

Local and Other Items.

Tonight.—Concert in Y. M. C. A. Hall and lecture in St. James' Hall.

Bivalves.—Oysters will be served in every style at the Bazaar on Thursday next. Come one, come all.

The Crossings.—As a result of the present soft snap the street crossings are in an almost impassible condition.

Something Nice.—The Tea and Fancy Sale in the Market Hall, on Thursday next, will be good. Every person should attend.

Tobacco.—Messrs. Hickey and Stewart shipped 22 caddies and 6 butts tobacco to Halifax, in the steamer Halifax, this forenoon.

Fashion.—Rev. Mr. Reid's lecture on "Fashion," in St. James' Hall, this evening, will be exceedingly interesting, and will likely be largely attended.

Tea and Fancy Sale.—Tickets for the Tea and Fancy Sale, in aid of the Y. M. C. A., can be had from the committee and at G. H. Hazard's Bookstore.

Toy Symphony.—Those who do not know what a Toy Symphony is should go to the Y. M. C. A. hall this evening, and find out all about it. All it costs is 35 cents.

A Good Commission.—The Halifax Herald says that the estate of the late Sir William Young realized \$286,289. The commission to the executors amounts to \$10,000.

Island Produce.—Says the North Sydney, C. B. Advocate: An Island vessel is expected shortly with potatoes and oats. Island potatoes were selling last week at 33 cents per bushel.

Concert.—Don't forget the concert in Y. M. C. A. Hall to-night. An excellent programme has been prepared. The Toy Symphony alone will be worth the price of admission.

Deafness Cured.—A very interesting 132 page illustrated book on deafness. Noise in the head. How they may be cured. Post free 3d.—Address Dr. Nicholson, St. John St. Montreal.

Rewarding Heroism.—The Hunt Relief Fund, started by the Halifax Herald, now amounts to \$908. A day or two after his return from Baltimore, Archbishop O'Brien contributed \$10.

St. James' Hall.—There will likely be a large audience in St. James' Hall this evening to hear Rev. Mr. Reid deliver his lecture on "Fashion." The ladies will, of course, turn out in full force.

Mails.—The rough weather of yesterday interfered with the running arrangements of the Steam Navigation Company's steamers, and as a result there was no foreign mail until this forenoon.

Contract.—Temperance legislation, to be effective must be supported by a strong public opinion out of doors. In the absence of such a public opinion it will be weak and comparatively useless.—Wednesday.

Fingers Crushed.—A young lad named Farlow while at work assisting to unload the steamer Halifax, yesterday, had one of his hands so badly crushed between some slabs of marble that he will lose several fingers.

Valuable Cargo.—The Pioneer reports that the schr. Blizard, Captain William Gaetz, left Summerside for the West Indies on Sunday. The Blizard had a cargo of 9000 bushels of oats, valued at \$3,400. Mr. R. T. Holman was the shipper.

Ashore.—The schr. Heloise, Capt. Sadler, from Sydney, with a cargo of coal for Mr. Charles Lyons, went ashore on Indian Rock, on Sunday night, and will likely prove a total wreck. The cargo was not insured. The Heloise was owned in Halifax, and was but one year old. We have not heard that she was insured.

Oddfellows Ship.—The Oddfellows of Amherst, N. S., celebrated their tenth anniversary a few days ago, dedicating the new lodge-room at the same time. The day's proceedings, which were very interesting, were brought to a close with an oyster supper. Mr. A. D. Taylor, formerly of Charlottetown, was among those taking part in the proceedings.

Are Sobry Now.—Mr. and Mrs. Gobe, of Kingston, Ont., did not believe in banks, and put their money, the savings of many years, nearly \$1000, in a stocking. The children placed the stocking in an empty stove. When the first fire of the season was lit, it helped to kindle a blaze.

Betting on the Election.—A correspondent informs us that Mr. John Cantwell, of Souris West, bet \$100 with a resident of Souris East, that Harrison would be elected President of the United States. Mr. Cantwell, of course, won the bet. The money was paid over to him on Saturday. This is the only bet of any consequence made on the election throughout the Province.

The Halifax.—The steamer Halifax, Capt. Hill, arrived from Boston, via Halifax, on Sunday, and sailed on return this morning. Her inward cargo consisted of 1,125 bris. flour, 315 bris. salt, 17 casks and 27 cases liquor, 50 bris. sugar, 20 puns. molasses, 100 bris. apples 30 pcs. marble, 200 empty pork barrels, 1 Holstein cow, and a quantity of general merchandise. The outward freight was made up of 1,511 bags starch, 900 bags potatoes, 220 bris. pork, 22 caddies and 6 butts tobacco, 1,000 cases blueberries, 588 cases eggs, 38 bris. hake sounds, 13 bris. grease, 70 bags hair, etc. The passengers were D Macdonald, D MacIntosh, Mrs. Clow, Mrs. McLean, H. W. Williams, E. Smith, D. Day, John Haggard, John McEvoy, Mrs. McEvoy, and four others whose names we could not learn.

Contract Awarded.—Messrs. Connor & Donald, of Moncton, have been awarded the contract for the new Post Office and Custom House at Sydney, C. B.

Light and Water.—The light and water contract has been prepared, and will be signed to-morrow.

Weather Bulletin.—Toronto, Nov. 27.—10 a. m. Easterly gales; cloudy to rainy, mild weather.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Scott Act in Moncton.

Moncton, Nov. 26. At a meeting of the Temperance Committee to-night, it was decided to disband and hand back to the Town Council the measures for enforcing the Scott Act. At a meeting of the Council a letter was read from the United Temperance Committee, stating their determination, and that an agreement had been effected for a settlement of all replevin cases; also asking to be relieved of further responsibility. It appeared by a discussion that the settlement did not affect other cases before the courts—some twenty or more—but as to those in that position the Council could get no particular information. It was therefore decided to postpone action until next meeting. The liquor party has paid \$530 in settlement of the replevin cases.

A Fatal Quarrel.

Halifax, Nov. 26. This evening Wm. Summers, an old soldier, got drunk and beat his wife. She ran into the next door neighbors to escape his ferocity. Summers then smashed his stove and all the furniture, and followed his wife and continued to beat her in the neighbor's house. This was objected to by Frank Morgrain, the neighbor, and the two men clinched. Summers got his grip on Morgrain's throat, and when he let go the latter exclaimed, "My God, I'm dying!" rolled over and died. He was a respectable man, aged 55, a native of Sweden. Summers is a worthless drunken scamp of 35. He was arrested.

Ottawa News Notes.

Ottawa, Nov. 26. It is understood that Parliament will meet either on the 24th or 31st of January. It is currently reported that John Price, of Quebec, and Geo. Drummond and C. S. Rodier, of Montreal, will shortly be called to the Senate, vice Ross, Farrer and Roland deceased. Senator McDonald, of Toronto, has gone to Barbadoes to study the West India trade question. The Marine Department has been interviewed by Montreal merchants on the question of extending the Government telegraph system to the Strait of Belle Isle. This would require 500 additional wires. A conference between the Ontario, Quebec and Dominion Governments will be held here shortly to discuss the boundary question.

The Storm at Halifax.

Halifax, Nov. 26. A howling wind and rain storm prevailed here all day. Telegraph, telephone, and electric light wires are demoralized, and a good deal of damage has been done to shipping in the harbor. There are no signs of the weekly mail steamer yet, and the fortnightly steamer Nova Scotia, due last Friday from Liverpool and St. John's, Nfld., won't arrive until Wednesday.

John Bright Worse.

London, Nov. 26. John Bright passed a restless night. His lungs are in a worse condition this morning, and his temperature is higher. Bright's son, who was summoned from Cardiff, arrived last night.

Gold in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, Nov. 26. Some 2,127 ounces of gold were mined in Nova Scotia last month. The old Albion mine at Montague, near Halifax, is being reworked by a small company. A \$900 nugget was found on Saturday and purchased by the Local Government. It will be sent to the Imperial Exhibition at London. A ten foot bed of rich copper ore, 1,000 feet in length, has been struck at the Coxheath copper mine, Cape Breton.

The Fisheries Question.

London, Nov. 26. In the Commons this evening Sir James Ferguson, Parliamentary Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said, in reply to interrogatories, that the Government would make no statements regarding the American fisheries dispute at the present. A *modus vivendi* was in operation.

Assigned.

Halifax, Nov. 26. Alderman H. F. Worrall, a general grocer, has assigned. His liabilities are not stated, but will be heavy. His wife is the only preferred creditor for \$35,000.

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Piles! Piles! Itching Piles!

Symptoms.—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; moist at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulcerations, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists, or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. oct12 6m dw

Sir John Lester Kaye has eleven farms in Manitoba, all supplied with buildings and machinery. He raises flax better than the Irish, which is worth \$350 a ton. Next summer 33,000 sheep, now in Oregon, will be transferred to his farms.

"Blood talks." We may not be able to infuse royal and noble blood into a man's veins; but we can do better; we can expel from them all impure and poisonous humors by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Pure blood is the best kind of royal blood.

DONATIONS.—Ladies willing to contribute to the Tea in aid of the Y. M. C. A., will kindly send their donations to the Market Hall, on Thursday, the 29th inst., as it has been impossible to call on all ladies, owing to the bad state of the roads. It is hoped that all will assist without further solicitation.

Having purchased some butter from an Irish woman, the merchant on weighing the lumps found them all light weight and challenged her with trying to cheat him. "Shure, its your own fault if they are light, sir," said Biddy; for wasn't it a pound of soap I bought from you that I had in the other end of the scales when I weighed 'em?"

All those heating and itching humors of the scalp, so troublesome to many persons, are effectually cured by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. If not attended to in time, these diseases are very liable to result in loss of the hair.

BUSINESSLIKE.—Pictou offers two free sites for its proposed shoe factory. Pictou evidently means business.

FANCY WORK.—All interested in the Fancy Sale in aid of the Y. M. C. A., are requested to send donations of Fancy Work to Mrs. A. A. Bartlett. A generous assistance is asked for.

DIED.

At St. Peter's Road, on the 26th inst., Alexander McHeath, Esq. [Funeral on Wednesday next at one o'clock p. m.]

HAWKER'S TOLU AND CHERRY, A Favorite and Most Valuable Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases.

It has cured hundreds of cases considered hopeless. It soothes, heals 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. W. HAWKER & SON, Proprietor, St. John, N. B. nov10—ly dy

HOT AND COLD WATER PLUMBING.

A HERMANS & SON are prepared to attend to the fitting of Waterpipes into Dwellings, etc., in the latest and most approved manner. A supply of LEAD AND GALVANIZED IRON PIPE, FAUCETS, and all necessary FITTINGS always in store. —ALSO— The fitting up of HOT WATER HEATING APPARATUS will receive special attention. Estimates made out at short notice. Good reference can be given. The superiority of the work done by the firm of A. HERMANS & SON is guaranteed by a record of many years. The usual patronage kindly solicited. A. HERMANS & SON. nov26—dy 3i

Gravenstein and American Baldwin Apples.

BY AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 28, at 2 o'clock:— 50 Barrels Choice No. 1 Nova Scotia Gravenstein Apples, 75 Barrels American Baldwin Apples (extra choice). Ex "Worcester" from Boston. nov26 A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island. NOTICE is hereby given that a Half-Yearly Dividend, at the rate of EIGHT PER CENT. per annum, on the Capital Stock of this Bank, has been declared, payable at its Banking Office, Charlottetown, on and after 1st DAY OF DECEMBER NEXT. By order, WM. McLEAN, Cashier. Ch'town, Nov. 26, 1888—eod 12 die pat

Furniture! Furniture!

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED a Large Consignment of NEW FURNITURE, —COMPRISING— Parlor and Bedroom Sets, in Walnut, Mahogany, Ash and Oak; Parlor and Extension Tables, Walnut and Ash Sideboards, Flock and Hair Mattresses, Cane Chairs, &c., &c. The public are respectfully invited to inspect this Furniture before purchasing elsewhere. G. M. HARRIS. nov10—dy & wky Auctioneer

BIG CLOTHING SALE.

You will find this out if you trade with PROWSE: His goods are as advertised and the Cheapest in Town. Try him.

Overcoats, Reefers and Suits at prices never heard tell of before. Competitors are mad but Customers are glad that PROWSE still lives.

WE CLAIM TO SELL THE CHEAPEST, AND WE WILL DO IT.

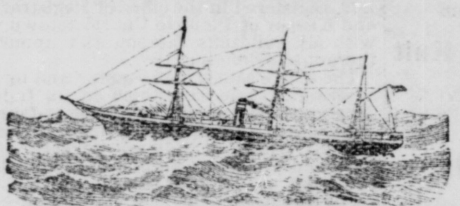
Follow the crowd and you will be led to PROWSE'S Store He does the Biggest Clothing Business on P. E. Island.

Summer is gone, but PROWSE is still to the front with the Best and Cheapest Clothing. Make a start for PROWSE'S Store and get a Bargain.

Sign of the Big Hat, 144 Queen Street.

November 22, 1888—eod & wky

CANADA ATLANTIC Steamship Company.



THE S. S. "HALIFAX"

—WILL LEAVE— Charlottetown for Boston

(VIA HALIFAX,) —ON— FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7th,

AT 7 O'CLOCK, A. M., —AND— Boston for Charlottetown

—ON— Saturday, December 1st.

Through Tickets issued from all Stations on the P. E. I. Railway. The "HALIFAX" has been built specially for his route, combining SAFETY, SPEED and COMFORT. The Fastest and Most Palatial PASSENGER STEAMER between BOSTON and THE PROVINCES. Luxurious Cabins, Elegant State-rooms, Grand Dining Saloon above the Deck, Palatial Social Hall, Spacious Smoking Room. Connecting at BOSTON with Fall River Line or New York; Metropolitan Line for New York; Canada Pacific Railway for Quebec, Montreal, Toronto and all Canadian points; New England and Savannah S. S. Line for all Southern points; all Steamboat and Railroad Lines south and West. At HALIFAX with Steamers for Newfoundland and St. Pierre, also steamer "Electra" for Lunenburg; shortest route to Chester, Bridgewater, Mahone Bay, &c., &c. At POINT HAWKER-BURY with Steamers of the Bras D'or Navigation Co. for Sydney, Baddeck, Wapscott, and all points in Cape Breton. FARES: Charlottetown to Boston—First Class, \$6 50 —Intermediate, 4 00 Charlottetown to New York, via Fall River Line, 9 50 Charlottetown to Savannah, via Boston and Savannah S. S. Line, 21 50 First Class, 15 00 Intermediate, 10 00 Steerage, 5 00 Including Cabin Berth, State-rooms Extra. Through Bills of Lading issued to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Providence, Savannah, Norfolk and points in Ontario and Western States. Also to Liverpool, London, Glasgow and West India. For Freight or other information apply to FENTON T. NEWBERY, Agent, Charlottetown, P. E. I. CHIPMAN BROS., Agents, Halifax RICHARDSON & BARNARD, Lewis' Wharf, Boston. nov20

Landing and to Arrive.

180 BARRELS ONIONS, 125 BOXES RAISINS, 175 " FIGS, 75 CHEESE, 100 Half Chests TEA. RITCHIE BROS. nov19—dy 6i

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED.—A Servant Girl. Apply to Mrs. H. W. FLEGER, Hillsborough Street. nov27—2i pd

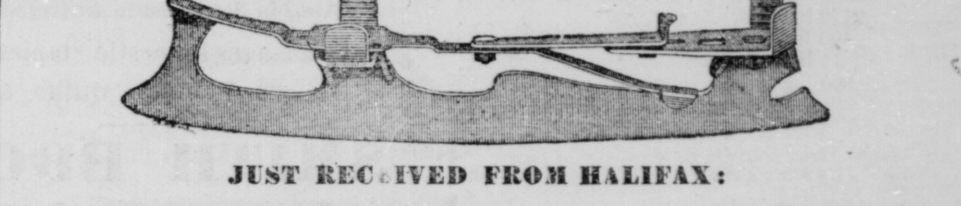
WANTED.—Four good Journeymen Tailors. Steady work and good wages. Apply at once to J. V. SKILLEN, Merchant Tailor, Moncton, N. B. 1w—nov27

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework in a small family. Good wages. Enquire at this office. pd 3i—nov25

WANTED.—A Girl accustomed to plain cooking. Good references required. Apply to Mrs. ALMAUD, Grafton Street. 1f—nov21

TO LET.—The rooms lately in the occupation of Dr. S. H. Jenkins, in the City Hotel, on Great George Street. They are adapted for a lawyer's office, surgeon or dentist's rooms. Possession can be given at once. For terms apply to Agents, Wapscott and Saultwood, Saultwood. nov 8 11 10c

SKATES! SKATES!



JUST RECEIVED FROM HALIFAX: 500 PAIRS GENUINE ACME CLUB SKATES.

WE ARE NOW SELLING AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. DODD & ROGERS.

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BEER BROS. ASTRACAN SACKS, SUPERIOR QUALITY. Beaver and Hare Capes, A LARGE VARIETY. FUR-LINED CLOAKS, LATEST STYLES. Beaver, Seal, Persian Lamb, Astracan and Hare Muffs, SPLENDID VALUE. FUR BOAS AND CAPS, A LARGE STOCK. FUR TRIMMINGS, BEAVER, NUTRIA, HARE, &c. Mens' Fur Coats, AT VERY LOWEST PRICES. SLEIGH ROBES AT VERY LOWEST PRICES. All Fur Goods, CHEAP, AT BEER BROS. Charlottetown, Nov. 16, 1888—dy & wky

FALL & WINTER CLOTHING FOR MEN AND BOYS.

J. B. MACDONALD

IS NOW SHOWING A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF Mens' and Boys' Overcoats, Reefers and Suits, IN NAPS, BEAVERS AND WORSTEDS.

PRICES SO LOW AS TO DEFY COMPETITION. No Brag or Bluster required to sell those Goods.

Anyone seeing this Stock of Clothing, and the low prices which, the goods are being sold for, will at once be convinced of their superior value. For your own sakes, don't buy until you see the Stock and Prices at

J. B. MACDONALD'S, QUEEN STREET Ch'town, Oct. 29, 1888.