

Local and Other Items.

ONE case of drunkenness at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon.

REV. DR. CLAY, ex-Emigration Agent for Nova Scotia, was at the Osborne yesterday.

FOR sale at Needham's Auction Room:—11 barrels Onions, 10 Lemons. nov 16 2i

THE steamer *Southport* left for Point Du Chene this morning, to bring over the new locomotives for the Island Railway.

MRS. JOHN HOWARD, of New York, the heroine of the "Narragansett," was on a visit to her friends on the Island last week. She was at the Osborne yesterday.

The steamer *Worcester* arrived from Boston on Tuesday evening, with freight and the following passengers:—Mrs. Kate McLeod, Mary A. McLeod, Mrs. Curran and three children, Mr. Hugh Erickson, George Senter, George Lund.

CHARLES YEO, who was nominally fined last week for leaving a tank, which he is sinking for the Fire Department, in a dangerous condition, was to-day fined \$5 for the same offence. A similar fine was also imposed on his partner in the contract.

ONE ton Confectionery on hand, and an immense quantity to arrive this month, wholesale and retail, B. BALDERSTON.—nov 13 6in

AN old vagrant named Alex. McLaren sought refuge at the Police Station last night. He appeared at Court this morning, and it was decided to get him admission to the Poor House. We are informed that McLaren has \$70 in bank, and while he hoards his cash he passes through the country begging, suffering at times exposure and starvation.

THE BOSTON SILVER PLATING COMPANY, is now prepared to do all kinds of Gold and Silver plating, such as knives, forks, spoons, cake baskets, fruit stands, tea sets, watches and jewelry of every description.

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R. K. BRACE will pay 17 cents in goods for a limited quantity of Early Rose potatoes; goods at cash prices.

THE warehouse of Thomas Morris, Esq., on Water street, was entered by a front window at three o'clock this morning, and two cases of whiskey were stolen. Mr. Leigh, who lives opposite the warehouse, heard the noise caused by breaking the window, and from his own bedroom window enquired—"What they were doing there?" They (two men wearing long overcoats) left. Shortly after they returned and succeeded in the burglary. It is evident that the burglars were members of the corner loading fraternity. To-day the corners are bare, and it is supposed that the fraternity are in some outlying woods feasting on the ardent.

Troubled Ireland.

The latest news from Ireland is:—

That the steward of Col. Joshua Henry Cooper, of Dunboden Park, near Mullingar, county Westmeath, was shot and wounded in two places by an unknown youth. Colonel Cooper's estate consists of 1,785 acres, and is valued at £1,563.

That Mr. Boycott is about fifty years old, of short stature, and wears a shaggy grey beard. There is a hunted look in his eyes that commands the sympathy of every one except the country people, who appear to hate him bitterly, and will kill him just as sure as he gives them the opportunity.

That a despatch from Ballinrobe (Nov. 12) states that the expedition for the relief of Mr. Boycott slept in barracks last night. At eleven o'clock this morning they started for Lough Mask House under the same escort as last night. It was again raining hard, and again they had to march, as no cars could be hired. There was very little excitement in the town this morning. The siege is expected to last eight days.

That the expedition arrived at Mr. Boycott's place at quarter past three o'clock on the afternoon of the 12th Nov. There was no demonstration of any kind.

That on the evening of the 11th, Mr. Boycott received the following letter, which was handed him by the tenants of Lord Erne:—

KILLMORE, NOV. 10, 1880.

C. C. BOYCOTT, Esq.:— SIR,—In accordance with the decision made in Lord Erne's last letter to us we want you to appoint a day to receive the rents from the tenants. A reply requested.

That Mr. Boycott's reply was that he would be ready to receive the rents at ten o'clock the following morning, an hour after which time he received the following notice:—

The tenants request an answer to the following before they pay you the rent:—First—Don't you wish you may get it? Second—When do you expect the Orangemen, and how are they to come? Third—When are you going to hook it. Let us know, so that we may see you off. Fourth—Are you any way comfortable? Don't be uneasy in your mind. Well, take care of yourself. Down with the landlords and agents! God save Ireland!

That "such communications as this are agreeable and amusing enough when addressed to a distant friend, but are hardly so diverting when directed to one's self. It is also disquieting to hear people say as one passes, 'He will not hear the birds sing in spring.'"

That the correspondent of the *Times* at Rome says:—"It is well known in Vatican circles that the Pope is much embarrassed about Irish affairs. He fully understands that it is not a question between Protestants and Catholics, but between the friends of order and the anarchists. He openly disapproves the agrarian movement, and sincerely desires to assist the English government if possible. He is well aware that he is only hearing one side of the case; and he feels that, were he to break silence, he might, in seeking to do good, produce a contrary result through his imperfect knowledge of the affairs."

That the distinguished Vienna professor

and economist, Dr. Lorenz von Stein, has published an interesting article in the *Allgemeine Zeitung* on the Irish question from a Continental standpoint. Professor von Stein, who at the outset mentions the tendency of the German mind to have a clearer perception of the past than of the present, attributes the difficulties prevailing in Ireland, to the English Parliament never having seriously occupied itself with the situation of the peasantry, as all governments have done on the Continent, where the work began under the absolute monarchies. He recommends England, from which the Continent has learned so much, in this instance to take a lesson from the Continent and give the peasantry of England and Ireland the benefit of popular protective legislation, which has made the Continental peasantry the strongest safeguard of the State.

That a meeting was held at Kockanrose village on the 15th, for the purpose of formally "Boycotting" thirteen landlords, land agents and others residing thereabouts. Five thousand persons were present. James Malloy, tenant farmer, was President. The following resolution was adopted:—"That we pledge ourselves to 'Boycott' these thirteen men, and all who act like them, and will endeavor to follow the example set to Ireland by the brave men of Ballinrobe."

That the general opinion is that it will be necessary for Boycott to leave the country, as he will always have to be protected if he remains in Ireland. It is reported that great preparations are to be made for the departure of the Orangemen from Lough Mask when their task is completed.

The Colliery Disaster.

PRECAUTIONS TAKEN—THE FIRE NEARING THE SHAFTS—WHAT THE DAMAGE WILL BE—BRAVERY OF A FEW MEN.

(By Telegraph to the St. John Telegraph.)

STELLARTON, NOV. 15.

About ten o'clock last night the men succeeded in getting a covering over the foord shaft. This stopped the current of air somewhat, and prevented any smoke from coming out of that pit. Then the smoke decreased slightly in volume from the fan shaft. At four this morning smoke suddenly ceased, and none was seen to issue from the fan shaft until after eight o'clock, when two volumes ascended almost simultaneously from both the foord and fan pits. The smoke was of much lighter color, which shows that the fire is nearing the shafts. Gangs of men were to work early, and great exertions were made to throw large bodies of water into the pit from the Pictou and New Glasgow steam fire engines stationed at reservoirs of water or at the river. The effect of this was soon seen, the volumes of smoke giving place to bodies of confined smoke and steam, with a preponderance of the latter. Another gang of men were set to work digging a trench, so as to turn the water into the foord pit, and considerable progress was made.

At 9.30 o'clock your correspondent accompanied managers Robert Simpson and John Greener to an examination of the openings at the Cage, Old Foster and Dalhousie pits. At numerous openings, they found a tremendous rush of air which was drawn along these old underground unused workings to feed the fires in the foord pit, a mile or so distant. A gang of men were instantly set to work to fill up the holes and crevices and thus shut off the air and so help to smother the fire. There is no material change at this hour (2 o'clock), nor is there any probability of a change except for the worse during the day.

What will the damage be? I asked Mr. Simpson, manager of the Drummond. I don't care to even estimate the damage, he replied.

As great as at the Drummond disaster in 1873? Far greater in loss of property and its ultimate effect to the Company.

What is your opinion of the cause of the disaster? I can't give you an opinion; it would be wrong to do so. No man can tell. All the facts that are known will be brought out at the inquest, but the chief witnesses will not give their evidence in this world.

What will it cost to re-open the mines? How long will it take? and do you think the owners will incur the expense at the present time?

The cost will be more than I would venture to say. The time may be six months or more. Whether it will be done or not depends largely on the immediate future prospects of the coal trade.

Will there not be considerable danger in re-opening that pit? Yes. I had some experience in re-opening the Drummond mines after the great calamity there. I would not like to repeat that job. I would not do it for a salary of \$25,000 a year.

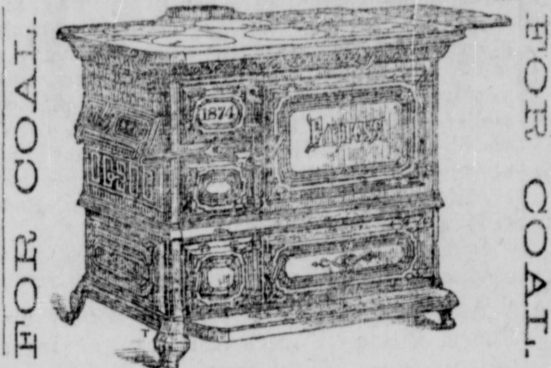
What do you think of the outlook at the pit now? It is not at all encouraging. Let us hope for the best but prepare for the worst.

The weather is extremely raw and cold. One of the most touching scenes I have yet seen is the removal of whole families—father, mother, and eight or ten young children—from their houses in the vicinity of the pits out to the open woods. To see them there, with their thin clothing, shivering in the biting cold, would melt a heart of stone. Of course all work at the Albion mines is suspended, and the men not engaged in the relief party are lounging around the streets. But, besides those, there are hundreds of men from the other mines also loafing, and as they were all paid on Saturday, the rum shops are in full blast, and the amount of drunkenness is most disgraceful; in the terribly sad circumstances it is revolting. There is considerable surprise at the scarcity of volunteers.

All the brave work since the calamity has been performed by a few men. The great body of the men, including many bosses of whom better things were expected, are conspicuous by their absence from places of danger or work.

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Charlottetown, Oct. 21, 1880—12 in cod

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Nov. 11, '80—pat 1m

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Ch'town, Nov. 2, '80.

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Ch'town, Nov. 13, 1880—3i

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Nov. 13, 1880.

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Ch'town, Sept. 11, '80—2aw tf

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For further information apply to Hon. D. DAVIES, or to Messrs G DAVIES & Co., London House.

Ch'town, Oct. 28, 1880.