

Local and Other Items.

FIREMEN'S BANQUET.—The firemen's banquet will be held at the Hotel Davies on Wednesday night next.

LOCAL VIEWS.—A few more of the Dominion Illustrated, with views of Queen Square Gardens, etc., at the Diamond Bookstore.

HILLSBOROUGH RINK.—The Rink will be open for skating, without Band, this (Friday) evening, instead of Wednesday evening, Feb 6th.

CAN'T DO IT.—If only the wicked stand on slippery places, it must have been apparent this morning that our citizens are not of that number.

SCOTT ACT.—Five Scott Act cases constituted the docket at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon. Three of the cases were dismissed, and two adjourned for one week.

CARNIVAL.—Tickets at one fare, good to return next day, will be issued from Souris, Georgetown, Summerside and all intermediate stations to parties attending the Charlottetown Carnival on Thursday, Feb. 7th.

RETURN VISIT.—Wildy Lodge, I. O. O. F., will return the fraternal visit of St. Lawrence Lodge on Monday evening next, 4th inst. The visit to Prince Edward Lodge, Summerside, will take place on St. Valentine's Day, 14th February.

A WARNING.—The ice on the river is reported very dangerous just now. Within the past few days several teams broke through, and some horses were drowned. This being the case, it would be well for people to be a little careful about crossing.

CAUTION.—The public should not forget the Tax and Sale of Fancy Articles, to take place in the Market Hall on Feb. 14th, under the auspices of the Upper Methodist Church. As it will be the festival of St. Valentine, one of the attractions will be a Valentine Post Office.

YOUNG MEN'S BIBLE CLASS.—Rev. Mr. Carruthers will lead the Young Men's Bible Class in the new parlour of the Y. M. C. A. this evening, at 8 o'clock. Subject, "The Divine Inspiration of the Bible." All young men are invited to attend. Older men always welcome.

ALLEN LANDLORDS MUST GO.—A Topoka, Kan., despatch says that the Senate has unanimously passed a bill to restrict the ownership of real estate to American citizens and those who have lawfully declared their intention to become such, and to limit the area of land which corporations may hold or own to one section or less.

MOTHERS.—Castoria is recommended for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures colic, hoarseness and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the child's panacea—the mother's friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

GOLD MINING IN NOVA SCOTIA.—The Salmon River mine was discovered in 1880, and the first crushing at an outside mill made in March, 1881. The mill on the property was completed in August, 1881, and from that date until November, 1888, the mine has produced 64,500 tons of quartz, which yielded through the mill over 31,000 ozs. of gold, or an average of about 94 dwts. per ton of ore crushed. It has yielded to its owners in round figures \$600,000, and after paying all expenses of equipment, working, protracted litigation, etc., has paid in cash dividends close upon \$300,000, or had paid that amount up to the end of November, 1888. The company owns quite a village of buildings.

POLLY BREDDIN IS FREE.—Polly Breddin, the woman who was married to Fred Barber, the English commercial traveler who committed suicide, is free. The evidence with which it was proposed to convict her of bigamy served to liberate her. The grand jury, at the Toronto criminal assize court, devoted a portion of Wednesday to the examination of witnesses by whose testimony it was sought to show that Polly had deliberately left Canada for the purpose of marrying Fred Barber at Niagara Falls, her husband, Thomas W. Breddin, being at the time alive. The effort to show such an intent on Polly's part failed, and the grand jurors were constrained to throw out the bill.

HE WAS CURED.—Says an exchange: A Druggist recently received a visit from a lantern-jawed, hollow-eyed man, who asked in cadaverous tones, if he could give him any remedy that would drive away a nightmare-like care that was preying upon his health. The man of drugs nodded, and compounded a mixture of quinine, wormwood, rhubarb and opium salts, with a dash of castor-oil, and offered it to the despairing patient, who apothecarily gulped it down. History avers that for six months he could not think of anything except new schemes for getting the taste out of his mouth.

SKATING CONTEST.—A 20-mile ice skating contest for \$150 a-side and the championship of the world, came off at the Minneapolis Base Ball Park, Minneapolis, a few afternoons ago. The contestants were Axel Paulson, of Norway, the world's champion, and Rudolf Goetz, of Milwaukee, the 20-mile champion. The course measured six laps to the mile and was in good condition. Paulson wore skates the runners of which were 17 inches long. About 5,000 people were in attendance. The skaters were started at 2.56. Paulson easily took the lead and was never headed. He finished the first ten miles at 2.29, 15 miles at 3.46, and the 20 miles at 4.05. Time, 1 hour, 9 minutes 14 seconds. Goetz finished 10 miles at 3.38, 15 miles at 4.01, and then withdrew, being then four miles behind. Considerable money changed hands at even terms.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. (April 1 '88)

ALL remnants must go. You may as well have a bargain as anyone, then go to J. B. Macdonald's. dec24 1 w

A big show of cottons suitable for carnival costumes. See Paton & Co. window

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

THE OPENING DAY.

New Members, etc.

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.

So far as the weather is concerned, Parliament has opened like a lion, a boisterous snow-storm having prevailed all day. Despite this the crush of spectators was immense, being only equaled by that of 1879, when royalty first appeared on the floor of our Senate in the person of the Princess Louise. This is accounted for by the extreme popularity of Lord and Lady Stanley. His Excellency delivered his speech in both English and French.

In the Commons the following new members were introduced: Hon. C. H. Tupper by Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson; Mr. Boisvert by Sir Hector Langevin and Mr. Vanasse; Hon. Mr. Haggart by Sir John Macdonald and Hon. Mr. Bowell; Hon. Mr. Dewdney by Sir John Macdonald and Hon. G. E. Foster; Sir Adams Archibald by Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson; Mr. Lepine by Sir Hector Langevin and Mr. Curran; Mr. White by Sir John Macdonald and Mr. Wallace, Mr. Dickey by Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson; Mr. Nevin by Mr. Laurier and Mr. Beauséjour.

The reply to the speech will be discussed to-morrow.

The Street Car Strike.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.

There have been several minor disturbances to-day which were quickly controlled by the police. The cars have been run on most all the lines, and the officers assert they are able to fill the strikers' places with new men if they are unmolesed. NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (4 p. m.) All the street car lines have withdrawn their cars from the street. A collision occurred between the police and the mob. Several shots were fired, the officers firing in the air. An arrested leader of the mob was shot in the foot from the crowd. Numerous arrests were made for riotous conduct.

A Distinguished Arrival.

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.

Detective Joe Kellert states that Joseph Moore, Agent of the Hartford Insurance Company in Indianapolis, who embezzled over one million dollars, arrived in Montreal on Tuesday, having left his western home the previous Saturday. Two of Moore's victims are also in the city, and are negotiating with Kellert with a view of having the defaulter arrested. It is said that a lady accompanies the ex-insurance Agent.

Nova Scotia News Notes.

HALIFAX, Jan. 31.

The annual statement of the Bank of Nova Scotia shows the profits of last year to be \$141,000, reserve fund \$46,000, deposits \$4,781,000 and loans and discounts \$5,825,000. The Merchants Bank of Halifax shows profits of \$112,000, revenue fund \$200,000, deposits \$2,860,000, and loans and discounts \$3,919,000.

The "People's Jimmy" Again.

QUEBEC, Jan. 31.

McShane got a big reception upon his arrival to take his seat to-day. The Examiner was met at the depot by a crowd of friends and escorted to the Parliament buildings, headed by a band. He was also serenaded at Three Rivers. Mercier begins to feel that his late colleague is a white elephant on his hands. Albani also arrived on the same train.

A Good Profit.

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.

The annual report of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co. shows profits of 8 per cent. on the capital, but no dividend will be paid as the directors advise instead a decrease in the debt and efforts to further strengthen the company's credit and financial position.

A Drowning Story Denied.

KINGSTON, Jan. 31.

It would appear that the story regarding the drowning of twelve men in a lake in the backwoods of Frontenac is "yarn," no confirmation of the alleged calamity being obtainable.

Steamers Detained.

LONDON, Jan. 31.

Owing to the strike twenty steamers are detained at Glasgow. It is impossible to secure a sufficient number of seamen and firemen to work the vessel.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Feb. 1.—10 a. m.

South to west winds; mostly cloudy, mild with rain; cooler to-night or to-morrow.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's Office until Noon of MONDAY, the 4th day of February next, from parties willing to

Lease the Rooms in Market Hall, (lately occupied by the Stipendiary Magistrate and City Council, for one or more years). Tenders to state what amount lease would be willing to pay for rent per year to the city.

For further information apply to the City Clerk. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any Tender.

By order. A. H. MOPHERSON, City Clerk.

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"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is selling faster than ever before. I never hesitate to recommend it."—George W. Whitman, Druggist, Albany, Ind.

"I am safe in saying that my sales of Ayer's Sarsaparilla far exceed those of any other, and it gives thorough satisfaction."—L. H. Bush, Des Moines, Iowa.

"Ayer's Sarsaparilla and Ayer's Pills are the best selling medicines in my store. I can recommend them conscientiously."—C. Bickhaus, Pharmacist, Roseland, Ill.

"We have sold Ayer's Sarsaparilla here for over thirty years and always recommend it when asked to name the best blood-purifier."—W. T. McLean, Druggist, Augusta, Ohio.

"I have sold your medicines for the last seventeen years, and always keep them in stock, as they are staples. There is nothing so good for the youthful blood" as Ayer's Sarsaparilla."—E. L. Parker, Fox Lake, Wis.

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MARRIED.

At the manse of St. James' Church, on the 31st Jan., by Rev. James Carruthers, Mr. Duncan McNevin, of Bonshaw, and Miss Annie McKenzie, of Long Creek.

DEED.

In this city, on the 31st Jan., John McMillan, son of Daniel and Mary McMillan, aged 17 years.

[Funeral at 8.45 to-morrow (Saturday) morning from Sydney street for St. Dunstan's Cathedral.]

At Rock Barra, Lot 46, on 22nd Jan., Alexander McCormack, aged 70 years, leaving a widow and seven children to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father. May his soul rest in peace.

At Rock Barra, Lot 46, on 27th Jan., John McIsaac, aged 47 years, leaving a feeble mother and sister, besides a widow and six small children, the youngest 18 months old. The deceased was highly respected by all who knew him and a friend to all. May his soul rest in peace. (Boston papers please copy.)

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A Favorite and Most Valuable Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases.

It has cured hundreds of cases considered hopeless. It soothes, heats and strengthens the diseased or irritated Throat and Lungs in a very short time. Just a few doses will cure a fresh cold if taken in time. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale at the Drug Stores.

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Ch'town, Jan. 3, 1889.—cod&wky.

Notice of Co-Partnership.

I WISH TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that I have this day admitted my Brother, BENJAMIN C. PROWSE, as Partner in the Business hitherto carried on by me, the Business to be continued under the name and style of

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As candidates for your patronage, we invite an examination of our past business record for FAIR, SQUARE DEALING. We promise for the future the best in quality, the most in quantity, and the lowest prices to all customers without distinction of age or class, and behind our promise stands our splendid stock of MENS' AND BOYS' READY-MADE CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS. We pledge ourselves against inflated values and oppressive high prices.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A General Servant. References required. Apply to Mrs. C. I. MORRISON, Grafton Street. febl

WANTED.—A Servant for general housework in a family of four. No washing. Apply at this office. tf—febl

WANTED.—At the Hospital for the Insane, an Assistant Laundress. Apply at the Hospital. 3—jan29

WANTED.—A Housemaid—one who has had some experience. Apply at Mrs. GEORGE PRAKE. tf—jan26

WANTED.—A good general Servant, by a lady in town. No washing. Apply immediately at this office. a—jan25

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