

THE ARC-LIGHT.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1882.

The Imperial Federation of the County of Pictou recently held a meeting at which many Liberals and a large number of Conservatives were present.

A great boom has lately been going on in and about New Glasgow in the interests of the iron deposits on the East River of Pictou.

SAM WHITTEMORE.

TALKS ABOUT THEM AND THEM.

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Walker, ex-councillor and a great stickler for temperance will oppose him.

The whisky dispensers are buying strings for their hats as they expect a big blow from the temperance banner after such a rain, and no doubt it is coming.

GOSTA RICA EARTHQUAKE.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—Late advice from Costa Rica regarding the earthquake of December 30th last, briefly mentioned in the cable dispatches of the short time ago, say the shock was the most severe experienced since 1822.

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The Big Storm.

Buildings Blown Down and a Large Number of Lives Lost. Loss about \$300,000. Reading, Pa., Jan. 10.—The rain was pouring down all yesterday morning, towards mid-day it ceased entirely, and by 4 p.m., there was every indication of a beautiful sunset.

Dark, heavy banks of clouds marshalled themselves towards the front, and a gloom seemed to have settled over the city. Suddenly the wind whistled, "caared and tore in mad confusion."

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Local News.

Winter has come, and seems as if it is going to stay. C. N. Cummings and John Fraser are carrying on extensive butchering operations at Folly Village. The next quarterly session of the Grand Division, S. of T. will be held at Springhill, on Tuesday, Feb. 23. All members of Mizpah Lodge, No 24 I. O. F., are requested to be present on Tuesday Evening 22nd inst. We are informed that A. M. Somerville, M. D., has located at Grand Village, and is stopping at the Londonderry Hotel. We have received from the firm of Hayward & Kenny, Halifax a very handsome Calendar for 1889. The work on the blast furnace is about completed. It will likely be lit up about the beginning of February. The duster is being removed from this side of the furnace and put in position on the other side, so as to be in a position to work with the new furnace when started. Faconer and Durning are selling their entire stock at greatly reduced prices. People will be surprised if they go and see the goods; we advise you to try them. The Acadia Skating Rink will probably open Tuesday evening. The ice is in fine condition and every lover of this enjoyable exercise should go as this is the first skating of the season. Thomas McLellan, son of Lieut. Governor McLellan, and Daniel Binickie, son of J. M. Binickie, Great Village, are said to be carrying on extensive lumbering operations near Wentworth station, Cumberland Co. The building that was being moved is now in position next door to Mr. Gillis's store on Furnace St. It is now being blocked up preparatory to putting the foundation under it. Peter Paul, the Indian who first discovered the celebrated Salmon River gold mines, spent a few days with friends on Debert mountain recently. He says his health is failing. Mr. B. A. Smith, has had his blacksmith shop reshitgled. The carpenter, four in number started it on Friday at noon and had it finished by six o'clock that evening, having done both sides. A despatch from Ottawa, dated Jan. 12th, says: The South Act petition from Colchester has been reported by the Department of Justice to be regular, and proclamation will shortly be issued by the State Department fixing the date of polling. The new iron bridge over the North River has been in place about a week. It is rather a bad fit; but will likely prove a grand investment. The bridge was constructed originally for a point in the western countries, but a change in the plan dispensed with its usefulness, and the structure was then ordered to be the present location. The Truro Foundry & Machine Company were contractors. Mr. A. J. Macdonald, of Georgetown, P. E. I., was lately at Halifax. He left Georgetown on the new steamer Stanley between 4 and 5 o'clock on Monday morning last, and took the early train at Pictou, and sat down to dinner at Halifax at 1.30 o'clock, the journey being covered in less than nine hours. This is probably the quickest time on record between the Island and Halifax. The train from Pictou to Truro was a slow one too. SHOT BY A PULMAN PORTER. MONTREAL, Jan 14.—Sporintendent J. A. Sheffield, of the sleeping drawing and parlor car system of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, was shot this evening, by Joseph J. Chandler, a colored porter. Mr. Sheffield was leaving his office at six o'clock when Chandler, who had been superintending during the day by the Superintendent for some neglect of duty, approached him quickly and saying, "I'll send you either to heaven or hell" discharged a revolver at his point blank. The ball entered above the heart, but Mr. Sheffield was not at first aware that he had been fatally wounded. He walked to the Notre Dame Hospital where Mr. Sheffield was taken to his home in an ambulance. Shortly after reaching his residence he became unconscious, and when Police Magistrate Desnoyers and Chief of Police Hughes went to see him he was too weak to make an ante mortem statement. Chandler has been arrested. Superintendent Sheffield is well known and generally respected. He has a wife and a family of small children, and his recovery is not expected.

RAILWAY NOTES.

The Chinese like their first railway so well that it is to be extended. The Canada Pacific estimate that the gross earning for 1888 will aggregate \$14,000,000 and the net earnings, \$4,000,000. The Intercolonial has this year added 776 freight cars to its equipment. Six sleeping cars were also built. A gravel train on Canada & St. Louis Railroad, containing 33 men was thrown from the track near Colon, Mich., on Wednesday of last week. The brakeman was instantly killed and several injured. A large firm of engine makers in England sends out finished locomotives at the rate of two per day, and recently, as a test, one was begun in the morning from the raw material, and in twelve hours time it was standing in readiness to draw a train. A man named Gather of Port Maitland, says that he was on the N. S. Central railway on a vessel at the company's wharf. A verdict of accidental death was returned by the coroner's jury. Chief Superintendent Pottinger of the L.C.R. has recently issued a circular which says that conductors must put themselves in a position to understand the crossing rules immediately or they will be reduced to brakemen. The letter informed them that they will not be promoted to conductors until they are qualified. The report of accidents on the railroads of Great Britain for the nine months ending September 30 is at hand. During that time train accidents caused the death of 11 passengers and 270 employes have been killed from other causes, and 299 other persons have been killed at highway crossings and while trespassing on road grounds, etc., making a total of 694 persons killed on railroad premises.

PROVINCIAL.

An old woman named Flaherty was found dead in bed at Halifax on Sunday. The war between rival steamship companies on the Halifax and Boston route has again broken down to \$1. Port Williams, N. S., 1740 years old, yet it saw its first fire the other day, when the store of Wm. Stevens was destroyed. Fox hunting is the sport in which the merchants of Moncton are just now indulging. The bank of Nova Scotia declares a half yearly dividend of three and a half per cent. Ninety hogheads of herring were taken from Dark Harbor post, Grand Manan last week. Major Moore has been promoted to the Colonelcy of Prince Edward Island garrison artillery. A man named Thomas Woods of Lot 30 p. E. I., dropped dead while working in the woods at that place. About 50 feet of the wharf at Southport, P. R. I., has been carried away by the heavy crashing of floating ice. Mrs. Douglas N. Woodworth dropped dead suddenly on Monday morning at her residence in Canajoharie, N. S. A black and tan caterpillar lives as a cricket was picked upon the railroad track in New Glasgow on New Year's day. A herd of 28 cattle was recently driven from Bridgewater to Halifax for the purpose of being slaughtered. Jas. Gillespie store at the head of the Tide, week. Building and stock were insured for 2000. There was recently sent from the gold mine at Rosamond, N. S., a brook of gold worth \$1300, and valued at \$2000—the product of one month's crushing. The steamer Halifax, of the Canada Atlantic line, made a recent trip from Halifax to Boston in 22 hours, the quickest time she has yet made. John Henderson, of Norton, Kings Co., received a fatal injury in the woods in Maine on New Year's day. He is now in the St. John public hospital. Michael McDonald of Cherry Valley, P. E. I., started Monday night to walk some distance on the ice and has not been seen since. He is believed to have been drowned. Joseph Woodworth of Demoselle Creek, N. S., died very suddenly of heart disease early Wednesday morning. He was 74 years of age. Two unknown boys went into Keith's grocery, Halifax, and asked for calculators. When the clerk's back was turned they stole \$10 and made off with it. Felix Murray, an aged resident of Herby Cove, A. M., Albert county, accidentally shot himself in the neck from the cuffs of which he died the day after.

FOREIGN.

A despatch from Brussels says that the new Italian loan amounts to 600,000,000 lire at 4 per cent interest. A great fire occurred in the eleventh arrondissement of Paris. The scholastic buildings were destroyed. The Crown Prince of Australia will visit England next June, on a visit to the Prince of Wales. Severe weather is reported on the Black Sea during the past fortnight. Many small vessels were wrecked and over 100 seamen lost their lives. Advice has been received from Afghanistan to the effect that during a parade of the Herat infantry, first at the Amer camp and then at the city, the soldier was executed on the spot. An epidemic of diphtheria is raging at Nago, Hungary. Twenty children are a daily death. A large steamer has been wrecked off the north-west of Corunna. It is supposed that several persons were drowned. Thirty survivors have arrived at Corunna. One of the reasons why Scott's Emulsion has such a large sale is, because it is the best. Dr. W. H. Cameron, Halifax, N. S., says, "I have prescribed Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, for the past two years, and find it more agreeable to the stomach and have better results from its use than any other preparation of the kind I have ever used." Sold by all Druggists, 50c. and \$1.00 and Thos. E. Atkins, Acadia Mines.

ACADIA SKATING RINK, Will Open on Tuesday, January 22nd, 1889. AFTERNOON from 2 till 4. NIGHT, " 7:30 " 10. And on the following days after that date, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7:30 P. M., and on Saturday at 10:00, for the special benefit of the children. General Admission, \$2.00 Children, 1.00 Season, Ladies, Gents, 2.50 Double Tickets, Lady and Gent, 4.00 Acadia Rink Co'y.

James Atkins, Livery and Boarding Stables. FURNACE STREET. First Class Teams at Short notice, Acadia Mines, Dec. 20, 88. BARGAINS! BARGAINS! Closing Out Sale. HAVING decided to go out of business by January 31st, 1889 I now offer my entire Stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Books, Stationery, Pipes, Cigars, Tobacco, Amos, and New Year's Cards, Toys, Fancy goods, etc., etc. Positively at Cost. Do not be foolish and pay the prices for goods because you can get a month or so time to pay for them. But call with cash or good security and save 50 per cent. Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. H. T. MILLS, FURNACE STREET, ACADIA MINES.

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A TERRIBLE DEATH.

A horrible accident occurred at Morrison's mill near Fredericton, N. B., on the afternoon of the 5th inst., when Wm. P. Devlin, aged 30 years, was working at the foot of a saw, when he discovered that the belt was tight and it was off the pulley. He went down to arrange the belt and by some means his left arm was caught by it and instantly he was dragged part of a clothing was pulled from his body and his left arm torn out nearly all from the socket, while the flesh was torn from the bone. The entire body was covered with bruises. A fellow workman named Goddard went to his assistance and struck by Devlin's boots and for the time rendered unconscious. The saw when it was found that Devlin was seriously injured though quite insensible. He asked to see a Roman Catholic clergyman and Rev. Father McDeritt was sent for and arrived in less than twelve minutes afterwards. The injured man received the rites of his church. Drs. McLeary and Currie were summoned and he soon passed away after having borne his terrible sufferings with great heroism. Devlin leaves a wife and one child residing in Fredericton. Several years ago Devlin fell into a burning sawdust heap and very narrowly escaped being burned to death.

WAR AT VANCOUVER.

BRITISH COLONIALS WHO OBJECT TO SMALL-POX—TAKING RESOLVE TO EFFECT A LANDING. VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 13.—A week ago the steamer Premier arrived here from Seattle, W. T., with a big cargo of freight and forty passengers, including the J. S. Marchant Dramatic Company. When the port physician went aboard he discovered that Gu. Thomas, one of the passengers, had the small-pox. The land and the steamer was sent to the quarantine-station at Victoria. Friday night the steamer came back with a clean bill of health, but the city authorities here would not allow her to land. Repeated efforts were made to run out her lines, but the police lined the wharf and with axes cut her drift. She finally let go her anchor and remained in the bay all night. Saturday morning the steamer Islander of the same line came into the bay, off part of her passengers, but when her lines and with drawn revolvers drove back the crew. Captain Iverson of the Islander attempted to disperse the police by throwing streams of hot water on them, but the officers pluckily held their ground. Both steamers are now lying off the city and 3,000 people are down at the wharves. All are greatly excited and determined not to let the steamers land. The Islander is evidently making preparations to try to effect a landing and the fire department has been called out.

THE AMERICAN NAVY.

A Washington despatch of Jan. 14 says the activity of the Navy Department is preparing three or four of independent on the part of the Secretary of the Navy to say what the service was to be. It is believed by gentlemen who have been watching the Samoa affair to indicate that a naval force is to be sent to Samoa, and that Germany is not to have notice in advance of the departure of the ships from New York.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Mining troubles in British Columbia are assuming a serious aspect. A large vein of coal of good quality has been discovered near Debraun, Manitoba. The loss by the Whinty post office robbery amounts to \$500. The Mahit's alleged white prisoner is thought to be the Greek Marko, or the Maltese Jew, Mita Hassan. Capt. Donnelly, of Kingston, it is said, to succeed Capt. Dick, late Inspector of the Post-office Department has issued a circular to the city post-offices in Canada, discontinuing presentation to officials. A diamond was put in at Fort Whyte Jan. 13 and everything now is a readiness for the crossing of the C. P. R. by the Red River road. Small-pox has broken out in Azalia, Mich. The roof of the International hotel, on American side of the Niagara Falls, was blown off in the hurricane. The loss by the storm around the Falls, including the bridge, will reach nearly a million dollars. An organized gang of boys, between 15 and 20 years, who have been robbing the bank in Lancaster Pa., for over a year has been broken up. A decomposed body, washed up a Point of Pines, Mass., was identified by a watch chain found upon it to be that of Chas. P. Wilson, of Charlestown. Advice from Washington, Jan. 12 says last evening as Walker Blaine was asleep in bed at the Hotel Normandie he awoke and broke both bones of his right leg. Blaine passed a restless night but is doing well.

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