

**Local and Other Items.**

No CROSSING at the Capes to-day.  
 SHAWLS at 40 per cent. discount at Young's.  
 THE Nova Scotia Legislature meets on the 20th inst.  
 DELICIOUS Cream Dates and fresh Coconut Cakes, at "The Confectionery."  
 THE German Reichstag meets on the 27th of February.  
 RUMORS are current of the death of Mahomed Jan.  
 The "Northern Light" left Georgetown for Pictou at 7.30 this morning.  
 ANOTHER LINE of steamers to run between Bristol and the United States is talked of.  
 THE petroleum springs in Hanover are yielding large quantities of oil daily, and fresh discoveries continue.  
 REAL Ermine Muffs at six dollars each, a great bargain, at Young's.  
 MEDICAL opinion confirms the insanity of Gonzales, who attempted to shoot King Alfonso.  
 THE Quintette Club concert takes place this evening at the Y. M. C. A. Hall. Get your tickets early. Doors open at 7 1/2 o'clock.  
 LORD SALISBURY is improving in health, and will be able to resume his official duties in a few days.  
 LUNCHES served day and evening, at any hour, at "The Confectionery" Coffee Rooms.  
 TICKETS for Quintette Club Concert this (Monday) evening, to be had at Dr. Dodd's, W. R. Watson's, Apothecaries Hall and Bremner Bros.  
 YOUNG is clearing out the balance of his stock of Furs at cost.  
 We would advise all who wish to have a good time to attend the Quintette Club concert this evening. The very best talent has been secured, and the Club deserves a bumper house. Tickets only 25.  
 MASONIC.—The regular meeting of King Solomon Lodge, No. 9, A. F. & A. M., will be held at the Masonic Hall this (Monday) evening, at 8 o'clock. Members of other lodges and transient brethren cordially invited.  
 UNIQUE PROPOSITION.—The Fredericton Star makes the following unique proposition to a certain class of its readers:—"Suppose some of those people who have been reading the Star for the last two years without paying for it, were to bring us a load of wood?"  
 LORD GROSVENOR talks of returning to Canada next winter, with a party of friends and Lord Dufferin. In a recent letter he says persuaded several of his acquaintances to try salmon fishing next fall in the Restigouche country, and moose hunting on the Ottawa or at Lake St. John.  
 THE New York police are being vaccinated, and the papers say there is no use in it, "because they never catch anything." This cannot be thrown at the Charlottetown Police, because they caught a young man who committed an assault on the 31st ult., and the magistrate fined the same young man \$2 and casts.  
 A MOST remarkable fusion, so far as the Hebrew race is concerned, in connection with Palestine, is now the subject of conversation in London, and is considered by many theologians of repute as bordering on the fulfilment of the prophecy as laid down in Holy Writ. It is to the effect that the Ottoman empire is about to cede a portion of the Holy Land to some of the more wealthy Jews in Europe, in consideration of a large sum of money.  
 GOLDEN DUCKS.—Mr. John Davis, New England Settlement, Stewiacke, N. S., recently killed a number of ducks, and, on dressing them, found in the crop of one fifteen particles of gold, which were valued in Halifax at one dollar. A neighbor had a similar experience in the same line. The feeding ground of the ducks had been in a small stream, the rocky bed and sides of which had more than once been suspected of containing the precious metal.  
 BISHOP DOANE exhorted the clergy at a Diocesan Convention of Protestant Episcopalians at Troy recently against early marriages. He contended that they impair the clergyman's usefulness by distracting his attention during a period when concentration of mind upon the details of his religious charge is most needful. And he condemned them because they encourage an ambition for stations which neither his experience nor capacity qualify him to fill, in order to acquire better emoluments for family support. The Bishop's sentiments are variously commented upon in United States journals. The arguments he employed are considered new, in at least Protestant circles, and seem to be largely lacking in popularity.  
 THE MITCHELL-BOWERS CASE.—The attention of the Supreme Court was called to-day to a report in the EXAMINER on Saturday, in the case of Mitchell vs. Bowers. The defendant's counsel complained that the statement of the case, as given by the EXAMINER, was one-sided and unfair. We do not think it was so, but if the facts were not fully stated any omission was unintended. It took Mitchell's counsel nearly half an hour to state the pleadings to the Judge, and we reported the plea as fully as we understood them. The defendant's counsel stated that the EXAMINER was "bitterly hostile" to him. We are certainly politically opposed to Mr. Bowers, but so far as the case of Mitchell vs. Bowers is concerned, we are perfectly indifferent. We are absolutely without feeling one way or the other. We trust that whoever is entitled to judgment will recover judgment, and we should be sorry if anything we have said should be deemed an interference with the administration of justice or prejudice Mr. Bowers in any way. If Mr. Bowers will comply with our request, and furnish us with the statement of his defence, which we should have stated before, we should be most happy to publish it.

**JANUARY!  
1880.**

First Arrival this Year.

We have just received, ex Str. "Northern Light," several cases of

**NEW GOODS**

- New Black Silk Velvets,
- New Colored Silk Velvets,
- New Colored Satins,
- New Black Satins,
- New Black Velveteens

Frillings, Edgings and Laces.

**NEW LACE CURTAINS.**

Berlin Wool and Yarns,  
Wool Damasks, Fringes  
and Curtain Holders.

**SPECIAL.**

The remainder of our

- Fur Goods,
- Ladies' Cloth Jackets,
- Ladies' Ulsters,
- Knitted Wool Goods,
- and Blankets,

—WILL BE SOLD AT A—

**BIG DISCOUNT,**

In order to clear them out before the season is over.

Cash customers in want of any of the above Goods will save money by giving us a call.

**Perkins & Sterns.**

January 5, 1880.

**NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.**

**Opening of Parliament.  
OPPOSITION TO THE QUEEN'S SPEECH!**

Special dispatch to Examiner.

New York, Feb. 1.

Cable specials from London say that the Queen's Speech is expected to recommend several important measures. A proposal to abolish primogeniture and facilitate the sale of lands, with a bill to permit life tenants to dispose of their interest, will undoubtedly be brought forward, relying on the peers to reject the bills. Relief measures are to be promised to Ireland. The criminal code will receive a prominent place in the ministerial programme. An announcement is expected that the British forces will retire from Afghanistan, after crushing military resistance, and recognizing some native ruler—but returning a sufficient frontier.

The Irish members proclaim their intention to oppose an address in reply to the Queen's Speech. The Ministry hopes to counteract this by sympathetic declarations regarding the Irish distress, accompanied by promises of substantial relief.

Minister Lowell is expected in London in a fortnight when he will have an audience with the Queen at Osborne. He will then return to Madrid and fetch his wife, whose health, after eight months severe illness, is daily mending. She will probably be unable to leave the London climate. Mr. Lowell intends to find a suitable seaside place for her, perhaps the Isle of Wight.

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.

The Government offer \$200 reward for the apprehension and conviction of the persons who murdered Mounted Policeman Grayburn.

The prohibition of the importation of potatoes from Canada and the United States into Holland has been removed.

At Billings' Bridge, a few miles from Ottawa, on Wednesday night, a man and wife named Sabourin had a drunken quarrel. The man struck the woman, and she, seizing an axe, knocked him down; he died shortly after from the effects of the blow. The woman was arrested on a charge of murder.

**Supreme Court.**

FEBRUARY 2.

William H. Mitchell vs. Patrick R. Bowers. After the little breeze in reference to the EXAMINER was over this morning, Mr. John Lawson of the Patriot, Mr. Joseph W. Mitchell of the EXAMINER, and Mr. James Byrne, C. C., were examined on behalf of the plaintiff. The case is slowly dragging its weary length along, and there is every prospect of a long and tedious trial.

A savage custom, unknown at the Polytechnic, but practised at St. Cyr and some other public schools in France, has led to a shocking death at the Ecole des Arts et Metiers of Angers, and has demoralized the whole school. An obnoxious student, and sometimes for mere fun a freshman, is condemned to an unlimited hustling and kicking. Four lads, sentenced by their comrades to this rough treatment, were shut up in a dark room. Two escaped, and their comrades, exasperated, wreaked vengeance on the two remaining. One named Guyot is dead, and the other is in hospital. It has been attempted to explain that Guyot met his death by being accidentally jammed between two tables, but his whole body was found covered with contusions from blows and kicks. On its being announced that eleven of the ringleaders were expelled, the pupils revolted, showing no remorse for their misdeeds and their fatal consequences. One hundred soldiers and twenty gendarmes were sent for to restore order. Twelve students were arrested, and will be tried at the Angers Assizes.

My wife suffered with prolapsus uteri, fluo albus, complicated with other female troubles. Her life was miserable. Rev. Guy S. Frazey, of the Methodist Church, advised me to try Giles' Linctum Iodide Ammonia, he telling me of the wonders it had performed on his wife, who was a martyr to such troubles, and is now well. I obtained the Linctum, and my wife is cured. Charles R. Jones, Editor Observer, Charlottetown, N. C. Write to Dr. GILES, 120 West Broadway, N. Y., who will cure without charge. Giles' Pills cure Gout. Sold by W. R. Watson. Trial bottles 25 cents.

**BIRTH.**

At Charlottetown on Wednesday, the 28th ult., Mrs. G. D. Longworth, of a daughter.

**LECTURE.**

THE VERY REV. DR. McDONALD will deliver a Lecture before the ST. PATRICK'S T. A. & B. SOCIETY, in

**ST. PATRICK'S HALL,**

Tuesday Ev'ng Next, 3rd Feb.

Subject—Cardinal Pole.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; Chair to be taken at 8.

Admission 10 cents. RICHARD WALSH, Secretary.

**Cheirograph or Lethogram**

CAN be made for 50 cents by sending 35 cents in stamps to P. O. Box 126 Yarmouth, N. S., and by return of mail you will receive a receipt for making tablet and ink from which you can get over one hundred copies from one original writing. Ch'town, Jan. 7, 1880.

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**FEBRUARY!  
1880.**

**STOCK-TAKING.**

WE hereby inform the public of this city, and the Island generally, that previous to Stock-taking, we have resolved to clear out as much of our Winter Stock as possible. We are aware that at this season it is hard to get people to buy even at reduced prices; but in the face of this difficulty we have made up our mind to adopt full measures, and sell our Wool Goods and Dress Goods at a sacrifice.

Our Goods have been very cheap all winter, as the run of trade we have had fully testifies. Our store has become the resort of those Ladies who know how to make a penny go a long way, and who know a cheap article when they see it; and when we say we are going to reduce the prices of our Dress Goods and Trimmings, we know we shall be believed. We are particularly anxious to clear out our present Stock, in order to introduce as much of the newest style of Dress Material as possible, and at the very lowest prices. We shall make special prices on Black Cashmeres, Black Merinos, Black Cords and Lustres, Lustrines and Brilliantines.

Our Fancy Wool Goods will be sold at less than cost. Our Stock of this class was the largest, most select, and finest in the city, and the remains of it will be sold at a great sacrifice.

Blankets, Quilts, Horse Rugs, &c., will be cleared out at great Bargains.

We make no apology to the Tea-drinking public for drawing their attention to our fine flavored and rich Teas, 32, 36, and 40 cents per lb. They are receiving the highest praise, and those who use them, strongly recommend them to others. Our trade in this article is growing rapidly. Tea appeals to the most subtle of the senses, and as the proof of the pudding is in the eating, so the proof of the Tea is in the drinking. Friends, try it.

83, QUEEN STREET,

**TREMAINE & METCALF.**

Ch'town, Jan. 31, 1880.

**Charlottetown Cemetery Co'y.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Share holders of the above Company will be held on TUESDAY, the third day of February next, in the Office of the undersigned, corner of Great George and Lower Water Streets, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing Directors and other business, as by Law directed.

By order, F. W. HALES, Secretary. Charlottetown, Jan. 17, 1880—mws ji



**LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKEY.** THE ANALYTICAL SANITARY INSTITUTION, 54, Holborn-viaduct, E. C., London, Aug. 13, 1879, report on the "Lorne Highland Whiskey" of Messrs. Greenlees Brothers:—

"We have visited the bottling stores of Messrs. Greenlees Brothers, at Gresham-buildings, London, and have selected from the vats, samples of their Lorne Highland Whiskey, and have subjected them to careful examination and analysis. The samples were pale, showing their freedom from added coloring matter, very fragrant, mellow and of pleasant flavor; in fact, they possessed all the characteristics of pure and well-matured Scotch Whiskey of the first quality."

ARTHUR HILL, HASSALL, M. D. OTTO HEHNER, F. C. S., F. I. C.

Sole Proprietors, GREENLEES BROTHERS, Gresham-buildings, London; Distilleries, Argyleshire.

Agents: MESSRS. OWEN CONNOLLY & CO., Charlottetown, P. E. I. Nov. 26, 1879.—6m

**Finnan Haddies.**

JUST RECEIVED per Northern Light, choice lot of Finnan Haddies, at FISH MARKET, Craifton Street. Jan. 17, 1880.

**Mortgage Sale.**

TO be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, on Wednesday, the Third day of March Next, 1880, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, by Virtue of a Power of Sale in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the eighth day of May, 1873, and made between Alexander Martin, of the one part, and Edward Jarvis Hodgson, of the other part,—

ALL that tract, piece and parcel of land situate, lying and being on Township number Sixty-two, in Queen's County, in the said Island, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake fixed at the edge of the Creek making John Nicholson's southern boundary line and running from thence due east fifteen chains, fifty links; thence south three degrees east thirty-four chains; thence west ten degrees north sixteen chains and fifty links; thence west fifteen degrees north to the edge of the dry land along the inner edge of the marsh northerly and easterly to the place of commencement, containing eighty-seven and a half acres of land, a little more or less, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging. For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

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Dated the 3rd day of December, 1879. EDWARD J. HODGSON, Mortgagee.

Dec. 3, oaw till sale, wed

SUBSCRIBE for the DAILY EXAMINER, the Cheapest and most Newsy Paper published in the Provinces.

**Wants, Lost, Found, &c.**

**LOST**—A brown SPANIEL PUP, half-grown, white tip on end of tail, white breast; answers to the name of "Gip," has a wide brass collar and fastened with brass lock, Meacham, owner name, engraved on collar. Will give \$3 for his return to old Union Bank building, over "Presbyterian" Office.—J. H. MEACHAM. [j 31

**LOST**—On Saturday evening last, a bunch of KEYS. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at this Office. j 29, 2i th s

**LOST**—On Thursday, a small dark leather PURSE, with a steel clasp, containing ten or eleven dollars and a pencil memorandum. The finder will, upon leaving it at this Office, be suitably rewarded. [j 23, 3i

**TO LET**—Shop and Dwelling House, North Side Queen Square, now occupied by John Kelly as a Grocery and Liquor Store. Possession given on the 15th February, 1880. Enquire on the premises, or at St. Lawrence Hotel. [dec 31 tf]

**TENEMENT** on Hillsborough street, opposite residence of Thos. DesBrisay, Esq., containing hall, seven rooms, pantry, front and back stairs, to Let, with immediate possession. Enquire of JOHN STUMBLE. Jan. 3, 1880. dlw e o d ft.

**NEW COTTAGE TO LET.**—Kitchen and sitting-room below, and three bedrooms above stairs. A large piece of ground attached. Pleasant and healthy situation for a small family. Well suited for a Market Gardener or Laundress. Enquire at the residence of Chief Justice PATMUR.—d6 m & w