Local and Other Items.

MEASLES are prevalent in Moncton.

TO-NIGHT.—The doors of the Market Hall will not be open to-night until 7.30.

CARPENTERS are wanted to work on the new exhibition buildings. See advertisement.

H. M. S. PINAFORE.—Performers will enter by the back entrance in the Market Hall this evening.

SCOTT ACT.—To-morrow will be Scott Act day at the Police Court. Three new cases stand for trial.

BAND PRACTICE.—The new band of the 82nd Battalion will meet to-morrow night at Market Hall at 8 o'clock.

A GOOD THING.—As a cure for indigestion, fever, loss of appetite, malaria, use Campbell's Quinine Wine, at Reddin Bros.

A CURE.—For loss of appetite, dyspepsia and general languidness, Campbell's Quinine Wine is a sure cure. For sale at Reddin Bros.

POLICE COURT.—This morning an assault case between two women was disposed of by the defendant being fined $1 and costs; and one drunk was fined $2 or 8 days.

CAMPBELL'S QUININE WINE—has won a reputation for genuineness. It has been used for twenty-five years. As a tonic it stands in high esteem. For sale at Reddin Bros.

CITY COUNCIL.—The City Council met this forenoon, and passed the by-laws specifying the rates of assessment for general civic and waterworks purposes for the current year.

OUT OF WORK.—Advices from Tacoma, Wash., state that there are a thousand persons there at present out of work, and anxiously waiting in the hope that the coming season may bring them some sort of employment.

"Over the bright blue sea
Comes Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B.
Wherever he may go,
Bang! bang! the loud nine pounders go."
Ladies' chorus—"Pinafore."

BADLY SOLD.—The *Times* says that some person recently carried off what appeared to be a ham hanging over the door of a Moncton grocery. It was however a sawdust imitation, and the success of the theif in digesting it has not been heard.

IMPORTANT.—Ticket holders will oblige by all being in their seats by ten minutes to 8 this evening to enjoy the preliminary concert before the rising of the curtain for the opera. Some choice pieces will be given. The selections from "The Mikado" are magnificent.

FEVER.—As a preventative and cure for fever, Campbell's Quinine Wine has long held a high place in the estimation of the medical profession. In view of the prevalence of fever, it is well for the people to make a note of this fact. Campbell's Quinine is genuine. For sale at Reddin Bros.

NOT GAINING IN FAVOR.—An exchange says: They have prohibition and woman suffrage in South Dakota. But in Sioux City the mayor has arranged with the saloon-keepers to keep their places open if they pay a fine of $50 once a month, find in Rapid City, at the municipal elections, only the demimondians came to the polls. The result is that neither of the systems are gaining in favor.

FARMING WELL ADVANCED.—Telegraphic reports from all parts of Manitoba and the Northwest show that seeding is well advanced and vegetation greatly benefitted by the recent warm and copious showers. Grain is up an inch in some localities. The acreage sown is about 20 per cent greater than last year.

MORE OLD COINS.—Mr. J. A. Griffith, of this city, has, perhaps, one of the largest and best collection of coins in the Province. Among the collection are the following: Spanish dollar, 1773, Carlos III.; Spanish quarter dollars, 1710, Carlos III; and 1723, Philip V.; English shilling, 1758, George II.; English four-pence, 1740, George II.

ALL RIGHT.—Mr. Newton Lee, with Al Right and a few of his colts, arrived here on Saturday evening. All right is in grand condition. The others are to be trained on Charlottetown Driving Park, and will take part in the races to be held here next fall. Among the latter is a two year old filly, full sister to M. F., the colt which was so greatly admired here last fall. All Right is at P. C. Connolly's stable.

CATTLE STARVED.—A Winnipeg despatch says that a Mr. Baldwinson, of Moose Mountain, left fifty head of cattle in care of a man at Lake Dauphin last fall. A few days ago it was found that the man had deserted the premises, and all but nine of the cattle had starved to death. There was an abundance of hay stacked in the front of the cattle, but it was so well fenced in that they could not get at it.

HORSE STEALING.—The *Agriculturist* reports that a young man named Silliker, belonging to O'Leary, is under arrest at Summerside, charged with stealing a horse from Mr. A. McWilliams, of Lot 7. Silliker will be examined before a Justice of the Peace to-day. The *Agriculturist* understands that he has confessed to stealing the horse and selling him to a person at Lot 11, for $30—which sum was found on him when arrested.

AN EXPLANATION WANTED.—The *Agriculturist* says: Mr. E. C Maxfield, Fortune Cove, has forwarded us a bean plant, of this season's growth, about eight inches in height, with pods over three inches in length, bearing beans in an advanced state of growth. This snows under all previous records. Mr. Maxfield assures us that they were not grown in a hot house. Possibly, however, they flourished in a cellar. We await his explanation.

Personal.

The *Kennebec Journal*, Augusta, Me., of the 22nd inst., says: Mr. James Keegan went out for a ride Sunday, the first time he has been out of his house for about six months. "Jim's" many friends were not only glad to see him able to be out but that he is improving so rapidly.

The St. John *Globe* reports that "The many friends of Dr. Sprague of Marysville now in this city, will be pleased to hear that his health has greatly improved during the past few weeks."

The Halifax *Mail* says: "B. D. Higgs, editor of the Island *Guardian*, Charlottetown, graduated in the special course in journalism. The course of studies includes social and political economy, constitutional and international law, history, English literature, French and philosophy. Mr. Higgs is the first graduate in this course. Mr. Higgs returned home on Saturday evening."

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Developing the Northwest.

OTTAWA, April 27.

A lively discussion may be expected in the Senate to-morrow over the Government measure to amend the Acts respecting the Northwest territories. It will be remembered that during the session of 1887 Governor Schultz's Committee on the resources of the great Mackenzie Basin, prepared a report, the information contained in which was a perfect revelation to the English-speaking world. Senator Girard has now given notice that he will move a resolution to the effect that the time has arrived to organize that northwestern part of the Dominion known as the Great Mackenzie River Basin district, and will also call attention to the necessity for adopting measures to better protect the people, mines, fisheries and hunting grounds of that portion of the Dominion. Officers of C. P. R. have been here during past week to oppose the Grand Trunk scheme of extending the Temiscouta road to Moncton, as it is understood they do not want any action taken in this matter by the Government until next session at least. On the other hand the Grand Trunk officials state they are prepared to go on at once so soon as the subsidy is granted by the Government. Their financial arrangements are made in England.

News from Halifax.

HALIFAX, April 27.

The political campaign has been opened with great energy, and all the candidates of both parties will be in the field by the middle of the week.

The Halifax City Council and Board of Trade are taking united action to urge upon the Dominion Government the necessity of providing additional terminal facilities for the railways at Halifax. A delegation will proceed to the Capital, comprising Michael Dwyer, Mayor McPherson, J. B. Morrow, James A. Chipman, and probably others.

The delegates appointed to lay the case of Newfoundland before the people of Canada and England in regard to the French aggressions in connection with the lobster fisheries, will arrive here to-morrow. They will address the Halifax merchants at a special meeting of the Board of Trade.

Rev. George Bond, of St. John's, N. F., President of the Newfoundland Methodist Conference, has been called to the pastorate of the Brunswick Street Methodist Church.

A Destructive Flood.

NEW ORLEANS, April 27.

The *Times-Democrat's* Dallas, Texas, special says the most destructive flood ever known in the history of North Texas is now passing through the Trinity. The great rain of Friday raised every tributary of it far out of their banks. At ten o'clock this morning it passed the highest water mark in 50 years in this city. On the north all residences from one hundred yards beyond Cochrane street are submerged, some to the second floor, and others to the attic, but no one is reported drowned. On the south the houses are submerged as far up as Ward Street. North, South and in front of the city the water is 40 feet deep, and at this hour is still rising.

The Railway Deadlock.

DUBLIN, April 27.

Davitt's efforts have failed to remove the deadlock between the railroad men and their employers. Traffic has been stopped, and passenger and mail trains are giving erratic service. The company is offering good wages to outsiders. The signal men who struck will be prosecuted for endangering the public safety. People are irritated by the losses of trade and the diversion of the American mails to Southampton, and no sympathy is felt for the strikers.

Mr McIntosh Elected.

OTTAWA, April 27.

The election for the seat in the Commons made vacant by the death of Mr. Perley, took place Saturday, and resulted in the return, as supplied by Returning Officer Swetland, of C. H. McIntosh by a majority of 858. The vote stood: McIntosh, Conservative, 2,454; Hay, equal rights, 1,596; Chrysler Straight, Grit, 1,242.

A Village Blown Away.

LITTLE YORK, Ark., April 27.

A special to the *Gazette* says: Yorkville village, a few miles south-west of Cotton Plant, Woodruff County, was entirely blown away during a heavy wind and rain storm early yesterday morning. Hundreds of cattle and stock are reported killed, but no loss of human life has so far been ascertained.

Crowfoot Dead.

OTTAWA, April 27.

Crowfoot, the great chief of the Blackfeet Indians, died Friday afternoon on the reserve at Blackfeet Crossing, N. W. T. His last words were thanking the Government for the kindness shown to him, and asking for a continuation of the same for his people.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, April 28.—10 a. m.

Moderate to fresh winds, shifting to westerly; mostly cloudy or foggy, with occasional rain.

S. S. "William."

FOR CHARTER.

THE ABOVE STEAMER is now open for Charter to ports in United States, Newfoundland or elsewhere. Apply to R. McMILLAN.

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TO LET—A House on Great George Street. Apply to C. H. MACNEILL. tf—ap25

TO LET.—That desirable Cottage situate on Dorchester Street, now occupied by Mr. T. H. Gillis. Possession given about 8th of May. Apply to FRANK BROS. & Co. tf—ap25

Reflection.

And as I walked beneath a sunny sky,
Where nature all was bright and beautiful,
The wild white flowers, the music of the birds,
Alll seemed to say that life should not be sad
But bright and fair, and happy, too, like these.
Then, as I saw a cloud, there came the thought
That rain must fall or flowers would wilt and die.
The voice of singing bird would silent be;
The trees no longer give their wonted shade,
And so in life if all were happiness,
A character of beauty could not be.
Then as God sends us sunny days or rain,
We'll thank Him for His loving kindness.

E. L. FRANCIS.

Ch'town, April 28, 1890.

K. D. C. Will Cure You.

MORTGAGE SALE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, at 12 30 p. m., on the premises, under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 16th day of July, A. D 1883, and made between James Fitzsimmons and Catherine Fitzsimmons, his wife, of the one part, and Angus A. McLean, of the other part:

All that tract, piece and parcel of Land, being part of Town Lot Number 91, in the first hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, bounded and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-east angle of Town Lot Number 90, in the first hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, on the north side of Dorchester Street; thence northwardly eighty feet; thence eastwardly forty-two feet; thence southerly eighty feet to Dorchester Street; thence along the said street westwardly forty-two feet to the place of commencement.

For further particulars apply at office of Messrs McLean & Macdonald, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated the 28th day of April, 1890.

A. A. McLEAN, Mortgagee.

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71st Anniversary

I. O. O. F.

THE ODDFELLOWS OF P. E. ISLAND will close the celebration of their Natal Day (1890) with an

Entertainment in Market Hall

—ON—

MONDAY EVENING, 28th APRIL,

when will be presented Gilbert & Sullivan's complete Opera of

H. M. S. PINAFORE,

with full Scenery, Costumes and Orchestral accompaniments, to be preceded by an half hour's Concert of choice Vocal and Orchestral Music.

S. N. EARLE.....Musical Director
H. W. VINNICOMBE...Leader of Orchestra

☞ See Programme, giving full Musical Libretto.

Tickets, 50 cents and 25 cents, to be had at the Drug Stores, Diamond Bookstore, and from members of the Order. Should any remain unsold, they may be had at ticket office in Hall on night of Concert.

Doors open at 7.30. Curtain rises at 8.

H. M. DAVISON, Chairman Com. R. D. COFFIN, Secretary.

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TEA AND FANCY SALE.

On Wednesday, May 7th,

There will be a Tea and Fancy Sale

IN THE LYCEUM,

—IN AID OF—

Notre Dame Convent.

OYSTERS, ICE CREAM and Refreshments of all kinds will be served.

Doors open at 2 p. m. Tea ready at 6 p.m. An agreeable time is anticipated.

Admission, 10 cents. Tea, 25 cents.

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VALUABLE BUILDING LOT, BY AUCTION.

I AM instructed by Mr. William Pearden, to sell by Auction, on the premises,

On Wednesday, 30th instant,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

That valuable Building Lot, situated on the corner of Great George and Fitzroy Streets. Terms at sale.

GEORGE M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

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Boston Steamers.

S. S. "CARROLL"

WILL leave Boston on WEDNESDAY, 30th April.

Returning, will leave Charlottetown on MONDAY, 5th May, at 6 p. m.

CARVELL BROS., Agents.

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

CARPENTERS WANTED.—To work on the Exhibition Building at Charlottetown. Apply at once to Schurman Clark & Co., Summerside or D. Kirk, foreman, on the grounds. april 23—5i pd

GOOD IRON SAFE, $35, at Goff Bros. ap28—1w d&w

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—One Thousand Dollars on first-class Farm Property, first mortgage, for a term of from one to five years. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. 5i pd—ap25

TO LET.—A House on Pownal Street, now occupied by Mrs. Messervey. Apply to WILLIAM MURPHY. tf

WE LAY SPECIAL CLAIM

—TO—

Novelty in Styles, Variety in Patterns, and Moderation in Prices.

—(x)—

You will find Pleasure and Profit in an Inspection of our Stock of Dress Goods.

—(x)—

STANLEY BROTHERS,

BROWN'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE MARKET SQUARE.

Charlottetown, April 28, 1890—eod

NOW READY WITH OUR SPRING STOCK!

—(x)—

72 CASES DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY,

—COMPRISING—

All the Newest Things in Dress Material, Dress Robes, Trimming, Millinery, Hats, Flowers, Ribbons, Laces, etc.

—(x)—

14 CASES MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

THE BEST EVER SHOWN BY US.

OUR PRICES WILL BE FOUND THE LOWEST IN THE CITY.

J. B. MACDONALD.

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

—(x)—

90 Cases Now Open and More to Follow.

—(x)—

Ladies should see our Fine Boots. Gentlemen should see our Fine Boots. We have also the Medium and Heavy Boots The Largest Stock of CHILDREN'S BOOTS in the City—all new stock. Inspection solicited.

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

Charlottetown, April 23, 1890—eod & wky

OLD ESTABLISHED PRICES GONE!

BARGAINS —IN— Parlor Sets —AND— Bedroom Sets, —AT— MARK WRIGHT & CO'S.

In no branch of business has the reduction of prices been so noticeably great in the last few years as in the Furniture trade, and more especially in Parlor and Bedroom Sets of Furniture has this great reduction in prices taken place. Also the fact that Walnut Parlor Sets cost to-day less than half the price paid not many years ago. Improved machinery and new and scientific methods of production have effected these changes in the price of Furniture. As far as we are concerned, we have adopted into our Factory system such improvements as the advance of the times demanded, and our present GREAT CHEAP SALE OF PARLOR SETS and BEDROOM SETS is the result of our successful efforts in this line. Over 100 Bedroom Sets are in process of manufacture in our Factory at the present, whereas a quarter of that quantity would be a large number to undertake at once with former facilities. We are therefore in a position to conduct our GREAT CHEAP SALE OF FURNITURE unlimited, and invite the public to come and inspect our extensive variety in Parlor and Bedroom Sets, and compare new prices with the old prices of former years.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES —FROM— $7.50 up.

Fringe Blinds,
Dado Blinds,
Plain Blinds,
Curtain Poles & Trimmings, in great variety.

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Bankrupt Stok of Boots and Shoes.

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BEING desirous of closing out our Bankrupt Stock of BOOTS & SHOES, we will offer greater inducements than ever for the next two weeks. Come and see us, and do not complain of hard times when you can buy

MISSES' RUBBER BOOTS, reduced from $1.50 to $1.00
97 pairs WOMEN'S BUTTON BOOTS, reduced from $1.50 to 75 cents.
A Job Lot of WOMEN'S and BOYS, " " $1.30 to 65 cents.
100 pairs CHILD'S STRONG BOOTS, " " 65 cents to 45 cents.

We have bought a few hundred pairs of Ladies' No. 4, and Gentlemen's No. 7 Boots, which we are selling at invoice prices.

GOFF BROS.

Charlottetown, April 16, 1890.