

**Local and Other Items.**

THE mails via the Capes arrive early this evening.

THE "Northern Light" has not yet arrived at Pictou.

REMEMBER the Rev. Dr. McDonald's lecture, in St. Patrick's Hall, to-night.

THE Railway Employes Quadrille Party takes place in the Athenaeum to-night. A good time may be expected.

JUST RECEIVED a large and well assorted lot Valentines, from 1 cent up to \$1.00, at the Agricultural Store.—R. MAY. f 3. 6i

THE clergy of Quebec are waging a war against round dancing. That war is over in Charlottetown; and the clergy, we believe, to a great extent, are the victors.

SPRUNG A LEAK.—The master of the brig, "A. McLeod," which arrived at Bristol, Eng., on the 16th ult., from this port reports that his vessel sprung a leak on the 4th Dec., in the Atlantic.

A HARD PASSAGE.—During the recent passage of the brig, "Lauretta," from this port to Bordeaux, that vessel strained a good deal on the voyage, and made water. The cargo also shifted and the vessel took a strong list. Her pumps, however, were kept free.

THE young man who, a few evenings ago, converted the streets of the city into a race-course, in his attempt to make a "thoroughbred" eclipse the time of Rarus, was by the Stipendiary Magistrate, on Tuesday morning, fined \$4 or 20 days for a breach of the by-law relating to "disorderly driving."

LATELY we have had the pleasure of seeing the examination papers of a young lady from this city who is attending St. Margaret's Hall, Halifax, and feel that the work done there is thorough. Several of the young ladies last year passed a creditable examination at Windsor, King's College; St. Margaret's Hall is under the patronage of the Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, who takes great interest in the young ladies. We are glad to know that the daughter of Mr. Alexander Brown is finishing her education at that Seminary, and was the respected guest of the Rev. J. and Mrs. Padfield during the holidays.

DANIEL CARROLL was arrested, and this (Tuesday) morning examined by the Stipendiary Magistrate on charge of being one of two persons who, on Saturday evening last, entered the Bible Christian, Sunday Schoolroom and stole therefrom the contents of three money boxes, consisting of "one quarter's collections." The Superintendent of the Sunday School and the keeper of the Bible Christian Church were the only witnesses examined; and the prisoner was remanded until to-morrow for further examination. The keeper testified that on Saturday evening at 6.30 he went to the church and found the prisoner in the porch which leads to the Sunday School. It was dark; he lit a match, recognized the prisoner, spoke to him, and not suspecting anything, let him pass out. He (the keeper) then passed into the Schoolroom. Here, was another man whom he did not recognize, and who on seeing him (the keeper) tried to make his escape. The keeper locked the door, placed a man in charge of the building, and went to seek the services of a policeman. On their return they found that the man had made his escape. On entering the Schoolroom then, they found that the cupboard had been pried open and the contents of the money boxes stolen. The Superintendent testified that the boxes contained about four dollars.

**Supreme Court.**

FEBRUARY 3.

William H. Mitchell vs. Patrick R. Bowers. This case is still before the Court. The plaintiff has been on the witness stand all day. It is expected it will go to the Jury to-morrow evening.

The Parisian:—"One hundred years ago in 1880, Marie Antoinette was full of joy in her little palace of Trianon; Necker here begun to then put his financial genius into practice; Bonaparte was studying at Brienne; Talleyrand was treasurer of the clergy; Vergniaud and Guadet were pleading at Bordeaux; Robespierre was writing memorials on the abolition of the penalty of death; Mirabeau was in the prison of Vincennes writing his famous essay on *lettres de cachet*.

**Special Notices.**

FAT HERRING, Cheap for Cash by J. B. HARTY. j5 tf

CHOICE FRUIT and Pound Cakes at BEER & GOFF'S.

A LOT of Plated Jewelry, Spectacles and Eyeglasses received to-day.—W. W. WELLNER. j 29 pat li

A LOT of new and second-hand Sleighs will be sold at a bargain, at P. H. TRAINOR'S, Kent street, opposite Rocklin House.

CRANBERRIES, 8 cents per quart, at "The Confectionery."—j 23, 2i

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

FRESH OYSTERS—direct from the beds almost every day—at "The Confectionery."

ORDERS solicited for repairing and painting Sleighs. Satisfaction guaranteed.—P. H. TRAINOR, Kent street, opposite Rocklin House. [j 24, 4i eod

MY WIFE suffered with prolapsus uteri, fluca alba, complicated with other female troubles. Her life was miserable. Rev. Guy S. Frazey, of the Methodist Church, advised me to try Giles' Liniment 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 Liniment, and my wife is cured. Charles R. Jones, Editor *Observer*, Charlotte, 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.

**LONDON HOUSE.**

**JANUARY.**

During this month we will sell at

**Reduced Prices,**

to clear our stock in the following departments, viz:

**MEN'S AND BOYS'**

**ULSTERS, OVERCOATS & REEFERS.**

**MEN'S AND BOYS'**

**FUR CAPS, LADIES' Fur Caps and Muffs, LADIES' MANTLES & ULSTERS.**

The balance of our

**Wool Goods, PROMENADE SCARFS, BREAKFAST SHAWLS,**

**CROSS-OVERS, &c.**

Splendid lines of

**DRESS GOODS,** AT 10, 12 AND 14 CENTS PER YARD.

**TERMS CASH.**

**Geo. Davies & Co.**

Jan. 2, 1880.

**NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.**

Special dispatch to Examiner.

[CABUL, Feb. 2.

A despatch to the London Times says the prophecies of impending defeat and disaster, published in some English newspapers, has been received here with astonishment. The date of the writers are as inaccurate as their deductions are gloomy.

Mohamed Jan was not a soldier of great repute in the wars of Turkestan until lately. He was an unknown subordinate officer of artillery.

Gen. Charles Gough never was in danger during his march to the relief of Cabul.

Gen Roberts was right when he reckoned his ability to bring up reinforcements. He never had to fight his way around the city to Shirpur. He had, in December, firewood for four months, and forage for 54 days. The idea of a forced retreat upon Jellalabad never suggested itself here.

LONDON, Feb. 2.

Some of the weekly and periodical newspapers have for some weeks past asserted that Lord Lytton was coming home directly and made various nominations of his successor in Vice Royalty, including Lord Dufferin and the Under Secretary of State for India.

The Times semi-officially asserts that there is no truth in the reports that Lord Lytton is desirous of leaving India, and hence it follows that there is no question of choosing his successor.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.

Letters to the *Golos* from the Province of Vladimir reports that an archbishop and two bishops of the faith of old believers are confined in a fortress there, on account of their creeds. The Archbishop has been there 26 years, and the Bishops 22 and 17 years respectively. The *Golos*, in a leader on the subject, supposes they had been forgotten by the authorities.

OTTAWA, Feb. 2.

It is understood that the Government have definitely determined to adopt the Southern route in Manitoba for the railway, and that the telegraph line at present erected north of Lake Manitoba will be moved to the South.

The Supreme Court of Canada will open to-morrow and deliver judgment on the South Ontario Election case, and on the appeal of McLeod vs. the New Brunswick Railway.

Col. Gzouzki has reported against the erection of a low level bridge at the Coteau landing across the St. Lawrence river. Such has been the means taken to kill the scheme in which Ontario and the Maritime Provinces have so deep an interest.

**Financial.**

THE following are the selling rates for Exchange at the Agency of the Merchants Bank of Halifax:—

London—sight.....	9 1/2 per cent. prem
" 60 days.....	9 per cent. "
New York—cheque.....	1/2 per cent. "
Boston—cheque.....	1/2 per cent. "
Montreal, Toronto, etc.....	1/2 per cent. "
Halifax.....	1/2 per cent. "
St. John, N. B.....	1/2 per cent. "
St. John's, Nfld.....	2 per cent. "

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**

ROCKLIN HOUSE.

Jan. 31.—James Carr, Woodstock, N B; Robert Teare, Georgetown; James Robinson, Bonshaw. Feb. 2.—Dr McIntyre, Souris; W F Starr, Victoria; Vonclure Gay, Pownal; Thomas Brehant, Summerside; Stephen Strang, Beach Point; W Newbery, Mt Stewart; Thomas Crane, Cherry Valley; Ronald Campbell, Summerside; Rev'd W. Archibald, Cavendish.

**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. 1a—

**CHARLOTTE TOWN**

**Mutual Fire Insurance Co'y.**

OFFICE HOURS, from 10 a. m., to 1 p. m.

H. V. PALMER,

Acting Secretary] Secretary's Office, Kent Street, } Jan. 26th, 1880—1wk eod }

**HOMINY!**

4 Cents Per Pound,

—AT—

**BEER & GOFF'S.**

Jan. 12, 1880.

**Valuable Property for Sale.**

THAT FARM lately owned by John and Peter Meikle, situate on Lot 23, in Queen's County.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. HODGSON & McLEOD, Charlottetown. Jan. 9, 1880—eod

**EMPLOYMENT.**—In every village and township of P. E. Island not yet occupied, ONE ACTIVE, intelligent Lady or Gentleman can obtain a most respectable and very profitable engagement. Address, with full particulars, D. DOWNIE & CO., Box 1964, Montreal name.

**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 Velvetene

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.



**LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKEY.** THE ANALYTICAL SANITARY INSTITUTION, 54, Holborn-viaduct, E. C., London, Aug. 18, 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 HEINER, 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, Grafton Street. Jan. 17, 1880.

**To Inventors and Mechanics**

PATENTS and how to obtain them. Pamphlet of 60 pages free upon receipt of stamps or postage. Address GILMORE, SMITH & CO., Solicitors of Patents, Washington, D.C.

**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; thence following the courses 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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Dec. 3, oaw till sale, wed

**THE WEEKLY EXAMINER.**—Persons having relatives or friends abroad, and desiring to keep them informed concerning P. E. Island, cannot do so in a better or cheaper way than by subscribing to THE WEEKLY EXAMINER. Sent, postpaid, to any address in Great Britain, the United States, or the Dominion, on receipt of One Dollar.

**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 tj

**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 STUMBLER. Jan. 3, 1880. d lw eod tf.

**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 FAIRBANKS.—d 6 m & w