richard Huddy, a native of Devonshire, England, aged 61 years.

SHIP NEWS.

Halifax, Dec. 16.—Arrived schooners Daniel Roberts, Charlottetown; John M. Inglis, Wolfe, Cardigan, for LaHave.

Guysboro, Dec. 14.—Arrived schooner Lillian, Sangster, Souris.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Dec. 18.—10 a. m. Winds mostly easterly, fair weather, stationary or higher temperature.

Underwear and gents furnishings at away down prices at John McLeod & Co's.

See our \$7 and \$10 reefers made to order at John McLeod & Co's.

Remember the auction sale of books in McEachen's store to-night at 7.30. A special sale will be held to-morrow evening at 2.30.—G. M. Harris, Auctioneer.

PERFUMES!

—AT—

W. R. WATSON'S,

Suitable for Christmas Presents.

ORANGE BLOSSOM, CHERRY BLOSSOM, PRESSE and LUBIN'S OPOPONAX, GREENSILL'S MONA BOUQUET, BAYLEY'S ESS BOUQUET, HALL'S WOOD VIOLETS, BIGGLESTON'S HELLTROPE, HOYT'S COLOGNE (50c. and \$1), RICKSECKER'S COLOGNE, in Baskets and Bisque Jars.

ALSO—A large assortment of Perfume, by following makers:—Gosnell, Rimella, Lautier, Colgate, Savar, Gelle Freres, Lubin and Ricksecker. dec13

TEA AND FANCY SALE.

THE "GIRLS' BAND" intend holding a Tea and Fancy Sale in Zion Church Basement on FRIDAY, December 20th. Doors open at 2 p. m. Admission, 10 cents. Tea and admission 25 cents.

ANNA FRASER, Secretary.

Dec16 tl dtc.

\$1,000 Forfeit!

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Diamond Bookstore

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Superior Quality and Better Value

—THAN ANY OF THE—

SPASMODIC IMPORTATIONS.

THE BAZAR

overhead will open for the Season on MONDAY MORNING NEXT, 9th instant, and will be

The Attraction of the City.

See our Immense Stock of

XMAS CARDS.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE,

Diamond Bookstore.

Ch'town, Dec. 3, 1889—ed

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. No washing. Highest wages. Apply to Mrs. GEORGE E. HIGGINS, Upper Prince Street. dec17-47 lf

SLEIGH FOR SALE.—For sale, a Jaunting Sleigh, almost new. Apply to FRANCIS WONGERAS, Malpeque Road, near old Brewery. dec17-31 oaw pd

COW FOR SALE.—Jersey and Ayrshire cross. First-class milk. Enquire at this office. dec17

LOST.—On Saturday evening, a black leather purse. Finder will please leave it at this office and oblige owner. 21 dec17

EXPERIENCED SALESLADY WANTED at the "Xmas Bazaar," Queen Street. Apply Monday morning, with references. dec17

FOR SALE.—A good Cow; three, Jersey and Alderney. Very rich milk. Apply at this office. dec17 if ad w y

LOST.—Between Rochford Square and Upper Prince Street School, a Watch seal with gold setting. Finder will be rewarded, on leaving it at The Exam. office. dec17

Greatest Sale of the Season

Xmas Bazaar. Xmas Bazaar. Xmas Bazaar.

(NORTON BROS. OLD STAND),

QUEEN STREET.

PLUSH GOODS, GREAT VARIETY.

Whisk Holders.

Banjo, Harp, Boot and other designs. For mer price, \$2.00; our price, \$1.00.

DRESSING CASES.

LADIES' CASES, from \$2.00 GENTS' CASES, from 1.50 Jewel Cases, Odor Cases, and a large quantity of odd lot Plush Goods at destructive prices.

Plate Glass Mirrors.

USUAL PRICE \$2.50 OUR PRICE 1.50 Assortment of Mirrors in Plush; Triplicate Mirrors in Bronze, Nickel and Wood, at less than cost.

CUP and COLLAR BOXES; Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, 40c. to 60c.; Photo Frames; Wall Pockets, \$1.00, worth \$2.00; Brackets, Pictures, Ornaments, etc.

FACTS AND FIGURES! "The truth will out," and the sooner the better for all concerned. This is the truth—that our goods are the cheapest in P. E. Island.

12 OIL PAINTINGS AT \$2.00.

Fancy Crockery, Beautiful Vases, Baskets, Biscuit Jars, Rose Jars, etc., at half usual price.

GIFT CUPS and SAUCERS—good assortment—from 10 cents.

PARLOR LAMPS—Five beautiful Lamps, worth \$10.00, for \$7.00.

Small assortments of BRONZE GOODS at less than cost.

ACCORDEONS from \$150 to \$5.00.

The truth is abroad, and the people are finding a place to buy goods. Saturday was a heavy day with us, and we must expect to be rushed from now till Xmas. No one need come and go away without goods, as every effort will be made to wait promptly on all who call.

XMAS BAZAAR CO.

Charlottetown, Dec. 16, 1889—mon tues fri mon

Cheap Holiday Goods!

PERKINS & STERNS.

WE HAVE A LARGE VARIETY OF FANCY GOODS, such as Plush Goods, Bronze Goods, Vases, Baskets, Fancy Lamps, Photograph Albums and Frames, India Rubber Toys, Dolls, Dressing Cases, and numerous other articles suitable for the Christmas Trade. To make the price away down below all competitors, we are now selling these goods at

25 PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

You will find this the CHEAPEST LOT OF FANCY GOODS in the City.

Our Millinery, Colored and Fancy Dress Goods, Cloth Jackets and Ulsters, Fur-Lined Cloaks and Black Astrakan Jackets at a Big Discount.

A LARGE VARIETY OF DRESS GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, AT OUR USUAL LOW PRICES.

We do as we advertise. Save your dollars by trading with us.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, December 6, 1889—ed

We Run.

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COMPETITION!

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WE RUN AWAY FROM COMPETITION.

It's a well-known fact that we run away from every competitor in every contest in OVERCOATS, REEFERS and SUITS. Competitors come along puffing behind, but never catch us. We are always before them in every line, but in quantity and quality we are away ahead of everyone. No firm dares or dreams of giving so much for a dollar as we do. It's an assured fact that we are the Cheapest. Everyone don't test quality. Few can tell the difference in quality, but everyone knows the difference in One Dollar and One Dollar and Thirty Cents. That's the difference in our prices, and competitors. We advise every honest, hard-working man to patronize the WONDERFUL CHEAP MEN, as they can get more clothing there for \$5 than they can in any other Store in Charlottetown for \$6. We guarantee every Garment as represented. PROWSE BROS., 144 Queen Street.

Charlottetown, Nov. 27, 1889—ed wky