

The Week.

HOME NEWS.

The Supreme Court was to give judgment on the constitutionality of the Temperance Act, to-day.

The Government of New Brunswick have agreed to give \$10,000 towards the erection of a permanent exhibition building.

The Town of Milltown, St. Stephen, is to petition the Legislature for power to issue \$30,000 in debentures to aid the projected cotton mill.

The steamer Ontario of the Dominion line, which sailed on Monday from Halifax for Liverpool, took about two hundred and seventy head of cattle for the English market.

A private cablegram received by a firm in Halifax from St. John's, Newfoundland, dated on Saturday last, says that the seal fishery has turned out almost a total failure. Ten steamers returned empty.

Ottawa, April 12.—Rev. Dr. Nichols has been here for some days in connection with Bank of Liverpool. It is understood that he is much pleased with the reception he met with from the Government.

The Americans who were boring for oil at Fox Creek and Memramcook last summer, are expected to recommence operations at the latter place by the first of June. They are at present in the States.

Quite a number of men are now employed on the Moncton sugar refinery. No stone has yet been laid, but a considerable amount of excavating has been done. The frame of a pile driver has been constructed.

Belleville, April 6.—It is rumored that Messrs Rathburn & Son will shortly ship 10,000 doors, which have been manufactured at their extensive sash, blind and door factory in Millpoint for Sydney, N. S. W.

Princess Louise and suite attended the evening prayer at Christ's Church on Sunday. We believe this is the first public appearance of Her Royal Highness since her accident. Thus does the Princess, like her Royal Mother, set a good example to those around her.

The St. Croix cotton mills project is progressing finely. We stated yesterday that the Town Council of Milltown, had voted to take \$30,000 stock, in the Company, and now about \$100,000 is assured. Both sides of the river are taking a decided interest in the enterprise.—Ex.

The Allan Line steamer Sardinian, Capt. Dutton, from Liverpool, G. B., which arrived at Halifax Monday morning, had a very large number of passengers. Among them were about three hundred immigrants, the majority of whom were forwarded per Intercolonial Railway to different parts of Canada. They are a fine looking lot of people. The most of them are well to do, and intend settling in various parts of the West to farm. They are nearly all English, there being a very small number of foreigners among them.—Herald.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Constantinople, April 10.—A terrible famine rages in Mosul, Turkish Koordistan. Four thousand inhabitants fled to Bagdad and hundreds died on the road.

St. Petersburg, April 12.—Prince Gortschakoff is much worse. It is feared that he will die before to-morrow. The Emperor is much affected, and talks a great deal concerning the services of the great diplomatist and statesman who is now dying.

St. Paul, April 10.—Destructive prairie fire rages north of the Sioux Falls, Dakota. Several farmers have lost their buildings and crops, and it is rumored several persons were fatally burned. Peter Berge, a farmer near Sioux Falls, was burned to death.

The London Times estimates that: "The Liberals in the new House will number about 340; the Home Rulers from 60 to 65; the Conservatives can hardly count on more than 250." Thus the Conservative majority in the last house will be about reversed.

The Duke of Newcastle, the Marquis of Anglesey and the Earl of Fife, who died within a year, were the three most heavily insured men in England, the companies being hit for \$6,250,000, while two other noblemen have just died, had between them 1,250,000 in the same companies.

Marriages.

THOMAS—HOLDER.—In Carleton, on the 7th inst. by the Rev. Theodore E. Dowling, Rector of St. George's Church, Frederic E. Thomas, to Florence M. H., eldest daughter of Edward N. Holder, of St. John, N. B.

FENARTY—LANGILLE.—On the 10th inst. at St. James' Church, North Shore, St. Margaret's Bay, by the Rev. H. Stamer, Rector of Hubbard's Cove, John Fenarty, to Malenda Langille.

Births.

ARMSTRONG.—At the Rectory, Kent County, N. B., on the 2nd inst., the wife of the Rev. W. B. Armstrong, of a daughter.

Deaths.

COCHRAN.—At Kentville, on Tuesday morning, 6th inst., B. W. Cochran, Esq., aged 57 years, formerly Postmaster in Halifax. He lived and died a consistent Churchman. He partook of the Holy Communion, for the last time, at the early service, Easter morning.—At the Burial Service, the Church was nearly filled, and a very large and respectable procession followed the remains of our lamented brother to the grave.

WOLHAUPTER.—On Tuesday afternoon, 6th inst., at the house of the Rev. T. E. Dowling, Carleton, Catherine Phoebe, widow of the late Benjamin Wolhaupter, Esq., Sheriff of York, aged 82 years.

DUKSHIRE.—At Maitland, on the 20th February last, after a lingering illness of nine months, borne in meek submission to the Divine Will, and in "the sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life," Mr. John Dukshire, an old and much respected inhabitant of that place, aged 69 years.

DUKSHIRE.—Also, "Fall asleep in Jesus," on Sunday, the 4th ult., at the same place, Alice S., third daughter of the above. She was enabled, through many weary days of sickness, to put her whole trust in a Saviour's love.

"I heard the voice of Jesus say, Come unto Me and rest; Lay down, thou weary one, lay down Thy head upon my breast. I came to Jesus as I was, Weary, and worn, and sad; I found in Him a resting-place, And He has made me glad."

SELDEN.—At Kempt, Queens Co., on the 3d ult., Mr. Samuel Selden, eldest son of the late Henry Selden, aged 28 years. Deceased was grandson of the late Henry Selden, Senior, one of the founders of the Church at Caledonia.



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CHARLES J. MACDONALD, Post Office Inspector, Halifax, 7th April, 1880.

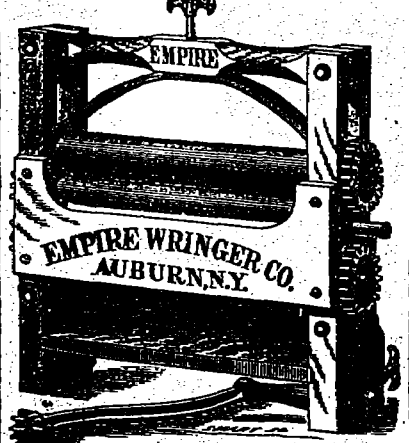


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Weekly Markets.

FISH. The prices of fish are asking prices from vessel; when sold from Store are more, say from 25 to 50 cents per barrel or quintal.

Table of fish prices including Large Cod, Small, Arichat, Bank, Labrador, Hake, Haddock, Arichat, Western Shore, Pollock, and Herring (Yessel).

Table of Mackerel prices (No. 1, No. 2, No. 3, large, No. 3, med, Small) and Salmon prices (No. 1, No. 2).

Table of Flour prices (Canada Sup. Extra, Extra, Strong Bakers, Spring Extra, Extra State, Rye Flour, Am.) and Cornmeal prices (Kiln Dried choice, Fresh Ground).

Table of Oats prices (P.E.I. Black, Canadian Mixed, N. S. and N. B., Bran) and Peas prices (Beans, Peas, round, Peas, split).

Table of Provisions prices including Beef (Am. Mess, Fx Mess, N. Scotia Mess, An Plate, Extra Prime), Pork (N. Y. C. Mess, In bond), and Lard.

Table of Tea prices (Congou, Oolong) and Soap, Candles, &c. prices (Domestic Brown, Pale, Family, Extra, B. Mottled 6, Crown, Laundry).

Table of Canada Laundry prices (Candles, 6's and 8's) and Molasses prices (Demerara, Cienfuegos, Trinidad).

Table of Sugars prices (Porto Rico, ch. grey, Vac. Pan, puty paid, Yellow C, Extra C, Scotch refined, Crushed, Granulated, Porto Rico, Cuba, dark) and Country Produce prices (Butter, Cheese, Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Veal, Pork, Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens, Partridges, Potatoes, Turnips, Carrots, Hay, Tallow, Buckwheat, Apples).

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