

Local and Other Items.

No business at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court to-day.

The Moncton Transcript reports that nine barrels and twenty-three boxes of eels from Charlottetown passed through that city a few days ago.

MR. EARLE'S grand concert will take place in St. Paul's Schoolroom on Thursday evening, Feb. 4.

L. E. PROWSE requests an immediate settlement of all amounts due him. Jan 21, dy and wky

THE weather is still very cold in Victoria. Wm. Jackson (aged) was found frozen to death a few days ago.

THE weather has been very severe in New York state. The thermometer registering from thirty to forty below zero.

PLEASE call at L. E. PROWSE'S and get a receipt for the amount you owe him. Jan 21, dy and wky

THE P. E. I. Hospital Bazaar Committee acknowledge with thanks the receipt of \$1 from Rev. Mr. Turner, per Miss McNeill.

THE story telegraphed from London of the alleged death and confession of McCabe, in Dakota, is denied by McCabe himself from Chicago.

MR. ART CHRISTIAN, Burke's Road, killed a large bear last week. The skin is a good one, measuring six and one-half feet by six feet, and was purchased by C. C. Carlton, of Souris.

THE Catholics have upwards of eighty new members in the new English Parliament. Scotland returns one for the first time since the Reformation. The last Parliament had sixty Catholics.

THE Committee Room in White's building, Queen Street, will be open every evening at 8 o'clock, till after the civic election. Friends of Messrs. Bever, Kelly, McLean and Lewis, are invited to attend.

THE jury in the Fitzpatrick shooting case, at ten o'clock last evening, returned with a verdict of "not guilty," and the prisoner was thereupon discharged.

A GIRL not quite eleven years of age and a man of thirty were married in Surinamese County, Fla., a short time ago. The bride's father, a minister, is said to have given his consent to the union.

A FRENCHMAN has found means to restore the lifelike expression to the eyes of dead persons. He places a few drops of glycerine and water in the corners of the eyes and the effect is said to be startling, so life-like do the eyes become.

DON'T forget the concert in aid of the sufferers by smallpox, in the Market Hall this evening. We hope to see a full house. Doors open at 7.30 p.m. Concert commences at 8. Tickets 25 and 35 cents. The hall will be lighted by electricity.

HATHWAY & Co., of Boston, want further shipments of Island potatoes before the opening of navigation. Last season this firm handled upwards of 30,000 bushels and made money for their shippers. All information furnished on application.

AN Ottawa Debating Club the other night crowned the list of subjects usually discussed at such gatherings by a debate on "Whether it is better to be born a boy than a girl." After a learned debate the umpire was so perplexed that he reserved his decision until after the summer vacation.

THE Literary and Scientific Institute will not hold their usual meeting to-night on account of the Concert in aid of the smallpox sufferers. It is postponed until this night week (28th inst.) when Rev. Mr. Mitchell will read the paper advertised for to-night.

DON'T fail to attend the opening lecture of St. James' course on Friday. The first subject is one of deep interest, and we understand the lecture will be interspersed with choice readings. In this department Mr. Carruthers has already secured a wide spread reputation.

THE business failures during the past week, as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., number for the United States 307, for Canada 25, or a total of 332 against 336 the previous week. The failures are exceptionally numerous in the Southern, Western and Pacific States, which three sections of the country furnish more than two-thirds of the whole number reported.

THERE will be a meeting of the Mount Stewart and Western St. Peter's congregation held in the Western Church, on Monday, Feb. 1st, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting one to be their Pastor, and to attend to other matters of importance in the congregation. A full meeting is requested. J. S. Cameron, Moderator of Session.

DR. JENKINS returned last evening from a visit to the smallpox patients, at Winsloe Road, Afton Road—where he vaccinated fourteen persons—and Fort Augustus. At Winsloe Road, the two cases in the Munn family are doing well. In the Gillan family the first patient is convalescent, and of the three last cases one is very severe and the others light. The case of Mrs. Campbell has developed. She was vaccinated when a child, but owing to old age and a weak constitution it is thought she will have a hard time to pull through. All the cases at Fort Augustus are progressing favorably.

THE experiment which Messrs. Tuckett & Son entered upon when they commenced to make the "Myrtle Navy" tobacco was this; to give the public a tobacco of the very finest Virginia leaf at the smallest possible margin. It would be so extensively bought as to remunerate them. By the end of three years the demand for it had grown so much as to give assurance that the experiment was within reach. The demand for it to-day is more than ten times greater than it was then, and it is still increasing. Success has been reached.

No individual has suffered, pecuniarily, by the smallpox, to a greater extent than mine host of the Rocklin House. His large passenger traffic was at the beginning of the scourge entirely cut off, and he has remained ever since. But he is now again prepared to receive visitors with perfect safety to all concerned. The Rocklin has been thoroughly cleaned from top to bottom, painted and refitted, and is now in a better state for the accommodation of visitors than it has been. We need not say that we trust the Rocklin will now be more largely patronized than ever, and that, like Job of old, Mr. Fraser will be more prosperous in his last days than in his first.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The Queen's Speech

The Queen's speech was read at the Ministerial dinner to-day. Referring to Ireland, the speech says, in substance, that although in some respects there are favorable indications of progress towards order in that country, yet at present Ireland is disturbed by an increasing tendency to resort to unlawful practices, and a disposition to set law at naught. The government, therefore, recognizes its duty to take energetic steps to enforce the law, in order to provide security for life and property, and to the maintenance of the integrity of the union, and measures necessary to carry these ends will be submitted to Parliament. The speech further promises local government measures for England, to be followed by similar measures for Scotland and Ireland, and a bill to cheapen and facilitate the transfer of lands. It refers to the hopeful prospects of the Egyptian commission establishing stable governments in Egypt. That the question of annexing Burma will not be decided until Lord Dufferin reports on the subject, but that the deposition of Tielbow is necessary. It congratulates Parliament on the peaceful foreign relations of Great Britain, trusts peace will be maintained in the Balkans through the self-control of the powers interested, and concludes by expressing the hope that the new parliament will follow the great traditions of parliament.

Besperate Conflict with Strikers.

A despatch from Mount Pleasant to-night states that Sheriff Stewart and forty deputies and twenty armed police from Pittsburg had a desperate conflict with 250 strikers this afternoon, and succeeded in arresting thirteen. A negro without provocation fired at the Hungarians with a shot gun but failed to hit any one. They surrounded his house, dragged the negro out and beat him fearfully. He will probably die. Detective Brophy talked to the foreigners, telling them it was useless to resist and they would arrest the ringleaders. Brophy arrested one striker which opened the ball. The combat was hand to hand. Over a hundred shots were fired, and several Hungarians were injured, but the officers won. More bloodshed is feared.

An Ovation to the Queen

The Queen arrived in London to-day from Windsor Castle. She drove from the Railway Station to Buckingham Palace in an open carriage, and received an ovation along the route. Her Majesty, who is in excellent health, will open Parliament in person.

Strangled to Death.

Mark Checkley, a well known pugilist, strangled himself at the police station to-night. He had been arrested on suspicion of stealing a gold chain.

Murderer Hanged

William Sheehan, convicted on Dec. 19 of the murder of his mother, sister and brother, at Castletown, in 1877, was hanged here to-day.

Sir John.

Sir John was engaged to-day with the ministers at his house.

Weather Bulletin

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TOBACCO, Jan. 21.—10 a. m. Fair weather to-day, followed to-night by strong winds and gales from south and east, with sleet or rain.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlottetown, Jan. 20, 1886. Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....37.6 Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....11.3 Lowest Temperature this morning.....3.7 Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....5.6 Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock.....13.0

Wild Talk for Irish M. P's.

INSURRECTION IN IRELAND, MUTINY IN INDIA, AND A RUSSIAN INVASION OF ENGLAND.

The regular fortnightly meeting of the National League was held on the afternoon of the 18th. John Deasy, member of Parliament for West Mayo, occupied the chair, and in his address said he cared neither about the proposed coercion nor reform. The Parnellites were masters of the situation and before the end of the year Ireland would have its own Parliament. Wm. H. Redmond, member for North Sermanagh, said England has armies everywhere, and said the first blow struck at Ireland would fire a train perhaps leading to a successful Indian mutiny and lighting Russians into London to stable their horses in the house of commons. No power on earth could prevent retaliation by the Irish. The Parnellites resolved to persevere in their demand for home rule. Mr. Kenny, member of parliament, said any government attempt to interfere with the national league would be deprived of office in a few weeks.

The three Creole ladies who were discovered starving themselves to death while suffering from smallpox, during the recent epidemic in Montreal, have again come to grief. Dr. LaBerge, the medical health officer, on visiting them a few days ago, found them engaged in an attempt to starve themselves. They have a sewing machine and plenty of needle work, but they informed the doctor that the needles were dented and flew from their hands, there being devils in them. Dr. LaBerge consulted with members of the isolation committee and afterwards secured provisions for them. They will likely be removed to an insane asylum.

The Recent Cold Snap.

The recent cold snap has further manifested the superiority of the Canadian Northwest as a place for extensive cattle breeding. In Texas, which has hitherto been considered the most desirable State for this industry the cattle have died like rotting sheep. The want of water away from the main streams has always been a drawback to that locality, and now it appears that it is subject to frost quite as severe as any experienced in other cattle-raising countries. The water on the ranges, we read, froze solid, the grass is buried beneath the snow and the cattle are perishing by hundreds. The Chinook winds which penetrate through the passes of the Rocky Mountains are found to be a safeguard to the Canadian cattle-breeders who have a well watered country in a well sheltered district.

INTENSE excitement has been created in Brookville, Ont., by the deaths of two women under circumstances judged to point to poison as the cause.

A CARD.—To all who are suffering from errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c. I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America and sent self-addressed envelope to Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D, New York.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate,

VALUABLE IN INDIGESTION. Dr. Daniel T. Nelson, Chicago, says: "I find it a pleasant and valuable remedy in indigestion, particularly in overworked men."

Special Notices

BAND at the Citizen's Rink Thursday night and Saturday afternoon. Jan 20 31

BOY'S SUITS cheap at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

ENDS of Carpets cheap at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

BARGAINS in Prints at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

Men's Suits at extremely low prices at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

The Great Cash Clearance Sale is still going on in all departments at the London House. Jan 19 31

BLACK SILKS very low at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

MEN'S OVERCOATS at a great reduction at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

DRESS GOODS and Remnants very cheap at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

GREY and White Cottons cheap at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 16 31

SCOTCH TWEETS—A grand time to get a suit cheap at the Clearance Sale at the London House. Jan 19 31

DIED.

At St. Augustine, Florida, on the 12th of January, 1886, after two days' illness of congestion of the lungs, George Albert, dearly beloved son of George and Fannie Howatt, aged 8 months.

At Milton, Jan. 21, 1886, Matilda Asenath, dearly beloved wife of John H. Diamond, aged 61 years, trusting in the Lord in hope of a joyful resurrection. She was for many years a member of the church of Christ.

Not for thee shall tears be given, Child of God and heir of heaven, For He gave thee sweet release, Thine the Christian's death of peace. [Funeral on Saturday, 23rd, at 12 o'clock.]

LECTURE.

St. James' Church Y. M. Society.

THE second Lecture of the course will be delivered in

ST. JAMES' HALL, Friday Evening, Jan. 22nd,

Rev. Jas. Carruthers, who will commence a series of Lectures, entitled,

"A Summer Holiday Among Historical Places."

First Lecture: Edinburgh: Then and Now.

Chair taken at 8 o'clock. Admission, 10 Cents. Jan. 20, 1886.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—By a steady young man a situation in a store or printing office; good references. Apply to "J." EXAMINER office. Jan 21 31

LOST A Driving Whip and Patent Pocket. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at the office of A. McNeill. Jan 20 11

FINE ARTS.—Miss A. Alley has reopened her classes in Fine Arts, and is prepared to receive a limited number of pupils. The course of study includes Drawing from casts and still life; painting in oils and water colors, &c.; Decoration on silk, satin and plush. Terms made known on application. Jan 15 61 eod pd

FOR SALE—A small safe. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. Jan 4

WANTED—A Housemaid. Apply to the Matron, P. E. I. Hospital. de 29

BOARDERS—Two or three gentlemen or lady Boarders may find comfortable accommodation by applying to Mrs. William Kennedy, Brick House, Hillsborough Park. sept 14

TWO LET.—The large brick Store on Queen Street, next to J. D. Macleod, Possession given first of May. Apply to A. White. apr 27 - 2aw pat

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PERKINS & STERNS'

WELL-KNOWN LOW PRICES ARE BEING FURTHER REDUCED TO CLEAR BALANCE OF THIS SEASON'S STOCK.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Fur-lined Cloaks.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Winter Jackets.

Immense Discounts to clear balance of Millinery.

Dress Goods, Shawls and Hosiery Cut Away Down Very Low.

Just See the Prices we are Selling Blankets at.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

The Largest Stock, Newest Goods to be found—Useful and Ornamental. Prices to Please Everyone.

Our NEW, LARGE AND WELL-ASSORTED STOCK is now offered to the public at LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Let All Remember that we will not be Undersold by any House in the Trade.

SEE OUR PRICES BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Dec. 11, '85.

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE

A CHANGE AND A CHANGE.

Extraordinary Inducements to Purchasers of Dry Goods.

IT is our intention to make a change in our business early in the New Year, and we shall for a time offer our whole stock of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY at immense reductions in price, commencing MONDAY, the 14th inst.

Our stock of Goods is so large it is impossible for us to enumerate it, but in every department our prices will be

REDUCED 20 to 30 PER CENT

and a lot of Odds and Remnants will be closed out at HALF PRICE.

Our Goods are always marked in plain figures and customers will see that the discounts are made bona fide.

Orders by letter will receive careful and prompt attention.

We will also prepay freight to the country on all purchases exceeding ten dollars.

The above discounts are for Cash only, but for purchases exceeding fifty dollars we will allow three months' credit.

This is our first Big Discount Sale, and we intend to fulfil all the promises of our advertisement.

W. W. BEER.

Ch'town, Dec. 10, '85—dy wy 2mos

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK.

ESTABLISHED, 1842.

Assets, One Hundred and Five Millions (\$105,000,000.)

Amount of Policies Now in Force about Four Hundred Millions (\$400,000,000.)

DIVIDENDS to Policy Holders LARGER than those of any other Company.

It has no Stock Holders to claim any part of the Profits,—the Assets and Surplus all belong to the Assured.

It is the BEST COMPANY in which to insure, as it combines all the advantages of Age, Large Membership, Financial Strength, Absolute Security, and the Cheapest Insurance that is honestly possible under any contract, which has a definite value to the beneficiary.

J. W. FITZPATRICK, Travelling Agent for the Maritime Provinces. JOHN MACEACHERN, Agent for P. E. Island. Ch'town, 22, 1882—1mo non sat

PROGRAMME OF CONCERT!

IN AID OF Smallpox Sufferers,

TO BE HELD IN THE MARKET HALL,

—ON— Thursday Evening, Jan. 21st.

Instrumental..... Military Band.

Vocal Duet—"O Swallow, Happy Swallow"..... Mrs. Duxton and Mrs. Brown.

Vocal Solo..... Mrs. Gaul.

Piano Solo—"Voice of the Morning"..... Wilson Master Harry Stirling.

Vocal Solo—"The Return"..... Millard Miss Hickey.

Vocal Duet—"Life's Dream is O'er"..... Archer Miss Crabbe and Mr. Earle.

Vocal Solo..... Herr Hermans.

Cornet Solo..... Mr. Major Galbraith.

Vocal Solo..... Mrs. Strickland.

Piano Solo—"La Cascade der Rubis"..... Smith Master Fred Morris.

Vocal Solo—"Oh! Oh! the Wild Wind Blows"..... Tito Mattie Mr. Caven.

Vocal—Selections from "Pinafore" by particular request..... Sullivan Miss Earle and Mr. Frank Beer.

Instrumental..... Military Band.

Vocal Solo..... Miss Knight.

Instrumental Duet—"La Gallina"..... Gottschalk Miss Caven and Mr. Earle.

Vocal Solo—"She Wandered Down the Mountain Side"..... Tito Mattie Mr. Duxton.

"God Save the Queen."

Positively no Encores.

Price of admission—Reserved seats, 35 cents; Unreserved 25 cents.

Doors open at 7.30. Concert begins at 8 o'clock. Jan. 18th, 1886.

To the Civic Electors of the City of Charlottetown:

GENTLEMEN,—In compliance with the request of several hundred citizens, I consider it my duty to offer as a candidate for the Mayoralty of this city.

If elected I shall administer the city affairs economically, and as a guarantee of my future actions I may mention that during my former occupancy of the Civic Chair, debentures to the amount of several thousand dollars were paid off, an occurrence which did not happen for many years previously.

In regard to a system of water supply, it is now generally conceded that a system of sewerage would sooner or later have to follow the introduction of water works. Any private company having the privilege of making profits from water works, in this city, should be required to construct sewerage, if, after proper investigation, it be found that water works would necessitate sewerage. Should a majority of the City Councilors deem it desirable to bring in a supply of pure water, for domestic as well as for fire purposes, without entailing any great additional taxation, I would approve of the same, provided the question were submitted to a meeting of the citizens for their consent.

I am opposed to the unjust poll tax upon citizens over sixty years of age, and also upon all those who contribute to the city revenue through personal or property taxes, and shall endeavor to keep down taxation. I am in favor of every improvement and convenience for the health and comfort of my fellow citizens within the means of the tax payers; but to obtain them, I am not in favor of increasing the debt of the city, the interest on which already absorbs a large portion of our city revenue.

I shall pursue the same course in the future as in the past in regard to saving and expending the citizens' taxes without extravagance, and will otherwise, if elected, do all in my power to serve the best interests of the city.

I am, gentlemen, Your obedient servant, D. R. M. HOOPER.

Ch'town, Jan. 19, 1886—eod

BOOKS! BOOKS!

BY Auction, MONDAY, January 25th, at 2 and 7 o'clock p. m., a large consignment of new and second-hand BOOKS, direct from Edinburgh, Scotland. For particulars get Catalogue.

Jan. 19—3y4 wk 11 A. MCNEILL, Auctioneer.

New Furniture, &c., &c., at Auction.

AT Rooms, FRIDAY, 22nd inst., at 2 o'clock, p. m.— 1 Parlor Set, walnut, velvet and repp. 1 do walnut and haircloth. 1 Bedroom Set, ash and walnut. do stained elm. 1 do painted. 1 Centre Table, 1 Dining Table. 2 Hat Racks, 2 Whatnots—all new and good. 3 Easy Chairs, 3 Feather Beds, 3 pairs Blankets, 1 Office Desk and sundry other articles of Furniture, Stoves, &c.—A first class lot. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Auctioneer. Jan. 16—fri sat tu th

Valuable Property in the Royalty.

THE Subscriber, owing to ill health, has decided to give up farming; he, therefore, offers his property in the Royalty for private Sale. It is situated on the Malpeque Road, about two miles from the city, comprises about 37 acres of excellent land, and is in a high state of cultivation. There is a good Dwelling House and two Barns, horse and cow Stable and three Barracks; also, a never-failing Well of water at the door.

For Terms apply to the owner, on the premises, or to William Dodd, in the city. J. W. HOLMAN, Royalty. Ch'town, Jan. 15, 1886—3awk 1mo

50 Lovely New Style of Chromo Cards,

with name and price for 10c. 12 packs, 12 names, for \$1. A sample pack and agent's outfit with illustrated catalogue of Tricks and Novelties, for 3c. stamp and this slip. A. W. KINNEY, Yarmouth, N. S.—mar