

Local and Other Items.

SECRET ACT.—Several new summarises have been received.

BOARD OF TRADE.—The Board of Trade will continue the discussion on Commercial Union this evening.

WINTER TIME TABLE.—The winter time table of the I. C. R. is expected to go into effect on Monday the 28th inst.

VOTERS LISTS.—Just out—the voter's list for Charlottetown and Royalty. For sale by Geo. W. Gardiner, Queen Square.

TO CALL AT SOURIS.—The S. S. Bonavista will call at Souris to-day. A large amount of freight is waiting her arrival there.

HARDLY NECESSARY.—It is hardly necessary to call particular attention to the Penny Readings to be given in St. Peter's Schoolroom, on Tuesday evening next.

A GOOD PROGRAMME.—Some of our best readers and musicians will assist at the Penny Readings in St. Peter's Schoolroom on Tuesday evening next. See programme.

THE M. A. STARR.—The steamer M. A. Starr, Captain Ferguson, after taking in a cargo of pork, canned goods, etc., etc., sailed for Halifax at nine o'clock yesterday morning.

THE SOCIAL.—Be sure and attend the tea and social in the Y. M. C. A. Hall to-morrow evening. Tea on tables at six o'clock. Admission to hall 10 cents; to tea and hall 25 cents.

BUSINESS EXTENSION.—Messrs. Norton & Fennell are having a new iron-house built on their new premises (Dorsey & Goff's old stand, Queen Street), and are making other improvements preparatory to moving in.

POLICE COURT.—One drunk and two dog tax delinquents appeared before His Honor this morning. The drunk was disposed of for \$1 and one of the delinquents in the dog tax cases was fined \$1 and costs and the other dismissed.

TO CONTRIBUTORS.—All parties sending contributions to the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The committee will be there to receive them. Contributions thankfully received.

TEA AND ENTERTAINMENT.—Be sure to patronize the tea and entertainment in aid of the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow evening. A good programme has been prepared and the tea is in the same excellent hands that prepared the grand tea last spring.

UNLIKE OTHER cathartics, Dr. Pierce's "Pellets" do not render the bowels costive after operation, but, on the contrary, establish a permanently healthy action. Being entirely vegetable, no particular care is required while using them. By druggists.

TO THE FRONT AGAIN.—The Harvey Co. Observer, to hand last mail, reports "damp rains" at that place recently. What a peculiar place Harvey Co. must be. First "wet rain," and then "damp rain." We are always having something new sprung upon us.

PERSONAL.—Messrs. Fred Davies and Arthur W. McKinlay, two well known and popular young men, left this morning for Florida, which place they intend to make their future home. We wish them success. Mr. Hegon, C. E. St. John, N. B., is at the Rankin.

RAILWAY MEN.—The railway men's temperance meeting yesterday afternoon, was, we are informed, large and enthusiastic. Rev. Mr. Hogg, of Moncton, said in the course of his address, that for Charlottetown to go back from Scott Act to license would be to commit a fatal mistake.

GOSE WRONG.—A young man named Arthur Cardinal, employed as a collector and confidential clerk by Lyon Silverman, manufacturer of flavoring extracts, Montreal, has skipped out with some \$400 or \$500 of his employer's money. When he and McNeally meet what a time they will have.

A CUSTOMS OFFICER'S CAREER.—The Halifax Mail publishes an interesting account of the career of Special Customs Officer Curless, who is a native of Grand Falls, N. B. He has been a printer, a sailor, a lumberman, a rail-roader, a farmer, a smuggler, a drummer, and a customs officer. Officer Curless is known to many people in Charlottetown.

EIGHTEEN AND FOURTEEN.—A novel marriage took place at the F. C. B. parsonage, Norton Station, N. B., on Wednesday, 9th inst., when the Rev. Wm. DeWare united in marriage Wm. Howe, aged 18, and Angelina Colpitts, aged 14. The bride was attended by her sister Mary, and the groom by his brother Levi. King's County Record.

CURLING.—There will be a meeting of the Charlottetown Curling Club at the Board of Trade rooms, MacEachern Building, on Wednesday afternoon next, 23rd inst., at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is particularly requested, as arrangements are to be made for the coming winter curling.—A. A. BARTLETT, Secretary.

LOST WITH ALL ON BOARD.—The schooner Glenora, while on a voyage from Port Williams to Kingston, Ont., with a cargo of grain, was wrecked on Lake Superior during a gale on Thursday morning and all hands were drowned. The crew consisted of seven men. The Glenora was but two years old and was valued at \$18,000. She was commanded by Captain Matthew Patterson.

COUNTERFEITING.—Five Indians are on trial at London, Ont., for making counterfeit money. The plan pursued by them is said to be much superior to the old system of casting from dies. They simply make impressions of quarters, half dollars, and dollars in plaster of Paris and cast the money therein. The specimens produced in court were excellent imitations, but the proportion of lead to glass was so large that they had no ring.

WILL BE OF BENEFIT.—The line of steamers which is expected to ply weekly between Souris, Charlottetown, Halifax and ports in the United States, will do much to develop the trade of the country. Farmers in the eastern part of the Island can, when this line is established, send their potatoes, butter, eggs, etc., straight to the American market and get prompt returns in cash. Fishermen can also do the same with their fish, which will be a great boon to both classes.

BOSTON COMEDY COMPANY.—The Lyceum held another large audience to witness "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" on Saturday evening last, and the piece was well played. Manager Webber made a telling speech in front of the curtain, at the end of the fourth act, in which he referred to the large increase in patronage the past week. His announcement of a return next season received emphatic approval. The company play this week in Summerside, and we cordially recommend them as being in every way worthy of patronage.

ELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

ANOTHER COLLISION

Two Steamers Collide.

ONE SUNK AS A RESULT.

140 PASSENGERS MISSING.

22 Bodies Recovered.

LATEST PARTICULARS.

LONDON, Nov. 20.

The Dutch steamer W. A. Scholtan, Capt. Saot, left Rotterdam yesterday morning for New York, and was sunk by collision with the steamer Rosa May, of Hartlepool, at 11 o'clock last night, ten miles off Dover. The Scholtan carried a complement of 230 passengers and crew. The steamer Elva, of Sunderland, rescued 90 of the crew and passengers, and landed them at the Sailors' Home, Dover. One hundred and forty passengers are missing. One passenger and child of the party brought to Dover were found dead from exposure. Boats soon left Dover bound in all directions for the purpose of saving life and property if possible. The Rosa May is anchored off Ramsgate with tow boats. Up to 2.05 p. m., 22 bodies have been landed at Dover. At the time of the accident a dense fog prevailed. The Scholtan was struck on the port bow by the Rosa May. Immediately after the shock the passengers, all of whom had retired for the night, rushed on deck in night gowns. The boats were promptly ordered lowered, but it was found that only two were available; the others were useless and were not lowered. The water rushed swiftly through the hole in the bow, and a terrible scene ensued. The panic-stricken passengers uttered piercing shrieks. Many fell upon their knees and prayed aloud. The officers were cool and self-possessed, remaining on the bridge to the last. Several persons secured life belts and leaped into the sea. Within twenty minutes after the shock the Scholtan was engulfed. All who had belts floated and were rescued by boats from the steamer Elva, which raised around till 4 a. m.

Scenes on Trafalgar Square.

LONDON, Nov. 20.

Vast throngs of sightseers crowded the vicinity of Trafalgar Square to-day. Many thousand police constables guarded every approach to the Square itself. There was no disorder or rioting. A great meeting in Hyde Park adopted resolutions denouncing the imprisonment of editor O'Brien, denouncing Sir Chas. Warren, head of the London police, and Home Secretary Matthews, and asserting the right of free assemblage.

Went Through the Canal.

MONTREAL, Nov. 20.

About 4 o'clock this morning, as a freight train, composed of an engine, three box cars and van, on the South Eastern Branch of the C. P. R. Railway, was crossing the new bridge over the Lachine Canal, it suddenly went through into the canal into 16 feet of water, the swing bridge having been left open. Why the bridge was open has not yet transpired. The engineer, named Remington, was killed and the fireman fatally injured. Three others were more or less seriously injured.

Burned Down.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Nov. 20.

The main building of the winter quarters of Barnum & Bailey's greatest show on earth, was burned to-night with all the tent poles, seats and most of the animals. The loss is estimated at \$700,000; insurance \$100,000. Thirty-two elephants and one lion escaped into the country.

A Munificent Gift.

TORONTO, Nov. 20.

Hon. John McDonald has donated \$40,000 towards the establishment of a new hospital in this city. Preliminary arrangements for carrying out the object of the gift, and increasing the fund to \$150,000, have been placed by him in the hands of the Board of Trustees of Toronto University.

To Go Into Liquidation.

TORONTO, Nov. 20.

The Central Bank will go into liquidation. It will begin redeeming its circulation to-morrow.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Nov. 21—10 a. m.

Westerly winds, mostly fair and cooler.

Government Bond.

SIR.—The stench at the crossing at Black Sam's Bridge, during the damp weather we have had lately, has been fearful from the tannery on the one side, and the mud from the Pond on the other. I observe that the Board of Health, have, during the last few days, allowed the tide to flow in. But the water drains out at low water. The old plan was to shut the water in on the highest spring tide at this season of the year for skating ice. The spring tides are off, so that when Jack Frost comes there will be no ice.

RALLY OF LADIES TO-NIGHT.

Y. M. C. A.—Take your tea to-morrow evening in the Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Leonovens.

A press correspondent writes: "I do not know whether the people of the City of the Straits have heard Mrs. Leonovens' lecture on 'Siam, its King and Court,' if not, a rare treat from a most accomplished and gifted lady is in store for you. If you have listened to her, then what I have said, as Toots would say 'is of no consequence.' This charming and exceedingly intelligent lady has given us two lectures, which were received with marked favor by her audience. Many of our citizens—both ladies and gentlemen—have paid their respects in person to Mrs. L., and have been charmed by her conversation, intelligence and manner."

To Lecture.

ALMOST READY.—The new Rankin House building on Water Street is now almost ready for occupation.

DEATHS.

There were 35 deaths from diphtheria in Montreal last week.

PENNY READINGS.

St. Peter's Boys' Schoolroom.

TUESDAY, NOV. 22, INST.,

- 1. Instrumental Duet. Messrs. Earle and Foster.
2. Reading. Mr. Simpson.
3. Song. Mrs. Robertson.
4. Instrumental Solo. Miss E. Palmer.
5. Song. Mr. Hermans.
6. Reading. Miss Katie Wright.
7. Song. Mr. Parker Carvell.
8. Instrumental Duet. Miss Maud Deslinsky and Mr. Earle.
9. Song. Mr. Maynard.
10. Reading. Mr. Arnard.
11. Song. Miss Earle.
12. Reading. Mr. E. J. Hodgson.
13. Song. Mr. Tanton.
14. Instrumental Duet. Mr. Vincombe and Miss E. Palmer.
15. God Save the Queen.
Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Commence at 8. Nov. 21, 1887.

Apples, Herring, &c.

BY AUCTION ON

Wednesday, November 23,

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

50 barrels Ontario Apples, 50 barrels Nova Scotia Apples, in Spys, Greenings, Gravensteins, Kings, Baldwin's, Pippins, &c., all choice fruit. Also, 100 barrels No. 1 Labrador Herring.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer, Nov. 21, 1887.

MARKET HALL.

TUESDAY EVENING, Nov. 22

E. KING DODDS, ESQ.,

Recognized as one of the Ablest and Most Convincing Speakers in Canada, will deliver a FAIR and UNBIASED Lecture on the Subject of

TEMPERANCE

in which he will demonstrate that the Scott Act has RETARDED rather than ADVANCED the Cause of

PROHIBITION

Come and hear SOLID FACTS. Doors open at 7.15. Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. Nov. 19, 1887.

HORSES.

BY AUCTION, TUESDAY, November 22nd, at 2 o'clock on Market Square:

1 Good Working Horse. 1 Carriage Horse. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Nov. 19, 1887, 21.

SCOTT ACT ELECTION.

THE BALLOT.

24TH NOVEMBER, 1887.

Voting on the Petition to the Governor General for the revocation of the Order in Council bringing into force of the second part of "The Canada Temperance Act" in the City of Charlottetown.

FOR THE PETITION.

AGAINST THE PETITION.

The petition upon which the votes are being taken is a petition to repeal the Scott Act in this city. Therefore, all voters who desire the repeal of the Act will vote for the petition by placing a X in the upper space of the Ballot, opposite the printed words "For the Petition."

If a voter places any mark except a cross on the ballot the vote will be void and the ballot thrown away.

GREAT DRY GOODS SALE.

We intend to make extensive alterations in our premises next spring, and a change in our business, and to do this must clear out our entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets, &c., &c.

To dispose of this immense stock within so short a time, it must be sold at a sacrifice, and we shall therefore, give discounts varying from 20 up to 30 per cent

The stock consists of Seasonable and Fashionable Goods, which are all marked in plain figures, and at prices that are well known to be the lowest in the market.

This Sale will be for CASH ONLY.

HARRIS & STEWART

SUCCESSORS TO GEO. DAVIES & CO.

London House, Nov. 18, 1887.

NOTICE.

The Charlottetown Board of Trade.

THE adjourned meeting of this Corporation will be held at Board room on MONDAY evening, 21st inst., at half-past seven o'clock.

By order, JOHN MACEACHERN, Sec'y. Nov. 19, 1887.—21

School of Art and Design (Halifax)

(Intended for the Benefit of the Maritime Provinces.)

MRS. LEONOVENS will deliver a Lecture in the Y. M. C. A. Hall here, on THURSDAY EVENING NEXT, 24th Inst., at 8 o'clock, on

Siam—Its Court & Customs,

Illustrated with numerous representations of the people, pagodas, great sleeping idols, and other remarkable views of Siamese Life. Proceeds to go to an Endowment Fund on behalf of the above School. Antagonists. Tickets 25 cents; each; may be had at the door. Nov. 18, 1887.

Cattle! Cattle!

AT Auction, at field of OWEN CONNOLLY ESQ., head of Queen Street.

On Tuesday Next, 22nd Nov., Inst., AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

63 Head Cattle, (Cows, Steers, Heifers and large Oxen), some fat and balance for winter feeding, just received from Antigonish. Liberal terms will be given on approved joint notes. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Auctioneer. Ch'town, Nov. 18, 1887.—18

BLACK DIAMOND LINE.

LAST TRIPS FOR THIS SEASON.

For St. John's, Newfoundland.

S. S. "COBAN"

will be due at Charlottetown about

Saturday, 26th November.

These steamers will have room for produce under deck and carry cattle and sheep on deck. For freight or passage apply to

PEAKE BROS. & CO., AGENTS. Oct. 29—3ins & 3aw 11 nov 22

RED CROSS LINE

FOR NEW YORK

THE S. S. BONAVISTA

is intended to sail from CHARLOTTETOWN FOR NEW YORK,

on or about TUESDAY, 22nd inst. For freight or passage apply to

FENTON T. NEWBERY, AGENT. Ch'town, Nov. 18, 1887.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED—A Boy about 11 years old, to learn the Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing Business.—W. N. Tanton, 218 Queen Street. nov 21 3i cod pd

FOUND.—A few days ago, a bunch of keys. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. Apply at this office.

WANTED—A Female Servant in a family where another is kept. Apply at this office. nov 18 cod 1f

WANTED—A Cook and Nurse. Apply to Mrs H. James Palmer. nov 3 1f

TO LET—Half of a double house on King Street near Fowall Street. Apply at EXAMINER'S office. nov 18 3i cod 1f

IN THE FRONT RANK.

WHEN Buying, don't forget that

Perkins & Sterns

are always to the front with the

Newest, Best and Cheapest Dry Goods

Their stock is new and fresh, and having been purchased from first hands for ready money, you can depend upon getting your supplies from them at

VERY LOWEST PRICES.

New and Cheap Dress Goods, Cloths, Velvets, Plushes, &c. New and Cheap Jackets, Fur Capes, Fur Cloaks, Muffs, &c. Cheapest Underclothing, Cardigan Jackets and Hosiery to be found.

Flannels of all kinds very cheap.

Fleecy Cottons away down low.

Oil Cloths, Carpets, Mattings and Room Paper.

Perkins & Sterns

Nov. 15—dy & wky

City Hardware Store

Fall and Winter Stocks of

English,

American and

Canadian

General Hardware, Carriage Goods

—AND—

PAINTERS' SUPPLIES

are about completed—Wholesale & Retail.

NORTON & FENNELL.

Nov. 3, 1887.—2aw & wky

Charlottetown Boot & Shoe Factory

BETTER THAN EVER.

Old Lasts Thrown Away; New Lasts

Received.

The Long-Looked for Boot at Last.

Great Comfort.

Great Wear.

Best Value.

GOFF BROS.

Ch'town, Nov. 14, 1887.—cod & wky