

Local and Other Items.

Give Reid a bumper house this evening. Executions have been issued against defaulters in city taxes. Mr. Reid's Concert comes off in the Market Hall this evening. The toboggan slide is in excellent order. Tobogganing to-night. FINE CHORUSES by the Glee Club at Reid's Concert this evening. THE argument in the case of the Bank of P. E. Island vs Ings, continues in the Supreme Court. PRIZE of a mission to Reid's Concert is only twenty-five cents. See programme. THE mails crossed to and from Cape Traverse to-day. The couriers left for town at one o'clock. ALL the best talented amateurs perform at Mr. Reid's Concert to-night. THE funeral of the late John Fraser will leave his residence, King Street, to-morrow morning, at 10 minutes to 8 o'clock. GALVANIZED SPIKES, sheet copper, brass bolt ends, and ship blocks, at the City Hardware Store, NORTON BROS. [Feb 21 wky 2] MR. HUNTER, Meteorological observer, at Alberton, reports the temperature on the 26th ult. to be thirty-five degrees below zero, and on the 29th ult. to be 34.1 degrees below zero. At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon, a servant girl named Mary Campbell was sentenced to one month's imprisonment for stealing clothing from another servant in the house in which they were employed. STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY STEAMERS.—Joiners on these boats will find adzes and handles, boat builder's bevels, compasses, augurs all sizes, bits and chisels, rules and saws, at NORTON BROS. [Feb 21 wky 2] A CORRESPONDENT writes from Clinton, formerly known as Harding's Creek, showing the necessity of a post office at that place. We think the claims of the people of Clinton are good, and we recommend them to the Inspector of Post Offices. THE worst cases of weakness, exhaustion, impotency, and all diseases and weakness of the generative organs can be cured by Mack's Magnetic Medicine. Sold in Charlottetown at Apothecaries' Hall. See advertisement in another column. [Feb 21 wky 2] A LIVERPOOL, G. B. author has composed a song of which the following is an encore verse at one of the pantomimes.— "In America a flying steamer has been launched this morning. "The Yankee says they have the "Alaska" on a "bit of toast." "Each time the vessel flies across she'll bring us a "storm warning." "And New York telegrams will come in future through the post." THE only real live and original white elephant arrived in Liverpool on Jan. 16th, from Rangoon, on board the steamer "Tennessee." The importer is the renowned Bascom, who is credited with having paid \$50,000 for it. The name of this valuable creature, (notwithstanding that it has one of great length and interest) did not appear in the published list of the steamers' passengers. Fancy forty thousand pounds worth of white elephant! This seems a great deal, says the New York Maritime Register, until we come to consider the cost of some of our large steamers; the only difference in reality between them and Barnum's purchase being that the latter is a live one. THE following characteristic letter has been written by Lady Dufferin to Sir Henry Knight, Lord Mayor Fowler's predecessor in office:—"British Embassy, Constantinople, December 29.—My dear late Lord Mayor,—I am sure you will be pleased to hear that the bazaar to which you so generously lent your aid was completely successful. We have made £12,700, which sum will be sufficient to supply the sufferers by the earthquake at Telemus with seeds and with other necessities in the spring. The sum your lordship sent before arrived most opportunely, and was personally distributed by Mr. LaFontaine, a gentleman connected with the Ottoman Bank. Should you have the opportunity, I should be grateful if your lordship would express to those persons who so generously contributed to my still my deep sense of their kindness. The things sent were greatly appreciated here and sold to great advantage. I have, my lord, the honor to remain, yours truly, Harriet Dufferin."

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE WAR IN EGYPT.

BAKER PASHA DEFEATED.

HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE.

LONDON, Feb. 5. Advice from Suakin report rumors to the effect that Baker Pasha has been defeated, and suffered great losses. LATER. LONDON, Feb. 5. Despatches reiterate the previous report that Baker Pasha has met with a serious defeat. Baker Pasha had 3,500 men, and was advancing when attacked. His losses in killed and wounded amount to 2,000 men, four Krupp cannons and two galling guns. The Turks and Europeans fought well. Baker Pasha, with the remnant of his force succeeded in reaching Trinckital, where the gunboat "Ranger" is lying. He will return to Suakin. The Khedive has received a telegram from Baker Pasha deploring his defeat near Tokar. On receipt of the news of Baker Pasha's defeat, the Admiral issued orders stopping the troop-ships on the way to India. The Egyptian correspondence has been published. It confirms the report that England has no intention of employing British or Indian troops in the Sudan. The English Government does not object to the employment of Turkish troops in Egypt, providing the Porte pays the expenses.

Opening of British Parliament.

LONDON, Feb. 5. Parliament was opened to-day by Royal Commission. The Queen's speech announces the continuation of friendly relations with all foreign powers. Correspondence with France relative to Madagascar has so terminated as to confirm the cordial understanding between the two countries. In conjunction with the President of the United States, a commission had been appointed and is now sitting in Paris to discuss the regulation of the Newfoundland fisheries. An agreement with Portugal regarding Congo and adjacent territory, has been formed. Diplomatic relations with Mexico are in a fair way of being soon resumed. A treaty of commerce with Turkey is under discussion. A commercial agreement with Spain has been signed, and awaits the action of the Cortes. The revision of the commercial treaty with Japan is nearly completed and a treaty of commerce and friendship with Corea has been formed. The aim is to secure a greater efficiency of administration and the enlargement of the powers of rate payers, including the regulation of the traffic in intoxicating liquors. A plan will be proposed for the extension of municipal government to the whole metropolis, and bills relating to the security of life and property, also to the repression of corruption at elections, and for the promotion of education and morality will be introduced. When the House of Commons resumed its sitting, the floor and galleries presented a busy stirring scene. Charles Bradlaugh sat on one of the cross benches under the Peers' gallery. Loud cheers greeted Mr. Gladstone. He gave notice that the Franchise Bill for the United Kingdom would be introduced on Friday, if possible.

The Pistol at Work.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 5. Lewis, foreman of the coal yard, was shot last night by Frank Porter, a striking coal wheeler. Porter was arrested. Hill, engineer at McGinnis' cotton mill, was shot on Saturday by Edward Knight, acting Superintendent, and is not expected to live. Conrod Hope, aged fifty years, was shot and mortally wounded by Henry Ferguson, yesterday, during a difficulty about business.

Delong's Remains.

HAMBURG, Feb. 5. The Hamburg American line steamer "Trisia," which leaves here to-morrow, will bear to America the remains of Lieutenant Delong and comrades of the "Jeannette," which reached here yesterday, under an escort of American naval officers.

Murder and Arson.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5. Newry, colored, has confessed that he killed Henry Dupugh and another negro named Ross and then set fire to the house, last March, near Alton, Ill.

Checking Undue Speculation.

LONDON, Feb. 5. The Liverpool cotton brokers and Lancashire spinners are holding a conference for the purpose of adopting rules to check undue speculation in cotton futures.

Burned to Death.

WHEELING, Va., Feb. 2. The dwelling of Mr. Morrison, in Pocahontas County, was burned last night and two little girls perished in the flames.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. TORONTO, February 6—10 a. m. Winds shifting to northward; partly clearing weather; colder by night. METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlottetown, 6th Feb. 1884. Highest temperature yesterday... 40.2 Lowest temperature (read at midnight)... 4.8 Lowest temperature this morning... 27.8 Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock... 37.6 Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock... 27.0

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The Ladies of St. James' Kirk

Good Old Time

TEA AND FANCY TABLE, EARLY IN MARCH.

Further particulars will be given. Dissolution Notice.

THIS is to certify that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business under the style and firm of Darvach & Powle, has this first day of May, A. D. 1883, been dissolved by mutual consent. Dated this 1st day of May, A. D. 1883. JOHN DARRACH, AUBREY POWLE. Ch'town, Jan. 19, 1884. 81 cod.

TENDERS FOR CHURCH.

TENDERS will be received until the 25th of February, for building and finishing the outside of a Presbyterian Church, near Head of St. Peter's Bay, according to Plans and Specifications to be seen at the store of Messrs. Davison & Co., Charlottetown, and at the store of L. Anderson, St. Peter's Bay. Tenders will be addressed to John A. McLaine, Esq., Head St. Peter's Bay. Each Tender to be accompanied with the names of two good and solvent persons willing to become surety for the faithful performance of work. Scantling for frame and foundation will be provided by committee. Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender. L. ANDERSON, Chairman of Com. Jan. 23, '84.—2aw wky 4i.

To the free and independent Electors of the Fourth Electoral District of Queen's County.

GENTLEMEN,—Being unanimously chosen from all parts of your district, as the Liberal-Conservative candidate at the forthcoming election, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the much-lamented late Angus D. McMillan I am now before you to solicit your influence and support. If returned, you may rest assured of my undivided attention to all the wants of the District, and will always, I trust, be found a supporter of good measures, as well as of the equitable disbursement of the Public Funds. Trusting that I will have your countenance and support at the polls. I remain, gentlemen, Yours truly, ALEXANDER MARTIN. Jan. 28, 1884.—wky pres her.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the ensuing session of the Parliament of Canada, by John F. Stairs, William Roche, junior, Joseph Wood and others, for an Act to Incorporate the Halifax Steam Navigation Company, for the purpose of building, purchasing, owning, acquiring, employing and navigating steamships and other vessels for the conveyance of passengers and merchandise between the ports of the Dominion of Canada and to and from ports out of Canada. Halifax, 24th November, 1883. GRAHAM, TUPPER & BORDEN, Solicitors for Applicants. Nov. 28, 1883.—law 9i

SEED WHEAT.

I HAVE just received from Ontario (ONE CAR LOAD (500 bushels), WHITE RUSSIAN SEED WHEAT specially selected for my own trade. This Wheat can now be seen at my store or will send samples by mail to any address free. PRICE.—\$2.00 per bushel of 60 lbs. Bags (containing 2 bush. each) 25 cents extra. All orders filled promptly and in their turn. If to be sent by rail will be delivered on board train without extra charge. TERMS CASH. Remittances should be made by Registered Letter. Fractions of a dollar may be sent in one or three cent postage stamps. As there will be a rush for this wheat, those who desire to secure some of it should order immediately. Address George Carter, Upper Great George St. Ch'town, Dec. 27, 1883.—lawwly.

Valentine Fair.

THE Ladies of St. Paul's Church propose to hold a BAZAAR AND TEA, IN THE MARKET HALL, Thursday, February 14th. Tea to be on the Tables at 5 p. m. Admission 10 cents. Tea 25 cents. Contributions of work or refreshments will be thankfully received by the following committee. Mrs. H. J. Palmer, Mrs. Mackinlay, Mrs. Thomas Dodd, Mrs. G. McLeod, Mrs. R. B. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Sidney Grey, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. H. Longworth, Mrs. Scantlebury. Ch'town, Jan. 26, 1884.—3ln sat

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1883. CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S REQUISITES 1884.

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"KENSINGTON FARM."

NOTICE is hereby given, that whereas N trees have lately been cut down and others wantonly injured, and fences destroyed on the "Kensington Property," near this city, the subscriber, who is the owner of the said property, will cause to be sued all persons found in any way trespassing thereon. The part of this property fronting on the Hillsborough River will be leased for farming purposes for a term of years. MICHAEL BEAZELEY, By his Attorney G. W. DeBLOIS. Ch'town, Jan. 28, 1884.—1f

Pay Your Taxes and Save Costs.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons who have not paid their Real Estate Tax for year 1883, that I will apply to His Honor the Stipendiary Magistrate, on Wednesday the 6th day of February next, for JUDGMENT against such defaulters, when warrants will be issued and placed in the hands of the Sheriff for collection. FRANCIS S. CHANDLER, Collector. Ch'town, Jan. 28, 1884.—tl date.

TO LET.

THE room on South Side Queen Square, lately occupied as a private billiard room. Apply to HORACE HASZARD. Ch'town, Jan. 14, 1884.

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RISKS taken on all classes of insurable property at reasonable rates. HORACE HASZARD, Lower Queen Street. Ch'town, Jan. 12, '84.—2w wtd.