

THE HERALD

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The Patriot devotes a large amount of its space, these days to United States politics and other foreign subjects. There are all very good in their way and quite interesting in fact.

Mr. C. H. Tupper, Minister of Marine and Fisheries has been highly honored by being conducted by the Imperial entourage to their agents to prepare the British case before the Behring Sea arbitration.

Mr. Foster, Minister of Finance and Hon. Macdonald, Minister of Militia, left Ottawa for Washington on Thursday last week to confer with the Secretary of State for the United States regarding certain matters that were left over at the Ottawa conference.

During the present summer, a commission of seven members sit at Paris to arbitrate upon the Behring Sea dispute. The arbitrators will be appointed by Great Britain, two by the United States, and one each by the Governments of France, Italy and Sweden.

Mr. McArthur, editor of the Montreal Herald, has been highly honored by being conducted by the Imperial entourage to their agents to prepare the British case before the Behring Sea arbitration.

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A SLANDERER REBUKED.

Mr. Higgins, editor of the Guardian of this city, has been a Honolulu in the Sandwich Islands and has since been writing his papers containing some account of what he saw and heard.

These extracts are all from Protestant writers, of good standing, not scribblers desiring in bald assertions. We have thought proper to reproduce these extracts in full, in order that the truth might be laid before our readers.

We feel sure, however, that a very much larger number of readers will be astonished to know that what he is pleased to call a "true story" is but a revised edition of an old slander more than once repeated and as often refuted.

The writer, with unparalleled assurance, makes the most disgraceful charges against the character of the dead priest, without the slightest shadow of proof.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

In the Commons on Monday last week, Hon. Mr. Patterson, of Harrow, raised a question of privilege read an extract from a speech made during the all night sitting of the previous week.

Mr. Patterson gave a full account of the circumstances of the case, and stated that he had been personally taken to the house of the deceased priest, and that he had seen the body of the priest lying in state.

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NEWS NOTES.

An intervention has broken out in Spanish waters. The Irish population of Australia is about 1,200,000.

The long strike of the Durham coal miners has ended. The men have returned to work at the reduction in wages which the strike was supposed to prevent.

Further mail advices from the Island of Mauritius concerning the recent hurricane say that 1,200 persons were killed and four thousand injured.

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SPORTING NOTES.

A trotting circuit for this fall to be organized in the Province of New Brunswick. The circuit will take place at St. John's.

The Lacrosse season of the five big clubs opened at Ottawa, Saturday, when the Capitals of that city met and crushingly defeated the Montreal by 7 goals to 0.

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OUR STORE is the recognized headquarters for FASHIONABLE GOODS.

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BEER BROS. is in Dress Goods, Mantles and Millinery we have something to suit every face, figure and pocket.

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FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT

ON THE BEER BROS. DRIVING PARK, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND, Thursday & Friday, JUNE 30th & JULY 1st.

A GRAND PROCESSION OF FIREMEN, with Apparatus, will take place on Friday, July 1st, commencing at 10 o'clock, sharp.

ADMISSION TO PARK, GRAND STAND, 10 and 15 cents. No including license will be sold on the grounds.

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