

Local and Other Items.

Mr. W. W. Sullivan left here for Ottawa on Monday evening last.

The Maritime Bank of New Brunswick suspended payment yesterday morning.

Mr. Alexander Campbell has been appointed Lieut-Governor of Ontario, and Senator Nelson of British Columbia.

The Grand Old-Fashioned Concert to be given by the members of the Benevolent Irish Society, on the 17th of March, promises to be the best for years.

We would call the attention of the public to the great danger of walking on the railway track, particularly through cuttings, at the present time, when the snow banks are so high and numerous.

Mr. John T. Ross, of this city, has just received from the executive committee of the Indian and Colonial Exhibition a beautiful reward diploma for garden products forwarded by him for exhibition.

The market yesterday was not largely attended, nor was it well stocked. Prices were about as usual, with the exception of eggs and pork—the latter was sold at high and one per cent, while eggs brought from 17 to 18 cents per dozen.

We commence this week a most interesting story entitled "The Household of the Gods" by the "Castle of Otranto" as announced last week.

Mr. DeWitt's Collier has purchased from Messrs. Miller Bros., Charlottetown, a very fine Upright Piano, manufactured by Von & Sons, Boston.

The Executive Committee of the Indian and Colonial Exhibition have forwarded to His Lordship the Bishop of Charlottetown, a beautifully executed diploma, to be followed by a medal, for a representation of photographs of the different Churches and Educational Institutions of this diocese exhibited there.

The Sixteenth General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Merchants Bank of P. E. Island was held on Thursday last. The Directors' Report showed that the total profits during the year amounted to \$16,000, or about 11 per cent on the capital stock.

On Friday evening last, about 11 o'clock, a fire broke out in the Steam Laundry and Furniture Factory of Mark Wright & Co., King's Square.

The fire engines arrived in a short time and did good work, but were unable to prevent the fire from spreading.

Following were the Boston prices on March 2:

Wheat—There was a short supply of eggs on Monday and Tuesday, and prices advanced.

As announced on Sunday last, the Devotion of the Forty Hours opened in St. Dunstan's Cathedral this morning.

On Wednesday, 2nd inst., an old and respected citizen, Mr. J. H. Macdonald, died at his residence.

Irish Affairs.

T. P. Gill, M. P., speaks as follows regarding matters in Ireland.

The brevity of the plenary of the convention in Ireland is a great national calamity.

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THE Benevolent Irish Society. Princes Edward Island, 1825. 1887.

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