





LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

The Convent Schools will reopen on the first of September.
Bazaar market prices have not materially changed since last week.

The Columbus Watchman, for sale by G. H. Taylor, and described in the best.

The war ships Belsham, and Corcoran and Tormalin are expected to arrive in this port tomorrow.

His GRACE ARCHBISHOP O'BRIEN, of Halifax, has been on the island for the past week, visiting his friends.

CARD OF THANKS.—Rev. A. J. McIntyre and the members of the Committee of the Ladies' Aid Society to return to Mr. J. A. McDonald for the use of his field and barn, and also Messrs. Walsh and Horn, and all friends who contributed by their presence and otherwise, to make the Tea a success.

The Tea Party at Kensington, on Thursday last, the 17th inst., under the auspices of the Indian River Parish, was, we are informed, a great success. Quite a large number of people assembled from Charlottetown, Summerside and the surrounding country. Good order prevailed, and a handsome sum was realized.

A few days ago, boring for water was commenced, under the directions of the Water Commissioners, at the Thruway Mills Valley, Malpeque Road. At a distance of about 23 feet they struck a vein of good pure water. Several wells were bored from which the water flowed in great abundance, one yielding at the rate of 90,000 gallons in 24 hours.

DEAF AND DUMB DEPARTURE.—Mr. Hutton and his pupils will hold meetings at the following places during the next week. They will doubtless receive as cordial a reception in the East as they have elsewhere: Georgetown, Thursday, August 25; Bellington, Friday, August 26; Montserrat, Saturday, August 27; Orwell, Monday, August 28; Pownal, Tuesday, August 30; Charlottetown, probably Thursday, September 1.

We regret to have to record the death of Mrs. Hughes, wife of John Hughes, Esq., of this city, which took place, a brief illness, at Mimsingham, on Sunday evening last, the 21st inst. Mrs. Hughes, who was in the 52nd year of her age, was a sister of P. Blake and Maurice Blake, Esq., of this city. Her remains arrived here by train on Monday evening, and the funeral, which was largely attended, took place on yesterday morning, at the Cathedral by Rev. F. X. Gallant. The funeral service was then returned, and solemnly marched to the Catholic Cemetery. To her bereaved husband and surviving friends we tender our sympathy.

The Tea Party held by the people of Tracadie Parish, on the beautiful grounds surrounding the celebrated barn of Macdonald of Glenislaide, on Wednesday last, the 17th inst., was, by all means, the most successful and enjoyable event of the season. It is safe to say that the number of people present must have been close upon five thousand. There were games and amusements of all kinds, while during the immense main tables loaded with the choicest viands were laid long through with those desirous of fortifying the inner man. The barn is a wonder in itself, being two hundred and seventy feet long and fifty-two feet wide, and fitted up with all appliances for feeding and watering cattle without removing them from their stalls. It is certainly, if not the largest, one of the largest barns in the Dominion of Canada. The parishioners of Tracadie have reason to congratulate themselves on the success which attended their first Tea Party. The amount realized is close on \$1,400.

On Tuesday, the 22nd inst., Mother St. Angelus, Superior of St. Joseph's Convent, celebrated the 25th anniversary of her religious profession. A friend came to greet her on this, her silver jubilee, and in the morning his Lordship Bishop McIntyre said Mass in the convent chapel, and in the afternoon the celebration of the Blessed Sacrament was given by Rev. F. X. Gallant, assisted by Rev. Charles Macdonald. The Sisters of Notre Dame Convent and of the Charlotteville Hospital were invited to dinner. After partaking of the choice viands prepared for them, an Oration, composed for the occasion, and illustrative of Angelina's career from her novitiate till the completion of St. Joseph's School, the crowning event of the jubilee, was tastefully performed, and highly appreciated by the guests. We avail ourselves of this opportunity of extending to Mother St. Angelus our sincere congratulations, and we hope God may prolong her useful life until she shall have the happiness of celebrating the golden jubilee of her religious profession.

The Railway Employes' Picnic, which took place at Head St. Peter's Bay on Saturday last, the 20th inst., was a most successful and enjoyable affair. The weather was charming, and the beautiful grounds on which the picnic was held were all that could be desired. A special train of eleven cars, containing some six hundred people, left the city at an early hour in the morning, and arrived at St. Peter's Bay 9 o'clock. Immediately after their arrival at the grounds, the provision baskets and Mr. Vetter's refreshment saloon were introduced. The sports and games of the day then commenced. Following are the prize lists and the names of the successful contestants:—Men's Foot Race, 100 Yards, \$2; Chase Smith, \$1.50; Robert Binn, \$1. Wheelbarrow Race.—J. A. Allen, \$2; Boys' Foot Race.—J. A. Allen, \$1.50; Wm. Morrison, \$1; Herb. Fraser, \$0.50; Chase Smith, \$1; A. Allen, \$1.50; W. Morrison, \$1. Boys' Foot Race (under 12).—F. Hyndman, \$1.50; Bob. Chappell, \$1. E. Hyndman, \$0.50; Bob. Chappell, \$1.50; Wm. Morrison, \$1; Herb. Fraser, \$0.50; Chase Smith, \$1; A. Allen, \$1.50; W. Morrison, \$1. Boys' Foot Race (under 12).—F. Hyndman, \$1.50; Bob. Chappell, \$1. E. Hyndman, \$0.50; Bob. Chappell, \$1.50; Wm. Morrison, \$1; Herb. Fraser, \$0.50; Chase Smith, \$1; A. Allen, \$1.50; W. Morrison, \$1.

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Telegraphic News.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—The Russian Government is not with vigor in regard to Bulgaria. The occupation of Bulgaria is not with vigor in regard to Bulgaria. The occupation of Bulgaria is not with vigor in regard to Bulgaria.

London, Aug. 18.—In the Commons the best Lord George Hamilton, and the Lord of the Admiralty, said the Government had made an arrangement with the Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Company, by which the company would hold these new steamers. Seven others are ready for use as soon as the Government would pay the company \$3,000,000 annually.

Dublin, Aug. 18.—United Ireland urges landlords to embrace the best chance to confer Home Rule. It is a round table conference; admit suggestions regarding their wishes; make the best of the situation; and the result will be, it says, an election in a few weeks of a Home Rule House of Commons and opening of the Irish Parliament in 1888. If landlords fraternized with the National League instead of screaming "suppression," they might still influence the formation of a Home Rule Parliament, which will follow whether landlords like or dislike it.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—There was an eclipse of the sun to-day. The sky was entirely overcast and the sun invisible. The eclipse was preceded by the appearance of several colored clouds. The color increased as the sun rose and gradually faded. General darkness suddenly set in. Clouds increased and dark coloring returned after a few minutes, then daylight ensued. Darkness came to Berlin by railway carriages to observe the phenomenon.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 19.—Two freight trains collided on the C. F. R., near this city this morning. Several persons were killed and a brickman was badly injured.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 19.—Joseph Parry while in a playful mood, while another youth on the river steamer Bellona was pushed overboard in mid-stream to-day. He struck out from the shore and was seen to be struggling and five or six oars put from the shore, but he was drowned in the night. He was 15 years old.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The bill of London suspended this morning and President Taylor is over the water. For some time negotiations had been pending with the bank of Toronto for the latter to take over the London bank's business, but this did not succeed, an inspection of affairs not being satisfactory. The subscribed capital was a million dollars, of which only \$223,558 was paid up. Bill holders are not expected to lose much if any.

New York, Aug. 19.—The Tribune's London correspondent telegraphs: "I learn tonight that the British Government has decided to proclaim the National League. Their action is in direct violation of the understanding which they have given to the Catholic and Protestant clergy."

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HALIFAX, Aug. 21.—There was a tremendous rain storm here this morning, and the water in the streets was up to the knees of the people. The rain was accompanied by a strong wind, and the water was very muddy.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Prince Ferdinand has returned to the French capital. The French cabinet has decided to recognize the validity of Prince Ferdinand's election to the throne of Bulgaria.

SOURAS, Aug. 23.—Inland Revenue Commissioner Mackenzie E. Moore and sub-collector Foley of Souras captured an illicit still this morning on the premises occupied by M. J. McQuinn, of Souras. The still was found to be a still for the manufacture of spirits, and the quantity of spirits was estimated at 40 gallons of new made spirits in the boiler. They carried off the worms, pumps and still head, destroying the liquor, one hundred gallons of water and a keg of yeast. This is the third time for the inland revenue officers to raid the McQuinn distillery, which seems to be an institution of long standing, suspended only by intervals by the visit of officers. It is to be hoped that this will forever suppress what has been regarded as almost a standing evil in the community.

DEED.—At Hampton, on the 8th inst., Edith Ann, only daughter of Benjamin and Charlotte Conroy, aged six years.

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Railroad Accidents.

On the 19th inst., near Cincinnati, the St. Louis, Chicago and Cincinnati express train on the Baltimore and Ohio road, ran over a man who was on the "Y" near the depot at the rate of forty miles an hour. A general wreck ensued, and all the cars except the sleeper were badly smashed. The engineer was Hamilton Brosius, the conductor was the train, and two passengers were killed. The locomotive operator fortunately escaped by jumping from the window of the structure. His arm was broken but he was not seriously injured, the wounded of whom the following is believed to be a full list, were sent to the Providence Hospital, with the exception of Healy and Baxter—Charles Koch, Cincinnati, badly injured in the back; Mrs. Clara Koch, Cincinnati, slightly shocked; Charles Morrison, Cincinnati, injured in the back; Frank Dunninger, St. Louis, shattered in half an hour that he has recovered as to be able to complete his journey home; Mrs. M. M. Block, Cincinnati, injured in the back; Mrs. M. M. Block, Cincinnati, injured in the back; Mrs. M. M. Block, Cincinnati, injured in the back.

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Kinkora and Newton Notes.

Farmers in these vicinities are busily engaged in gathering into their barns the last of their hay. The hay crop, although not what people might desire, was almost an average one, and as the weather has been pretty dry, the greater quantity of it has been made.

The grain crops are now beginning to ripen, and preparations are being made for the harvest. One of our most distinguished farmers, Thomas Smith, of West Newton, has purchased a self-binding machine, which he has been working on for some time.

John O'Ronaghan, Esq., of Kinkora, the owner of the well-known standard, has again returned to the quiet of home.

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