

Local and Other Items.

A shock of earthquake was experienced in Granada, Spain, on the 5th.

The idea of writing George Eliot's biography has been given up by her husband, Mr. Cross.

The Boston boat could not come to this port on account of ice. She, therefore, sailed from Halifax for Boston to-day.

PRINCESS HELENK, Prince Leopold's bride, is said to excel all other European princesses in grace and symmetry of shape.

The Princess Louise, it is stated on good authority, will sail for Canada by the "Carnation," on the 25th of this month.

The comet will be visible in about a week or ten days. It will be seen in the North-east, and will be just above the level of the pole star.

PORTUNE IS FICKLE.—There is working in Toronto, as a machinist, a man who lost £18,300 by the failure of the City of Glasgow Bank.—Monetary Times.

A new paper pulp-mill has just got into operation at Riviere du Loup en bas. The pulp is made by grinding, and the water power available is equal to 850 horse power.

On Good Friday the parish priest of In bush near Kreams, in Lower Australia, was preaching to his congregation, and had just uttered the words, "We must all die," when he sank down and expired.

The Regular Annual Convocation of the Alexandra Royal Arch Chapter for the installation of officers will be held in the Masonic Hall this evening at 8 o'clock, by order of the M. E. H. P.—D. R. MACLENNAN, Secretary.

The diversions of Hon. Mr. Gladstone's Easter recess.—Writing some of the long magazine articles, and countless letters and postal cards, and filling up any spare moments with chopping trees in his woods.

MR. BAINSFATHER'S musical lecture to-morrow evening will be a rare treat. The "Songs of Scotland" are always good; and sung by Mr. Bainsfather they are splendid. Mr. Earle will preside at the piano. Tickets for sale at the usual places.

THEY are all alike. Col. Bob Ingersoll was lately a witness at Washington in the famous Star route cases, and is reported by the papers to have made use of such legal and legislative language as "liar," "miserable liar," "infernal liar," "dirty cur," "nasty loafer," "mash your jaw," "you're a boiled lobster," etc.

RESPECTING the young, the seed and the hope of the future, Gladstone said, in a recent address to the Harrow School boys: "There is no surer who ever drew the most extravagant profits from his hoards, whose profits can be compared for one moment to the results which you will reap, if you have the wisdom and the grace now, in the time of boyhood and of youth, to extract from your hours, as if your days, and your years, the fruit that they are capable of yielding."

Table with 2 columns: Item, Value. Includes Produce of the Mine, Produce of the Fisheries, etc.

Grand total, \$3,975,249

SUICIDE.—Mr. E. James Welling, merchant of Shediac, committed suicide by cutting his throat on Sunday morning. He got up in the morning, made up his face, shaved, and went down into the cellar, there committing the rash deed. Business troubles was the cause. It is reported there he made an assignment. A number of judgments had been obtained against him, which it was understood would be pushed this week. The deceased had a considerable family and was generally respected.—Times.

The buildings for the Halifax and Windsor Cotton Mills in Nova Scotia and the St. Stephen and Moncton Cotton Mills in New Brunswick, are now being erected. All these gigantic factories expect to be weaving cotton this year. St. John, N. B., also means to put up a mill soon, and Yarmouth is agitating for one. The many and great facilities of the Maritime Provinces for manufacturing are now being recognized, and under a favoring tariff, capitalists are embarking their money in those enterprises which must result greatly to the public benefit.

DEATH OF THE TROTTER STALLION "CONFIDENCE"—The valuable trotting stallion "Confidence" died at Kentville, N. S., on Thursday last of lung fever. He was owned by Leander Nissey, valued at \$2000, and claimed by many to be the best trotting stallion that ever pulled a sulky in the Lower Provinces. "Confidence" will be remembered by many here as the winner of the 238 and free for all races last fall at the opening of Moncton Park, competing with "Zulu," "Col Laing," and other fast trotters. The Provinces, as well as the owner, meet with quite a loss. "Confidence" gained many admirers during his visit to Moncton, and was a very handsome as well as a fast horse.

At the meeting of the Presbytery of Pictou, (C. P.) in New Glasgow, on the 2nd inst., Mr. Stirling intimated his acceptance of the call addressed to him by the congregation of Clifton and Granville, P. E. I., and the Presbytery agreed to acquiesce in his decision. The Standard says:—"His connection with the congregation of Scotsburn and Salts, rings cases on the third Sabbath of May, and Mr. McLeod was appointed to preach at Scotsburn on the 25th inst., and to declare the congregation vacant." The Presbyterian Witness says:—"It will be seen that Rev. A. Sterling leaves Scotsburn for P. E. Island. We congratulate the Island brethren on such an addition to their evangelical force. Pictou County will miss him. His ministrations will be long and lovingly remembered."

NEWFOUNDLAND PROHIBITION.—The Collector of Customs, for the information of fishermen and traders going to Newfoundland, desires us to publish sec. 5 of the License Act passed in the Legislature of Newfoundland on the 9th March, 1882, which reads as follows:—"5. No intoxicating liquors shall be carried on any ship vessel or boat engaged on any fishing or trading voyage except vessels engaged on a sealing voyage beyond such quantity (not exceeding four gallons) as may be bona fide required or necessary for ship's stores. All liquors carried on board any ship vessel or boat in contravention of this section shall (on conviction) be forfeited to the Crown, and the master of the said ship, vessel or boat so carrying the same, as well as the owner thereof, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two hundred dollars, nor less than fifty dollars."

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SUMMERSIDE harbor is reported clear of ice.

We were visited to-day by a slight snow storm and cold north winds.

We are pleased to learn that Dr. Robertson is somewhat better to-day.

Four cases of drunkenness at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon.

The stockholders of the Citizens' Skating Rink will please remember the annual meeting takes place this evening, at 8 o'clock, at the Skating Rink.

The residence of J. R. Burke, Esq., at Pownall, was destroyed by fire on Sunday morning last. The fire originated in the front of the house, and spread so quickly that it was impossible to save the furniture. No insurance.

"AN Hour in Scotland," with Mr. Bainsfather, to-morrow evening, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, listening to some of Scotland's best songs, and hearing Scottish life and character delineated by a Scotchman of acknowledged eloquence,—must surely be a grand treat, after so much political excitement.

CAPT. HENRY MURCH, of the "Northern Light," reports that while crossing from Pictou to Georgetown, yesterday, he saw a sea serpent. It was, he said, the full length of the steamer, and was moving northward at the rate of nine miles an hour. The Capt. could not explain its exact appearance, as it only appeared once upon the surface of the water.

A MOVEMENT is at present on foot in London, which has the sanction and aid of Sir A. T. Galt, Sir John Rose and other persons of prominence, the object of which is to assist (as an initiatory step) about 200 families of workmen, some 1,600 souls in all, to emigrate to Canada. For the heads of these families, who must be first certified to be of good health, character and ability to work, the Canadian Pacific Company, at Sir A. T. Galt's urgent request has promised to provide employment during the first six months after their arrival.

PERSONAL.—James W. Richards, M. P., Bideford, is in the city.

Hon. John Lefurgey, one of the victorious Government Candidates for Summerside, came to town last evening.

Mr. John A. Morrison, the popular representative of J. S. McLean & Co., Halifax, is in the city.

Richard Hunt, Esq., is in the city.

Mr. McQuarrie, of Summerside, is in town.

THE Pope, on the 5th inst., received a party of Irish pilgrims, to whom he expressed confidence in the sagacity and moderation of the people of Ireland, which would go far towards solving their present difficulties. Regarding the appointment of Archbishop McCabe to the Cardinalate, the Pope said he wished not only to reward Mgr. McCabe for his numerous services, but also to give Ireland a fresh token of the Papal love. Mr. McCabe has been wise in his counsels to the people. His Holiness trusted the disorder and agitation in Ireland would cease, and that the country would once more enjoy tranquility.

NEWSPAPER POSTAGE.—The Government is doing an exceedingly good thing in discontinuing the postage on newspapers. While it is correct enough in principle to charge for carrying newspapers through the mails, the practical effect of newspaper postage in this country has been to impose a heavy special tax on a small number of people, and people whose business does not warrant the discrimination. The original idea probably was that the burden of the tax would be distributed over the newspaper readers of Canada, but practically it has fallen exclusively on the publishers. Without exception, newspaper publishers of all political creeds will thank the Government for their judicious act.

AN OLD STORY RE TOLD.—There is a Justice of the Peace out in Pictou County. Week before last he found a man guilty of shooting a bull that did not belong to him and fined him \$75. "Why, Judge," said the doomed man, "I haven't got \$75; I can't pay no such fine." "The Province of Nova Scotia puts me in this office to find a way to make men pay their fines. You will cut spruce poles until you have cut enough to satisfy her majesty of the law," replied the justice. "But, Judge, what use has the Province of Nova Scotia for spruce poles?" "The Province of Nova Scotia hasn't got no use for spruce poles. It's this court who needs them to build a fence. I'll take the poles and settle with the Province of Nova Scotia for them." And the poor devil is cutting spruce poles for the Province of Nova Scotia now.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. TORONTO, May 10—10 a. m. Moderate to fresh westerly to north-westerly winds, fair weather.

EGGS!

Two Thousand Dozen a Day Wanted this Season.

The highest price paid in cash for large or small lots. Consignments received by Rail or Steamer carefully attended to and highest market value remitted promptly.

J. M. AULD.

Cl'town, May 6, '82—1m law, wkly 3m

RICE, CROP 1882, PRIME QUALITY.

RICE FLOUR, GROUND RICE, &c

Imported direct from BURM H. and Milled at their new Mills, Cote Street, St Paul by the MOUNT ROYAL MILLING AND MANUFACTURING CO., LIMITED.

Mills at Cote, St Paul. Offices 65 St. Peter Street, Montreal.

Cross, Hall & Co., Montreal. AGENTS. This Company will be prepared to supply the Trade, at prices, freight paid to shipping, upon the arrival of their first Steamer cargo from Burmah. Cl'town, May 10, '82—1m law, wkly 3m

CITIZENS' Skating Rink Company.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Citizens' Skating Rink Company will be held AT THE RINK, ON—

Wednesday, 10th day of May, AT 8 O'CLOCK, P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

JOHN A. MOORE, Pro Secy., Cl'town, April 25, '82—3l

VALUABLE AND Handsome Private Residence, ON PRINCE STREET.

I AM instructed by M. P. HOGAN, Esq., to sell at Auction, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, 17th inst., at 12 o'clock,—His very handsome and valuable property on Prince Street, opposite St. Paul's Church, centrally located in one of the best neighborhoods. The residence is a 3 story French roof, comfortably and conveniently built for the owner's own use. Contains fourteen rooms, with pantry, good frost-proof cellar, with stable, coach house, and other outbuildings in the rear. The land measures 42 feet on Prince Street, and extends back 169 feet.

TERMS—One half down, balance in two or three years, with interest at six per cent. per annum. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer, Cl'town, May 4, 1882.

MILLINERY.

MISS GALLANT begs to inform her friends, and the public generally, that she has commenced business in the above line, at her residence, Upper Queen Street. Having had four years' experience in the establishment of Robert Young, Esq., she feels confident of giving satisfaction to all who may favor her with their patronage. [ma 3 m]

GARDEN SEEDS, Garden Seeds.

Fresh and Good, Opening To-day at HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE.

May 1, 1882—H

SADDLES & BRIDLES.

GREAT BARGAINS. JUST OPENED,— 1 case English Manufacture. Will be sold low for cash.

JOHN STUMBLER, Great George Street, April 17, '82—cool pu

CARD.

ALL parties indebted to the Estate of the late Wm. R. Watson, Esq., are hereby notified that in order to wind up the affairs of the Estate, all Book accounts remaining unpaid on the 15th May next, will have to be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Courts for collection. For the convenience of parties, I will be in attendance at the office of the Estate, at the City Drug Store, Queen Street, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock, p. m., daily, where all payments may be made to me.

WILLIAM H. SHANKS, Agent for E-estate, April 27, 1882—cool tf, rg 2l

To hipers of Produce to Newfoundland.

BOWN & WOODS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Give particular attention to Shipments from Prince Edward Island. Consignments Solicited.

REPRESENTS—The Manager Union Bank, St. John's N.F. Messrs. C. F. Bennett & Co., Messrs. Ayre & Marshall, John H. Cathrae, Charlottetown, P. E. I. April 24, '82—pat 2m cool w 2m

Molasses and Sugar.

200 puns, Barbadoes Molasses, 50 hhd. Bright Grocery Sugar. Now landing at Barbadoes, and will be due here on opening of navigation.

HORACE HASZARD, Cl'town, April 17, '82—1m cool

For Sale.

THE pleasant residence of Dr. McIntosh, Pownall, Private offers made until 15th June. If not then disposed of, will be sold to the highest bidder. Apply to Dr. McIntosh and JOHN AULD. [ap 15]

TO SELL OR TO LET.

A FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS STAND on Queen Street, with twelve rooms and a large shop, suitable for any kind of business, with a good cellar, and every other accommodation. For further particulars enquire at the EXAMINER'S office. [ap 27]

TO LET. THE Store and Dwelling, No. 62 Queen Street, next door to W. A. Weeks & Co's, and lately occupied by the subscriber, to whom application is to be made. JOHN GAHAN, Cl'town, March 31, '82—2w cool

"CITY STEAM BAKERY."

THE proprietor of this Establishment, owing to the increased demand for his Goods, has added new facilities to his Bakery, consisting of the latest and most improved machinery, etc., and is now prepared to supply the trade with Hard Bread, Plain and Fancy Biscuits, &c., AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

1000 lbs. CHOICE CONFECTIONERY To arrive per Steamship "Miramichi," from Montreal.

Orders by mail promptly executed. J. QUIRK, Prince Street, Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

British Warehouse.

W. & A. BROWN & CO. HAVE JUST OPENED 26 Cases of LONDON GOODS, of the Latest Spring Styles. SELECTED BY ONE OF THEIR PARTNERS.

Manchester and Glasgow Goods, also a large lot Carpets of New Designs and of Excellent Value, to follow by Steamship "Prince Edward."

RECEIVED EARLY BY "NORTHERN LIGHT," 28 Bales English Paper Hangings, 3 Bales Grain Bags. W. & A. BROWN & CO.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

J. B. MACDONALD'S New Tweeds will be made to order at the following prices, viz: Very Good, all Wool Tweed Suits, \$12 50 Better, " " " 15 00 Fine, " " " 16 50 Best, " " " 18 50 Worsteds Suits " " " 14 00 up.

Gents' Furnishing Goods in Great Variety, London, American and Canadian Felt Hats, at the Lowest Prices.

J. B. MACDONALD, Re-novans Old Stand, Queen Street, April 25, 1882—wkly no

For Scotch and English Tweeds or Worsteds Suits For Canadian Tweed Suits, For Overcoats of all Descriptions,

GO TO— JOHN MACLEOD & CO'S, UPPER QUEEN STREET, TWO DOORS ABOVE APOTHECARIES HALL CORNER

There you will find the largest and best assortment of Cloths in the Island. Prices very moderate. The best workmanship and a perfect guarantee.

A complete line of Gents' Furnishings and Felt Hat, cheap, &c. &c. Remember the address, two doors above Apothecaries Hall Corner Charlottetown, Oct. 11, 1881.

THE EXAMINER JOB PRINTING OFFICE

HAS LATELY BEEN REPLENISHED WITH A Large Supply of Printing Types and Material, OF THE LATEST INVENTION AND BEST DESCRIPTION, AND WE ARE NOW PREPARED, Under the Careful and Skilful Supervision of Mr. J. W. Mitchell, TO PRINT BILL HEADS, LETTER HEADS, BLANK CHEQUES, RECEIPTS, NOTES OF HAND, POSTERS, HAND BILLS, DODGERS, &c. &c., On Short Notice, in Good Style, at Cheap Prices.

COAL. COAL.

A FEW TONS ROUND PICTOU COAL for sale for cash on delivery. Enquire at ROUGHAN'S SCALES, April 28, 1882.

EMPIRE RESTAURANT GONE NORTH,

To the SALON formerly occupied by A. McDonald, opposite the Law Courts on Grafton Street, where the proprietor will furnish in first class style. Meals at all hours, Lunch at short notice, Oysters in every style, Fruits of all kinds in their season, Pipes and Tobacco of all kinds, Cigars of best quality at the cheapest prices. Fifteen years practical experience at Cigar making enables me to purchase my Cigars of the best quality, and at the lowest figure; and for last and for flavor the public will find those Cigars will leave all others behind. HARRY HART, Proprietor Empire Restaurant, Cl'town, April 6, '82—4f

BOSTON BRANCH.

THE BOSTON SILVER PLATING CO. are now prepared to do all kinds of Gold and Silver Plating, such as Knives, Forks, Spoons, Cake Baskets, Ice Pickers, Crust Saws, Tea Sets, Watches and Jewellery of every description, Carriage Work, Handles, Dashers, etc. etc. Also, Sewing Machines and Guns repaired, and all kinds of fine Machinery. Every job warranted to give entire satisfaction or no charge made. WILLIAM BROWN, Manager, Shop on the corner of Prince and Grafton Streets, Charlottetown, Feb. 4, '82.



LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY ANALYSED BY THE LONDON INSTITUTION 54, Pall Mall, London, E. C., London, Aug. 8, '79, Report on the LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY. "We have visited the bottling stores of Greenlees Brothers, and have selected from the vats, samples of their Lorne Highland Whisky, and have subjected them to careful examination and analysis. The samples were very fine, mellow, and of pleasant flavor, and possessed all the characteristics of pure and well-matured Scotch Whisky of the first quality." "ARTHUR HILL, HASSALL, M. D., "OTTO BEHNER, F. C. S., F. I. C., Agent.— OWEN CONNOLLY, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Feb. 24, 1882.

MORE LIGHT!

THE Charlottetown Gas Light Company have imported some of "BAY'S Burners," which they will supply and fit on Gas Brackets, etc., at a moderate cost to consumers. These Burners are reported to be the best Flat Flame Burner yet produced, and will give a far greater amount of light than any other Burner with the same consumption of Gas. Dr. Wallace, F. R. S. E., F. C. S., Gas Examiner to the City of Glasgow, in a lecture delivered by him, calculated that £13,000 (\$650,000) a year are thrown away in Gas gone by the use of imperfect fittings. On the subject of Gas Burners he says: "Another and as I think a better Burner is that called Bay's regulator, and as I consider these the best, unless Burners attainable at moderate cost, I have selected them for a series of experiments. The report of the Committee of the British Association of Scientists to enquire as to the best means for the development of light from Coal Gas of different qualities—comprising Dr. William Wallace, Professor Dittmar, and Mr. Thomas Wills, F. C. S., F. I. C. E., showed that Bay's Burner yielded the greatest amount of light of all the two or three score of Burners reported upon which included all the Burners of repute in the market. In a pump let upon Light and Heat, published by R. B. Taor, A. M., he says: "The cost of Gas as compared with other illuminants is much more economical when rightly used, than many suppose. From experiments made for this purpose, the following results have been obtained. They were made by burning a supply of Devco's Brilliant Oil and ordinary Oil, and testing their illuminating power. It was found that Coal Gas costing one cent at \$3 per thousand feet, gave a light equal to 18 candles, while Devco's Brilliant Oil costing 27.4 grammes costing half a cent, gave a light equal to 9 candles. "A good Argand or Johnson's Burner, will therefore give the light of 2 ordinary Oil Burners in direct comparison, at no greater expense in the case of the finer and safer grades of Oil. Lights, however, on the authority of scientists, are not to be compared in direct proportion, but in proportion to the squares of their powers, and such a comparison with the case of the use of gas, its cleanliness, freedom from odor and danger, renders its use desirable wherever it can be introduced. As the above experiments were made with Gas at \$3 per 1000 feet, and not consumed through Bay's Burners, it will remain to be seen how much more economical it is to consume Gas instead of Oil, when its price is only \$2.63 per 1000 feet as now charged here when consumed, more especially through Bay's Burners. Messrs. Goodwin & Co., of Philadelphia, the well-known manufacturers of scientific instruments for testing the illuminating power of Coal Gas, etc., say in their Circular to Gas Companies: "In presenting the Bay's Standard Patent Silt Union Burners and Lanterns, for which we are the sole Agents in the United States, to the attention of the public, we are convinced that we are filling a want long felt." They further add: "The yield of light from these Burners is 12 to 20 per cent. greater per cubic foot of Gas consumed than that from any flat flame Burner hitherto introduced." [ap 6 l]