

Local and Other Items.

LYCEUM to-night.
ODDFELLOWS CONCERT—to-night.
AT THE CAPES.—Crossing from this side only to-day; no boats on the other side.
KENSINGTON HALL to-night. Temperance meeting at 8 o'clock. Address by Rev. John Read.
LOOK out for "Hungry Jake" at the Concert to-night. It will bother you to keep your face straight.
YOUNG LADIES JOURNAL.—The February issue is at the Diamond Bookstore and is an exceedingly good number.
"ANNIE LAURIE"—This fine song will be sung by Mrs. E. H. Norton at the Concert on Tuesday evening next.
MR. LEVY sings "Alone in the Desert" at Oddfellows Concert to-night. This is one of the finest descriptive songs ever written.
"GREAT MEN IN COUNCIL"—This will be the subject of Mr. Davies' lecture in the Lyceum on Friday evening. He should have a full house.
Remember the Date.—Tuesday, the 26th January, of Burns' anniversary concert in aid of the poor. Jan 15 3 eod.
I. O. G. T.—Regular meeting of Charlotte-town Lodge No. 1, this evening at 7:30 sharp. A full attendance is requested.—Wm. H. Clark, Sec'y.
Use Christmas and biscuits and ginger snaps, which are far superior to any other biscuits made in Canada. For sale at Beer & Goffa. Jan 22 21
POLICE COURT.—This morning one drunk was fined \$4 or 20 days, and the charge of larceny preferred against Joseph McEwen was dismissed.
THE MAYORALTY.—A meeting of the friends and supporters of Mayor Haviland will be held to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock in McLeod's Hall.
LECTURE.—Mr. L. H. Davies, M. P., will lecture in the Lyceum on Friday evening next. His subject will be "Great Men in Council." Don't fail to attend.
RELIEF OF THE POOR.—The Citizens Meeting, to have been held in the Market Hall last night, was postponed until Monday next at three o'clock in the afternoon, owing to the small number of people present.
THE STANLEY.—A telegram from Captain Finlayson to the Deputy Minister of Marine, says that the steamer Stanley arrived at Pictou at 9 o'clock this morning after being out all night. She was to leave on return at 11 o'clock.
THE HORSE POISONER AHEAD.—Mr. Joseph Richardson, of Sackville, lost three valuable horses a short time ago from poison, the work of an evil disposed person for revenge. Mr. Richardson's loss is a heavy one as all the animals were valuable, one span being worth \$300.
TROTTERING ON THE ICE.—The races on the ice yesterday afternoon were concluded shortly after 4 o'clock. The EXAMINER went to press. Peck won the 3-year old race in straight heats, with Missie Pilot second; and in the 3 minute class Neptune Lee took first place and Honest John second.
COLD WEATHER.—A London despatch of the 16th inst. says that the severely cold weather in Great Britain is increasing. There is much suffering among the poorer classes. From various sections of the country come accounts of human beings frozen to death. Several trades are at a standstill owing to cold weather.
JUVENILE TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.—We learn from the Farmer that some of the children of Summerside have organized a temperance society. This society, which is to be known as Class A of the Royal League, already has a membership of eighty, and is expected that many more will join next meeting. Rev. Mr. Harding is the Superintendent.
THE SALE OF WOOD BY MR. A. B. WARBURTON, on land adjoining the farm of Wm. Mills, Esq., St. Peter's Road, took place yesterday, and was well attended. Mr. Fred. Hume was auctioneer. Over 100 lots were sold. Mr. Warburton intends holding another sale of hardwood on the premises next Wednesday, the 28th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, when 24 splendid lots will be sold. This affords an excellent chance to persons who are not yet supplied with wood to procure it. d 11 w
EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.—At the annual meeting of the Evangelical Alliance held on Monday last the following officers were elected for the current year:
President—Wm. Heard.
Vice Presidents—F. S. Moore, H. J. Cundell, R. M. Barrett, A. W. Stearns, A. Kennedy.
Secretary—T. C. James.
Treasurer—Geo. Bremner.
Executive Committee—L. L. Beer, D. Laird, Wm. Weeks, C. Palmer, Jno. McPhail, W. E. Dawson.
T. C. JAMES, Sec'y.
BLACK DEATH IN RUSSIA.—The plague known as "the black death" has reached the town of Tobolsk in Western Siberia. The whole of Asiatic Russia, from Samarkand in the south to the mouth of the river Obi in the extreme north, is suffering from the same awful scourge, which affects in a particularly severe degree the town of Otdorsk on the Arctic Sea, near the mouth of the Obi. The black death is making ravages among the inhabitants, who are chiefly Samoyedes, and thousands are dying. There is only one doctor in the whole district and no hope of checking the ravages of the disease, which is fast spreading.
CANADA'S INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.—The Exhibition Association of St. John N. B., have now announced the date for their exhibition, for the present year, and are pushing forward the work of organization with a view to excel their success of last year. The exhibition will open on the 23rd of September and continue until October 3rd, and the Association already have assurance of exhibits from many of those who took part in the exhibition of 1880. A number of new features are to be introduced and the "special attractions" will be particularly entertaining. The programme list will cover about the usual lines and amount to about \$12,000.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.
Warm Weather.
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 21.
Yesterday was the warmest January day experienced in Minnesota and Dakota in 21 years. Three years ago 107 people were frozen in the snow drifts of Dakota, while yesterday the thermometer ranged from 62 to 82 in the shade. At Minto, N. D., a big basket picnic was held, young women wearing summer dresses and carrying palm leaf fans. There is not a particle of snow at any point for 500 miles west of St. Paul, and the fear is expressed that as the ground will contain little moisture in the spring it will be in a bad condition for the plow.
Trade Negotiations.
TORONTO, Jan. 21.
The following special appears in to-day's Globe, from London: Official circles are still most reticent respecting trade negotiations between Canada and the United States. It is understood, however, that the affair has not gone beyond the initial stage. The Government of the United States has been assured that the Canadian Government is always ready to consider a broad reciprocal trade arrangement and would join it in a formal commission of inquiry, if the United States so desires.
Want Coal Inspection Abolished.
OTTAWA, Jan. 31.
A deputation of coal agents in Montreal interviewed the Minister of Marine to-day, urging the abolition of inspection by Canadian officials and inspection fees on steamers holding English certificates when plying Canadian waters. They allege that the existing practice of inspecting coal steamers plying between Nova Scotia and Montreal is unnecessary.
Conservative Convention.
SHELBROOK, Que., Jan. 21.
A great conservative gathering here on the 29th of January, has been called by the local and Federal Conservative members of the eastern townships, to organize for the coming Dominion elections. Friends claim that Compton, Stansted, Brome, Shefford, Missisquoi, Richmond, Wolfe, Drummond, Arthabaska, Megantic and Sherbrooke, comprising the eastern townships, will send a solid phalanx to support Sir John Macdonald in the next parliament.
Supreme Court.
JAN. 2.
John Hesley vs. Wm. Heard and J. T. Mellish—This case was concluded to-day. The plaintiff was non-suited.
Angus Ross, appellant, and D. H. McDonald, respondent—Appeal from judgment of J. McLeod, J. P., under the Act respecting dogs. Appeal allowed without costs, each party to pay one-half the expenses in the Court below. Mr. Mellish for appellant; Mr. McLean for respondent.
Out of Employment.
PARIS, Jan. 21.
It is estimated that 50,000 persons have been thrown out of employment by the severe weather, and that the total loss to France in wages, stoppage of trade and b'ghting crops will reach 50,000,000. All the hospitals and infirmaries are crowded.
A Gladstonian Defeated.
LONDON, Jan. 21.
In the election held at Hartlepool to-day to fill the parliamentary seat made vacant by the death of Thomas Richardson, Mr. Furness, the Gladstonian candidate received 4,103 votes against 4,305 for Gray Unionist.
More Assignments.
MONTREAL, Jan. 21.
Messrs. McLachlan Bros. and Lindsay, Gilmour & Co., wholesale dry goods, formally assigned to-day, the respective liabilities being \$700,000 and \$325,000. The first named claims that it will pay one hundred cents on the dollar.
The Grits Excited.
OTTAWA, Jan. 21.
Grit wire pullers and news mongers are greatly excited to night at the supposed prospects of a general election.
Rising Temperature.
LONDON, Jan. 21.
The temperature has risen an average of 25 degrees throughout England. On the continent the thaw is less decided.
Gaining Ground.
LONDON, Jan. 21.
Despatches from Buenos Ayres state that Chilean insurgents appear to be gaining ground.
MARRIED.
At the residence of the bride's parents, Lot 66, on the 5th of January, by the Rev. William Bond, Mr. Howelock Robertson, of Kingsborough, Lot 47, to Caroline, eldest daughter of Daniel Black, Grand River, Lot 55.
DIED.
At Millview, Lot 49, on Friday, December 26, 1890, James Hayes, in the 86th year of his age. He leaves a widow, six sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a kind husband and loving father. R. I. P.
At Dundas, P. E. I., on the 11th inst., Frank Robert, aged 3 years and 9 months, beloved son of Theophilus and Bridget White.
H. & L.—The Hook and Ladder Co.'s room in the City Building has lately been repaired and otherwise improved.
Settlement to Dec. 31st, 1890.
WE request a settlement of all accounts due, notes, judgments, etc., before the end of January. All debtors will please take notice and save us trouble and themselves expense.
NORTON & FENNELL.
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Prince of Wales Debating Club

The students of Prince of Wales College, who have organized a Debating Club in connection with that institution, met as usual on Monday evening last to discuss the life and character of Robert Burns. After the general routine of business was attended to the President, Mr. E. Robins, called upon Mr. George Inman to open the debate. A correspondent informs THE EXAMINER that this gentleman, by his strong arguments and convincing statements in the affirmative, had a thrilling effect on the audience. Mr. P. Trainor then took the opposite side, and by his usual display of oratory, almost for a time held the audience spell-bound. Other speakers then followed, some upholding and others denouncing the life and character of the great Scottish bard. After a lively discussion of nearly two hours the house was divided, and Burns' life and character were justified by a sweeping majority. Although the opposition felt somewhat blue over their meritorious defeat, yet they all joined heartily in singing that favorite fireside hymn, "Should auld acquaintance be forgot."

Grand Scotch Concert!

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY,
Under the Auspices of the Caledonia Club,
IN THE LYCEUM, ON TUESDAY, JAN. 27,
IN AID OF THE POOR.

- PART I.
SHORT ADDRESS BY THE CHIEF.
1. Piano Duet—Strathspeys and Reels... Misses Wilson and Read
2. Song—"Scotland Yet"..... Prof. Cayen
3. Song—"Tam Glen"..... Mrs. Roome
4. Recitation—"Tam O'Shanter"..... Rev. James Carruthers
5. Violin Solo—"Echoes from Edinbro'"..... Prof. Vinnicombe
6. Song—"Ye Banks and Braes"..... Miss Tillie Brown
7. Song—"There was a Lad"..... Mr. James Davison
8. Cornet Solo—"Scotch Airs"..... Mr. C. P. Flecher
9. Song—"Annie Laurie"..... Mrs. E. Norton
10. Song—"John Gummie"..... Prof. D. J. McLeod
Interval of Five Minutes.
PART II.
1. Song—"Jessie, the Flower of Dumbane"..... Mrs. James Byrne
2. Violin Duet—Moderato from I Sonoh-A lard..... Prof. Vinnicombe
3. Song—"Flow Gently, Sweet Afton"..... Mr. H. Wilson
4. Recitation (Scotch)..... Mr. T. A. McLean
5. Song—"O' a' the Airts the Win Can Blaw"..... Mrs. Roome
6. Quartet—"Birks of Aberfeldy"..... Miss Wilson, Mrs. Roome, Mr. J. Davison, Mr. H. Wilson
7. Song—"Scots Wha Hae"..... Mr. J. Davison
8. Chorus—"Auld Lang Syne" with Instrumental Music.....
"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN."
Pianoforte Accompanists—Misses Wilson and Lewis, Messrs. Blanchard and Tanton.
Admission, 25 and 35 cents. Tickets for sale at the City Drug Stores and from Members of the Club. Doors open at 7:30 o'clock Concert at 8 o'clock, prompt.
Jan 19

THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY
CONCERT
ON THURSDAY,
5th of February,
In Philharmonic Hall,
MENDELSSEHN'S
CELEBRATED
Hymn of Praise
WILL BE RENDERED.
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STANLEY BROTHERS.

TABLE COVERS.
Six Dozen SILK EMBROIDERED CLOTHS, Tapestry and Felt. The lot must be sold if you want a Piano or Table Cover have a look through these, as they are marked at Wonderfully Low Figures.
LADIES' WATERPROOF CLOAKS.
You must have them, and it is just as well that you should know that we are offering something Special. We look closely at the matter of Quality in these goods, and leave the buyer to look closely at the Prices.
CLOTHS FOR LADIES' WEAR.
Our Stock in this line is really excellent, and we expect buyers to share the pleasure we feel in offering them a First-Class Assortment of ULSTER and JACKET CLOTHS at money-saving prices.
CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.
A few left, right in every way. You can have one at your own price, as we intend to clear them all.
STANLEY BROTHERS,
BROWN'S BLOCK.
Charlottetown, January 20, 1891.

1891--JANUARY--1891.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Now Taking Stock,
BIG BARGAINS WILL BE GIVEN
IN ALL KINDS OF
WINTER DRY GOODS.
Our Quarterly Accounts have been sent out during the past week, and we would be obliged to our friends to respond to the same quick.
Charlottetown, January 8, 1890.

FOR SALE.
A CABINET ORGAN, Bell's, nearly new, eleven stops. Would do for a small Church. Will be sold at a large discount on price. Also—A Double-Seated Sleigh.
R. K. JOST,
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SOLID COMFORT
Is in a Cup of Hot Fluid Beef
JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF
Is Palatable, Strengthening, Grateful and Satisfying, the Drink to take when tired and weak up.
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NOTICE.
ALL PARTIES indebted to me will make immediate payment to Wm. Peardon at J. T. Peardon's office. All amounts not paid before the 1st February, 1891, will be sued for without further notice.
JOHN HENRY.
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AUCTION SALE.
I AM instructed by the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the late Patrick Higgins, of Charlottetown Royalty, to sell by Public Auction, at the Farm Premises in West Royalty, formerly occupied by deceased,
On Saturday, 24th day of January,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
All the Farm Stock and effects, consisting of:
4 Horses, 1 Bull, 2 Calves, 2 Heifers, 6 Cows, 11 Pigs, Geese, Hens, Ducks, unthreshed Grain, Hay, Potatoes, 1 Grain Cracker, 1 Threshing Mill, 1 set Fanners, 1 Driving Wagon (new), 1 do. (old), 1 Seed Drill, 2 Caris, Trucks, 1 Farmer's Boiler, 3 sets Cart Harness, Driving Harness, 2 Hay Mowers, 4 Wood Sleighs, 1 Reaping Machine, 2 Hay Bakes, 1 Driving Sleigh, 1 Pump, 1 Potato Digger, 1 Self Binder, 1 Cultivator, 1 set Duck-foot Harrows, 1 Fur Robe.
Also, various other articles, including Household furniture and lots of sundries.
TERMS:—All sums of \$5 and under, cash; all sums over \$5, eleven months' credit on approved joint notes of hand.
F. H. HORNE,
Auctioneer.
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WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c
WANTED TO PURCHASE, in Charlottetown, a Cottage built on a dry site. Apply at this office.
jan 20

FOR SALE.—A nice Building Lot at head of Alley Street, near Prince Street, situated on high ground and in good locality, near Upper Prince Street Church and School. Price low and terms easy. Apply to GEORGE ALLEY.
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FOR SALE.—A nice round-back Sleigh, light and suitable to speed a fast horse in or drive around town. Made by a good builder. Can be seen at W. C. TICE'S, next to Fish Market, Grafton Street.
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IMPORTANT.—To Let at Ten Mile House Cherry Valley, a House and Lot suitable for a tradesman or anyone wishing to keep a small business. Apply to EDWARD HINDS, Millview Lot 49.
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