

Local and Other Items.

The market to-day was well attended. Prices unchanged.

PIGEON SHOOTING at Belvidere to-morrow afternoon, at 4.30 o'clock.

The new boiler for the Silsby Fire Engine, "Hillsborough," has arrived by train.

Hon. John Lafurcy, Hon. Samuel Prowse and Hon. Stewart Burns, are at the Rankin.

Mr. B. J. Case's heavy stable, St. John, was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night last.

The Arch-bishop of Halifax and the Bishop of Charlottetown paid a visit to Souris on Wednesday last.

The brigantine "Laura-ita," owned by Hon. L. C. Owen, arrived at Bay Verte on Tuesday last from Great Britain to load deals.

The stables of Mr. W. H. Wilson, at Abdallah Park, Cynthiaia, Kentucky, were burned, and \$25,000 worth of blooded horses were consumed.

We learn that Mr. M. W. Murphy, school teacher, Bedford, has been appointed to a temporary third-class clerkship in the Charlottetown Post Office.

Forty thousand dollars are to be spent repairing the Roman Catholic Cathedral in Kingston, Ont. A silver collection is to be taken each Sabbath for six years.

The steamer M. A. Starr, Capt. Ferguson, sailed for Halifax on Thursday evening with a cargo consisting of 700 cases of lobsters and 1000 bags of stores. Miss Munroe was a passenger by her.

The brigantine King Bird, owned by Mr. J. E. Grant, sailed from this port, this evening, for St. John's, Newfoundland, with a freight consisting of sixty head of horned cattle, ten horses, and oats.

EDWARD HEUSTIS, Esq., and wife, recently of Acadia Mines, now of Providence, R. I., have just finished a tour of New Brunswick and P. E. Island, calling on old friends, and making new ones.

The Percheron stallion Romulus, which has been in the service of the N. S. Agricultural Society, N. B., returned on Tuesday. He is a valuable horse and was much admired by the farmers of Sussex.

A CONCERT under the direction of Professor Freese will take place in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on Thursday, 4th September. Proceeds to go to the fund for the purchase of surgical instruments for the Prince Edward Island Hospital. Programme next week.

The steamer Bonavista, Capt. Anderson, of the Black Diamond Line, arrived from St. John's, Newfoundland, yesterday, en route to Montreal. She had over thirty passengers from St. John's, and took fire from here, viz: Mr. William Stark, wife, child and nurse and Mr. Howell.

ISLAND MACREL fishermen continue to have rather hard luck. While some of the seiners have gone home with a full load, our shoremen, except in a very few instances, have caught but few. The season is fast passing, but we hope yet to hear of large catches being made in the good old way by hook and line.

A HANDSOME YACHT—A handsome two topmast yacht, costing, it is said, \$6,000, and owned by Mr. Ayer, son of the late Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Mill and Hair Vigor celebrity, and two others, has been anchored off Souris for the last week or so. Mr. Ayer and his two friends have been enjoying themselves in fishing and shooting on shore, and we learn they speak highly of the eastern part of our Island.

The steamer Worcester, Capt. Blankenship, sailed for Boston, yesterday evening, with a freight consisting of 500 barrels macrel, 800 cases of eggs, and 1000 cases of lobsters. She also had the following passengers:—Mary B. McKay, Elizabeth McCarron, Maggie Beaton, Mary McParson, Flora Boston, E. P. Henderson, C. P. Blanchard, Mrs. Blanchard, G. F. Williams, Mrs. Ashton, Alex. Saunter, Mend O'Connell, Peter Stapleton, M. Murphy, Monnie Henderson, Maud Cousnet, John O'Brien, Walter M. B. Ross, John Clem ut, Sophia McLeod, Lizzie McLeod, Josie Smith.

FOR THE NILE—An Ottawa despatch says: "The agent here is flooded with applications from all over the country to go on the Nile expedition, and a party is expected to sail on September 23. Some St. Regis and Canajoharie Indians will go. A considerable number of militia men, thinking that fighting was to be done, volunteered also, but their services were declined, as voyagers alone were wanted. Three Canadian officers will accompany the party, Lieut-nat Cole, of the Governor General's Foot Guards, will volunteer as one.

The prospectus of the Educational Establishment for Young Ladies, under the Congregation De Notre Dame, in Ottawa, is at hand. Persons who have visited our Canadian Capital will, of course, have noticed their handsome school building at the corner of Metcalf and Gloucester Streets; and those who have inspected the school say that "the rooms are lofty and the ventilation perfect." The record of last year shows that the school is very prosperous, and the prospectus sets forth that "no distinction is made in the admission of young ladies of any denomination, and no undue influence over the religious opinions of the non-Catholic pupils."

MAUD S. AND JAY-EYE-SEE—Blair, the old driver of Maud S., has arrived in New York and has been engaged by Robert Bonner to fit the mare for a trial to break her own record. Blair is to start with her in a special car for Hillsford, Ind., where he will train her for three or four weeks. Mr. Bonner thinks she will surely succeed, and says that she shall have the advantage of training under more favorable conditions than ever before, so far as human foresight goes. Mr. Bonner went out to the Prospect park track to see Jay-Eye-See, and made Mr. Case an offer for her, which he would not divulge. There is great interest taken in the effort which the little horse will make to lower Maud S.'s record.

A VALUABLE CARGO—The barkentine Emma, R. Rodde, master, sailed for London, G. B., on the 29th inst., with a cargo consisting of—1,039 cases lobsters, shipped by D. P. McNeill, 18 cases by Robert T. Holman, 1,233 cases by Matthew, McLean & Co., 245 cases by W. H. Bailey, 4,000 cases by Daniel Davies, 450 cases by David Rogers, 184 cases by Clark, Boblee & Clark, 1,309 cases by James Hughes, 100, 431 cases by A. A. McDonald & Bros., 748 cases by McDonald, McDonald & Co., 274 cases by Owen Connolly, 534 cases by George Lavies, 762 cases by R. A. Clarke, 1,291 cases by Horace Hazard, 115 bags ground bones by John W. McGill, 3 cases mice; 3,478 feet deals and ends, containing 9 10 superficial feet, shipped by the owners, P. & Co. Total value of cargo, \$53,622.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The French Admiral's Report.

PARIS, Aug. 28. Admiral Courbet's official report, up to this evening, is as follows:—

"MIN RIVER, 5.30 p. m., Aug. 28.—The principal batteries on Kinpar Channel have been destroyed, and we hope to destroy all the other forts this evening. A line of torpedoes, barring the entrance to the river, are being fished up and explosives secured. Gunboats are able to leave the river by another channel. The Astic has been despatched to guard the telegraph cable."

France and China.

LONDON, Aug. 28.

A despatch from Shanghai of yesterday says the Mingan forts below Foo Chow were finally silenced on Tuesday evening. Today a heavy cannonade has been kept up between the French fleet and Kin Pai forts, which are situated at the northern mouth of the Min River. A telegram states that the French landed 500 troops at Kee Lung and took possession without opposition.

Reign of Terror in Lima.

CHORILLOS, PERU, Aug. 28.

In Lima, yesterday, Caeceres, the rebel leader, entered the city with ninety mounted followers and began firing right and left at the troops and citizens. After six hours constant fighting the rebels withdrew with slight losses. One hundred and fifty citizens and soldiers were killed. The city was taken by surprise.

Aquatic.

WORCESTER, MASS., Aug. 28.

The boat race between McKay and Hamm, for \$500 a side, which took place here to-day, attracted a large crowd. It was won by McKay by two lengths.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 28.

John Gaudaur has challenged Wallace Ross to a three mile race and has posted his money.

A Complaint.

LONDON, Aug. 29.

The Chinese complain that English pilots guided the French fleet during the engagement, thus committing a breach of the neutrality laws.

Honor to Sir John.

OTTAWA, Aug. 28.

Montreal will banquet Sir John A. Macdonald in November on the occasion of the completion of the fortieth year of his public life.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Aug. 29—10 a. m.

Fresh winds from southwest to southeast; fair to cloudy weather, followed by local rains.

The R. C. A. Exhibition.

The St. John Telegraph has the following criticism of the pictures on exhibition which were painted by Mr. R. Harris:—No one can enter the gallery without having his eye very soon attracted towards a large picture labelled in the catalogue "The Color-Sergeant Hard Pressed." The picture is strong, broad, vigorous and complete. The standard which flutters behind the sergeant is, however, so indefinitely expressed that it is hardly noticeable, and the paint is plastered on very roughly. The features are expressive, and this is Mr. Harris' strong point, as those who examine the firm, clear cut face of "Somebody's Grandfather," and the "Ecclesiastic," will readily discover. "A Glass Too Much" is true to the original specimens as seen in St. John. "Finishing Touches" is weak, and in 138, "Father and Son," the flesh tint on the face of the latter is too glaring. The picture has a moral, and the conception is better than the execution, being based on the lines: "And son from sire, through passing generations, learns the fate of all."

Los Angeles.

FATAL AFFRAY AT A DANCEHOUSE.

LOS ANGELES, July 21.—A serious cutting affray occurred in the Spanish portion of the city this morning at 2 o'clock, at a dance hall. It seems that a Mexican named Ramon Silvas was sitting outside of the house, when two men, James F. McIntyre and Timothy Hickey came out, and, as is claimed by Silvas, pushed rudely against him. He jumped back, drew a knife, and then attempted to cut Hickey. A scuffle ensued, in which McIntyre tried to grab the knife, but in the attempt had his fingers nearly cut off, hanging to the hand by only the skin. The infuriated Spaniard then stabbed and slashed at McIntyre three times, two of the cuts entering the region of the heart, the other being a terrible cut across the abdomen, exposing the intestines. McIntyre died almost instantly. He was a native of Prince Edward Island, living the greater part of his time in Gloucester, Mass. He was forty-six years of age, and has been in Los Angeles the past two years.

The Montreal Journal of Commerce is

authoritative for the statement that near \$3,000,000 worth of cattle has been shipped from that city since the opening of navigation last spring. Eight years ago the export did not reach one-tenth of that sum. Of late the cattle shippers have met with unprecedented losses. One Montreal firm lost \$100,000 and a horner western firm has met with crippling reverses. The high price paid to farmers for the stock, the high rate of ocean freight, and the heavy shrinkage in values in England account for this regrettable state of things.

Adventurous Capt. Trainor.

PICKED UP IN HIS DORY OFF GRAND BANK—TWO DEAD MEN.

The French fishing schooner Bergere arrived at St. Pierre from Grand Banks on the 26th inst., with the following report: On the 20th inst., picked up Capt. John Trainor, and the dory Harold T. Bibber. Capt. Trainor states that he left New York, June 26, to row across the Atlantic. He enjoyed good health, but his voyage was considerably retarded by persisted east winds. Nothing unusual occurred on the voyage, till the night of the 19th inst. Then a dense fog prevailed. His position was lat. 45 39, lon. 41.12. He was run down by a passing steamer. The dory was upset and damaged, but he righted her with considerable effort, got into her, and kept her afloat till rescued by the Bergere. He passed on the 18th inst., dory No. 4, of a Gloucester schooner, half filled with water. Two dead men on board were dressed in oil clothes and rubber boots. After repairs, Capt. Trainor, confident of success, intends to proceed across the Atlantic.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN, ENTERED.

Aug 28—G W Weeks, Welling, Baie de Verre, lum; Beau Bassin, Watters, Pictou, coal.

Aug 29—Ontario, Henderson, Pictou, coal; Charles Frederick, Turner, Pictou, coal; Maggie Jane, McLean, New London; str Bonavista, Anderson, Pictou; Mary D, Drysdale, Wallace, str; William and Mary, Wright, Pictou, coal; John Thomas, Le-Blanc, Cocagne, lumber.

CLEARED.

Aug 23—G H Weeks, Welling, Pictou, bal; J & S, Irving, Murray Harbor, mdse; str Worcester, Blankenship, Boston, sundry produce.

Aug 29—Maggie Jane, McLean, Pictou; str Bonavista, Anderson, Montreal; Hasiza, Stoddard, Pictou, bal.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OAKLAND HOUSE.

August 28—T M Coyle, Crapaud; R Ferguson, Pictou, N S; Samuel Nicholson, Belle Creek; Laughlan Bell, Wood Islands; Francis Panting, Pictou; Michael McCormack, Boston; John Clements, do; Robert Rogerson, Crapaud; R S Farquharson, Pictou, N S; Willie Stone, Souris; Thomas Farquharson, city; Miss Noonan, Boston; Mrs Paterson, do; John A Paterson, do; H C Morrison, Pictou; John G McKevie, Verdon River; Frank Corrie, do; D McLeod, New York; Charles McLeod, Point Prim; Capt Wm Houdrot, Arichat; Mrs John McDonald, Souris; Thos Doyle, Crapaud.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

August 28—Daniel McLaren, Flat River; A S F Rankin, Montreal; Joseph Holland, jun, Philadelphia, Pa; Wm B Harrison, wife and child, Macaan, F S; J A McLeod, Cape Tormentine, N B; Edward Wood, do; Miss N E Cummings, Boston; John Bourke, Kensington. 29—James H Bourke, Mill View; George Clark, Mount Stewart.

RANKIN HOUSE.

Aug 29—J M Eastman, New York; G J Janetson, do; John A Hall, do; John Lafurcy, Summerside; Jas A Fraser, do; W K Wheatley, Montreal; G A Brown, St. John; R Bourke, Souris West; Samuel Prowse, Murray Harbor.

DIED.

On 28th inst., trusting in the merits of the Redeemer, Mr. John A. McFadyen, in the 31st year of his age.

[The funeral will leave the residence of the sisters of the deceased, on Sydney Street, to-morrow, at 2 o'clock, and proceed by train to Sherwood Cemetery.]

At Hong Kong, China, on 4th July last, William Douglas Spratt, aged fifty-seven years. Deceased was a native of Charlottetown, and a brother of Mrs. Alfred LePage, and Mrs. Henry Blatch, of this place.

On the 18th July ult., Roderic Campbell, Esq., at his residence at the Royalty, Georgetown, where he resided for many years, and where he successfully practiced the profession of Land Surveyor, in which calling he was well and favorably known, a man of modest and unobtrusive character, and greatly esteemed by all with whom he came in contact. He was born at Cape Traverse in this Province, and was at the time of his demise aged 75. In the early years of his residence in this country he resided at Georgetown, where he taught school, and subsequently at Lower Montserrat. He leaves a widow, three daughters and one son, and a large circle of relations and friends to mourn the loss of a kind and indulgent father, and the community in which he so long moved a disinterested and obliging neighbor.

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Ch'town, Aug 13, '84.

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