

**Local and Other Items.**

No mails for this Province to-day.

Four men were drowned at Caseyville, Ky., Thursday, by the upsetting of a skiff.

We learn, on going to press, that Donald Currie, Esq., Collector of Customs, died at 4.15 this evening.

The annual meeting of the St. Lawrence Marine Insurance Co. takes place to-morrow. See advertisement.

The Progress reports the arrival of a flock of robins in Summerside. This betokens an early Spring.

REMEMBER the Concert by the Philharmonic Society in Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening, at 8 o'clock.

PAROLE, the American horse, now in England, is being heavily backed at 16 to 21, for the race in April.

A FIRE at Bar Mills, Me., Thursday, destroyed a grist mill, a box mill and a covered bridge. Loss \$60,000.

THE boys McDonald and White, arrested yesterday for vagrancy, were remanded to jail eight days.

HON. J. C. POPE, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, was taken suddenly ill on Friday last; but a despatch from the capital to-day reports that he has completely recovered.

THE Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Merchants' Marine Insurance Company takes place to-morrow at 3 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, as advertised in another column.

LOBSTER FISHING will be carried on with increased activity the coming summer. A firm at Mount Stewart already advertises and offers special inducements to good lobster-fishermen.

SPAIN is to hold Cuba this year with 38,000 soldiers. It will cost a pretty penny to maintain them in that Island. Cuba has, in the main, been a profitable possession for Spain, but the margin for profit hereafter seems likely to be narrow.

THE Times Paris correspondent reports that Prince Bismarck has had a long conversation with Premier DeFreycinet, in which he laid stress upon the pacific character of his new appointment. He will stay in Paris until the beginning of April.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH ASSOCIATION.—The debate adjourned on account of last Friday's storm, will be held in the School Room, on next Friday evening, March 12th. Opener: the Ven. Archdeacon Read.

A MAN KILLED FOR ASKING AN EGG FOR HIS BREAKFAST.—A Denver despatch says: At Las Vegas on Thursday, a policeman shot a rough named Killier dead in a saloon during a fight, and a waiter named Allen shot a commercial traveller named Moorehead dead because the latter wanted eggs for his breakfast.

AT the Annual Meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association, held in Ottawa on the 3rd, Senator Haythorne was appointed Vice-President of the Association for this Province; and Major Dogherty, Charlottetown; Capt. F. Langworth, do.; Capt. Brecken, M. P., do.; and Hon. Mr. Howlan, do., were appointed members of the Council for P. E. Island.

The following donations are thankfully acknowledged by the Women's Temperance Union and Benevolent Society:—Caledonia Club, \$5; Mrs. Judge Peters, \$5; Mrs. Hensley, \$2; Chief Justice Palmer, \$3; Mrs. Higgs, vegetables; Mrs. Baldwin, clothing. Further donations earnestly solicited and will be received by Mrs. Kennedy, Confectionery, Queen Street.—MRS. McRAE, Sec'y Benevolent Society.

The Patriot, with characteristic unfairness, puts the blame of the Usher of the Black Rod's blunders, at the opening of the Session, upon "Mr. Sullivan and his colleagues." The truth is that all previous Ushers knew their duties to Her Majesty's representative without receiving instructions from Government. The Usher of the Black Rod is the servant of the Legislative Council for the time being, and not of the Executive. How then can his blunders or ignorance of his duties be attributed to the Executive?

LIVE STOCK AND FRESH MEAT SHIPMENTS.—During the past week there has been an active export movement in live stock and fresh meats from New York and Boston. Among the consignments from New York we notice: Adriatic, for Liverpool, 60 tons fresh meat; Anchoria, for Glasgow, 50 bullocks, 2,200 quarters fresh beef and 600 carcasses sheep; Spain, for Liverpool, 149 head cattle; Rheola, for Cardiff, 100 head cattle; Ontario, for Hull, 70 head cattle; Utopia, for London, 90 mules and 100 head cattle; City of New York, 300 tons fresh meat.

A large number of colored people in Ohio, claiming to be descendants of the slaves of Samuel Guist, of England, who settled in Virginia, are organizing to prosecute a claim for a large estate said to have been devised to them. Guist settled in Virginia and bequeathed freedom and a portion of his estate to each slave. The latter were brought to Ohio in ignorance of the will, and the descendants only lately learned of it. A large portion of the estate remains in England, while the lands are in Hanover and Amherst Counties, Virginia, and include the "Dismal Swamp."

For some time past the Italian Government has been engaged in erecting a circle of fortifications around Rome. The work was commenced in 1877 by the simultaneous construction of seven forts at as many different points. The effect of this chain of forts being to make it almost impossible for an invading foe to attack the capital. Six of them rise on the hills in front of the ancient Roman walls and the seventh is close to the Appian Road. This last, which is approaching completion, is said to be highly creditable to Italian defensive architecture. It contains good accommodation, with the exquisite shelter for a garrison, and the covered and bomb-proof passages are well ventilated and communicate with each other. It includes an ornament of 24 guns of the largest size, which dominate the surrounding district and the Naples railway.

**NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.**

**IRISH IMMIGRATION!**

**AFGHAN AFFAIRS!**

**Parnell's Return.**

**DOMINION PARLIAMENT**

Special Dispatch to the Examiner.

NEW YORK, March 8. A Dublin letter says there will probably be a large immigration to America, and Mr. Foster, who offered to assist young men to immigrate to the extent of \$75,000, has received letters asking assistance for over 2,000.

CABUL, March 8. The situation is materially unchanged. There is no sign of Mahomed Jan yielding. Abdul Rohman Khan is probably still at Samarcand.

CALCUTTA, March 8. A unconfirmed report has reached here that the Burmese have made a raid on Manipore, and killed forty-five natives.

LONDON, March 8. A correspondent of the "Times" says it is abundantly evident that the resumption of hostilities in Afghanistan cannot be much longer delayed. The lessons learned from Shirpur are not to be disregarded, and we may reasonably expect that resistance will quickly collapse.

PARIS, March 8. It is announced that Prince Orloff intends to quit Paris in April on getting leave of absence. It is believed to be in consequence of the Hartman affair, as Orloff confidently expected to obtain his extradition.

The warehouses of the Messageries National and great carrying Company were burned. The merchandise, estimated in value at two millions, was destroyed. Insured.

LONDON, March 8. The news from Vienna of the betrothal of the Archduke Rudolph of Austria to the Princess Stephanie Clothilde of Belgium is official. The Times says that it is stated that on the return of Parnell a monster meeting in favor of his scheme for the peasant proprietary will be resumed by a series of County Demonstrations in all parts of Ireland.

OTTAWA, March 8. After the usual route of proceedings Sir Samuel Tilley laid upon the table correspondence between the Government and the merchants of P. E. Island respecting the Fishery Award.

The Governor-General by message recommended the estimates to the House of Commons.

Among the new bills introduced was one to make provision for the winding up of insolvent incorporated banks and other companies.

Sir John said, in answer to questions, that it was under the consideration of the Government to subsidize a line of steamers from St. John to Panama, touching at the West Indies; that it was not the intention of the Government to introduce a measure this session to enable it to issue life insurance policies.

Bunster moved a resolution declaring that the contracts for carrying mails between Victoria and San Francisco should be awarded to Canadian or British vessels.

In the committee on Railways and Telegraphs, this morning, the Bell Telephone Company sought, by their bill, to obtain power to enter any city, and to place their poles where they pleased, without regard to City Councils.

Messrs. Richey and Domville fought hard for the right of the city councils to decide whether the Company should have the power. They succeeded in securing some changes, but the committee refused to leave to city councils to decide whether the Company could or should not enter the city and put up its poles.

Snowball has moved for returns showing rates charged on freight from all principal points from Chicago and eastward, to all points in the Maritime Provinces.

**Financial.**

The following are the selling rates for Exchange at the Banks here:—  
London—sight..... 104 per cent. prem.  
" 60 days..... 92 per cent. "  
New York—cheque..... 1 per cent. "  
Boston—cheque..... 1 per cent. "  
Montreal, Toronto, etc... 1 per cent. "  
Halifax..... 1 per cent. "  
St. John, N. B..... 1 per cent. "  
St. John's, Nfld..... 2 per cent. "

**A CARD.**

MRS. STAMPER would take this opportunity to express her sincere thanks to the Fire Department, and citizens generally, who so promptly attended at the fire which took place on Saturday evening last, in the premises occupied by Wm. Larter, and saved her residence from destruction by fire; also to the many friends who labored so heroically and assisted in making preparations to remove her furniture if required.  
Charlottetown, March 9, 1880.

**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."

**Special Notices.**

CHEESE only 16 cents. Dried Apples only 8 cents. Waddell's Canned Lobsters and Mackerel at the Family Grocery. R. K. BRACE.—[March 4, 6i]

BOSTON MIXED PICKLES, in bulk, 20 cents per quart, at Hall's Fish Market.

CAPE COD CRANBERRIES, and Baldwin Apples, at Hall's Fish Market.

CLARK'S DIAMOND DUST POLISH.—Unrivalled for cleaning Gold, Silver and Nickel ware. Enquire for it.

**LONDON HOUSE.**

**HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.**

CARPETS, in Brussels, Tapestry and Scotch, one of the largest Stocks in the City to select from.

Linen Table Damasks, Cream Table Damasks.

Full lines in Grey and White Cottons, Croydon Sheetings, Linen Sheetings, Table Napkins and D'Oyleys.

A Fine Lot of Black and Colored Lustres and Persian Cords, Black French Merinos and Cashmeres, Courtald's, Grapes, &c.

**REMNANTS! REMNANTS!**

A lot of Dress Goods and other Remnants at a low Price to clear.

A Part of Our Spring Stock of TWEEDS just arrived by "Northern Light."

**TERMS CASH!**

**G. DAVIES & CO.**

Charlottetown, March 4, 1880.

**CAUTION.**

THE public are hereby cautioned not to pay to any person except the undersigned, debts due to the firm of McKinnon, Fraser & Co.

WILLIAM JOHN FRASER.

Feb. 19, 1880.

**TEA.**

170 CHESTS, } Strong and Exeal-  
55 half-chests, } lent flavor.  
CARVELL BROS.

**Sole Leather.**

700 SIDES LOGAN'S BEST,  
50 Sides " No. 2.  
CARVELL BROS.

**APPLES.**

100 BARRELS BALDWIN'S & RUSSETTS.  
CARVELL BROS.

**Molasses.**

65 PUNS, } Bright Molasses.  
20 Bbls. }  
CARVELL BROS.

**SUPERIOR EXTRA!**

STRONG BAKERS' FLOUR.  
SPRING EXTRA

A Choice Lot Cheap for Cash,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

**B. BALDERSTON.**

Queen Street, March 3, '80—4w 2aw



LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY. ANALYTICAL SANITARY INSTITUTION, 54, Holborn-viaduct, E. C., London, Aug. 18, 1879. REPORT ON THE LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY:

"We have visited the bottling stores of Messrs. Greenlees Brothers, and have selected from the vats, samples of their Lorne Highland Whisky, and have subjected them to careful examination and analysis. The samples were very fragrant, mellow, and of pleasant flavor, and possessed all the characteristics of pure and well-matured Scotch Whisky of the first quality."  
"ARTHUR HILL, HASSALL, M. D."  
"OTTO HEHNER, F. C. S., F. I. C."

Wholesale of the Sole Proprietors, GREENLEES BROTHERS, 31 Commercial Street, London; Distilleries, Argyleshire.

Agents: MESSRS. OWEN CONNOLLY & CO., Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Feb. 24, 1880

**Kerosene Oil.**

25 CASKS STILL ON HAND.  
CARVELL BROS.  
March 2, 1880—3i pat 2i

**Coal. Coal.**

ON HAND, and SELLING CHEAP, by F. S HANFORD, 43 Water Street, March 2, '80—3i

**THE FIRM OF**

**W. & A. BROWN**

BEING ABOUT TO MAKE A

Change in their Business and Firm,

Take this opportunity of informing the public that all accounts due them by

Note, Book Account, or Otherwise,

WILL REQUIRE TO BE PAID ON OR

Before the 1st day of March next, Ensuing,

and all unsettled claims at that date will have to be handed over for collection.

Persons having claims against the firm are requested to furnish the same before that date for adjustment and payment. They will also close out balance of stock during said time at a large discount.

**W. & A. BROWN.**

Charlottetown, January 8, 1880.

ESTABLISHED 1825.

**CANADA CORDAGE FACTORY.**

JOHN A. CONVERSE, MONTREAL.

MANUFACTURER OF CORDAGE of Every Description, including all sizes Manilla Rope, Tarrad Manilla Hawser, Lobster Marlin, Tarrad Hemp Rope, House-line, Hambroline, &c., &c., equal in quality to the best American. Prices on application. Jan. 7, 1879.

**Meeting of Parliament.**

ST. JAMES' KIRK

**BAZAAR!**

THE Ladies in connection with St. James' Kirk will hold a Bazaar for the

Sale of Fancy and Useful Articles,

—ALSO—

A Tea and Refreshment Table,

On the 31st March Next,

—IN THE—  
**MARKET HALL.**

The proceeds to be applied to the liquidation of the debt on the Church edifice.

Doors open at 2 o'clock, p. m. Admission—Adults, 20 cents; children, half-price. Tickets to be had at the Drug Stores of W. R. Watson, Dr. Dodd, C. D. Rankin, and at the door.

PRESIDENT—Mrs. McLennan. COMMITTEE—Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Longworth, Mrs. A. Kennedy, Mrs. Stirling, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. A. Murray, Mrs. Cavanagh, Mrs. Rankin, Mrs. P. W. Hyndman, Miss Mackieson, Miss Owen, Mrs. Malcolm McLeod.

T. A. STEWART, Secretary.

Feb. 19, 1880.

**GOLDEN SYRUP.**

Very Choice.

8 CTS. PER POUND,

—AT—

**BEER & GOFF'S.**

Jan. 13, 1880.

BUY the DAILY EXAMINER for the latest news—local and telegraphic.

**COOKED CORNED BEEF**

Most Economical for Family Use, being More than Twice its Weight of Uncooked Meat.

Sold by the lb. and in Tins,

**BEER & GOFF'S.**

Jan. 13, 1880.

**Labrador Herring.**

CHOICE CATCH OF 1879.

Smoked Salmon, Salt Trout, Herring, " Shad, Halibut, " Mackerel. At HALL'S FISH MARKET. Feb. 18, 1880—tf

**THE 'BUDA' FLOUR,**

AND OTHER Choice Brands,

FOR SALE AT **BEER & GOFF'S.**

Jan. 12, 1880.

**New Spring Tweeds**

JUST RECEIVED,

A CHOICE SELECTION, AT

**J. B. MACDONALD'S.**

Queen Street, February 23, 1880—2w 3iaw