

Local and Other Items.

To succeed, you must keep moving; to grow rich, you must keep saving.

He who resolves to deal with none but honest men must leave off dealing.

MR. TIMMS, Dominion Auditor, is visiting the city. He is staying at the Rankin.

A BARKENTINE of 450 tons was launched at Grand River West, to-day, for Hon. John Yeo.

YOUNG MEN'S Prayer Meeting this evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlor at eight o'clock. All are cordially invited.

OUTS FOR EUROPE.—The brig, "Roland," owned by Hon. John LeFurgey, sailed from Summerside for Great Britain to-day, with a cargo of oats.

If you want extra good Tea, in parcels of 5 lbs., 10 lbs. and 20 lbs. weight, go to W. A. WEEKS & Co., Charlottetown. They please everybody.

MR. WM. GREEN, who lives near Summerside, found a bee's nest near his place in a hollow log, and took therefrom about sixty pounds of honey.

PROFESSOR SCHURMAN returned to Halifax, on Monday last, after an extended tour throughout the United States, England and the Continent of Europe.

GEORGE W. DEBLOIS, Esq., who has spent the summer at Lakelands, N. S., has returned to the city with his family. He is, we are pleased to see, enjoying splendid health.

A STRUGGLE for fame; Since first I saw your face; Miss Honor Bright; A warden fair; Out-mer; The dark Colleen, and a host of other Libraries at the Diamond Bookstore.

THE new comet has been seen by Prof. Carpaenel of the Toronto observatory. It is slowly increasing in brightness. It promises to be visible to the naked eye in December.

About a year ago Mr. David Morrice, of Montreal, whose firm is now in difficulty, presented to the Presbyterian College there a lecture hall costing \$100,000, and at the same time gave \$50,000 to McGill University.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES are informed that if no change is made in the valuation of property from that of last year, no return is required to be made to the Education Office. Where changes are made blanks for returns can be had on application to the Education Department. Secretaries of Trustees who may find these blanks convenient for local assessments can also be supplied.

THE Herald says that if Johnnie Hatch be returned to this city he should be sent to sea and put under hatches. Now this is just where the trouble was before, he having already been too long under hatches. Should the little wretch come back to Charlottetown he should be fired out sooner, if not quicker.

It is all the same thing to Johnnie, whether he hatches fires or fires hatches, the result is invariably the same.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.—Before leaving Summerside for another field of labor, a number of representatives from the Methodist, Presbyterian and Bible Christian Churches, waited on Rev. Mr. Dafeo and lady and presented them with a very kindly-worded address accompanied with a purse of money. For these marks of goodwill and other manifestations of kindness, Mr. Dafeo wishes to return his sincere thanks.—Pioneer.

WHILE other Booksellers and Stationers are using the newspapers to quarrel over the number of Envelopes and Sheets of Paper they have in stock, it may not be out of place just here, to quietly remark, that BEXTER Bros., always did keep, and have now, the largest, best, most varied, and cheapest stock of the above lines to be found on the Island, also that their stock will be greatly increased in a few days, when their Christmas Cards, containing the most elaborate designs, and their Fancy Goods, which have always been the most recherché, will be opened.

ON Saturday last Mr. John Dickieson, of Summerside, received by telegram the sad news of his brother's death at Reynolds, Dakota. This young man only twenty-two years of age, left here in April last to seek his fortune. He went to Dakota and was in the employ of his brother Henry, who is in business there. About five weeks ago he was prostrated with fever, which terminated fatally on Friday last. Mr. John Dickieson left by steamer for Boston, where he will meet his brother with the remains. We tender our sympathy to Mr. Daniel Dickieson the father of the young man and the rest of the sorrowing family.—Pioneer.

WHEN Jay Gould was in the tanning business up about Stroudsburg at a place called Gouldsboro, he was not so well off as he is now. One day, happening to be in Stroudsburg, he bought a suit of clothes, which he needed very much, only to find that he did not have money enough to pay for it. In his dilemma the wife of the local inn-keeper—a woman, by the way, far above her station—came to the rescue and guaranteed the payment of the tailor's bill. In time Gould paid it. And now every year the inn-keeper's wife, whose grown-up children have scattered to the four corners of the country, receives passes over all the Gould railroads, in order that she may visit them. We have every reason to believe this a fact. Let us give the devil his due.

BUSINESS IN SUMMERSIDE.—Staple products, such as potatoes, are in but little demand. White oats are quoted from 34 to 37, black, 32 to 33; potatoes from 16 to 20. Several vessels have sailed with cargoes since our last writing. At present, the "Fred E. Cox" is taking in white oats for Mr. Holman; the "Edith" is loading for Messrs. M. & A. M. Wright, Bedeque. Mr. Rogers is loading the "Lillian" and "J. L. Page" with white oats for the W. I. market; the "Sarah Carlin" with black oats and potatoes for Havana, Cuba, and the "Selina" with potatoes. The business in oysters keeps quite brisk. To-day, numbers are in from the country and general business is pretty good.—Pioneer.

THE many friends of Rev. Dr. McCulloch, in Truro and elsewhere, will be glad to learn that he has so far recovered from his recent long and trying illness as to be able again to appear in his pulpit. On Sabbath the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was dispensed in the first Presbyterian Church, and the Dr. preached in the morning and addressed the communicants in the afternoon with his usual vigor. Saturday was his first appearance in church for a number of weeks, and we need scarcely add that he received hearty greeting from those of his flock who had an opportunity of speaking to him. The Dr. was assisted at the communion by Rev. W. P. Archibald, of Cavendish, P. E. I. In common with others we earnestly hope the improvement in the Dr.'s health will continue.—Truro Guardian.

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HON. JOHN LEFURGEY at the Rankin.

A JUDICIOUS silence is always better than truth spoken without charity.

KENT MILLS—The best family flour at "Cheapside."—HENRY BEER.

FIVE cases of drunkenness were disposed of by the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon.

MR. JAMES HANDRAHAN, son of Thomas Handrahan, Esq., was passenger by the "Ethel Blanche."

THE brig, "Zara," McMahon, master, to Peake Bros & Co., with salt, from Liverpool, arrived here on the 25th inst.

THE steamer "M. A. Starr" arrived from Halifax this morning with freight. She sails this evening with produce.

THE bark, "Ethel Blanche," Graham, master, to Peake Bros & Co., with cargo salt and general merchandise, from Liverpool, arrived here on the 25th inst.

BUSINESS COLLEGE.—The classes at the Business College will be resumed on Monday, the 29th inst. Full particulars on application to L. B. Millar, principal.

A BOY named Kelly was yesterday arrested for stealing four gold rings from the jewelry store of Mr. Taylor. He was examined by the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon, and committed for trial in the Supreme Court.

WE understand that there will be a musical and literary entertainment in the Upper Prince Street School on Friday evening, November 9, given by the teachers and pupils for the purpose of raising money to buy an organ for the school. No doubt there will be a large attendance.

THE stock of Seaside, Franklin Square Ross and Levell's Libraries at the Diamond Bookstore is the largest ever seen here, and contains the very latest works of the most popular authors. Additions are made every day, and the reading public will always find a feast of good things in the reading line at the Diamond Bookstore.

THE steamer "Carroll," Capt. Brown, arrived at four o'clock on Wednesday evening, with freight and the following passengers:—John McEachern, Dr. J. W. Johnson, John Kelly, Mr. McPhee, Angus Nicholson, C. W. Lewis, Miss McDonald, Jennie P. Dogherty, Margaret Colby, Sarah Henderson, Mrs. McPhee, Mrs. C. W. Lewis.

THE drawing for the various articles lotteried in connection with the bazaar in aid of the Charlottetown Hospital took place yesterday. Following is the result. Handsome Drawing Room Clock, presented by His Grace the Archbishop of Halifax, won by Mr. James W. Mollally; Fancy Worked Chair, presented by Mrs. L. H. Davies, won by Miss Hensley; picture of the late Father McGillivray, presented by Mr. G. E. Cook, won by Mrs. Daniel Bannan; handsome Sofa Cushion, presented by Mrs. Joseph Pope, won by Judge Hensley; Fancy Worked Chair, presented by Mrs. J. D. Mason, won by Mr. P. Lavie.

HERNANDO.—After the races at Upton Park yesterday, this fine young trotting stallion was given a trial heat of a half mile. Mr. Brown, after moving him quietly over the course, came under the wire and received the word "go." Hernando sped off in admirable form, and trotted down the back stretch at a rapid gait. He was admired by all for his carriage, style, and easy gait, and as he came up the home stretch the exclamation of old horsemen was, "He will be a trotter, and a fast one too, if nothing happens him." He passed under the wire in 1.32. This, considering the horse is heavy in flesh, and unfitted for the track, is a good showing. We agree with the old horsemen that Hernando will yet be a fast trotter.

It will interest our farmers to know that at the Dominion exhibition just closed at St. John both prizes offered for chemical fertilizers were taken by a Halifax firm of manufacturers—Messrs. Jack & Bell. The prizes were as follows: Superphosphate, best exhibit, for quality and manufacture, exhibitor to furnish analysis of composition certified by a professional chemist, silver medal; special fertilizers, for best collection, bronze medal. The judge was Professor Sheldon, of the Royal Agricultural college of England, whose endorsement, on account of his position in the centre of the most advanced agricultural systems of the world, is very valuable. In his award he says "the analysis deposited by them (J. & B.) denotes their superphosphate to be one of high class quality, as its mechanical condition is satisfactory," and again, "the three grades of ground bone exhibited by Jack & Bell are well prepared and in excellent mechanical condition."

Lord Lorne's Advice at Parting.

TREATMENT OF PUBLIC MEN, AND MIXISTERS RESIDENCES.

In the course of his reply to the address of the Corporation of Montreal, the Governor-General said:

My residence amongst you has led me greatly to honor your people, and in honoring them it has been my privilege to honor also its men of both parties in the state who have been chosen by the constituencies to lead their political life. Almost the only pain I have experienced during my term here has been caused by the personal attacks which are too frequently made on both sides against party men. Believe me, gentlemen, such personal attacks do no good in advancing any cause, but belittle the nation in the eyes of strangers.

They are also as a rule as unwarrantable as they are repulsive; useless and mischievous. I have seen a good deal of the public life and of the politicians of many countries, and I unhesitatingly affirm that you have in general in Canada as pure and noble-minded statesmen as may be found anywhere the wide world over. Where, in other lands, you see those who have had political power and patronage occupying palaces and raising themselves to be among the richest of the people, we here see perhaps too much of the other extreme, and men who have led parties to battle, and been the victorious leaders in honest political strife are too often left to live in houses which an English squire would not consider good enough for his bailiff. This leads me to speak to you of a wish which I have often cherished, but which, to reveal a Cabinet secret, I have never succeeded in persuading any Canadian statesman to support by a speech in the Chambers of the Legislature. They fear, I suppose, that selfishness would be assigned to their motive. I, therefore, come to you, the people, to propose it, and to ask you the representatives and citizens of the wealth-

iest community in Canada to take it up. It is this: that we should have at Ottawa official residences not only for the Judges of the Supreme Court, but for the Dominion Ministers of the day. This, of course, is a matter which would indifferently benefit whatever party may be in power. Should you encourage the idea through your representatives, you will be only following in the footsteps of many other peoples. Every little state in Germany provides good residences for its ministers. At Berlin and at Paris the nations of France and of Germany look upon it as a matter of course that the ministry should possess fit residences. Why should we not follow an example so obviously good, and, because we rightly ask the Judges of the Supreme Court and the Federal Ministry to reside at the Capital, furnish them with the means of doing so in a manner suited to the dignity of this nation?

British News Notes.

Lord Ronald Gower says that Mr. Gladstone, even when on a pleasure visit at Chiswick, used to rise at 4 o'clock in the morning to work on his budget.

Dr. Pusey's sister, wife of the late Provost of Worcester College, Oxford, died lately. She did not share her brother's views, and used to say: "I am a Pusey, but not a Pussycite."

The Duke of Argyll's decoration with the Order of the Garter is bitterly opposed by the Liberals, whom he deserted. Mr. Gladstone is accused of perverting his personal friendship to political expediency.

It appears that Matthew Arnold, the poet and essayist, lets people know that he considers himself a superior person, and apropos of his visit to America the following story is going the rounds. During Carlyle's last illness, Matthew Arnold paid him a visit and found him apparently in a very low and weak condition. Carlyle scarcely seemed to notice, much less to reply to, Matthew Arnold's questions and remarks, and the visitor left the house not a little impressed by the change for the worse, which he considered had taken place. Immediately afterwards he met a mutual friend to whom he mentioned the fact of his visit, and described Carlyle's condition. The friend, alarmed no doubt by this intelligence hurried at once to Carlyle's house, and to his astonishment found him far better than he had been led to believe. In the course of conversation he enquired if he had had any visitors lately. "Yes," was the reply. "Mat. Arnold has been here, and talked away as usual. He stayed half an hour, and all the man seemed to say was that God Almighty himself could not make another Matthew Arnold, if he tried!"

Summerside Exports.

Shipped per steamer "St. Lawrence," Evans, master, for Point du Chene:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 1 horse, 1 box goose, 170 lbs butter, 40 cases eggs, 11 bbls mackerel, 70 bbls potatoes, 300 yds Island cloth, 293 bbls oysters, 10 bbls oatmeal.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

ENTERED.

Oct. 24.—Lodi, Green, Shediac, lumber; Levi Hart, Gunion, Pictou, coal; Emma S. Nickerson, Tusket Wedge, N S, herring, 25—Alice Purchase, Purchase, Sydney, coal; Lord Loyns, Proctor, Hawkesbury, herring.

CLEARED.

Oct. 24.—Levi Hart, Gunion, Sydney, pro; Bonnie Bate, Munroe, St. Pierre, pro; Oct. 22.—Mary Ann, Bukler, Boston, pro; Oct. 23.—Maud A. Morrison, Morrison, do. do.

OTHER PORTS.

Summerside, Oct 24.—Ent ss Summerside, Cameron, Shediac, mdse. Old sch Phanton, Degraze, Richibucto, mdse. Halifax, Oct. 22.—Ar. brig, Gladdeys, Wetmore, Casempee. 23rd—sch. Quick Step, Murray, Charlottetown; Mary Kate, Mullins, Pownal; Eldon C. Hopkins, Souris. Old—Dart, Ferguson, Georgetown; Kate McKinnon, Smith, do; Arizons, Lohyes, Casempee; Rosa, Smith, Souris; Arrow, Pride, Murray Harbor. 23rd—Emma Proctor, Proctor, Charlottetown, via Port Hawkesbury; Bertha, Sabean, Georgetown; Debel, Smeltzer, do; G H Marryatt, Baker, P. E. Island.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Capt. Walpole, of this city, on the evening of the 24th of October, by the Rev. John W. Wadman, A. B., Mr. John Arbing, of Charlottetown, to Miss Laura Carter, of Rustico Road.

DIED.

On Tuesday, Oct. 24th, at Government House, Halifax, N. S., the Rev. Matthew Richey, D. D., in the 81st year of his age.

At North Bedeque, on the 12th inst., with heart disease, Mrs. James Murray.

At Reynolds, Dakota, on the 19th inst., of bilious fever, Artemas Dickieson, aged 22 years and 6 months, son of Daniel and Catherine Dickieson, of Wilmot Valley.

At New Haven, Oct. 19th, Mary, widow of the late Patrick Wynne, aged 78 years. May she rest in peace.

On Monday, the 22nd inst., at New Haven, Mrs. Peter McElroy, aged 70 years. May her soul rest in peace.

At Portland, Oregon, on the 17th inst., Matilda, wife of Captain Augustine McDonald, and daughter of Peter McCormack, formerly of this city. May she rest in peace.

At DeSable, on Saturday, the 6th inst., Alice, beloved daughter of Peter Monaghan, aged 25 years.

At St. Peter's Road, on the 16th ult., Charlotte Isabel Cairns, aged 6 years and 6 months.

At Sealton, on the 14th inst., through a stroke received from a threshing machine on the previous evening, James Newson, in the 39th year of his age, leaving a widow and three children to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and father.

1883.

1884.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

FALL AND WINTER.

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

Selected by Mr. Sterns in the best English Markets, together with a full range of

American and Canadian Manufactures

is now to hand, and makes a complete assortment for this seasons trade.

Goods are very cheap this year, and we have some of the cheapest to be found.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Sept. 28, 1883.

DOMINION SAFETY FUND.

THE following acknowledgments for payments death claims show the promptitude with which such claims are paid by the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association:—

As insurances are effected in this Associations at actual cost, with a small fixed charge for office commission, there cannot possibly be a more equitable and cheap system of life insurance.

No delay no heavy premiums, no enormous profits at the expense of the insured!

This company having made the deposit of \$50,000 at Ottawa, as required by law, offers this further guarantee as to the prompt payment of its obligations.

Every policy in this Association for \$1,000 is secured by the obligations of its members representing upwards of \$2,000,000 and rapidly increasing.

Fredericton, N. B., July 3rd, 1883. GENTLEMEN—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the sum of two thousand dollars, in full settlement of my certificates, Nos. 369, 370, on account of the death of my husband, Dr. James Henry Ellis, M. D., paid to me immediately upon presentation of proofs of his death.

I beg to express my grateful thanks for your promptitude in paying the claim, and gladly authorize you to publish this letter, if you deem it desirable, in the interests of your valuable Association. Yours, respectfully, MARY ANNE ELLIS.

St. John, N. B., July 20, 1883. GENTLEMEN,—I beg to offer you my sincere thanks for the promptitude with which my claim on your Association for one thousand dollars, as beneficiary on my husband, the late Moses Lockhart, was paid to me as soon as the necessary papers were completed and presented, and I trust the Association will continue to receive the support it so fully deserves.

Witness: (Signed.) C. A. Macdonald. SARAH LOCKHART. LEONARD MORRIS, Agent for P. E. Island.

Summerside, Aug. 3, 1883.—1y MARKET HALL, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Boston Comedy Company H. PRICE WEBBER, - Manager.

THE public are respectfully informed that the above popular organization will open in the above Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 29, 1883.

The charming and talented artiste Miss Edwina Grey, will appear in a series of her great impersonations, supported by an excellent Company.

PEOPLE'S POPULAR PRICES: Admission, 25 cts. Reserved Seats, 35 cts. Reserve seat tickets for sale at Dodd's Medical Hall, and at Apothecaries Hall.

OPENING BILL: FANCHON THE CRICKET. Oct. 20, 1883. MONCTON

Sash and Door Factory. MR. P. LEA, in returning thanks to the public for the liberal patronage extended to him while in business in Charlottetown, begs leave to inform his old customers and the public generally, that he, in company with Mr. William Rogers, has appointed

Messrs. B. Williams & Co., Lumber and Coal Dealers, Pownal Wharf, Charlottetown, our agents, who will keep constantly on hand a full supply of Mouldings, Window Sashes, Doors, etc., at

LOWEST CASH PRICES. All orders entrusted to them will receive prompt attention. LEA & ROGERS, Moncton, N. B.

Sept. 5, 1883.—2aw wly OLD BONES. COAL

HIGHEST PRICE paid for old bones, in large or small lots, delivered at John Newson's Furniture Factory. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, Aug. 17, 1883.—2m

HALIFAX & LONDON.

THE HALIFAX Steam Navigation Company, (LIMITED)

will despatch the First Class Steamer

"JULIET," weather, etc., permitting, from

London to Halifax, About 9th October,

Loading in Millwall Docks. Importers may now cable their shipping orders, and in all shipments of over 10 tons, the Company will deduct price of message from the freight.

The "Juliet" will sail from Halifax, to HAVRE & LONDON, About 25th October.

This is a splendid opportunity of shipping goods to Paris, Bordeaux, and all parts of France, as the French import duties are not exigible on shipments made by Direct Steamers.

Apply to Cicero Brown, Havre; Westcott & Lawrence, 9 Fenchurch street, London; C. Dwyer & Co., Pictou; W. H. Shanks, Charlottetown, P. E. I., or to

JOSEPH WOOD Secretary, 60 Bedford Row, Halifax. Halifax, Oct. 6, 1883.

St. Lawrence Canals.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for St. Lawrence Canals," will be received at this office until the arrival of the eastern and western mails on TUESDAY, the 13th day of November next, for the construction of a lock and regulating weir at the deepening and enlargement of the upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal.

Also for the construction of a lock, together with the enlargement and deepening of the upper entrance of the Rapid Plat Canal, or middle division of the Williamsburg Canal.

Tenders will also be received until TUESDAY, the 27th day of November next, for the extension of the pierwork and deepening, etc., of the channel at the upper entrance of the Galops Canal.

A map of the head or upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal and the upper entrance of the Rapid Plat Canal, together with plans and specifications of the respective works, can be seen at this office, and at the Resident Engineer's Office, Dickieson's Landing, on and after Tuesday, the 30th day of October next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

A map, plans and specification of the works to be done at the head of the Galops Canal can be seen at this office and at the lock keeper's house near the place, on and after TUESDAY, the 13th day of November next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in case of firms except where they are attached the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of Two Thousand Dollars must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, A. P. BRADLEY, Secretary.

Dept. of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 28th Sept., 1883. Oct. 3.—1aw tl nov75.