

Local Items.

Mr. E. Roache lectured before the St. Dunstan's Temperance Society on Monday night last. The English Mail which reached Halifax per Steamer Cuba, on the 30th inst., was received in Charlottetown on Saturday night.

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By recent exchanges we observe that Joseph J. Little, Esq., has been elected member for Harbor Main, Newfoundland. Mr. Little, who professes anti-Confederate principles, is the son of the late Mr. Cornelius Little, of this City.

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Despatches from Gaspé, dated 8th ult., says a timber-laden ship, name unknown, went ashore near the Magdalen river last week. The captain, the two mates, steward and nine seamen were drowned; ten men were saved, but were badly frozen.

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The Ottawa Parliament adjourned on the 21st of December until the 12th of March next, and during the recess it is supposed that a Government delegation will proceed to England to consult with the Imperial authorities on the important subject of the Intercolonial Railroad.

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'I say boy, is there anything to shoot here? I inquired a sportsman of a boy he met. 'Well,' replied the boy, 'nothing just about here, but our old schoolmaster is just over the hill there cutting birch rods; you might walk up and pop him over.'

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The Christmas Market was the largest ever witnessed in Charlottetown. The spacious new Market Hall was literally crowded with people, and the supply of geese, ducks, turkeys, &c., was so abundant, that a considerable quantity of it remained unsold.

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The members of the Victoria Steam Engine Company, under command of Capt. Strickland, had a torch-light procession on Monday night, the 2d, after which they repaired with their friends to the Upper Hall in the new Market House, where they enjoyed themselves for several hours.

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The Halifax Express says the health of His Lordship Bishop Lynch, of Toronto, has become much impaired, and he has been advised by his physicians to pass a portion of the winter at Key West, Florida.

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A Brussels letter, in the Journal of Liege, a Ministerial organ, says:—The public will learn with satisfaction that the physical and moral state of the Empress Charlotte has greatly improved of late.

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The two best abused men in North America are President Johnson of the United States and General Manager King of the Bank of Montreal. We would recommend a debate on the question, 'Who deserves the abuse most, Johnson or King,' to the consideration of some of our debating clubs.

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Edwards Kelly, Esquire, to be Queen's Printer for this Island, in the place of the Honorable Edward Whelan, deceased. William Sanderson, Esquire, to be a Commissioner for the Recovery of Small Debts for the Court at Georgetown, in the place of George Poole, Esquire, deceased.

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A Paris letter says: "In conclusion, I will give you the last raving lunacy in female dress. Listen! Around the waist is fastened a broad girdle, from which behind depends some great gold ornament.

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From the Newfoundland of the 29th Dec. we learn that on Wednesday the 18th inst. the brigantine Rainbow left this place bound for Baltimore.

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At the residence of the bride's father, Pownall, on New Year's Day, by the Rev. Alexander Falconer, Mr. Artemus McCallum, of Clyde River, to Mary Ann, fourth daughter of Mr. John Ings.

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On the morning of the 13th ult., at the residence of her brother, Mr. David Lawson, Mount Joy, Corthead Margaret Lawson, aged 71 years, known to the community among whom it was her lot to spend her days, as a person of inoffensive manners and industrious habits;

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THE HALIFAX CHRONICLE, in noticing our appointment to the office of Queen's Printer, remarks that this "does not indicate that the Government intend exerting themselves to take the Island into the Dominion."

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THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.—The difference between the United States and British Governments in regard to the Alabama Claims, according to the statement in Lord Stanley's late despatches, appears to be this: Lord Stanley desires to have not only an arbitrator for determining the responsibility of Great Britain in the premises,

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THE SAVINGS BANK. This important Institution is, we are glad to say, in a very flourishing condition. Ever since its establishment in the summer of 1864, it has been gradually growing in public usefulness and favor.

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THE OTTAWA TIMES says:—"The Hon. Mr. McGee resumed his seat in the House last night, and on entering was received with a hearty burst of applause from all parts of the House."

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THE RESTORER REPRODUCES. THE HAIR DRESSING CULTIVATES AND BEAUTIFIES. If your hair is thin, try it, if it scurfy try it, if harsh try it, if lustreless, try it, if none of these try it, for all who use it will preserve their hair through life.

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New Advertisements. NOW READY. HARVIE'S PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND ALMANAC, FOR 1888. For Sale, Wholesale and Retail, at Harvie's Bookstore, Queen Street, Jan'y. 8, 1888.

FAT HERRING! 300 BARRELS Bay of Island's FAT HERRING, for Sale by the Subscriber, (Just arrived per Schooners LITTLE and FOAM.) I. C. HALL. Jan 7, 1887.

CODFISH! 100 QUINTALS large and medium CODFISH, for Sale by I. C. HALL. Jan 7, 1888.

City Foundry. THE SUBSCRIBER begs leave to inform the Public that he is prepared to furnish Castings of Various Descriptions. Ship's Castings, Thrashing Machines, Mud Diggers, Mill Castings, Iron Fencing, Cannon Stoves, also, Old Stoves repaired at the shortest notice and cheap for Cash. Near McKinnon's Tannery. MICHAEL RIORDAN, Proprietor. Ch'town, Dec. 11, 1867.

YARMOUTH STOVES. THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST RECEIVED, Ex Schooner "M. E. Banks," direct from YARMOUTH, his USUAL SUPPLY of those Celebrated COOK & BOX STOVES, which will be sold cheap for Cash, or approved Joint Notes. R. J. CLARKE, Proprietor. Orwell, Oct. 16, 1867.

Just Published, AND READY FOR DELIVERY, THE P. E. ISLAND CALENDAR FOR 1888, Containing, besides the usual information, a full and accurate list of the Commissioned Officers of the Island Militia and Volunteers. For Sale, wholesale and retail, at Queen Square Bookstore, by D. LAIRD. Charlottetown, Dec. 11, 1867.

GREAT Clearing-Out Sale! THE SUBSCRIBERS, intending to Build a New BRICK STORE next spring, are desirous of reducing their present STOCK OF GOODS, and will, after the 1st DECEMBER commence SELLING OFF THEIR LARGE AND VARIED STOCK OF BRITISH & AMERICAN HERRING, At Greatly Reduced Prices, FOR CASH ONLY! G. & S. DAVIES. Nov. 27, 1867.

NOTICE! Postage Stamps. FROM and after this date Postage Stamps will be sold at this Office only between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. Persons wishing to post Letters before or after these hours, can procure Stamps at the Stores of D. Laird, H. A. Harvie, E. Reilly, Mrs. Brenner, Mrs. Stamper, G. Hubbard, J. C. McLeod, Theoph. DesBrisay, Jas. DesBrisay, H. Haszard, G. & S. Davies, T. O'Connell, THOS. OWEN, P. M. General Post Office, Ch'town, Dec. 11, 1867.

A CARD. DR. MCPHEE (late of St. Peter's Bay.) begs to inform the inhabitants of Crapaud and vicinity, that on and after the 27th DECEMBER, instant, he will be at MR. GEORGE SIMMONS', Crapaud, and can be consulted at all hours in the various branches of his profession. Crapaud, Dec. 18, 1867.

NOTICE! THERE is on the Subscriber's premises for the last two months, a dark BULL, about three years old, I now give notice that I will sell the same at my barn, on the 10th JANUARY, 1868, unless claimed before that time. ANGUS McDONALD, Rock Barra, Lot 46.

COTTON DUCK. HAVING been appointed Agent for the sale of the celebrated Russel's Mills Cotton Duck, the Subscriber is prepared to receive orders for all the different Numbers, in quantities to suit purchasers. I. C. HALL. Charlottetown, May 22, 1867.

NOTICE. WHEREAS by virtue of a Deed of Release and consignment made and Executed the 21st day of OCT., inst., duly filed and registered in the proper offices in this Island, WM. B. DAWSON, late of Charlottetown Tannery, hath released, assigned, transferred, and conveyed to the undersigned, all his real and personal Estate in Prince Edward Island, and all Debts and sums of money and securities therefor due and owing unto him, as well as all the personal Estate and Effects belonging to and all debts and sums of money and securities therefor due and owing to GEORGE NICOLL, late of Charlottetown, Shoemaker, which had been by him assigned and conveyed to the said William B. Dawson, by a certain Deed of Assignment duly registered, upon certain Trusts, and for certain purposes, in the said first mentioned Deed of Assignment expressed. This is to notify all persons indebted to the said W. B. Dawson, and to the said George Nicoll, whether by Book Account, Note of Hand, or otherwise, that the several sums due from them respectively, must be paid by them forthwith, to Messrs. ALLEY & DAVIES, Solicitors, who have been duly authorized to receive and give receipts for the same; and all persons to whom the said W. B. Dawson is indebted, are requested to furnish their claims and Accounts duly attested to the said Messrs. Alley & Davies, forthwith. Dated at Charlottetown, this 23rd Oct., 1867. THOMAS DAWSON, RICHARD HEARTZ.

New Advertisements. CORNS & WARTS Are Permanently and Effectually Cured by the use of ROBINSON'S PATENT CORN SOLVENT. For Sale by W. R. WATSON. City Drug Store, Dec. 18, 1867.

CHARLES QUIRK, MANUFACTURER OF SQUARE ROD, GUARE BRIGHT AND NATURAL LEAF GOOD SMOKING TOBACCO, QUEEN STREET, Charlottetown, P. E. I. January 16, 1867.

RONALD McDONALD, Commission Merchant, Auctioneer, AND COLLECTING AGENT. Souris, Jan'y 2, 1868.

CHARLOTTETOWN Mutual Fire Insurance Company. NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Company, for the appointment of Officers for the current year, and other purposes, will take place at the TEMPERANCE HALL, on MONDAY, 13th day of JANUARY inst., at Seven o'clock in the evening. By order of the Directors, HENRY PALMER, Sec'y & Treasurer.

HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT, Head of St. Peter's Bay. THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Travelling Public that he has opened a HOUSE OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT, on the premises lately occupied by Mr. PATRICK CONNOLLY, Tailor, Head of St. Peter's Bay, and trusts, by strict attention to the comfort and wants of travellers, combined with moderate charges, to secure a fair share of public patronage. He also intends to carry on the TANNING BUSINESS, in all its various branches, in the Spring. SIMON DUGGER. Head St. Peter's Bay, } January 8, 1867. } in pd