

Local and Other Items.

BAND OF HOPE.—Band of Hope service at St. Peter's Church on Sunday at 3 p. m.

Don't forget that Prowse Bros. are making a specialty of Boys' and Children's clothing.

SCOTT ACT.—Four new summonses were served last evening. All are returnable on Tuesday.

The rush for men's felt hats is at Prowse Bros. They have the noblest shapes, and lowest prices.

Everyone wanting clothing will find they can do better at Prowse Bros. than any place else on P. E. Island.

AT COST.—The excellent stock of room paper at the Diamond Bookstore is offered at cost. Now for bargains.

THE DANCING CLASSES at Terpsichore Hall—the last term for the season—will be opened on Monday night, 14th inst.

NEW CORN CURB.—An exchange says: A Midland (Mich.) man took a chisel and amputated a couple of his toes because the corns they bore bothered him.

BOULDER CLAY.—At the meeting of the Natural History Society, in McLeod's Hall, on Monday next, 14th inst., Mr. Francis Bain will read a paper on "Boulder Clay."

NOTICE.—The only entrance to the Carey sale on Monday is by the Upper St. Peter's Road. Parties attending the sale will find a flag at the gate.—E. H. Norton & Co.

SALE OF LOTS.—We have been instructed by Mr. A. B. Warburton to sell by auction on May 21st, twenty-five very fine houses building lots on the lower St. Peter's Road, adjoining the new Driving Park and Exhibition grounds. Full particulars with plan of lots will appear in a short time.

CAUGHT IN THE ICE.—The steamer Southport, which began plying between Charlottetown and Southport yesterday morning, got jammed in the ice near the Southport side early in the afternoon, and had both paddle-wheels damaged. Workmen are now engaged repairing the damage, and the steamer will likely be ready to resume work in a week's time.

SWALLOWED HIS TEETH.—Loristine Henkle, a middle-aged man of Madrid, Me., swallowed a set of false teeth on Saturday night. A physician worked all day Sunday but was unable to extract them. On Monday morning Henkle stated for the Maine general hospital, Portland, suffering great pain. At latest accounts he was still living.

METHODIST.—An exchange says that at a meeting of the transfer committee of the Methodist Church, held in Toronto on Thursday, the transfer of Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, president of the New Brunswick and P. E. Island conference, to St. John's, Nfld., was agreed on. The transfer of Rev. Mr. Read, who was expected to go to Ottawa did not carry.

THE STANLEY made a good run to this port to day. She left Pictou at six in the morning, and by eleven was moored to the wharf here. Yesterday, however, she was not so fortunate. She left here at six in the morning, and did not reach Pictou until four in the afternoon. Heavy ice and fog was the cause of the delay. She will leave for Pictou at six o'clock on Monday morning.

ASLEEP, BUT STILL EATING.—A Berlin despatch says: Reports from Ebingen, Wurtemberg, tell of Maria Dorothea, the 16-year-old daughter of a wealthy farmer, who has lain in continuous slumber since March 6, when she retired as usual. No difficulty is met in forcing nourishment down her throat. The Royal physician, Dr. Buckhart of Stuttgart, is testing the effect of constant hot and cold baths alternately.

DECIDEDLY WRONG.—A correspondent writes us that there is in town one man at least who is in the habit of receiving articles brought to him by mere children, and to whom he gives a trifling sum for the goods. Surely such persons must know that encouraging such actions is a grievous sin, the persistence in which must ultimately bring disgrace. We hope the practice will be abandoned at once.

CLEVELY DONE.—Several days ago as a team was being driven down Queen Street at a brisk pace the shafts became detached from the vehicle and the horse taking fright bounded forward at a furious rate. The driver, with good presence of mind, jumped from the wagon and succeeded in bringing the steed to a standstill, while the runaway vehicle, impelled by the force given, sped quite a distance along. No damage was done, and matters were again soon righted.

GETTING AHEAD OF NATURE.—A Washington despatch says that the House Committee on railways and canals has ordered a favorable report on Representative Payne's bill, providing for the construction by the United States of a ship canal around Niagara Falls. \$1,000,000 is appropriated to begin the construction. The canal is to cost \$23,000,000 its depth is to be 20 1/2 feet. The route is about 23 miles in length. The canal is to be sufficiently large to permit the passage of vessels which can pass through St. Mary's canal when the new locks are completed.

THE NEW GLASGOW IRON WORKS.—The Nova Scotia Steel & Forge company, of New Glasgow, has been merged into the Nova Scotia Steel & Iron company, with a capital of \$2,000,000 divided into 10,000 ordinary shares and 10,000 preference shares, and a debenture capital of \$60,000. The company has been formed for the purpose of extending the present business, also to take over the iron areas, railway franchises, and other properties of the New Glasgow Iron Coal and Railway company, and to erect blast furnaces, mines iron ore and carry on all work necessary for the operation of the furnaces and the manufacture of iron and steel in all its branches.

AN ITEM OF INTEREST.—Messrs. E. H. Norton & Co. have arranged with Mr. P. P. Gillis to combine their sale of horses with the sale of the Livery Stable Stock on May 1st. This will be the largest and most important sale of horses ever held on the Island, including eight or ten very valuable animals and about twenty assorted horses to suit every body, besides the carriages and fittings. This sale will be advertised throughout the Province, and buyers are expected from abroad. The sale will take place in front of the stables, and if desired horses will be shown in harness on Great George Street. Rigs will be provided free of cost for parties bringing horses from the country.

K. D. C. For Everybody.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Summary of Proceedings.

OTTAWA, April 11.

Hon Mr. Chapleau introduced a bill to amend the Franchise Act so as to simplify the working of the measure, and reduce the cost of printing and other expenses.

The Government kills, to amend the territories Real Property Act and to prevent the disclosure of official documents and information, were read a second time. The House then went into Committee of Ways and Means, taking up the tariff resolutions.

Three items were passed during the afternoon. These related to live animals, artificial flowers and feathers.

After recess, several private bills were passed.

The House again went into Committee of Ways and Means, and these items were adopted: Axle grease, petroleum barrels, Surgical belts, blacking and harness dressing, advertising pamphlets and printed matter of like nature, maps, charts and globes, supplements for newspapers, bank notes and other commercial forms, book-binders tools and implements, fancy work boxes, brass in strips, brases or suspenders. The duty of 17 1/2 per cent. on uncleaned or unhusked rice will be the same as the old tariff. It provoked a long discussion.

At 3 a. m. the rice item was passed and the duty of 75 cents per barrel on flour is till under discussion.

Good (Westmoreland) presented a petition from Sackville to-day against the passage of any bill in regard to the observance of the Sabbath; also one from Moncton to the same effect.

The longer the session lasts the more apparent does it become that the Opposition have entered upon a deliberate policy of defiance of American as contradistinguished from Canadian interests, not only in tariff but in other matters.

Last night, when Mr. Colby moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Steamboat Inspection Act, one object of which is to provide that an applicant for a license must have been a resident in Canada for three years, the Opposition objected to it because it would be repugnant to Americans. Thus if Liberals had their way, the Canadian working man would receive no protection at all. He could remain, liable to the present severe competition of Americans, who can come over here without let or hindrance, while a Canadian cannot be employed in the United States unless he is naturalized. This should be remembered by the working men who will have no reason to be grateful.

Messrs. Charlton, Davies, Weldon, of St. John, Ellis and Mitchell, all joined in the protest against the contemplated protection of our Engineers. It is satisfactory to state that Mr. Colby emphatically refused Mr. Charlton's suggestion that the Government should withdraw the bill and thus the line of policy is again clearly marked between the two parties.

News From Halifax.

HALIFAX, April 11.

The str. Crown Prince, which sailed from Trapani for Gloucester, put in to-day for coal. She experienced very strong weather.

The corner stone of St. Mary's Y. M. T. A. & B. Society's new building will be laid on the 25th inst. Great preparations are being made for the event. Several temperance organizations will take part with bands of music. The stone will be laid by the Archbishop.

Shortly after the arrival of the steamer Polynesian at Halifax on her last trip from Liverpool, one of the boys who had been sent out by Miss Bert disappeared. A thorough search was instituted, but the boy could not be found. After the departure of the remaining children for Brantford, Ontario, the immigration agent learned that the boy had been kidnapped by a hotel-keeper and secreted. Upon going to the hotel the lad was found and taken charge of. He was subsequently sent to Brantford. The authorities have decided to institute proceeding against the hotel-keeper.

Abolishing the Council.

HALIFAX, April 11.

The Legislative Council sat with closed doors to-day discussing the question of the abolition of that body, and certain alleged propositions of the Government in regard thereto. The Government bill for the abolition of the Legislative Council passed its first and second reading in the House of Assembly to-day.

Earthquake Shock.

DOVER, Me., April 11.

An earthquake shock was felt here this morning before 3 o'clock. The noise was like an explosion when first heard. The earth trembled for several seconds. Clocks were stopped and small articles thrown from their place.

Dangerously Ill.

NEW YORK, April 11.

District Attorney Fellows is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

WASHINGTON, April 11.

Representative Randall is sinking very rapidly.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, April 12.—10 a. m.

Westerly winds, fair weather, stationary; a little higher temperature.

Mark Wright & Co's cheap sale of furniture will continue until their large stock is reduced. They are prepared for a rush this spring. Immense stock—popular designs—marked down prices. 70 trunks received to-day, will be sold cheap for cash.—Golf Bros. apl2 1w

Professional men are requested to come and see our new easy-fitting Cordovan shoes.—Golf Bros. apl2 1w

Religious Services.

Don't forget the Railway Gospel Meeting in McLeod's Hall to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock. You will always find a welcome. Lesson: Acts 1:11—"The manner of Christ's second coming."

Remember the Bible Class in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor this evening from 8 to 9 o'clock.

Services in Zion Church to-morrow conducted by the Pastor Rev. D. Sutherland, in the morning at 11, and in the evening at 7 o'clock. Morning Prayer Meeting at 10.15, Sabbath School and Bible Classes at 2.30 p. m.

The regular gospel meeting in connection with the Y. M. C. A. will be held to-morrow at 4 p. m. Subject—"The Widow of Nain," Luke 7: 11 to 18. A cordial welcome accorded to all who will attend.

Rev. J. A. Gordon, pastor, preaches in the Baptist Church at 11 a. m. Subject—"The great gain in seeming loss;" at 7 p. m., subject: "Our Canadian home and our duty concerning it." Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Prayer meetings on Monday and Wednesday at 7.30.

DIED.

In this city, on the 12th inst, Annie Mc-Dougall, widow of Lawrence DesRoches, aged 39 years.

[Funeral will leave her late residence, Hillsborough Street, at 9 o'clock on Monday morning, for St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to Roman Catholic cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.]

Business Stand and Premises, AT TIGNISH.

I WILL SELL, rent for a term of years with privilege of purchase, or exchange for City property, the Business Premises lately occupied by me, consisting of the Store and Dwelling, Warehouses, etc., which are all fitted up with every convenience for a Country business. Possession can be given immediately. Apply to

GEORGE W. HOWLAN.

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Smokers Benefit!

EVERY YEAR we advertise a benefit in the above line. This season we wish to touch the pockets of the consumer. In order to do so we have placed 2,000 Gladstone Cigars (a genuine Havana filled 10c. Cigar) on our counters, and will sell at 5c. a piece until disposed of.

REDDIN BROS.

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SOCIAL.

THE WESLEY MISSION BAND

WILL HAVE AN

Entertainment and Fancy Sale

In the Basement of the

METHODIST (BRICK) CHURCH,

—ON—

Tuesday Next, 15th instant.

Entertainment commences at 7.30 p. m. Admission, 10 cents. apl0

Italian Warehouse.

TO LET.—One-half of the Italian Warehouse, on Queen Street, next to the Connolly Estate's new building. Possession at once.

PALMER & McLEOD.

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PROPERTY BY AUCTION.

I AM instructed by Solomon Champion, Esq., to sell by Auction, on the premises,

On Wednesday, 16th instant,

AT 11.30 A. M.,

His Dwelling House situated on School Street, opposite Prince Street School.

Size of Lot, 75x50 feet. House contains Six Rooms.

GEORGE M. HARRIS,

apl8 Auctioneer.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED.—A general servant for a family of three; good wages to a competent person. Apply at this office. apl2

PRESSED HAY.—For sale cheap in quantities to suit everybody; a splendid article.—JOHN NEWSON. apl2

TO LET FOR THE SEASON, in the city, a large Garden in high state of cultivation. Can have use of hot bed frames and glass if required. Apply at once at this office. apl1

WANTED.—A good plain Cook by let May. Apply at Judge Hensley's, Upper Prince Street. [apl3-3i

BOARDERS.—A few Gentlemen Boarders can be accommodated at Grafton Street, next door to Dr. Taylor's in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Wm. Mitchell. 11 pt-apl1

TO LET.—A Shop and Dwelling occupied by R. F. Madigan, Esquire of J. McGILL. apl0-eod 1f

WANTED.—A House containing seven or eight rooms. Possession required latter part of April. Apply at this office. 1f-mch11

WANTED.—A Clerk with one or two years experience in either a Grocery or Crockery Store can find employment by writing to P. O. Box 33; also a Girl to act as Cash. Must be a fair scholar. Must have good recommendations. apl8

SEWING.—Parties wishing to get Plain Sewing of any kind done, will please call at Angus Gills', corner of Prince and Water Streets, opposite Duncan House. 51 pt-ap8

TO LET.—A desirable business stand for either a shoemaker or tailor, situated at West River Bridge. Rent moderate. Apply to P. J. Berrigan, New Haven. [apl0-3f

FOR SALE.—A light road wagon, in good order. A credit will be given if required. Apply to FRANK SIMON, Fitzroy Street. apl2-4y 1f

WE ARE MAKING A RUN THIS SPRING

—ON—

PARLOR SETS. { We have a very large stock, new and elegant designs in Upholstering, and at prices to run them off quick.

BEDROOM SETS. { 200 Sets on hand for this Season's trade, to be sold regardless of old established prices. New and popular patterns, made to sell.

CURTAIN POLES. { Four Hundred American Poles and a fine lot of Brass Trimmings, direct from the manufacturers, latest styles and devices, marked down low.

WINDOW BLINDS. { We make a Specialty of supplying and putting up Blinds and Rollers. Plain, Dado and Fringe Blinds, and Novelties in Pulls, Fringes, &c.

BABY WAGONS. { Our NEW STOCK will be sold at a SMALLER ADVANCE ON COST THAN EVER to clear them out quick.

This is a Genuine Cheap Sale!

We have prepared for a rush this spring, and have an immense stock which must be sold. Goods marked in plain figures. Call and see our stock, whether you wish to buy or not. No trouble to show goods.

MARK WRIGHT & CO.

Charlottetown, April 12, 1890—1m 2aw & wky

FROM LONDON!

One hundred and fifty-three pieces of Spring and Summer Dress Goods now on our counters ready for your inspection, all the newest materials in the market; Snowflake and Snowball designs; A. W. Stripes and A. W. Checks, Figured and Plain Lustres, Cneck and Plain Beige, Mohair with border, and Serges as fine as Merino

We have added a nice assortment to our Black Goods department. A few pieces of Priestly's Crape for trimming, guaranteed to retain its color.

STANLEY BROTHERS,

BROWN'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE MARKET SQUARE.

Charlottetown, March 26, 1890—eod

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JAMES PATON & CO.

We desire to thank customers in town and country for the liberal patronage of the past year. Although our profits were smaller than ever--owing to the hard times--our sales were larger than for any previous year. This clearly proves that buyers get the best value from us, and our system of doing business is fair and acceptable to the general public. We don't advertise "Panic Prices," "Great Clearing Sacrifice," "Extraordinary and Unparalleled," etc., etc. Sensible people who try us find our goods are the best and prices the lowest that can be obtained.

Now Opening--New Spring Goods, selected by Mr. Paton, and offer splendid value in English and Scotch Carpets, House Furnishing Goods, Dress Fabrics, Mourning Goods, Millinery, Clothing for Men and Boys, and in all the departments of our business.

P. S.—Orders by Telephone promptly attended to.

JAMES PATON & CO.,

MARKET SQUARE.

Charlottetown, April 2, 1890.