

Local and Other Items.

JOHN McDONALD, Esq., M. P. P., is at the ...

THE city small debt court was in session to-day.

BUY WEEKS & Co's Tea. [may 28 lw wky. 2]

THE Worcester, due this morning, has not yet arrived from Boston.

DR. F. P. TAYLOR returned home last night from a trip to Boston and New York.

REV. NEIL MCKAY, of Summerside, has gone to Toronto to attend the Presbyterian General Assembly.

REGULAR SESSION of Port la Joie Encampment will be held at Oddfellows' Hall at 8 o'clock this evening.

HUMORS of the stomach, salt rheum, and all blood disorders, are radically cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

THE Black Diamond Steamer Coban is due from St. John's, Nfld., on Monday next, and will take freight and passengers to Montreal.

NEW GOODS, New Goods—just arrived ten cases new goods. Great bargains may be expected, at the Seven Cent Variety Store, Queen Street.

N. J. CAMPBELL sells a desirable dwelling house and land on East Euston Street, by auction, on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock, on the premises.

THE Summerside arrived from Point du Chene last night, left for Pictou this morning, and will return this evening. The Princess of Wales remains in port while some improvements are being made on her machinery.

THERE will be a meeting of the "Young Women's Christian Association" to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at eight o'clock, in the Basement Parlor of the Y. M. C. A. All interested are invited to attend.

THE girl Mary O'Neill, who abandoned her child, was last night, brought from Cornwall by City Marshal Flynn. She was taken before the Stipendiary Magistrate and compelled to take charge of and bring up the child.

AUCTION SALES.—By A. McNeill cargo of coal to-morrow, 11 o'clock, at Queen's Wharf. Fry Goods, etc., Friday at 11 o'clock. Furniture, etc., Friday at 2 o'clock. The Free Church and Manse, Monday, June 9th, at 12 o'clock, noon.

THE Y. M. C. A. annual Strawberry Festival will likely take place the latter part of June. Will our friends please bear this in mind and plan to make it, as in the past, a success.—Moncton Times.

We hope the Charlottetown Y. M. C. A. will follow the example of their Moncton friends, and give the boys a good time.

QUERY.—If the Patriot believes in the doctrine that Protection makes the rich richer and the poor poorer, how does he account for that tall chimney at Moncton having toppled over? How it must rejoice his heart to see tall chimneys toppling over, for does it not prove that the rich are not getting richer, while the poor may be said about the poor becoming poorer.

A MEETING of cricketers was held in the Lower Parlor of the Y. M. C. A. Hall, last evening, for the purpose of organizing a Club. The game was discussed, a club entitled "The Park Cricket Club" was organized, and by-laws for its government were drawn up. Officers were also elected, viz:—

Patron—Hon. Judge Young. President—L. H. Davies, Esq., M. P. Vice-President—Mr. John A. Longworth. Secretary—Treasurer—Mr. T. A. LePage. Executive Committee—Messrs. R. V. Longworth, W. A. Weeks and H. Carvell.

The club consists of between forty and fifty members. It is going right to work and is bound to make the coming the most interesting cricket season ever passed in the Province.

Dr. MacSwain, of Belfast. Dr. MacSwain, formerly of Belfast, P. E. I., says the British Columbian, of New Westminster, is so delighted with the climate of British Columbia that he has decided to remain, and will become a permanent resident of New Westminster. He has entered into partnership with Dr. MacLeod. Dr. MacSwain has been practicing in the East for the last 11 years, but was compelled to relinquish his practice in consequence of the severity of the eastern winters. After graduating at Harvard the doctor went to Edinburgh, and afterwards to London, where he took the degree of the Royal College of Physicians; and we believe he is the only person in this province who holds that valuable diploma. While in London he studied at St. Thomas Hospital, where he had the advantage of a course in eye and ear diseases under the celebrated Nettlefield. He also took a course in the Samaritan Hospital for diseases of women. The medical training of Drs. MacLeod & MacSwain should command them to public confidence.

A Safety Switch. An Ottawa despatch says:—Some interest was manifested at a trial of Cooke's patent safety switch used in conjunction with Baker's safety switch stand, which took place at the Union Station here at the instance of the Railway Safety Appliance Company of Canada in presence of a number of railway men including Mr. Col. Hingwood Schrieber, Chief Engineer of Government Railways, and Mr. T. Trudeau, Deputy Minister of Railways. The invention has been already adopted by the leading railways of the Eastern States and the Canada Pacific Railway, and is an exceedingly ingenious and simple appliance. It consists of a combination of pieces of steel rail so arranged that should the switch happen to be misplaced or open to an approaching train the latter will not leave the track, but run on to the main line as though the switch had been properly thrown. The Baker stand is the embodiment of simplicity and safety. Several trials with an engine and cars at a high rate of speed were made over the switch thrown open for the purpose, and those present were much impressed with the result. The train, in place of leaving the track, passed over and on to the main line. The company purpose entering upon the manufacture of their patents at once, with head office at Ottawa.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Percheron Stallion and Brood Mares.

OAKLAND FARM, Wayne DuPage, May 30, 1884.

DEAR SIR,—Mr. Benjamin Hertz, of Charlottetown, purchased of me, in April, 1883, (on their arrival in New York, from France) one black Percheron stallion and two Percheron mares. The stallion is recorded in the Percheron stud book of America under the name of Absalom (Romulus III.) No. 2,313, vol. III., page 43, and in the Percheron stud book of France, under the name of Absalom, No. 1,093, page 22, and described in my catalogue of '81 as "Absalom."

The mares Sophia and Marinda are registered in America, Nos. 2,314 and 2,315, and in France Nos. 1,477 and 1,484. All of these animals are of the best Percheron blood, being descendants of the stallions Jean le Blanc and Gallipoli, two of the most noted stallions of France.

I write you this as in my catalogue the stallion is described as Absalom, by the name Romulus III being omitted, which name, I understand, he is known by in your country. Very truly yours, M. W. DUNHAM.

Letter from "Steeple Cleydon."

SIR,—With sincere regret I read, in tonight's issue of your paper, that I have been the unwilling cause of a lady's annoyance. The impertinent curiosity, which seeks to fasten the authorship of my remarks upon this or that innocent person, I consider to be one of the most pitiable signs I have yet observed in the citizens of this town. As some persons have wisely concluded, "Steeple Cleydon is a nom de plume; but of what possible benefit could it be to anyone in Charlottetown to know the writer's real name? In a little town, like this, it is absolutely necessary to conceal one's identity, if one wishes one's remarks to be judged simply on their own merits; and among people of good breeding the necessity of doing so is generally conceded. My remarks are either true or not true. The readers of your paper are perfectly free to form what opinion they please on that point; but beyond that it would be well if they could learn to mind their own business. But in order to prevent, as far as I am able, the further annoyance of offending citizens, I beg leave to say that Steeple Cleydon is not a woman, nor a Canadian, nor a baker, nor a butcher, nor a pardoned criminal, nor a clergyman, nor a resident of this city of any description whatever.

I remain, yours etc., STEEPLE CLEYDON. June 3, 1884.

The Methodist Choir.

SIR,—After an absence of some months from your good city, I had the pleasure of being present on Sunday evening last in the Methodist Church, when I enjoyed a treat seldom afforded in these Lower Provinces to lovers of song. The choir of that church may well be styled the "crack choir" of P. E. Island, as I have not heard anything equal to their performance for many years.

The distinct articulation and correct time, together with the fine effect produced when the crescendos and diminuendos were rendered, was thrilling. The director, Prof. Friese, has spared no pains to place his choir at the head in your town. I must state that during the last few months a marked improvement has taken place, not only in the above choir, but that of Zion and the other churches. It is a great pleasure to have the opportunity of listening to such music as is now produced in Charlottetown since Mr. Friese has come among you. He should be encouraged and appreciated in his efforts to improve the "heavenly art."

Yours, etc., RAMBLER. June, 1884.

"Water Water Everywhere and not a drop to drink."

SIR,—This may have been the "fix" in which he Ancient Mariner—poor old man—imagined himself, but such thoughts could not have entered his foolish head if he had sojourned in Charlottetown in 1884.

Here we have an "exhaustless supply," and as for quality "there is no better water on earth" than in this city. Then what, Mr. Newspaper Man, is all the fuss and nonsense about? That the above is true there can be no doubt. Councillor Tanton stated it boldly on Friday evening last, when the citizens met to consider the "water question;" and more, when he made the statement, it was evident from the applause which followed, that a large majority of the citizens endorsed it. Then let's have no more nonsense about "a short supply" of "bad water." Give us the next subject. Who is to be our next Governor?

PATSY B. A Teacher's Complaint.

SIR.—I wish to call the attention of the Board of Education to the last edition of Smith's smaller Arithmetic, which has been imported by our booksellers. The proofs have been so badly read that many mistakes have been left which are annoying to the teacher and discouraging to the scholar. It is not a little provoking after one has been working for half an hour at an exercise to find that the substitution of a 5 for a 1 has made it impossible to get the answer. In the forty-second exercise, containing fourteen sums, there are two questions misprinted and on another page there is a crease which makes it impossible to read the exercises on it. The printer is William Warwick, Toronto.

Yours, etc., TEACHER. Arbor Day.

SIR,—Looking over the "regulations" of the Arbor Society, I find No. 4 reads: "A guard of strong battens, properly constructed, shall be placed around each tree, immediately after planting." Looking around about the squares, I see the trees on Rochfort Square are "guarded," in accordance with regulation No. 4, while those on Queen Square are not.

Which is best—the observation or the breach of No. 4? Either the one is unnecessary or the other is neglected. Please inform A. PLANTER.

The New Time Table

THE Summer running arrangement of our Railway appears to give general satisfaction—except that the time table is published according to "Standard Time."

In order to make the table clearer we publish the principle items of it below, according to Charlottetown time:—

Table with columns for GOING WEST, GOING EAST, and FROM EAST, listing stations like Charlottetown, Hunter River, Kensington, Summerside, Port Hill, Alberton, Tignish, etc., with arrival and departure times.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN, ENTERED.

June 3—Margaret Jane, McDonald, Pictou, coal; Farewell, Sampson, Arichat, bal; Lavinia Jane, Anderson, Pictou, coal.

June 4—Reaper, Curry, Sheet Harbor, laths; Medway Belle, McPhee, Georgetown, 18 m feet prime lumber.

June 3—Margaret Jane, McDonald, Pictou, bal; Three Sisters, Walpole, Pictou, 700 bush oats; Advance, Heath, Chatham, mds; Lavinia Jane, Anderson, Pictou, bal; Forest Queen, Casey, Shediac, 150 bush oats; Gazelle, Robertson, Pictou, bal.

June 4—Margaret Jane, Thorp, Capraud, mds; Leonora, Wright, Richibucto, 4,601 bush oats.

MARRIED. This morning, at St. Mary's Church Summerside, by the Rev. Klement Richardson, A. M. P. C. D. Rector, assisted by the Rev. Dr. FitzGerald, Rector of Charlottetown, William Fairbanks Mitchell, of the Merchants Bank of Halifax, son of the late Andrew Mitchell, Esq., of Halifax, N. S., to Helen Adelaide, third daughter of the late Hon. Judge Pope.

At Charlottetown, on 3rd June, 1884, by Alexander Haylen, Esq., J. P., Alexander Merchel, of Covehead, to Lidia Cooley, of the same place.

At the Manse, Charlottetown, on 4th inst., by Rev. John M. McLeod, Mr. Benjamin Jay to Miss Rebecca Jay, both of Mount Stewart.

DIED. At his residence, in this city, on Monday, the 2nd June, after a brief illness of inflammation of the lungs, Owen Winters, in the 44th year of his age. May his soul rest in peace.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. OSBORNE HOTEL. June 2—David Ross, Ormell; J. S. Murray, Vale Colliery, N. S.; James McDunn, Montague; B. Hayward, Tignish; Mrs. H. Bell, Alberton; Cyril Cheverie, Boston; Walter Taber, Acushnet, Mass.; Paul Costigan, M. M. Inegash, 3—E. Kinsman, Summerside; Michael Wall, M. D. County Line; J. A. Nicholson, Eldon; Henry Clarke, Dunk River; James Berclay, O'Leary; Rev. T. B. Reagh, New London; Mrs. S. Murchison, Point Prim; Miss Marchison, do; M. McKinnon, Summerside.

3—H. F. Sawyer, North Rustico; Thomas Adams, Port Hill; A. M. Dudley, Bangor, Me.; F. T. Griffin, do; John T. Hugh, Murray Harbor, Miss Katie Bruce, Peabody Mass; Miss L. Polson, do. 4—John McDougal, M. P. P., Dundas; G. B. McKay, Clifton; Wm. McKay, do; J. E. Davies, Nova Scotia; Wm. G. Cushing, Summerside; M. O'Conner and wife, Summerside; Miss Fraser, Montague.

REVERE HOUSE. June 3—J. C. Jolley, Montreal; Geo. H. Rock, Moncton; D. McLynner, Montreal; T. W. Higgins, St. John; E. U. Fisher, do; G. F. Moulton, Boston; A. S. Campbell, Montreal.

ROCKLIN HOUSE. June 2—Miss Parks, Margate; J. R. Bourke, Mount Stewart; S. H. Brown, Stanley Bridge; J. R. Bourke, Jr., Mill View; Rev. J. B. Woodland, Cavendish; Rev. A. H. Lavers, North River; Miss McKenzie, Souris; W. H. Pope, Pictou; D. McKenzie, Truro; Oates Serey, Windsor; Rev. G. Steel, Little York; Rev. A. H. Mabon, St. Peter's Road; Senator Haythorne, do.

RANKIN HOUSE. June 1—G. H. Cochrane and wife, Moncton; W. J. Bell, Guelph, Ont.; R. C. Fin, Shediac; Jno. Geo. Bennett, Magdalen Islands; Joseph Donnelly, Montreal; Geo. Faulkner, Halifax.

CHEAP AND GOOD.—For 50 cents you can purchase from any reliable druggist, a box of Mack's Magnetic Medicine, which contains forty-five doses; this is cheaper than any other similar medicine sold, and while it is cheap our druggists say it is the best, and gives our satisfaction in all cases. Sold in Charlottetown at Apothecaries Hall. Read the advertisement in another column. [June 2 lw wky]

Spring Park Brewery. BY AUCTION, on the premises, on MONDAY NEXT, at twelve o'clock, I will sell the property known as the Spring Park Brewery, on the M-pleque Road, at the entrance to the City, together with all the buildings thereon. Terms at sale. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Ch'town, June 2, 1884.—wly pat

BARGAINS. I AM selling the balance of my Furniture saved from the fire of the 20th ult., at J. D. McLeod's corner, Queen Street, at a reduction of from twenty-five to fifty per cent. below usual prices. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, March 8.

WHITE RUSSIAN SEED WHEAT. THE best producer yet tried on the Island. Call and examine and see testimonials at my Furniture Store, J. D. McLeod's corner. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, March 8.

SUMMER GOODS

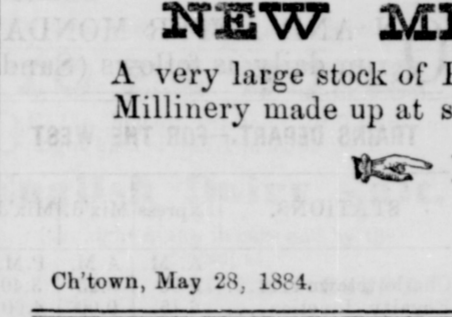
Perkins & Sterns'. WE are showing a complete stock of English and American Hats and Bonnets for June trade.

Black, White, and Colored Straw Hats. Black, White, and Colored Straw Bonnets. Chip Hats and Bonnets. Trimmed Hats and Bonnets. Fancy Straw Hats and Bonnets. The largest display of Children's Hats to be found on P. E. I. Feathers and Flowers Hat and Bonnet Shapes.

NEW MILLINERY MATERIALS. A very large stock of Parasols and Umbrellas. Millinery made up at short notice by first-class hands.

PRICES LOW. PERKINS & STERNS'. Ch'town, May 28, 1884.

MIDSUMMER TRIP, 1884. TOBACCO! Dwelling House on Water Street FOR SALE.



THE BARKENTINE WILL SAIL For Liverpool, direct, the 24th inst RETURNING WILL SAIL From Liverpool for Charlottetown about 20th June.

For Liverpool or passage apply in Liverpool to Pictain Brothers, 51 South John Street, or here to owners, PEAKE BROS. & CO. Ch'town, May 13, 1884.—3aw tf

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION THE Examination for the Daniel Hodgson Scholarship will be held in Charlottetown on 19th and 20th June.

Candidates are requested to send in their names, a week before the date of the examination, to the undersigned, by whom they will be notified of the place and hour of the examination. GEORGE W. HODGSON, Hon'y Sec'y Trustees. May 28, 1884.—2aw wly tl j 12 pat

TO BE SURE OF the highest price for BUTTER, the right kind of SALT must be used. English Dairy Salt, (the right kind), in bags and by the pound, at BEER & GOFF'S. May 23.

Brick Machine For Sale AT A BARGAIN. BULLMAN & SHEPHERD'S MAKE. B Capable of turning out about 10,000 Bricks a day. Apply to BEER & GOFF. Ch'town, April 16, 1884.

COLD MEDAL-PARIS 1878. JOSEPH TAYLOR'S STEELPENS. SOLD BY ALL STATIONERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

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WANTED. 30 GIRLS wanted to work in my lobster factory at North Rustico, for which the highest wages will be paid, either by the week or month. Apply at once to H. F. SAWYER. North Rustico, May 26—m 28 tf

STEAMER MIRAMICHI. Montreal = Charlottetown Leaves Montreal, Monday, 9th June, and fortnightly afterwards. Leaves Charlottetown, Tuesday, 17th June and fortnightly afterwards. Superior passenger accommodation, and freight carried carefully at lowest rates. CARVELL BROS. Ch'town, May 31—pat 2m

FOR SALE. THE Subscriber offers for sale all those beautiful grounds adjoining the Hon. Judge Young's property, comprising Town Lots Nos. 26 and 71, in 5th 100, Charlottetown, having a front on Fitzroy Street of 84 feet, and a depth through to Euston Street of 320 feet, with a front thereon of 84 feet. —ALSO— A Building Lot, 75 feet square, on Orleans Street, near Euston Street. BENJ. DESBRISAY. Ch'town, May 17—sa mo wfr

GROUND BONES. To Farmers and Others. PURE Ground Bones, of all sizes, and in large or small quantities. Highest Cash Price Paid for Old Bones. J. W. MCGILL. Ch'town, May 19—cod 2m pat cod 2msw 2m

I WILL GIVE WRITTEN GUARANTEE that my MUSTACHE GROWER will produce heavy mustache inside ten weeks, or money refunded. Price of recipe, \$1. Address, J. MURRAY McNEILL, London, Ont. [June 2]

EX MIRAMICHI: All McDonald's Manufacture. CARVELL BROS. Ch'town, May 30—pat 3i

FOR SALE. HEMLOCK BOARDS, Spruce Boards, and Fencing, cheap for cash, by POOLE & LEWIS, Lower Water Street. May 26th, 1884.

SUMMER RESORT! THE LORNE HOTEL, Tracadie Beach, WILL RE-OPEN on or about the 14th of June next. Persons wishing to secure rooms for the season should apply at once to the undersigned at the Hotel. Further particulars will be given in due time. JOSEPH KENT, Manager. May 31—6.

WANTED. FRANCIS S. CHANDLER, Collector for the said City. May 30—3aw tl date

Piano Tuning & Repairing MR. VINNICOMBE begs to inform the musical public that he is now prepared to take in Pianos for repair. Pianos reworked with neatness, defective sound boards renewed, keys tightened, actions regulated;—in fact the whole construction renovated. Cabinet Organs repaired. Church Organs voiced and tuned. Having received a large stock of Piano Tuning, Wire, etc., from the celebrated Emerson Piano Manufacturers, with nearly twenty years experience in that business, and under the patronage of Government House, the Convents, and the leading musical families on the Island, feels sure of giving universal satisfaction. Terms—Cash when work is done. Office—C. P. Fletcher's New Music Store. Ch'town, May 21—w sa

IMPORTED SEED WHEAT. ALREADY RECEIVED, 500 bushels White Russian, and to arrive by "Northern Light," 1,000 bushels White Russian and 400 bushels White and Red Fife. Full particulars and prices are given in my "CULTIVATORS' GUIDE AND SEED CATALOGUE" for 1884 (ready 20th March), which is a book of thirty-two large pages, with forty-five illustrations of the choicest FLOWERS and VEGETABLES, and directions for culture of nearly 250 varieties of FLOWER, VEGETABLE and AGRICULTURAL SEEDS. I have the largest and best Stock of Seeds ever offered for sale in Prince Edward Island. My "Cultivators' Guide" tells how to get and grow them. Send your name and post office address, and I will send you a copy, free. Address, George Carter, Seedsman. Ch'town, March 10.

JOB PRINTING of every description executed with Neatness and Dispatch at the EXAMINER JOB PRINTING ROOMS, over Water and Great George Street.

THE subscriber is instructed to sell by Auction at the premises, Water Street, Charlottetown, on THURSDAY, the 5th day of JUNE next, at 12 o'clock, noon, that valuable dwelling house and premises for many years past occupied by the American Consul, Col. Dunn. The property fronts 54 feet on Water Street and runs back therefrom 108 feet. The house contains twelve rooms besides a large and commodious office attached. There is a good tank and a pump in the kitchen, and also an English Range. Any persons desirous of inspecting the premises previously to the sale, can obtain the key at the residence of Hon. W. W. Lord. Terms easy and liberal, and made known at time of sale. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. May 27, 1884—pat

Dominion of Canada, Province of Prince Edward Island, CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN. In the City Court, before Rowan Robert Fitzgerald, Esq., the Stipendiary Magistrate for the City of Charlottetown.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor the Stipendiary Magistrate for the said City of Charlottetown has, by virtue of the power and authority in him vested by the Statute of the General Assembly of the said Island, intitled "An Act to amend of 'An Act to incorporate the City of Charlottetown, and of the Statute 43rd Victoria, Chapter Thirteen, in amendment thereof," ordered and appointed that Friday, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1884, be the day set down for hearing all appeals made to him from the last preceding valuations, assessments or rates imposed or authorized by the City Council of the said city, and that on such day and daily thereafter, until all such appeals have been heard, at the hour of eleven o'clock, forenoon, in the said City Court, in Charlottetown, aforesaid, all such appeals will be heard and finally determined by him. Dated this 28th day of May, 1884. By order, FRANCIS S. CHANDLER, Collector for the said City. May 30—3aw tl date