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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Latest Intelligence from all Parts.

mation Boiled Down to Suit

Twenty-two persons were drowned in the recent hurricane off the Orkney It-

The corporation of Quebec are to pay all the costs of the present test case of the Salvation Army, but will not carry it to any higher court or pay further ex-

Mme. Patti made her first public appearance in Paris since the Franco-Prussian war Friday night. The occasion was a concert in aid of the French Hos-The rector of St Patrick's school, Que-

bec, Brother Thos O'Brien, dropped dead in St Patrick's church, Quebec, Saturday night, while attending service. Heart disease was the cause. Benjamin Freer, headmaster of the Kincardine high school, has resigned,

to accept a more lucrative position in Toronto. Mr Freer has been fourteen years in the service of the board, The train bound north over the St Louis, Arkansas and Texas railway

was stopped by train robbers, ten miles this side of Texarkana, Ark., on Friday day night, and the express car robbed of

The Fisheries Conference at Washington adjourned after Saturday's sitting for the Christmas holidays, to meet on January the 4th. Sir Charles has left for Winnipeg to meet Lady Tupper, and will go from there to Ottawa. Mr Chamberlain will leave on Monday week t) visit Lord Lansdowne.

Chancellor Boyd and Judge Osler gave judgment on Monday in the East Northumberland Provincial election case in favor of the petitioner, voiding the election of Dr Willoughby and ordering a new election. Their Lordships stated that they would report to the speaker the names of seven persons guilty of bribery.

Election Notices.

NOMINATION MEETING FOR Mayor and keeves -The Electors of the town of Goderich, will meet at the town hall, on Monday, December 26th 1887, at 10 o'clock in the foremon, for the purpose of nominating fit and proper persons for Mayor, Reeve and Leyuty-Reeve for the ensuing year according to Statute. Nomination for councillors will take place on the same day in the several wards.

WM, CAMPBELL.

WM, CAMPBELL. Returning officer. Goderich Dec. 14th 1887.

Strayed Animals.

STRAY HEIFER—CAME ON THE premises, John Gullis' mills. Manchester, about the 1st of October, a two-year-old red heifer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take away.

JOHN CULLIS,

Manchester Mills.

The People's Column.

NOTICE.
The Statutes of Canada 50-51 Victoria, 1887.

Goderich, Dec. 3, 1887. 29-2t.

DERKSHIRE BOAR FOR SER-VICE—A first-class boar will do service on the premises of the subscriber, Bayfield road, Goderich Township. Terms, \$1, to be paid at time of service, with privilege of re-turning, if necessary. Also a shorthorn bulk kept on the premises.

29-1m

ISAAC SALKELD.

MISS E. FRASER.

will give lessons on piano to a limited number of pupils. Terms reasonable, and made known on application. Lessons can be given either at residence of pupil or teacher. Orders left at the bookstore of Fraser, Porter and Kay will receive prompt attention. 28 3m.

HEAD TEACHER WANTED— before Dec.20th, stating salary and experience, to JOHN STEWART, Benmiller P.O. 27.3t

All parties holding accounts against the Township of Colborne are requested to send them in to my office before the 16th of December. 26-tf J. H. RICHARDS, Clerk. OTICE—ALL PARTIES OWING the late firm of J. Downing & Co., are bereby notified that the books will be disposed of after the first week in January, and all accounts not settled by that time, will have to be paid to the holders of the books after that date. J. Downing & Co. tf 28,

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Legal Sales.

N THE MARITIME COURT OF Ontario.

17.—The schooner or vessel called the "Norris," of the Port of Port Huron, where of James Sheehan now is or lately was master, her tackle, apparel and furniture and the cargo now or lately laden therein, together with the freight due for the transportation thereof.

N THE MARITIME COURT OF ONTARIO No. 18,—The schooner or vessel called the "Norris," of the Port of Port Huron, whereof James E. Sheehan now is or lately was master, her tackle, apparel and furniture and the cargo now or lately laden therein, together with the freight due for the transportation thereof.

Pursuant to a warrant of appraisament and

transportation thereof.

Pursuant to a warrant of appraisement and sale issued out of this court in above cause. If will offer for sale by public auction at my office, at the Town dock, Goderich, on Saturday, the 24th day of December, 1887, attwelve o'clock noon, the schooner or vessel called the "Norria," of the port of Port Huron, of about 400 tons burden, and now lying at the Port of Godarich together with her tackle, apparel and furniture. There are two large anchors with suitable chains of extra length, a new foresail of excellent material, a pump and other tackle belonging to the said schooner.

TERMS—Twenty per cent, in cash and the balance without interest in ten days, when immediate possession will be given, title perfect. For further particulars apply to the undersignet.

Dated December 13th, 1887.

THOMAS VANEVERY,

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S. MALCOMSON. GEO. STIVENS. B. MALCOMSON. GEO. STIVENS, President. Secre Goderich, March 12th, 1885.

Legal Notices.

N THE HIGH COURT OF JUST CHANCERY DIVISION.

comen The Watson Manufacturing Company, (Limited), sucing on behalf of themselves, and all other creditors of the defendants, and Plaintiff WILLIAM H. REED, the elder, ROBERT W. REED, and AMELIA REED,

REED, and AMELIA REED,

Pursuant to the judgment herein dated the 8th day of March, 1887, all persons holding claims against William H. Reed, of the township of Ashfield, in the County of Huron, yeoman, who are willing to come in and contribute to the expenses of this action are to file before me on or before Tuesday, the 20th day of December, 1887, a statement of their claim ver.field by affidavit, and I appoint Friday, the 25rd day of December, 1887, at 10 a.m., for adjudication upon such claims.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1887.

S. MALCOMSON.

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