

Local and Other Items.

A "GRATE" SWINDLE—The New Lunatic Asylum.

The funeral obsequies in the Market Hall last night were of a varied description.

THREE HUNDRED CASES for trial at the last session of the County Court in Georgetown.

THE Jewish residents of New York are organizing extensive Hebrew colonies to be established in the Far West.

Mr. DODD said last night that "We elected Mr. DeBlois with great (grate) difficulty." In point of fact, Mr. DeBlois led the poll in 1876.

The latest developments in reference to the New Asylum cannot allow us to throw the mantle of charity over the sins of the ex-Governor.

YESTERDAY we were shown a sample of 20 bushels of wheat, brought into this city by James McLean, Esq., of New London, and intended for sale as seed wheat. The article is first-class, and the price reasonable.

A YOUNG MAN named George Maynard, proprietor of the "Scholastic News" is charged with collecting subscriptions for building a Protestant Church at Cote St. Luc and appropriating them to his own use.

A TELEGRAM yesterday received from Alberton states that all suspected small-pox patients held in quarantine by the Board of Health, have been released and that the five hospital patients are doing well.

BUT for his dog, which pinned him to the ground and held him down until his neighbors could break in and bind him, a farmer, near Ripon, Wisconsin, would have killed his wife and child in an insane fit.

THE MAILS left Cape Tormentine at 6.30 a. m., and arrived at Cape Traverse at 12.10. They also left Cape Traverse at 7.30 a. m., and arrived at Cape Tormentine at 10 o'clock, p. m.

THE London correspondent of the Edinburgh Scotsman says Mr. Gladstone was not invited to the Duke of Connaught's wedding. This omission excited much comment in political circles, as Lords Granville and Hartington both received invitations.

REMEMBER.—The Chatham Debating Club to-night discusses "The desirability of having Mechanics represented in the Legislature." Doors open to the public. Representatives of the Press especially invited. Meetings every Friday night, in Full's Brick Building.

A MONTREAL despatch says: "A feeling of confidence is taking place in financial circles since the new Tariff was promulgated, and the stock market is feeling its beneficial effect. Bank and telegraph stocks are steadily advancing, and altogether there is a much more healthy tone prevailing."

THE North Sydney (C. B.) Herald says:—"De Witt Talmage says 'the newspaper is the grand agency by which the gospel is to be preached, ignorance cast out, oppression de-throned, crime extirpated, the world raised, heaven rejoiced and God glorified.'" And naively adds: "The North Sydney Herald is only \$1.50 per year in advance."

DR. ORTON, Mr. John White, and Mr. Josiah B. Plumb are three Liberal-Conservatives whom the Grits have vainly endeavored to keep out of Parliament. The two former have already taken their oaths and seats, and Mr. Plumb will quickly follow them. Mr. Plumb will be sure of an exceptionally warm ovation on re-entering the House.—London Free Press.

THE market to-day was largely attended. prices were as follows: Beef (small), from 5 to 12 cts.; do., gr., 4 to 8 cts.; mutton, 5 to 10 cts.; pork (car-cass), 4 1/2 to 5 cts.; do. (small), 6 to 8 cts.; geese, 40 to 50 cts.; chickens, 45 to 60 cts.; butter, 20 to 23 cts.; do tub, from 4 to 6 cts.; eggs, 12 to 16 cts.; potatoes, 34 to 38 cts.; hay, from 35 to 40 cts.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday forenoon, John Walsh, who took a horse and sleigh from a boy named Alex. McDonald and drove recklessly about the city, was fined \$2 and costs or 10 days hard labor. John King, drunk and loafing about the street, was committed to jail for eight days. Thomas Donovan was sentenced to one month's imprisonment for vagrancy, to be exacted on the next offence.

THE Advertiser says that Mr. J. M. Stewart, of Georgetown, has commenced operations on the Wood Islands Breakwater, he having a contract to construct the same. The timber required is all in readiness, and as soon as the ice breaks up its erection will be pushed forward rapidly. The contractor intends employing about fifteen men, and calculates upon having the work completed about the first of July next.

MANITOBA.—We learn that Rev. Geo. Rod-dick intends leaving Pictou county for Manitoba early in April, and will be accompanied there by some eighty persons who propose settling in the prairie province. While we wish the Revd. gentleman and his fellow-emigrants God-speed, we have to regret the loss of so many good men from our midst. A large number from this county propose leaving for other places the coming spring, the greater number however to remain under the old flag, in one of the Western Canadian Provinces.—Pictou Standard.

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Allow a cold to advance in your system and thus encourage more serious maladies such as Pneumonia, Hemorrhages and Lung troubles, when an immediate relief can be so readily attained: *Boschee's German Syrup* has gained the largest sale in the world for the cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung Diseases. It is Dr. Boschee's famous German prescription, and is prepared with the greatest care, and no fear need be entertained in administering it to the youngest child, as per directions. The sale of this medicine is unprecedented. Since first introduced there has been a constant increasing demand and without a single report of a failure to do its work in any case. Ask your druggist as to the truth of these remarks. Large size 75 cents. Try it and be convinced.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

OTTAWA NEWS.

The Dismissals!

Special Despatch to Examiner.

OTTAWA, March, 20.

To-day Mr. Huntington moved for papers relating to the dismissal of Mr. Cardwell, an employee of the Inland Revenue Department. Mr. Brecken spoke to the motion, and created a great stir in the House. He said the most violent opponents to the Government in Prince Edward Island were Dominion officials. Such a state of things called for an immediate remedy. He thought the Government had been too lenient with these parties. Men who so abused their positions ought to be replaced by others. He thought when Civil Service officials stumped the country, making violent charges against political opponents, such officials should be immediately dismissed.

Dr. Muttart, P. E. I., said he had been followed from meeting to meeting by officials, and had been subjected to their rowdism. He hoped examples would be made.

Mr. Yeo defended Island officials from the charges of partizanship. One of them spoke at a meeting and had resigned to run for the Legislature.

Hon. J. C. Pope said hundreds had been indiscriminately dismissed by the late Government. He read papers concerning the dismissal of a lighthouse keeper to show that there was no cause.

Messrs. Casey and Huntington, both Opposition members, admitted that when employees of the Government took part in the elections they should be dismissed.

The debate is to be continued.

The other Island members will speak.

To-day they waited on the Government. Some dismissals will take place soon, and the appointments will go into effect on the first day of May.

OTTAWA, March 20.

A deputation of cigar makers from Montreal waited on the Finance Minister to-day, and asked that a speid duty of 25 cents per pound and an ad valorem of 20 per cent. be imposed on imported cigars.

The debate on the dismissal of Regis Cardinal was resumed to-day by Mr. Vallee, who spoke of official interference in his county at the late elections. It led to a lively discussion.

LONDON, March 20.

The Times' leading editorial says the late election in Canada was a manifestation of the popular will, and the popular will must be obeyed. It must rule in Canada, and we have long since abandoned all power to interfere with its supremacy there. This is practically the answer that Sir Michael Hicks Beach, Colonial Secretary, will make to Mr. Bright. This tariff has been demanded by the Canadian people. We cannot approve of it. We may and must think it unwise. We are thoroughly convinced that it will disappoint the inhabitants of Canada in proving an injury instead of a benefit to them.

Perhaps it is true that the usual instruction was omitted, requiring Lord Lorne to reserve for Her Majesty's approval all bills imposing differential duties. Whatever may be the truth about it, we must remember that the differential duties now proposed, differ from those to which instruction has been generally understood to refer. The tariff that has been produced in obedience to the call of the general election is as unwise as it can be. There is no branch of industry which will not be crippled by it.

LONDON, March 18.

Charles Stewart, Mills & Co., merchants, Liverpool and Pernambuco, have failed; liabilities £60,000 sterling.

The Manchester mill masters have agreed to a compromise of five per cent. in the proposed reduction of wages, on the ground of the recent abolition of the Indian import duties.

LONDON, March 18.

The operatives and weavers were not represented at the meeting of mill masters in Manchester, to-day, in consequence of a disagreement with regard to Union Secretaries. Representatives of other branches of the trade throughout the north and northeast of Lancashire have pledged their word that the operatives will not resist a five per cent. reduction.

VIENNA, March 18.

The Government has asked the Reichsrath to authorize the issue of 100,000,000 florins in gold rentes to meet the requirements of the current year.

ROME, March 18.

The Pope has sent 5,000 lire to Szegedin for the relief of the sufferers.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 18.

The Sultan, at a banquet given to the officers of the British fleet, expressed hopes of a closer union between Turkey and England.

BERLIN, March 18.

The National Zeitung states that the Committee of the Reichstag on standing orders have resolved not to undertake any general revision of the rules of the House, but will simply revise the arrangements relative to the President's power to prevent a member from speaking.

CALCUTTA, March 18.

A great fire is raging at Rangoon.

WASHINGTON, March 18.

Congress met to-day and organized in both branches. In the Senate nothing was done but administer the oath of office. The House balloted for Speaker with the following result: Randall (Democrat), 143; Garfield (Republican), 135; Wright (Greenback), 13; Kelley (Greenback), 1. The oath of office was then administered to Randall by Kelly, the oldest member in continuous service, after which the oath was administered to members in groups of States. The subordinate officers of the House were subsequently elected at caucuses by the Democrats last night. After drawing for seats, adjournment until to-morrow.

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March 15, 1879—3i sat tues fri

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Readymade Clothing Hats, Caps, Linders and Drawers, Scarfs, &c.

Cotton Warp, Small Wares, &c.

The above Stock must be cleared out from this date, and our Customers, and the public generally, can depend upon getting Bargains.

John McPhee, Administrator.

Charlottetown, Feb. 4, 1879.

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COFFINS, CASKETS, &C. of various sizes, styles and quality, always on hand, ready-made.

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March 10, 1879.—3i

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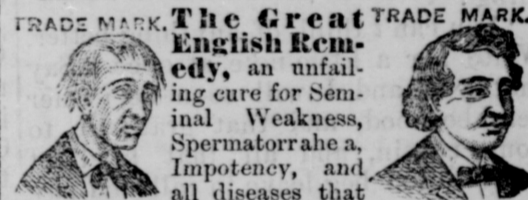
Charlottetown, March 12, 1879.

THE ELECTORS of the Second District of Queen's County are requested to attend the following meetings, where they will be addressed by the late Representatives and others:—

- BROOKFIELD, Monday, 17th inst., at seven o'clock.
- CORNWALL, Tuesday, 18th inst., at seven o'clock.
- NORTH WILTSHIRE, Wednesday, 19th inst., at seven o'clock.
- NEW GLASGOW, Thursday, 20th inst., at seven o'clock.
- RUSTICO (Bank), Friday, 21st inst., at seven o'clock.
- WHEATLEY RIVER, Saturday, 22d inst., at seven o'clock.
- MILTON, Monday, 24th inst., at seven o'clock.
- BRIEN'S CROSS, Tuesday, 25th inst., at seven o'clock.
- NINE MILE CREEK (Ladner's), Thursday, 27th inst., at seven o'clock.
- LONG CREEK (Lowrie's), Friday, 28th inst., at seven o'clock.
- NORTH RIVER (Warren's), Saturday, 29th inst., at seven o'clock.
- SOUTH WILTSHIRE, Monday, 31st inst., at seven o'clock.

March 14, 1879.—lin d&w

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February 18, 878—law for 2m

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

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WANTED—A reliable Young Man, possessing unquestionable references, to take charge of a General Retail Store situated on the line of Railway. Apply at this office. March 20, 1879.

TO LET—The Shop and Premises fronting on the South Side of Queen Square, opposite the Market House, at present in possession of Mr. Larter, as a Shoe Store. Possession given on the 6th of August next. Apply to MRS. STAMPER. March, 18, 1879.—4i oaw

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