## LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

THE Sussex news has ceased publication.

PORK sold in the city yesterday at 9 and 9½ cents per lb.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND representatives at Ottawa have left for there to be present at the opening of Parliament to-morrow.

DR. J. E. MORSE has removed his dental parlors to more commodious apartments in the Steamer Block, Victoria Row.

JOHN MCKINNON was taken to Dorchester penitentiary, Monday night by Sheriff Horne.

THE exports at Halifax last year were valued at $7,077,638, an increase of $889,000 and the imports $6,822,804, a decrease of $372,002.

THE steamer Carroll grounded on George's Island, while going out of Halifax harbor one night last week. She floated at high water next morning, and sustained no damage.

NO foreign mails were received on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. The Stanley was unable to make connection between Georgetown and Pictou owing to the stormy weather.

ACCORDING to the decision of a Maine court, it only costs a man a cent to call a man a thief and a liar. In other states it depends very largely upon the muscular measurement and pugilistical proficiency of the aggrieved party.

THE store on the corner of Queen and Sidney streets, lately occupied by R. B. Norton & Co, and the scene of the recent fire, was offered at auction Saturday. It was bid in by the owners, the Connolly Estate. The highest bid, $1,800, was received from Mr. R. B. Norton.

AT Halifax Friday night fire destroyed the grocery and liquor store of Thomas Doyle, on Water Street. Several buildings adjoining, including L. Wallace's and W. J. Holly's clothing stores and G. H. Boyle & Co's grocery store, were partially burned.

WHILE police officer Soy was attempting to arrest a man named James Anderson at a place seven miles from Amherst, Monday, he was shot in the back by Anderson. The wound is very dangerous but no fatal result is anticipated. Anderson was wanted for burglary.

AT a meeting of citizens held Monday to consider the sewerage question the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved that this meeting think it inadvisable to submit at a public meeting this question to the citizens at an early date." The question has therefore received the quietus for some time at least.

MESSRS THOS. GILLAN, Jos. Winchester and John Maher, who were dismissed from the P. E. I. Railway workshops some three months ago, have been reinstated in their old positions. The three men resumed work Monday morning. John McPherson, Sr., another of the dismissed employees, is also to be reinstated when he returns to the city.

A SUMMERSIDE man named Henry Trowsdale left his home between 6 and 7 o'clock on the evening of the 13th inst., but as yet has not returned and his family have not the slightest knowledge of his whereabouts. When he left he took with him a hand-sleigh, which he borrowed from Mr. Peter Kenny, and told his family he would return about 11 o'clock the same night.

A citizen of Digby N. S., who has kept a record of the snow falls for the last fifty years, says that the fall there during this month has been greater than any for that month in the last thirty years. Lumbermen are busy in the woods, and more lumber will be taken out this season probably than has been secured for the three past winters' work.

ABOUT the middle of last October, a school teacher named Horner, living at Freeport, Digby County, N. S., left his home with out notice and disappeared. Nothing has since been seen or heard of him and his friends are naturally becoming very anxious. The slightest clew to his whereabouts has not so far rewarded their search and enquiry.

THE trial of Odbur and Charles McMichael, colored, charged with the murder of Fred Tyus at St. Mary's N. B., in October last, ended, at Fredericton, Friday. A verdict of manslaughter was returned, and both prisoners were sentenced to two years in Dorchester penitentiary. Odbur McMichael is 74 years old, and kept a barber shop at St. Mary's. His son is only 19.

MUCH anxiety has been felt in this city for the safety of the schooner Iris, Capt Thomas Richards, which sailed from this port on Dec. 15th last, for St. John's Nfld., with a cargo of oats and other mercandize, shipped by Carvell Bros. Saturday, forenoon, however, a telegram was received by Messrs Carvell Bros. stating that the Iris had just arrived at Barbadoes with the loss of sails. The captain's wife was also on the schooner.

THE office of Poole & Lewis on Peake's No. 3 wharf was entered by burglars during Wednesday night last. Access was gained by smashing a pane of glass in one of the windows. The contents of the desks and drawers were scattered over the floor but nothing was stolen. This makes the third time the office has been entered by would-be burglars within about a year.

SPECIAL FOR OUR READERS.—A large 1, life-sized engraving (in natural colors) of the famous one thousand dollar prize St. Bernard dog owned by the Publisher of the Toronto Times, together with the Times Calendar for 1893 will be sent free (in mailing tube) upon receipt of your name and address and two three-cent stamps to cover expense of mailing. If you desire it send at once. Address—the Toronto Times, Osgoodby Building, Toronto, Ont.


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THE election of a Water Commissioner in place of Hon. David Laird, whose term has expired, will be held on Wednesday Feb. 8th. Nomination will be one week previous.

AN execution has been served upon the Moncton Transcript for the bill of costs in connection with the suit brought by Dr. Welton, member for Albert, against the proprietor of that paper for libel.

THE report of the delegates from the Maritime Provinces, who visited Manitoba and the Northwest, during the summer of 1892, has been issued. Anyone desiring a copy can have the same by applying to J. Heber Haslam of the C. P. R., Moncton, N. B.

WE much regret to learn of the death of John A. McIsaac, son of Mr. Neil McIsaac, of Fairview, West River, who was killed by a railway car, at Boston Highlands, on Dec. 31st last. He was 29 years of age and had been absent from home for about two years and a half.

THREE years ago Captain Bonnell was driving by the house of Dr. Walker, a wealthy gentleman who has retired from practice and lives at South Bay, near St. John. Walker's dog ran at the horse, which took fright and threw Bonnell out of the waggon. The captain claimed to have received serious injuries and sued the doctor for heavy damages. Friday in the circuit court the jury gave Bonnell the comfortable sum of $8,000.

JUDGE PETERS Thursday afternoon sentenced C. B. Welton and Dr. E. C. Randall convicted of graveyard insurance, to five years each in Dorchester penitentiary. The prisoners will remain in jail, however, pending the hearing of the writ of error by the supreme court. The prisoner's counsel are confident that they will succeed in upsetting the conviction and securing a new trial.

THE lowest drop the thermometer has yet taken this season occurred Sunday night. The Meteorological Department's instrument, at the Post Office building registered 12° below zero. Instruments in other parts of the city registered from 8 to 18° below. Owing to the calm the cold was not so severely felt as when a much higher figure was registered. The snap proved a bonanza for the plumbers.

J. Heber Haslam, C. P. R. agent offers $150 prizes to the school children of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and P. E. Island for the best essays on the Canadian North, west, its resources, history, etc. The money will be equally divided between the provinces. The competition is open only to children under fifteen years of age and the papers must be in by June 10th 1893 and are not to contain more than 2,500 words.

FISHERY inspector Chapman, who returned from the north yesterday afternoon, reports the smelt fishing business booming on the Richibucto River. At the present rate of catch, Mr. Chapman estimates that $40,000 or $50,000 worth of smelts will be taken on the Richibucto river this season. Between 300 and 400 men are engaged in the occupation and some 175 nets are spread. It is not unusual to haul in two or three tons from one net in a day and as smelts are sold from 2½ to 3 cents per pound, the business yields pretty fair profits. The price this year is slightly in advance of last year.—Moncton Times.

### Sporting Notes.

The amateur championship skating races of Canada will take place at Montreal on Feb 18th.

R. M. Laidlaw the Dartmouth N. S. skater challenges Fred Breen to skate a three or five mile race at Pictou for $100 a side and the championship of America.

In the races at Rodbank, N. J., last Wednesday Joe Donoghue won the two miles handicap from scratch and broke the American record for both distances. His time was 5.56 and 6.03 1-5.

Jake Gaudaur has issued a challenge to row any man for the championship of America and $1,000 to $2,500 a side. If no one accepts he will claim the championship. Hanlan says he will accept the challenge.

A pneumatic wheel is proposed that has valves in the tire which will cause the compression of the air by the weight of the sulky and driver to propel the vehicle in a forward direction.

A two-mile race for the amateur championship of St. John and a silver cup was skated Friday night, and won by Hudson Breen, brother of Fred C. Breen. H. Breen and Frank Carroll, of Pictou, are likely to meet in a contest in a few days.

A Minneapolis despatch says J. S. Johnson broke the mile skating record by making it in 2 43 3-5. (Presumably Johnson is the bicyclist of record-breaking renown who is credited with having covered a mile on his wheel, with a flying start, in 1.56 3-5.)

Joe Donoghue agrees to skate Norseng a series of races, of one, three and five miles for $1,000 a side, and all net gate receipts at Normanna rink Minneapolis, on some date in February to be mutually agreed upon. Donoghue also requires the Normanna rink to pay him $250 expenses, as it has already cost him more than that amount to go there once before.

Fred Breen, accompanied by his trainer, Arthur McHugh, arrived home from Minneapolis, Thursday afternoon. The party declare that Hagen is the greatest skater on earth. Breen's work, however, was most creditable and in the second race he was only beaten 20 feet. They will match him against Laidlaw for $1,000 a side, but will not make a race for such a small sum as $100.

John Eahts, A. S. Franklin and Joe Donoghue are to skate 100-mile race at Cove Pond, Stamford, Conn., to-morrow, providing the conditions of the day are favorable. The race is for glory only. The match is the outcome of the sweeping challenge by Donoghue, made shortly after his return from Minneapolis, wherein he said he could skate any man in the world from one to 100 miles for fun or money. John Eahts holds the Spirit of the Times championship belt and the American record for one hundred miles (11h. 37m. 15s.), made by him in Chicago, Ill., Jan. 7th, 1878. A. S. Franklin is a Norwegian and claims a European record of 7h. 56m. for this distance.

Says a Red Wing, Minn., despatch: A journey through midair on a pair of skids a distance of 103 feet with a perpendicular fall of 36 feet is the remarkable feat accomplished by Thorger Hennesteveit, of this city. There was a sufficiency of new and light snow, and the thermometer was below zero, making the greatest speed possible. The hill which the club selected for its run is about 200 feet long and very steep. Half way down is a wooden platform covered with snow, and so constructed that when the runner passes it he is thrown into the air. Mr. Hennesteveit, in breaking the record, stood as gracefully as if he had been a statue placed on a stationary pedestal. He held a switch in one hand, and the other hand rested at his side. He remained in the air about two and one-half seconds. The world's championship has for many years been held by his brother, Mikkon Hennesteveit, who two years ago smashed all previous records by jumping 102 feet.

## THE WEEK'S DIARY.

Rutherford B. Hayes, ex-president of the U. S., is dead.

Rt. Rev. John McLachlan, Catholic Bishop of Galloway, Scotland, is dead.

Two companies of the South Wales Boarderers have been ordered to Egypt. The companies are up to full war strength.

Dunn & Russell report 42 Canadian failures for last week, against 54 for the corresponding week of last year. Bradstreets report 230 failures and 72 for the same week last year.

The sultan of Morocco has ignored the principal demand of the British ultimatum as to the murder of an English subject, namely, that the minister of foreign affairs should be reprimanded.

The fishing schooner Mary G Powers, which arrived at Boston Wednesday reports January 14th, lat. 42.30 N., long. 66 W., passed a vessel bottom up with spars alongside; apparently a fishing schooner.

The attempt to have Narcisse Dupont, with several aliases, who was charged with stealing $110 from an I. C. R. clerk at Fraserville, N. B., Nov. 16th last, extradited from the United States has been unsuccessful.

The London Chronicle says it hears that the new Irish home rule bill was drafted by Right Hon. James Bryce, chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, and that Mr. Gladstone gave Mr. Bryce a seat in the cabinet for the very purpose of drafting that bill.

The Pall Mall Gazette says that the inquiry into the recent dynamite explosion in Exchange Court, Dublin, has revealed the fact that two men were concerned in the outrage. The identity of these men, the paper adds, has been proven beyond conjecture.

The leading editorial of Thursday's New York Sun says that Canada must win in the Behring sea arbitration, for the claims of the United States rest on a defective foundation. The paper asks why not end this and all other squabbles by continental union?

The barque Ceres at Sharpness, Eng., from Halifax, reports December 20, lat. 48 N., long 34 W., a huge wave swept over the vessel with terrific force, washing a seaman overboard, carrying deck load away amaging bulwarks, boats, forecastle deck house, etc.

The Japanese government intend prohibiting sealing by foreigners within the international limit of Japanese coasts. The sealing companies of Japan have brought about this order, by representing that foreigners took 80,000 worth of seals, while they took but $26,000 worth.

The forthcoming memoirs of Sir John Macdonald, which Joseph Pope is preparing, will contain details of Sir John's Irish home rule scheme prepared in 1871 at the request, it is said, of high authorities in England. It was written from Washington in the form of a letter to Lord Lisgar, then Governor-General of Canada.

Reports of a royalist conspiracy in France are rife. The conspiracy has been hatched in London and Madrid. The royalist plan appears to be an overthrow of the republic by some means, no matter what, and to foment and promote disorder in the hope the French people will turn to the Count of Paris or Duke of Orleans for rescue or protection.

A frightful accident occurred at Lonsdale, R. I., Wednesday. As a sleighing party from Woonsocket was crossing the Lonsdale grade a train crashed into the sleigh, smashing the vehicle and hurling the occupants in all directions, killing eight. The approach of the train was concealed by a high stone fence, and the engine was within fifteen feet when the sleigh reached the track. The occupants were singing merrily all unconscious of their terrible fate. The dead are Robert Cook, Sarah Ann Draper, Wm. H. Draper, Annie Wilson, Wm. Richardson, Mr. McGowan and his wife and Annie Sullivan, all of Pawtucket. Jennie Smith will probably die.

Reports from the Westmoreland and Fayette coke region of Pennsylvania indicate that the thousands of coke workers are not discouraged by the great defeat which they suffered in the spring of 1891 at the hands of Mr. Frick, but are preparing for a more desperate attempt to force their employer to give higher wages and easier regulations. The coming strike will be operated by a more thorough organization of the working men than existed two years ago, and it is not unlikely that they will be supported by a simultaneous strike of the miners at all the railroad pits in that section whence coal is drawn to supply the coke ovens.

Cardinal Parocchi has submitted to the Pope a scheme for adding another to the Catholic edifices of the country. The cardinal's scheme is to erect on the Monte Vaniculo a church with a cupola equal in size and effect to that of St. Peter's, the cost of which is to be defrayed by contributions of the Catholics throughout the world. Round the sacred edifice it is proposed to group the ecclesiastical colleges of the different countries that are now situated in Rome. The further consideration of the proposal will be submitted to a commission of cardinals. The estimated cost of carrying out the scheme is about £4,000,000, and it is calculated that it construction would give employment to 14,000 workmen for six years.

A horrible scene occurred Wednesday at Glasgow at the execution of Wm. McEwen for the murder of a woman at West Pollockshiels. McEwen, after committing the crime, attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat. It was thought that he would die from the effect of the wound, but the doctors succeeded in saving him from the gallows, although his neck was left in a very weak condition. When he was brought out for execution the mark of the self-inflicted wound could plainly be seen. The condemned man was given a drop of seven feet. He walked without apparent fear to the gallows, and the rope was adjusted. When the bolt was drawn an awful spectacle was witnessed, which caused even the experienced prison officials to turn pale. The man's head was nearly torn off, and blood gushed out over his body and the gallows. Death had been instantaneous. Much indignation is expressed against the authorities for not having taken precautions against such an occurrence.

### DIED.

At Souris, on the 9th inst., of tumor in the stomach, Catherine, wife of John Mitchell, in her forty seventh year. May her soul rest in peace.

At the residence of her uncle, Mr. Michael Egan, Great George Street, on Monday, the 23rd inst., Katie Gormley, aged 26 years. May her soul rest in peace.

At the family residence, Souris River, after a short illness, on Jan. 13th inst., Jane McKenzie, widow of the late Ronald McCormack, at the advanced age of 93 years.

At Middleton, Lot 26, on Jan. 13th, after a short illness, John Smith, Esq., in the 84th year of his age. The deceased was born in the County Monaghan, Ireland, in 1809, and was among the first emigrants to this Island. He was highly respected by all who knew him, and leaves a large circle of friends and acquaintances to mourn their loss. May his soul rest in peace.

### JACK FROST WAS KING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18—People are literally freezing to death in the streets of some Tennessee towns, where the mercury is below zero. At Lynchburg, Va., the temperature was six degrees below this morning, and there was black frost in the orange belt of Florida for the fourth day. At Titusville and Pensacola it was 20 above, at Tampa 28, and at Jacksonville 24 degrees, and the fruit is being badly touched, for there is fully one-third of the crop still unpicked.

Unparalled cold image over all the south. It was 24 at Charleston and Montgomery, 20 at Savannah, and only 13 degrees at Atlanta, the home of Uncle Remus and the empire city of "the new south." The Creoles of New Orleans don't back much unless a 36 degrees sun, and it is freezing in Texas, except along the gulf shore. St. Louis had a temperature of 8 degrees below zero, Chicago, 8 below, Buffalo and Oswego, 4 above, and Boston and Albany, 2. In the morning at Hackensacker, which is only about six miles due west of this city, the thermometer marked 18° below zero at 7 a. m. It is not unusual for a very cold wave to come down the valley, back of the palisades, and give a much lower temperature than is recorded in New York.

BERLIN, Jan. 18.—The cold throughout Europe continues to be intense. In this city the cold is very severe, being 23 degrees Reaumur. There is great suffering and a large fatility among the poor, owing partly to acute destitution among the laboring classes. The bodies of three persons, who have been frozen to death, were found in the streets to-day and numerous instances are reported of people frost bitten. Navigation is being suspended on the Elbe, and Hamburg ship owners have ordered their vessels to proceed to other ports, steamers from South America being sent to Bremen Haven. Horrible stories come from the remoter regions of Europe, and especially the Balkans, of death and suffering caused by the severity of the winter. In Servia the wolves have abandoned the forests and prowl about the towns and villages in search of prey. A young girl was devoured by wolves in the suburbs of Belgrade, and the animals made fiercer than ever by hunger have actually appeared in the streets of the city. In Montenegro packs of wolves have attempted to enter the sheep folds, refusing to retreat when fired upon by the peasantry. Despatches from Russia state that there is great suffering in the provinces where the famine prevailed last year, the people having been too much weakened by their sufferings to make sufficient provison of food and fuel for the winter. In Russia, also, the wild animals, made desperate by hunger and cold, have invaded the villages and devoured both human beings and domestic animals.

ROME, Jan. 18.—In Venice the lagoons are frozen and the canals are filling with ice and snow. Provisions are at a premium. The thermometer shows 16 degrees below zero centigrade. In Genoa the thermometer stands 20 degrees below zero centigrade, in Vicenza 24 degrees; in Padua, 31 degrees.

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 18.—Intense cold prevails throughout Sweden. In the north the mercury freezes. All harbors are icebound. Steamers due from London and Hull have not arrived yet.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 18.—A blizzard struck Memphis last evening. At 11 o'clock the snow was eleven inches deep on the level and in drifts two and three feet deep. Street cars are blockaded and traffic suspended.

ST. TOUIS, Jan. 18.—Teams and waggons are now crossing the Mississippi river on the ice-bridge. This is the first time in several years that teams have crossed the river on ice.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Reports of extreme cold come from all parts of the continent. The harbor at Kiel is completely ice bound All over Germany railway traffic is delayed and in some parts suspended. Between Rome and Genoa railway communication is kept up only with the greatest difficulty. Yesterday was the coldest day of the winter in Vienna. Few persons ventured out, as the dazzling whiteness of the snow was almost unendurable and a person's nose or ears would freeze during a five minutes walk. In the suburbs the thermometer was seven degrees below zero. In South of France several small railway accidents have been caused by the snow drifts. Immense snow drifts have been piled up along the Swiss frontier, so that communication over the border is interrupted. In Southern Italy the weather is severer than ever before in the last ten years. Ice forms in the streets and snow is drifting along the highways. A despatch from Naples says that Vesuvius and other mountains thereabout are covered with snow. Dunkirk was swept by a blizzard yesterday and last night the streets were impassable.

VIENNA, Jan. 19.—The phenomenally cold weather continues throughout Austro-Hungarian territory and much suffering is reported. The gypsies are the worst sufferers, as their habitations afford little shelter from the inclemency of the weather. A band of those wanderers is encamped near Koniggretz in Bohemia. This morning sixteen of the band were found frozen to death At Prague, the capital of Bohemia, the mercury stands at 25 degrees below zero centigrade. A soldier who was on guard duty was found frozen to death at his post this morning. Lake Atter, in upper Austria, has been frozen over for the fourth time this century.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Despatches from the Continent state that the cold has not abated. The Rhine is frozen from Geormersheim to Nongeon. The Main and Marseille are partially frozen. The Necker is frozen from the source to the mouth. The supply of fresh vegetables in Berlin was cut off yesterday. Several deaths of wayfarers near Thorne are reported. Many deaths from exposure have occurred in all parts of France. Deputy Descaure was snowbound while travelling by rail near Amiens The locomotive left the train to get assistance. The carriages were unheated and Deputy Descaure from to death. The steamships overdue at Swedish ports from London and Hull have arrived. At Riforjord the passengers were obliged to leave the steamers, walk over miles of ice to Langedarsange and proceed thence on sledges to Gothenburg.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—There a was marked rise in the temperature this morning all through that part of the United States situated east of the Mississippi river, except at Washington, D. C., where the mercury fell to 6 degrees below zero. The lowest temperature in this city to-day was experienced soon after midnight when the thermometer registered 8 degrees.

The coldest point in the United States this morning was Northfield, Vt., with a temperature of 30 degrees below zero. At Boston the thermometer registered 6 degrees, at Albany 2 degrees, at Buffalo 4 degrees, at Chicago 1 degree, at St. Louis 20 degrees, at St. Paul 4 degrees, at Montreal 10 degrees and at St. Vincent 14 degrees. Throughout the southern states the temperature has ranged from 15 degrees to 25 degrees. To-day it has above the freezing point all through the north-eastern states. Rain was falling in most of the southern states. In the Ohio valley it was snowing.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 21—Off Ocean View in this harbor 14 vessels are stuck fast in the ice flying signals of distress. No aid can reach them in the present condition of the bay. Incoming steamboats report hundreds of vessels frozen in the ice in Hampton Roads and Lower Bay.

P. & L. Tessier, commission, fish and oil merchants of St. John's, Nfld., have assigned with liabilities amounting to $850,000. The assets are estimated at $640,000.

An impressive service was held Saturday morning in the Sacred Heart Chapel, adjoining Notre Dame Cathedral, Montreal, the occasion being the solemn observation of the one hundredth anniversary of the execution of Louis XVI. There was a large attendance from among all classes of French Canadians. Many Frenchmen known to be ardent republicans were present, including the extreme anti monarchist, J. X Perrault. Reference was made to the affairs of France at the present day, deploring the corruption going on under the republic.

A revolution in Hayti is imminent.

James Francis Egan, convicted in 1884, of participation at Birmingham in an Irish dynamite plot, and sentenced to 20 years penal servitude, was released from Portland prison Saturday by order of Home Secretary Asquith, on account of ill health.

Home Secretary Asquith has announced that the plan of home rule for Ireland will be on large liberal lines. Ireland will receive genuine autonomy, although the ultimate ascendency of the Imperial parliament will be effectually maintained.

Mary Ann Nelson, positively the last of George Washington's army of colored servants, was found dead in her shanty near Chicago last week. She remembered lighting Washington's pipe for him before the revolution, and claimed to be 130 years old.

Fredk. Bligh, who intimates that he is a Presbyterian lawyer from Halifax, has an able criticism in Saturday's Montreal Witness of Dr. Douglas' attacks on Sir John Thompson. Mr. Bligh's letter is highly spoken of at the clubs and in political circles generally.

L. Joncas, M. P. for Gaspe, writes L'Evenment advising his fellow countrymen to pause before following the advice of those who want to make a national question out of the Manitoba school difficulties. He reminds them that the Riel agitation brought Mercier to power and the Province next door to bankruntcy; and asks what was the use of the agitation in the New Brunswick school question.

The despatch from Guatemala of the 24th says a mob attacked the British Legation and beat Minister Gosling's eldest son so severely that he may die. Minister Gosling's youngest son shot one of the mob dead. The British warship Melpomene is at San Jose. Her commander called for the Warspite and Nymph to come and assist him in blockading the port, so that reparation may be obtained without bombardment. President Barros is said to have refused the British demands for reparation. He protests that he is powerless to do so, as any attempt on his part to atone for the outrages would cause an Indian uprising, if not a general revolution. He begged the British minister and commander to wait until the fury has subsided before they act. The immediate cause of the riot is not mentioned by the despatch.


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| Turkeys, each..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
| Lard..... | 0.14 to 0.3 |
| Flour, per cwt..... | 2.60 to 0.00 |
| Oatmeal (black oats) per cwt | 2.30 to 2.00 |
| Oatmeal (white oats) per cwt | 2.50 to 2.75 |
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| Calf skins (trimmed)..... | 0.06 to 0.00 |
| Sheep pelts..... | 0.60 to 0.80 |
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Jan. 18, 1893—1m



**Mortgage Sale.**

TO be sold by Public Auction in front of the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown, in Prince Edward Island, on THURSDAY, the NINETH day of FEBRUARY next, A. D., 1893, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, all that tract, piece or parcel of land situate lying and being on Lot Twenty-four, in Queen's County, in the said Island, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake in the north line of Lot 24 in the possession of Isaac Doucet, three chains west from the southeast corner of said Lot; thence north fifty-eight degrees west sixty-five chains or until it reaches land in possession of Elisha Lafage; thence south thirty-two degrees west sixty-five chains or until it reaches land in possession of W. Bialch; thence south fifty-eight degrees east along said Bialch's boundary to the shore of Winter River; thence following the course of the said river to the place of commencement, containing sixty-two acres of land, a little more or less, as described in a deed made the 20th day of January, A. D. 1865, between John Hodge Winslow and Thomas McNeill. Also all that other tract of land situate on Lot 24 aforesaid bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the northeast corner of land in possession of Solomon Martin on the road leading from the Chapel to the seaside beach on the north, and bounded on the west by land in the possession of Stephen Cook, on the south by land in possession of Solomon Martin aforesaid, containing two and one half acres of land, a little more or less, now in possession of Maurice Martin.

The above sale is made under and by virtue of power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage dated the 20th day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and made between Maurice Martin and Mary Martin, his wife, of the one part, and Alexander Brown and Nathaniel Hall, Trustees of the Estate of late Hon. George Coles, of the other part, which said mortgage has been assigned to Edward Hay Gold, by Indenture bearing date the 28th day of December, A. D., 1892, default having been made in the payment of the interest.

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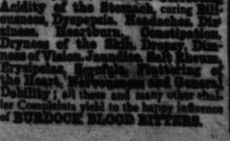


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